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NEWS ITEM OF MOTY TIGER

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Angry and mortified at the action of the county authorities in searching his office on suspicion that liquor was stored therein, Moty Tiger, Principal chief of the Creek Indian Nation, is on the war path, and prosecution of the sheriff of Muskogee county and a justice of the peace may result.

Last week Deputy Sheriff, U. G. Hamlin, armed with a search warrant issued by Justice of the Peace Wolfenbeger, entered the executive office of the Creek nation and proceeded to ransack the desks and closets and every possible place where contraband liquor might be hidden. It had been tipped off to the sheriff's office that a supply of booze was kept on hand in the place. None, however, was found,

and the officer gave up the search.

In the absence of Chief Tiger no action was taken at the time, but the Chief, who is in Washington, was promptly notified by wire. At Creek headquarters it is claimed that the warrant was incorrectly drawn and provided for the search of one room only. The deputies, however, ransacked every office in the building. Steps will be taken to prosecute the officials for unlawfully breaking into the office of the chief.