

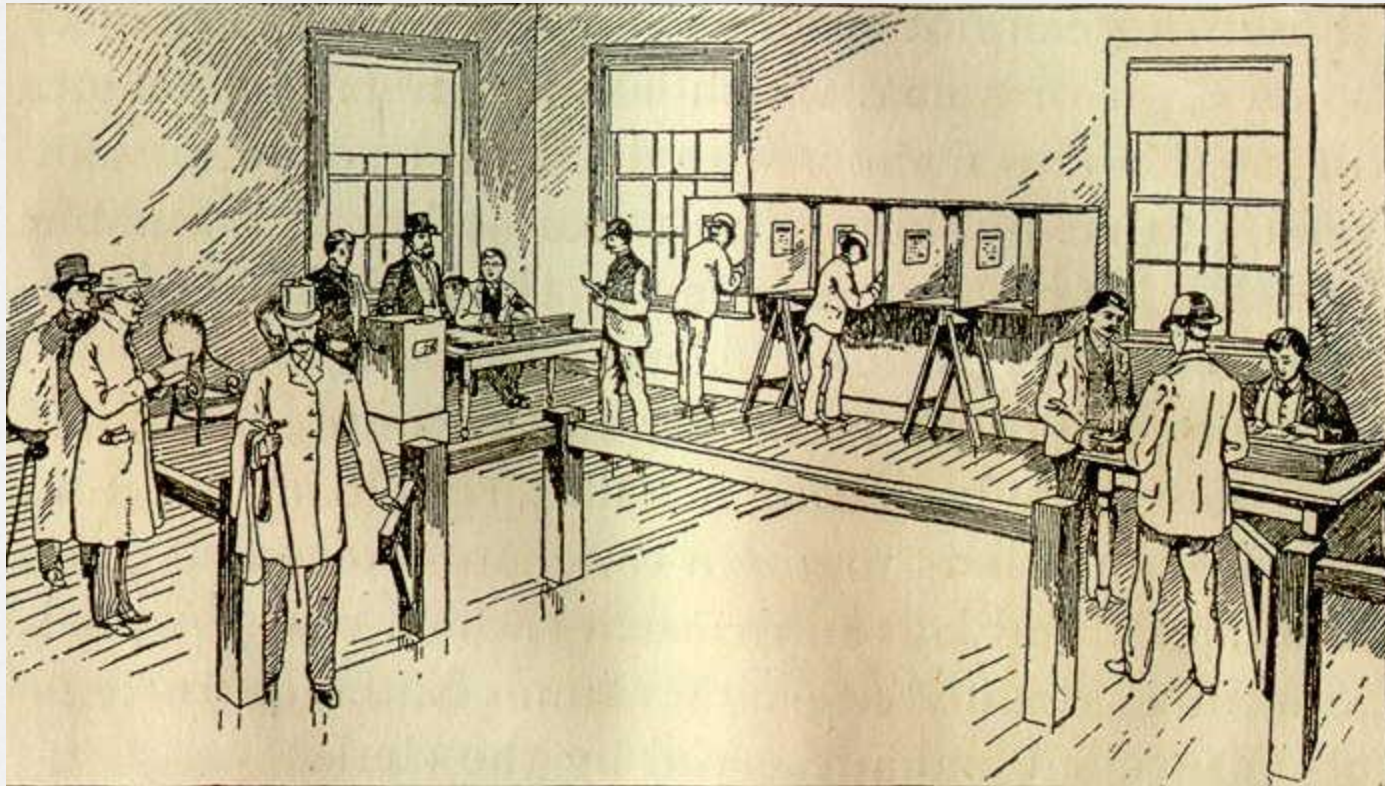
# Overview of the California Voter's Choice Act Senate Bill 450



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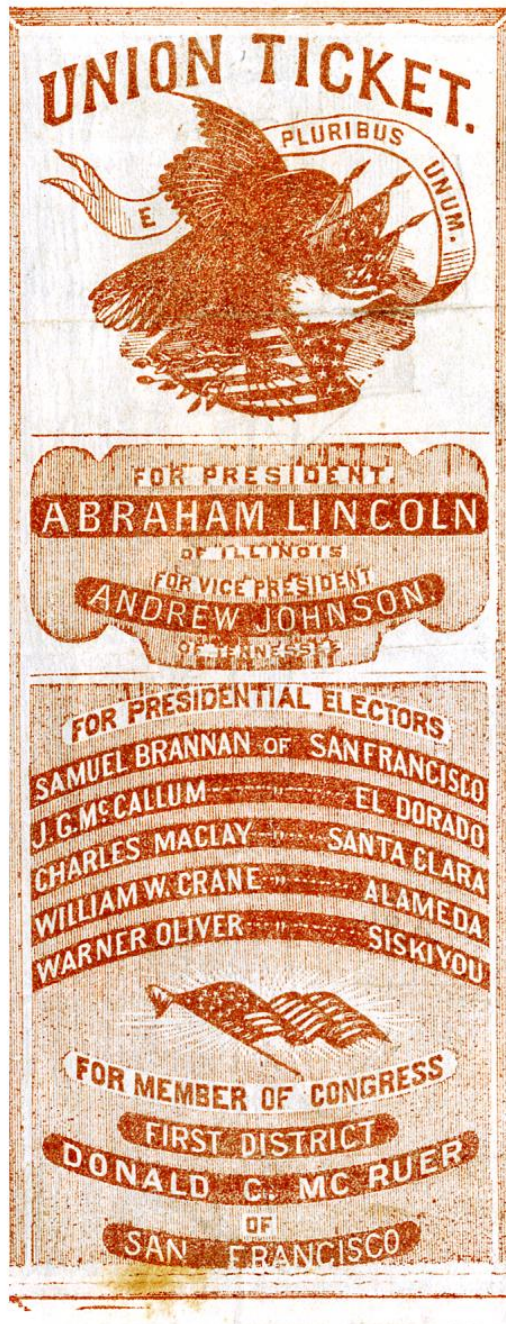
James Schwab, Chief  
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Arrangement of polling place as required by Massachusetts law“ in 1891.





Absentee  
paper ballot,  
introduced  
for enlisted  
Civil War  
troops, 1864





# Why?

- o Modernization
- o Best Practices
- o GOTV
- o Compromise



# What's in the Bill?

- o Vote Centers
- o Same Day Voter Registration
- o Ballot Delivery
- o Early Voting
- o Accessibility
- o Public Participation

# Which Counties?

- o 2018: Calaveras, Inyo, Madera, Napa, Nevada, Orange, Sacramento, San Luis Obispo, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Shasta, Sierra, Sutter, and Tuolumne.
- o 2020: Los Angeles, Open to Any Counties

# Accessibility

- o Accessible Vote-By-Mail
- o Vote Center Locations
- o Advisory Committees
- o Language Access



# Public Participation

- o Public Consultation
- o Public Hearings
- o Public Education Workshops

# Calendar

- o 2018 Counties Decide
- o Public Consultation
- o Public Hearings
- o Public Education Campaign
- o Reports



# Working Groups

- o CACEO-SOS Working Group
- o SOS Stakeholder Task Force:
  - o Assembly, Senate, FOCE, NALEO, AAAJ, ACLU, LWV, CalPIRG, CoCa, DRC, CCP, UCD, BPC, Cal Labor Fed, CalCham, CACEO

Thank you!



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