

he meant by secesh. He said, "you for one, the clerk of elections." I saw some go up and vote while he was there—he was fussing and quarrelling, and did not challenge them. As soon as he got through with Mr. Langford, he and Mr. Pope had a fuss, and they continued quarrelling all the time I remained there. I did not stay in the house long.

Ques.—Who were the two that you saw challenged?

Ans.—John S. Dryden and Purnell Dryden. I saw no one else challenged while I was there.

Ques.—How long were you there?

Ans.—I was probably there an hour, or an hour or two hours—I was at dinner part of that time. There was no other man challenged, but I heard one taking the oath outside, but I do not know who it was—I think his name was Peacock.

Ques.—Had you any conversation with Mr. Taylor yourself?

Ans.—Yes sir. I asked him what sent him there. He said that he was there to challenge voters.

Ques.—Was Mr. Edward Taylor a supporter of Mr. Long?

Ans.—I do not know. I have heard him say since the election that he voted for him. He said that he would have voted for Mr. Long and Dr. Dashiell.

John V. Pinto's testimony:

Ques.—Were you Chief Judge of election at Princess Anne District?

Ans.—Yes, sir; I have been for 10 or 12 years.

Ques.—Will you state whether you had any conversation with Captain Moore, before the polls were opened?

Ans.—Before the polls were opened I was over in Mr. Crisfield's office, trying to get a copy of Gov. Bradford's proclamation to read. While I was there, Mr. Wilson, the tavern keeper, asked me whether I had seen Captain Moore. I told him I had not. He told me Captain Moore wished to see me. I asked Mr. Wilson where he was. He took me to the door and pointed him out to me across the street. When I got across the street I was introduced to Captain Moore. He asked me if I was the Judge of Election. I told him I was. He asked me if I had seen General Schenck's public order, No. 53, I think it was. I told him I had not, but I had heard some talk about it. He then handed me the order, and I commenced reading it. There were a good many persons around me, and I read it aloud, the people paying attention to it. When I