

Question. What ticket did you design to vote ?

Answer. The Reform ticket.

BALTIMORE, December 26th 1859.

GOTTLIEB FREY.

Test—DANIEL E. MYERS, J. P.

GEORGE W. REEDER, 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 and legal voter of the seventeenth ward, and of the city of Baltimore ?

Answer. I was.

Question. Were you at the polls of that ward on that day ; if so, at what hour ?

Answer. Shortly after nine o'clock, A.M., I went there, and remained not over five minutes.

Question. State your observation and experience at those polls.

Answer. I went there, and everything seemed very quiet and still. Some of the parties on the pavement near the corner asked me if I wanted a ticket ; I answered that I had a ticket ; seeing persons standing round the window, I concluded that everything was quiet, and voting going on regularly ; I stepped on the pavement, and James Logan, one of the crowd, said, "Boys, shove the rugs !" and then they began pushing against me, and then I was struck in the mouth by one of them, and I called Sergeant Chambers, who was near me to arrest the man that struck me ; his reply was "I'll have to take you along too ;" I said, "Certainly, I'll go too, and appear against the man that hit me ;" Chambers turned his back on me, and I was then knocked down, and did not come to my senses until I was in my house ; I was struck on the temple and both sides of the face, and was lame for several days.

Question. Do you know with what political party, if any, the persons who assaulted you are connected ?

Answer. They were acting for or with the "American" party.

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Correct.

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