

Question. State whether, having met him frequently, you ever heard him express any sympathy for the rebellion?

Answer. I have never heard him express any sympathy for the rebellion. We never had but one conversation concerning the rebellion, that was in the early part of it. We never talked on that subject.

Question. With other people have you ever heard him express any sympathy for the rebellion?

Answer. No.

Question. Do you recollect having seen Mr. Grason with the Horse Guards after they returned from Baltimore?

Answer. I think I saw him in uniform after that.

Question. Both those companies were organized under the law of Maryland?

Answer. Yes; I think so.

Question. Who commanded the Towson Guards?

Answer. Charles R. Chew.

Question. You fix Tuesday as the day upon which this flag was raised?

Answer. I think so; I visited Cockeysville on Tuesday; on my return about sundown, a party waited on me to see if they could put this flag on our pole; I objected to it and I think it was then raised on Ady's Hotel.

*By the Committee.*

Question by the Committee. Were you in uniform at that time?

Answer. No. I never turned out in uniform.

*Cross-examination Resumed.*

Question. The members of your company were performing picket duty, were they?

Answer. They were doing general duty as a sheriff's posse, summoned by him.

*Direct Examination Resumed.*

Question. State whether since the outbreak of the rebellion you have ever heard Mr. Grason express sympathy for the United States in its struggle with the rebels?

Answer. I have not.

*By the Committee.*

Question by the Committee. Did I understand you to say that at the beginning of our national troubles you had a conversation with Mr. Grason?