

OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

Court - House.
5:30 p.m.
Baltimore, Md., Monday, December 18th., 1911.

Board met; present, Mess. Whelple, Clotworthy & Tome.

Captain Thomas B. McGee.
Grand Jury.

In the matter of the testimony given by Captain Thomas B. McGee before the Grand Jury in respect to ballot boxes used in the Primary Election, held in the City of Baltimore, April 4, 1911, and the testimony of Captain McGee in his examination by the Board, December 14, 1911, the finding of the Board was as follows:-

"The answer of the Board of Police Commissioners to the order of Hon. Henry Duffy, judge of the Criminal Court, directing the delivery of the ballot boxes used at the primary election of April 4th., to be delivered upon the order of the Grand Jury, wherein the Board showed unto the court that it was unable to comply with said order as the boxes referred to had been delivered to the Supervisors of Elections for use in the primary election of August 29th., was by the Court delivered to the Grand Jury for its consideration and action.

There was at the same time delivered to the Grand Jury the answer of the Supervisors of Elections to the same order of the Court, which said answer stated in full the reasons for obtaining said ballot boxes from the custody of the Board of Police Commissioners, and the use to which said boxes were put, namely, that they were prepared for use in the primary election of August 29th.

Upon the two answers being so referred to the Grand Jury it proceeded to summons various witnesses with the presumed object to test the accuracy of the statements contained in the answer filed by the Board of Police Commissioners and the Board of Supervisors of Elections.

Among other witnesses summoned and appearing before the Grand Jury was Captain McGee of the Southwestern District, who was examined at length as to the ballot boxes stored in the