

Q. Compared with other elections which you have seen in the third ward, what was it character?

A. I think it was a quieter election than we have had for some seven or eight years in the third ward.

By *Mr. Freaner*—Were you in the room all day?

A. I was not. It is customary, when the voting gets dull, for those inside to take a few minutes to stretch their legs.

Q. How often were you out?

A. I was out twice.

Q. And how long did you remain?

A. At one time five, and the other ten minutes.

Q. What time were you out?

A. The first time about two, and the second time about four.

Q. You say the election was very quiet from your observation on these little excursions?

A. It was. My opinion is based upon what I saw at those periods.

Q. Do you belong to any of the political clubs?

A. I do not.

Q. Could you see out to the street from the window?

A. Partly.

Q. Was there a barricade?

A. There was.

Q. How could you see out to the street?

A. Sometimes I walked to the window and looked out.

John C. Hines, sworn.

By *Mr. Hagner*—Witness. I live in the sixth ward, and have lived there for $2\frac{1}{2}$ years; before that, I lived in the tenth ward for ten years; the election polls were held directly opposite where I live and I was there the whole day, not having gone home to any dinner.

Q. State the character of the election, whether peaceable or otherwise, or whether there was any unusual degree of violence?

A. In the morning where the polls were opened, there were probably about a hundred people around, but I did not see anybody forced away; towards 4 o'clock in the afternoon, there were scarcely twenty persons there.

Q. Compared with other elections, what was its character?

A. Compared with others, I think it was the quietest election I ever saw, and a great deal quieter than a good many of them; I formerly lived in the 10th ward which is considered the quietest, but I think this election was quieter than that.

By *Mr. Gordon*—You say you live opposite to where the