

Question. Was it generally known about the polls that you had voted the Reform ticket?

Answer. I did not tell anybody, but suppose that it was generally known.

Question. Were you beaten or molested in any way during the four or five hours you remained around there?

Answer. No, sir; but some of their party came to my friends and advised me to leave or I would be beaten, and so I left about half-past two.

Question. How many Reformers or persons who voted with you were at the polls at any one time that day?

Answer. I should not suppose at any one time that there were more than about twenty; the fact is they were deterred from coming.

Question. Can you give the number of persons who were prevented at the polls to your knowledge, from voting?

Answer. I should suppose there were about twenty, actually pushed out, and prevented from voting, but a great many others who came up, seeing what it was, would not make the attempt to get through; an old man, Mr. Cole, attempted to get up to the window, and witness assisted him, but they pushed him out, trod upon another man's toes, which was perfect torture to him, and he was obliged to go away.

Question. Do you know of your own knowledge, whether any of those thus prevented from voting, afterwards voted or not?

Answer. No, I do not; I went away; I suppose they did not.

Question. Did you see any weapons used to deter persons from voting on that day?

Answer. No; I saw no weapons, other than what I have said, and no further than that; I call a fist a pretty good weapon.

Question. When the "Blood Tubs" carried away the guns, &c., did they bring them back again?

Answer. Witness left shortly afterwards, and did not see the guns afterwards at the polls.

Question. Did you see any weapons at all used, other than the pistol placed at the man's back, of which you have spoken?

Answer. No, sir.

Question. Can you say how many persons were struck, while you were at the polls?

Answer. Well, I may say, I saw some five or six, seven may be; the persons were so deterred, that they did not come up to the polls to be struck.

Question. Did any of those forty or fifty persons, to whom you say you promised you would send word about their voting, come to the polls and attempt to vote at all?

Answer. No; I don't think any of them at all, attempted to vote.

Question. Did you see any one badly beaten, except the man on the ground whom you have mentioned?