

That the Captains shall instruct each of the officers detailed as above, that challengers and watchers in the several polling places, while acting within the scope of their duties, are entitled to the protection of the Police.

And the Board instructed further that the special order with respect to Primary Elections issued August 18th., 1910, as follows, be re-published:

"On the 29th. of August a primary election will be held at which there will be contests in every section of the city. In view of the interest manifested in this election, the Board intends to see that it will be fairly and honestly conducted. In the first place members of this Department must refrain from participating in these contests in any manner whatever, the Captains must instruct their men of the importance of showing no preference beyond casting their ballot, as nothing is more harmful to the service and unfair to the aspirants than a mere idea that its influence is being exerted in behalf of certain candidates. Every precaution must be used to ascertain whether the rules are being violated in this respect and report must be made to the Board of all offenders as no excuse will be accepted for dereliction in this regard and dismissal will surely and promptly follow.

The various candidates of both parties should understand that their co-operation with the Marshal will be welcomed with a view of preventing the slightest interference and bringing to the Board's attention any violation of the Department's rules on this subject.

The precaution between now and election day and proper vigilance on that day will not only elevate the electorate but will encourage every citizen to do his duty by participating in the primaries."

And the Board ordered further that the Marshal instruct the captains to call the attention of the officers of their respective districts every two or three days between now and election day to the instructions and all orders issued upon the subject of the coming election and to require the captains to see that the sergeants of the respective squads go over carefully such instructions and orders with each member of the squad to see that they understand their duties in the premises.

And it was ordered further that the attention of all officers and men be called to the following provisions of the Primary Election Law:

"It shall be unlawful for the keeper of any hotel, tavern, store or other establishment, or for any person or persons, corporation or cor-