

BALTIMORE, December 14, 1859.

Correct.

WM. C. TAPPAN.

Test—DANIEL E. MYERS, J. P.

THOMAS TURNER, a witness of lawful age, produced on the part of the contestants, being duly sworn, deposes and says:—

*Examination in chief.*

Question. Were you, on November 2d, 1859, a resident of the seventh ward of the city of Baltimore, and a legal voter in that ward?

Answer. I was.

Question. Did you go to the polls of that ward on that day? if so, for what purpose, and at what hour did you go, and how long did you remain there?

Answer. I went to the polls at about a quarter before nine o'clock, for the purpose of voting, and remained there until nearly four o'clock, P.M.

Question. Did you vote; and if so, under what circumstances?

Answer. As soon as the polls were opened, I went up to vote, and was pushed out; I waited a short time, tried it again, and was pushed out a second time; I went out into the middle of the street, and after some time I tried it again, and was crowded out a third time; the fourth time, after another interval, I was served in the same manner: the fifth time I started from the curbstone, and I had hardly taken a step, when I was stuck with an awl, and stepped back and went to the other side of the street; the sixth time, when I saw a little space open, I rushed in and put in my vote; the attention of the crowd was at that moment turned down the street, and I thought that was a good chance and slipped in; another man went in with me about the same time; after he had voted, the crowd chased him, caught him and beat him, and then I went right home; this was about four o'clock.

Question. Were you designedly pushed out on these several occasions?

Answer. I was.

Question. Was there a crowd in possession of the window even before it was opened; and if so, what tickets were they holding?

Answer. There was a crowd in possession of the window before it was opened, and they were holding the "American" tickets, which were narrow and had a stripe down on each side of the names.

Question. Did this crowd remain in possession of the window during the whole time you were there?