

Ans.—Probably there had been so. I can say very confidently that the vote would have been much larger than the last election in my opinion.

George Waller's testimony :

Ques.—You reside in Salisbury district of Somerset county ?

Ans.—Yes, sir.

Ques.—Were you a voter in that district last November ?

Ans.—Yes, sir.

Ques.—Did you vote ?

Ans.—Yes, sir.

Ques.—At what hour of the day did you vote ?

Ans.—I do not know exactly ; it was very early in the day.

Ques.—How long did you remain at the polls after you voted ?

Ans.—Only a short time.

Ques.—Did you see anything there of an effort made to prevent Democrats from voting ?

Ans.—I was not there long enough to see anything about it.

Ques.—Was there any opposition to your own vote ?

Ans.—I told them that I was willing to take the oath. I took it and voted. There was a little wrangling at the time.

Ques.—How did you vote ?

Ans.—I intended principally to vote the Democratic ticket. I voted what is called the Union ticket by mistake.

Ques.—You did not know of any person of the Democratic party being prevented from voting ?

Ans.—No, Sir ; not to my knowledge.

Ques.—What is the number of Democratic voters in your district ?

Ans.—I think there is from one hundred and thirty to one hundred and forty.

Ques.—Are you well acquainted with the politics of persons in that district ?

Ans.—I think I am generally acquainted with them.

Ques.—Did you know anything of a rumor of force being brought into the county before the election ?