

South was right. One of the Judges said he heard me say so.

Cross-examination by Dr. Ohr.

Question by Dr. Ohr :

Did the Judges of Election demand of you to take the oath prescribed in Article 1, section 4, of the Constitution, before deciding on your right to vote ?

Answer. They did not.

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JOHN J. WHIRREL.
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Witness.—M. FALLON.

Deposition No. 15.

WILLIAM ARNOLD, having by me been duly sworn, deposed and said as follows, to wit ;

Question by Mr. Spates .

What is your name, age, occupation and residence, and how long have you resided there ?

Answer. My name is William Arnold, age 36 years, occupation farming, and reside in Election District No. 10 in Allegany county, Maryland, and have lived there all my life.

Question by Mr. Spates :

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

Answer. I was.

Question by Mr. Spates :

Did you or not attend at the polls in said election district 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 ?

Answer. I went to the polls in my District, on said day, and could not get to the window, on account of the crowd there, there were armed men standing there on one end of the porch and men coming in on the other. I saw there many good Constitutional men, who could not get to vote ; their tickets being refused by the Judges, and I therefore turned off and went home without voting ; The name of Alfred Spates for States Senator, was printed on the ticket I had and wished to vote.

Cross-examined by Dr. Ohr.

By Dr. Ohr :

Question. When were you registered as a voter ?