

ago, and they passed a resolution to the effect that I should be turned out.

Q. What club was that ?

A. That was the "Blood Tubs," when first formed.

By *Mr. Freaner*—Q. What is the vote of the first ward ?

A. It has been as high as 1400 and as low as 500. At the last election it was between 700 and 800.

Q. How many Reform votes were cast that day ?

A. I think there were about 50, but that was what I heard.

Q. Are there many Germans in that ward ?

A. There are a great many Germans in that ward who don't take interest enough to go out and vote unless somebody pays them for it ; although I have seen Germans go up there and vote.

Q. Are you aware or not whether it was dangerous for Germans to go up and vote ? Have you not seen Germans pushed away from the polls ?

A. I don't think that I have ever seen them driven away from the polls ; I have seen fighting about the polls in which the Germans were in ; I did not see any fighting at this election, nor did I see any man struck.

*Mr. Gordon*—Were you at the meeting in Monument Square in Baltimore, at which there was a large procession, and a great many transparencies ?

A. I was there.

Q. Did you see any transparencies with a man's head, emblematical of a Reformer's bleeding at the nose ?

A. I might have seen it, but I don't recollect.

Q. Did you see any transparencies of that character ?

A. I did ; anybody who was there could have seen something of that kind.

Q. What was the object of these transparencies ? Was it to tell the people there was going to be a peaceable election ?

Objected to by *Mr. Alexander*, and question not pressed.

Q. Do you know what these transparencies were intended for ?

A. I do not ; if the men were here who got them up they could tell you what their object was.

Q. But a man may sometimes know what the object may be without getting them up ?

A. Sometimes he may.

Q. There were a number of transparencies there ?

*Mr. Alexander*—Yes, there were ; we will admit that, and some of them of a shocking character. *Mr. Purnell* was on the platform where a large awl was suspended over his head and *Mr. Harris* refused to speak until that awl was taken down.