Answer. I did not see Mr. Grason; I do not know where he was.

HENRY L. Bowen, called as a witness for the Contestant,

being duly sworn, testified as follows:

Question. State your name, age, residence and business?
Answer. My name is Henry L. Bowen; I reside at Towsontown; am 34 years old, and I am a painter.

Question. Were you acquainted with Mr. Grason at and

prior to April and May, 1861?

Answer. Yes.

Question. Did you know anything of a company called the Herse Guards in Towsontown, in April and May, 1861?

Answer. Yes.

Question. At the latter part of April, and the early part of May, 1861, was it under arms; if so, how long?

Answer. It was for several days.

Buestion. Where was its head quarters? Answer. Ady's Hotel, I should judge.

Question. Have you any knowledge of its having gone to Baltimore about that time?

Answer. I saw it go to Baltimore on Saturday the 20th of

April.

Question. Do you know whether Mr. Grason went to Bal-

timore, either with the company or before it?

Answer. I can't say; I saw Mr. Grason come from town previous to the starting; I can't say whether he accompanied the company in uniform or not.

Question. Did you see him with the company during the

week which followed, at any time?

Answer. I saw him in uniform, perhaps on that day, and

I think on Sunday.

Question. Do you know if that company did any acts towards certain troops of the United States, that came by the way of Cockeysville?

Answer. Not from my personal knowledge.

Question. What was the company engaged in doing during this time?

Answer. They were on picket duty as far as Cockeysville.

Question. How large was the company?

Answer. I suppose forty (40) or fifty (50) members.

Question. Were you in Towsontown in the summer of 1864, about the time of the burning of Gov. Bradford's house?

Answer. Yes.

Question. Do you know whether any raiders entered Towsontown at that time?

Answer. Not to my knowledge.

Question. Have you any knowledge whether Mr. Grason had any communication with the rebels at that time?