

Ques.—You saw no one turned down, who took the oath?

Ans.—No, sir.

DIRECT EXAMINATION RESUMED.

Ques.—What ticket did you offer to vote?

Ans.—I was going to vote the Democrat ticket.

Question by one of the Committee.—Did you see anybody take the oath that day?

Ans.—I saw one or two take the oath, but I cannot recollect their names.

CROSS-EXAMINATION RESUMED.

Ques.—Was the officer put there by the commander of the soldiers?

Ans.—Not to my knowledge.

February 20th.

The Committee met at 9.50 A. M.

Present, Messrs. Tyson, chairman, Westcott, Herbert, Dent, and Hitchcock.

James F. Kelly's testimony:

Ques.—Were you a voter in Somerset county at the last election; and if so, please state in what district?

Ans.—I was a voter in Dame's Quarter District.

Ques.—Did you attend the polls on that day?

Ans.—I did, in the afternoon.

Ques.—Did you vote on that day?

Ans.—I did, sir.

Ques.—State the circumstances under which you voted?

Ans.—I had a conversation with the person who commanded the troops. He came to my house in the morning, and told me that he was instructed to quarter on me for that day. I told him that I had for years passed, been one of the Judges of that election district, but owing to circumstances, I had resigned. He then demanded the poll-books of me, and said that he was sent to my house in order to get them of me. I told him that I had not seen them. He appeared very anxious to find out where they were, and I told him that some of the judges had them and he would find them at the election. I said that I had made up my mind not to go to the election that day, as I had understood that there was to be a good deal of cross work, that the