

or two instances, I heard the American party say, "you come here to make a fuss."

*Cross-examination closed.*

*Direct examination resumed.*—Question. What is the largest vote you ever knew polled at the fourth ward, at a free and open poll?

Answer. I forget; I don't know.

Question. About the largest vote?

Answer. I think in the neighborhood of 1200 to 1300 votes.

Question. Do you recollect what was the majority for Mr. Swann, in the fourth ward, when Mr. Shutt was the opposing candidate for Mayor, and state in what year that was?

Answer. I think it was about 2700 votes; I was not at the polls that day; that was in 1858.

Question. Do you know that a number of your own acquaintances were prevented from going to the polls to vote by their apprehension of violence, if they did so?

Answer. Yes, sir, I believe they were; in fact, I am certain of it, a number of them.

Question. Has the native born population of the fourth ward decreased, and the foreign born population increased, since 1853?

Answer. I believe that the native born population has decreased, and the foreigners have increased.

Question. Did the persons, to whom you refer as excluded from voting, or prevented from voting, go up, as a general thing, singly?

Answer. Yes, sir, they did.

*Cross-examination resumed.*

Question. In your answers to the first, second, third and fourth questions, on your re-examination, have you answered from your own personal knowledge, or from hearsay, and information derived from newspapers?

Answer. The election returns I have from the newspapers, and in answer to the fourth question, I spoke from information derived from the parties themselves; I went to them to ask them to vote, and they replied that they wouldn't go and be beaten over again; many of them had been beaten at former elections.

*Examination on both sides closed.*

BALTIMORE, December 9, 1859.

The foregoing is correct.

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