

Question. During the time you were there in the evening, were you on the pavement in front of the judges' window or across the street?

Answer. I was on the pavement immediately opposite the judges' window and within four feet of it.

Question. Was your political bias at that time with the American party?

Answer. I was somewhat on the fence, I must say. I voted a split ticket. I previously voted the American ticket.

Question. What number of illegal votes is it that you are prepared to specify, were received on November 2d, 1859, by the judges of election of that ward?

Answer. I cannot tell; but in the space of fifteen minutes I saw, as I have stated, one man vote ten times; another one with the handkerchief vote three times, and several others vote more than once; how often, I am not prepared to say; they were brought up and hurried through, with scarcely time to give in their names, just before closing the polls, and the cry was, on such occasions, "make way for a legal voter!"

*Examination closed on both sides.*

BALTIMORE, December 12th, 1859.

Correct.

WM. ALLEN.

Test—DANIEL E. MYERS, J. P.

Adjourned to December 13, 1859.

TUESDAY, December 13, 1859.

JOSEPH VANSANT, a witness of lawful age, produced on the part of the contestants, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

*Examination in chief.*

Question. Were you a legal voter of the city of Baltimore on November 2d, 1859; and if so, in what ward?

Answer. I was, and of the fifth ward.

Question. Were you at the polls of that ward on that day; if so, for what purpose, and how long?

Answer. I went there about half-past nine o'clock to vote, and remained there about half an hour.

Question. During the half hour that you were there was there a free and open poll held, and if not, why not?

Answer. There was not; the polls appeared to be in possession