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Memo on how Soule came to be assigned to the DA's office.

From the time I met him and learned that he was a captain working as a patrolman under a sergeant, Ivon, in Garrison's office, I suspected Spule and stayed away from him. Today I asked Ivon by phone how this came to pass. He says it was his doing, that he got Soule assigned to that office as a return favor, going back to the days when Louis was a patrolman breaking in 14 years ago.

Soule had been sick and had been replaced in his regular job. He was given an undesirable assignment on returning to work. When Lou learned of this, he asked for Soule's transfer to his staff, which gave Spule regular, daylight working hours.

If I had not been introduced to him as Captain Fred Soule and had not heard him paged as captain, I would never have known from his manner or the way other men of inferior rank treated him that he was a captain.

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