## TESTIMONY.

## OAKLAND, ALLEGANY CO., MD.,

December 5th, 1866.

In pursuance of the aforegoing notice, I attended at the time and place first therein designated, and having appointed James J. McHenry, as Clerk, and administered to him an oath to fairly write down and transcribe the depositions to be taken by me, did proceed then and there to take the following testimony, to wit:

## Deposition No. 1.

Patrick Hammil having been duly sworn, deposed and said as follows, to wit:

By Mr. Spates:

Question. What is your name, age, occupation and resi-

dence; and how long have you resided there?

Answer. My name is Patrick Hammil; age 49 years; occupation, farmer; residence at Swanton, in election District No. 1, in Allegany county, Maryland, and have lived in Allegany county all my life.

By Mr. Spates:

Question. Were you registered as a voter prior to the election held in said Allegany county, on the 6th day of November, 1866?

Answer. I was.

By Mr. Spates:

Question. Did you or not attend at the polls in said election District, in Allegany county, on the 6th day of November, 1866, if so, did you then and there offer a ticket to the Judges of election at said polls as your ballot, and was it received or rejected? State also the name of the person printed on said ticket, for State Senator, for whom you desired to vote, and what reason did the said Judges assign for rejecting your vote if they did so reject it?

(Interrogatory objected to by Dr. Ohr.)

Answer. I did so attend and offered to the Judges of election there, a ticket as my ballot and it was rejected by them; the name on my said ticket for State Senator was Alfred