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ELISORS, practice.

Two persons appointed by the court to return a jury, when the sheriff and the coroner have been challenged as incompetent; in this case the elisors return the writ of venire directed to them, with a panel of the juror's names, and their return is final, no challenge being allowed to their array.

3 Bl. Com. 355,; 3 Cowen, 296; 1 Cowen, 32.

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What is ELISORS?

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Black's Law Dictionary; Fifth Edition:

"<u>Elisors</u>: <u>Electors</u> or choosers. Persons appointed by the court to execute writs of venire, in cases where both the sheriff and the coroner are are disqualified from acting, and whose duty it is to chose – that is, name and return – the jury. 3. Bl.Comm. 355.

Persons appointed to execute any writ, in default of the sheriff and coroner, are also called "elisors". An elisor may be appointed to take charge of a jury retiring to deliberate on a verdict, when both sheriff and coroner are dis-qualified or unable to act.

<u>Elector</u>. A duly qualified voter; one who has a vote in the choice of any officer; a constituent. ... one who has the general right to vote, and the right to vote for public officers. ...

<u>Electoral college</u>: The college or body of electors of a state ... also, the whole body of such electors, composed of the electoral colleges of the several states.