

Q. Had you heard anything about money? A. No, only just what I heard around the street.

Q. Had he ever spoken to you about your vote before that? A. No.

Q. Had Neill voted? A. Yes.

Q. Then did you vote? A. Yes.

Q. After you voted what did you do? A. We went down street. We did not go back with him.

Q. Did you see Charles Hadley that day? A. I saw him driving around the street.

Q. Doing what? A. I could not say. He was in a buggy driving around.

Q. Whose buggy was it, do you know? No.

*Cross examined by Mr. Cassels:—*

Q. What are you doing now? A. Working in Windsor, a cooper.

Q. How long have you been working there? A. About a week.

Q. Did you remain in Chatham after that time? A. Yes.

Q. What had you been doing in Chatham at the time of the election? A. Cooper.

Q. What is Neill's occupation? A. Cooper.

Q. You had no conversation with Dolsen before, you say? A. No, not that day.

Q. Never asked him for anything? A. No.

Q. Gave him no idea that you wanted any money? A. No.

Q. Quite sure of that? A. Yes, quite sure.

Q. Had he never spoken to you about how you were to vote. No, he never said a word to us.

Q. Where were you standing when he drove up to you? A. Right beside the Royal Exchange.

Q. Standing on the sidewalk? A. Yes.

Q. And he just drove up? A. Just drove up and asked us to get in, and Neill got in. He then asked me to get in, and I got in, and he drove us over.

Q. Did you tell him you were hard up? A. No.

Q. Had you voted before? A. Not on that election.

Q. I do not mean on that election? A. No, nor on any other; that was the first vote ever I had.

*Mr. Cassels.*—I may say with regard to this witness, from inquiries I have made I am satisfied he was given the two dollars, and I am equally satisfied Dolsen was an agent, from the evidence of Mr. Flint. But I am quite satisfied the witness is not accurate in the way he puts it.

ISAAC RUDDLING recalled.

*Mr. McCarthy.*—I am going to ask you about being bribed, so if you please you can apply for protection.

His Lordship explains to the witness the conditions on which alone he will give the certificate.

*By Mr. McCarthy:—*

Q. Did you get any money on polling day? A. Yes.

Q. Whom did you get it from? A. I got it out of a stable, out of a crack.

Q. Whose stable? A. McGoldrick's.

Q. How much? A. Two dollars.

Q. Will you tell me the circumstances under which you got that? A. I just asked him for two dollars, and he said he would go and see.

Q. Where did you meet McGoldrick? A. I met him just on this side of the Royal Exchange.

Q. And what did he say to you, or what did you say to him? A. I asked him for a couple of dollars.

Q. Was that the first thing that was said? A. Yes.

Q. What did you want a couple of dollars for? A. I just asked him.