

Q. Was there any other paper for the purpose of voting on other than that?

A. No, sir.

Q. Exhibit 12a was the only paper voted on?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Were copies of these distributed to persons voting?

A. Yes, sir; they constituted the ticket as soon as they were written on.

Q. By Mr. Johnson.—Was that voting *viva voce* or by ballot?

A. By ballot.

Q. Could anybody know how any particular man other than himself voted unless the man who voted communicated that personally to another?

A. Certainly not.

Q. Therefore you don't know of your own knowledge how these votes were cast?

A. No, sir.

Q. By Mr. Rawle.—Was not a large number of votes cast by proxy?

A. Yes, sir. I cast a few by proxy myself, where I was instructed to do so.

Q. By Mr. Johnson.—How were they cast on these different resolutions? How did you vote upon them?

A. I can only say as regards five or six.

Q. Take No. 1, how did you vote upon that?

A. I voted as I was instructed in all cases.

Q. Did you vote in some cases one way and in some another way? Were some votes for which you held proxies in opposition to the way in which others were?

A. No.

Q. All your proxies were voted in one way?

A. In one way.

Q. How were they cast on No. 1?

A. They were cast aye.

Q. On No. 2?

A. I think aye. I have not got the papers.

