

The '71 Grand Jury Takes Seat Today

The 1971 County Grand Jury was seated today at 2 p.m.

Superior Court Judge Nick Drobac, acting as an advisor to the jury for the first time, presided over the selection of 19 jurors from a list of 25 names suggested by judges.

The old jury, which has submitted its report, still remains seated. So the county will have two grand juries until the 1970 jury is dismissed by Superior Court Judge Gilbert Perry.

Names of the 25 prospective jurors are Douglass E. Thorne, Allen F. Cheney, William H. Moore Jr., John W. Buchanan, Merlyn Isaak, Robert E. Swenson, Elizabeth Calciano, Robert

Bugalski, Louis T. Ledesma, James Robert Oliveas, Al Fanucci.

Robert L. Staka, Leslie W. Ley, William R. Yeazell, Elio Orlando, Carlos P. Rico, Jack Nielsen, Robert Culbertson, Llewellyn C. Burt, Rupert I. Fallis, Mark F. Elward.

Henry S. Leong, Francis M. Harris, Lawrence J. Violante and Warren H. Penniman Jr. are prospective jurors who have served before. It will be Leong's third opportunity to serve, since he was on the 1959 and 1965 juries. Other were Harris, 1963; Violante, 1968; and Penniman, 1965, according to County Clerk Tom Kelley.