

Question. At the time of the commencement of this difficulty, what flag was flying at Towson town?

Answer. The stars and stripes.

Question. Was that subsequently taken down?

Answer. Yes.

Question. Did you see any other flag put up there at all?

Answer. Yes: I believe the Maryland coat of arms was on it.

Question. Was it done by the members of the company?

Answer. Yes.

Question. Do you remember whether there was a device on one side, or both, of that flag?

Answer. I can't say.

Question. Did you see the stars and strips raised again after they were taken down?

Answer. Yes.

Question. By whom?

Answer. By the ladies; I attached the flag to the rope myself.

Question. Were the members of the Horse Guards in that vicinity at the time of its raising?

Answer. Some of them were.

Question. Did they make any demonstration by cheering or greeting at the time of its raising?

Answer. There were a few at Ady's Hotel and about there at the time; Mr. George Carman, Mr. Yollott, Mr. Hewey, and I think a good many others; also, that Mr. Grason was there.

Question. What did they do?

Answer. Some one in the party, I don't know who it was, hurraed for Jeff Davis, and all waved their hats around.

Question. How near were you to them?

Answer. Just across the road, about twenty-five (25) or thirty (30) steps.

Question. Did I understand you saw Mr. Grason at that time?

Answer. Yes.

Question. What did he do when the cheers for Jeff Davis were given?

Answer. He was waving his hat like the others.

Question. Did he, or did he not, cheer at that time?

Answer. I cannot say, there was so many voices, I could not tell.

Question. Do you know whether there were any arms at that place besides those worn by the company, if so what was done with them?

Answer. Yes. They had rifles.

Question. State where they got those rifles, and what they did with them?

Answer. They got them some place in Baltimore, I can't say where.