

Ques.—Mr. Hagner. State any conversation you may have had with Capt. Moore, as to his proceedings about the election after the arrest of the Judges.

A.—The Judges were arrested a few minutes after 10 o'clock. I had no conversation except that which I have already detailed until after nightfall of the same day. He then came into my office, to settle for some forage which had been supplied him from my farm, and after giving me the usual order on the Quartermaster, we fell into conversation upon the events of the day. I asked him what his purpose was in the display of force in the Court House and in the streets. He said that he had expected resistance and that a fight would ensue. I asked him if there had been a continuation of the cheering in the Court House, which he had suppressed, what would he have done. He said he should have gone to work with his carbines, and should have used them until his ammunition was exhausted and then he should have used the sabre. I told him there was not the slightest idea at any time of any forcible resistance. That no one had any such thought. He said he agreed with *that*, but at the time and before the time he had been led to believe otherwise. I asked him what were the number of forces brought into the county. He said the detachment, which arrived at Salisbury numbered 400, a part of which had gone to Worcester and the residue were in Somerset, that he had about 100 under his command. He stated that the whole detachment was under a Major, whose name I have forgotten. He spoke of the service he was on, as being very disagreeable to him, said that he would much rather face the enemy in open field, but added he was acting under orders and had no alternative but obedience.

Ques.—Mr. Hagner. State what tickets were in the field on the election day in Somerset county, and when they were brought out by their supporters, as far as you know, and their appearance, &c.

Ans.—There was the Conservative Union ticket, nominated by the conservative Union party in the month of September, in the usual way by County Convention, and published at the head of the newspaper from that time to the time of election. On this ticket, Mr. C. S. Long was nominated for Register of Wills, and Dr. Cadmus Dashiell for Clerk of Circuit Court. There was what was called the Unconditional Union ticket, nominated about a couple of weeks before the election, by a few persons assembled at the Court House. On this ticket, Col. Samuel A. Graham, commander of the Purnell Legion, was nominated for Clerk of Circuit Court, and Mr. William J. Brittingham for Register of Wills, and I believe the ticket was full for all other officers. Mr. B. declined the nomination and Mr. White (Hen-