

Ques.—What was their reason for not going up?

Ans.—The reason was that they did not like this oath, and would not take it.

Ques.—Was there not a general impression that they could not vote without taking the oath?

Ans.—I was told that I could not vote anyhow—they did not offer me the oath at all.

Ques.—Did they assign any reason why you could not vote?

Ans.—Nothing, except that under the General's orders I could not vote.

Ques.—What other Democrats were there who did not vote?

Ans.—There was not a single Democrat voted there that day that I know of.

Ques.—What was the general reason assigned by them for not voting, at that time, on election day?

Ans.—Well, there were a good many Democrats who did not know there was a Democratic ticket on the ground.

Ques.—Where did the Provost Marshal tell you that you could not vote?

Ans.—It was right at the polls.

Ques.—Were there any persons around capable of hearing it?

Ans.—Yes, sir; plenty of them—all hands around there must have heard it, I am sure.

Ques.—How many Democrats do you recollect were there that day?

Ans.—There was about the usual number; I could not say how many Democrats I saw there that day.

Ques.—Can you name any that you know were prevented from voting by intimidation, or from your being excluded from voting?

Ans.—I suppose I could name a half dozen who did not vote for that reason, viz: myself, my three sons, did not vote, and my three cousins did not vote.

Ques.—What were the names of your three cousins who did not vote?

Ans.—Christopher C. Trader, Thomas Trader and Freeborn G. Trader.

Ques.—What time were you at the polls?