

ticket, but does not state to which party these persons belonged.

Allegation 3. The third allegation charges, that at the polls in Election District No. 10, 16, 15, 14 and 2, sundry illegal voters, unregistered and non-resident were permitted by the Judges of Election to vote, &c.

It is in evidence on the part of the contestants, that in District No. 15, there was one vote cast by a person who was not registered, but in all of the other named districts, the contestants have utterly failed to produce any testimony to sustain said allegations.

Allegations 4 and 5. The fourth and fifth allegations charge that the election in Districts No. 4 and 1, were held at illegal and unusual, and improper places, &c.

While it is shown that the election was held in Districts No. 4 and 1, at different places from those at which they were held the previous year; yet there is no testimony to show, that they were held at unusual and improper places, or at places unknown to the public; neither is there any evidence to show that the judges were biased in favor of the sitting members, against the interest of the contestants, in holding the election at the above named places, which places were designated by the proper authorities, and not by the Judges of Election, as charged.

6th. The sixth allegation charges, that the Judges of Election were partial in the discharge of their duty, and were, and acted as partizans, &c.

The testimony offered to sustain this allegation, does not sustain the charges as alleged therein; and the Committee were unanimous in the opinion, that neither of the sitting members advised the Judges of Election to exclude any vote for contestants, as charged, &c.

7th. The seventh allegation charges, that each and every one of the witnesses hereinbefore named, and legal registered voters, entitled to vote at said election; that each of them attended the polls, in their respective Election Districts, on the day of election and tendered his ballot to the Judges of Election &c.

This allegation was duly considered by the committee and determined by a majority to be sustained; it being however in evidence, that there were four or more of said persons, who swore that they were either not at the polls, or if there, did not offer to vote.

8th. The eight allegation charges that a large number of persons, who were your partisans and friends, and voted for