

## CHARGE 8.

ROCK DOLSEN, *sworn and examined.*

*By Mr. McCarthy :—*

(The witness asks for a certificate.)

Q. You are charged with having paid money out on polling day ; now, is it true or not? A. Yes.

Q. Whom did you pay money to? A. James Ions.

Q. How much? A. Two dollars.

Q. Who else? A. George Neill, two dollars.

Q. Who else? A. Nobody else.

Q. Where did you get that money? A. I got it from Mr. McGoldrick.

Q. For what purpose? A. To give to these boys.

Q. Is that all you got from McGoldrick? A. That is all.

Q. And was that four dollars to give to these two boys? A. Yes.

Q. Why did you go to McGoldrick for money? A. Well, I could not say; I thought I would be likely to get it from him.

Q. What made you think so? A. Well, I do not know, any more than that I knew he was in the habit of having money.

Q. What time of the day did you get it from him? A. It was in the morning some time; I would not be certain of the time.

Q. Do you mean in the forenoon? A. Yes.

Q. How much did you get yourself in connection with the election? A. I think about ten or twelve dollars.

Q. Under what circumstances did you get that money? A. I got it from Mr. Flint.

Q. For what purpose? A. It was pay for canvassing.

Q. Were you hired to canvass? A. Yes.

Q. When were you hired? A. I do not remember the date. It was about two weeks before the election, I think.

Q. Where? A. It was in the committee rooms over the *Banner* office.

Q. Just give me the history of your being hired? A. It was Finlayson and myself—we were both together and Mr. Flint engaged us as canvassers at a dollar and a half a day.

Q. For how long? A. I do not know that; there was nothing mentioned as to how long; we supposed it would be until the elections were over.

Q. And where were you to canvass? A. In town among the mechanics.

Q. Then on polling day what were you doing? A. I was around town among the mechanics.

Q. Were you driving? A. Yes, some of the time.

Q. Whose horses were you driving? A. I had Mr. McGoldrick's horse at one time, a team at another; I do not know who the team belonged to.

Q. Did you see Charles Hadley? A. I think I did see Mr. Hadley with it.

Q. What was he doing? A. When I saw him he was in the street between the Committee room and the Royal Exchange.

Q. That is very near to this barn? A. Yes.

Q. The barn is between the two? A. Yes.

Q. Did you see him in the barn? A. No.

Q. Were you in the barn? A. Yes.

Q. Is that where Mr. McGoldrick was paying out money? A. That is where he gave me money.

Q. Was that where he remained most of the day? A. I could not say.

Q. Were people brought in there to him to get money, sent in? A. Not that I am aware of.

Q. You saw Hadley standing there; did you see him inside of the place? A. No.

Q. Did you see him driving? A. No, I do not remember of seeing him driving.