

Ans.—Yes sir.

Ques.—Before that time, what was the impression among the Democratic party?

Ans.—The night before the election, I heard that the soldiers had come and that it would be impossible to vote. I went to a neighbor's to talk the matter over, and he came to the conclusion that we had better not attempt to vote, and I would not have gone to vote except for the Governor's Proclamation.

Ques.—Did the party vote, whom you had met at Jamestown?

Ans.—I do not know whether they voted or not.

CROSS EXAMINATION.

Ques.—Was there any objection made to your voting?

Ans.—No, sir.

Ques.—How many Democrats voted there, that day?

Ans.—I do not recollect.

The election returns for November, 1863, being offered to witness, he said that Mr. Woolford, from these returns, appears to have received 33, and J. J. Dashiell 34 votes.

Ques.—Did you see any objection made to Democrats voting?

Ans.—No, sir, I saw no persons voting at all; I voted myself and immediately left the polls.

Ques.—Were there any soldiers there, then?

Ans.—Yes, sir.

Dr. Wm. H. Gale.

Ques.—Do you reside in Potato Neck district?

Ans.—I did last Fall.

Ques. Were you a voter there?

Ans.—I was entitled to a vote.

Ques.—Did you vote at that election?

Ans.—No, sir.

Ques.—Why not.

Ans.—I went to the polls and offered my ballot to one of the judges. He received it and I came out. About five or ten minutes afterwards I met Mr. Walker, a neighbor of mine, going up to vote. He asked me if any one objected to my vote. I told him no. A few minutes after that he came in and told me that I had not voted. I said, I suppose you are mistaken.