

Baltimore. I think the confederate flag was flying in the city of Baltimore on Saturday, and it seemed to be in the military possession of those opposed to the government, and to the passage of the government troops through the city.

Question. Were those pickets picketed towards that force in Baltimore, or did they extend up as far as Cockeysville?

Answer. I am not able to state how far they picketed in either direction.

Question. You saw the company moving towards Baltimore, did'nt you?

Answer. Yes.

Question. Do you know by what order they went to Baltimore?

Answer. No.

Question. Do you know whether Mr. Grason went to Baltimore before they did or not?

Answer. I went to Baltimore myself on that day (Saturday,) and remember seeing Mr. Grason and Mr. Merryman, if I mistake not, coming from Baltimore, probably about the middle of the day. It was when I was returning from Baltimore that I saw the company going to Baltimore.

Question. At that time, when the company was going to Baltimore, was the company under arms and in uniform?

Answer. Yes.

Question. Was Mr. Grason armed and in uniform?

Answer. Yes.

Question. Did you go to Cockeysville within a few days subsequent to that?

Answer. I went to Cockeysville on Sunday, the 21st of April.

Question. Was this picketing in the direction of Cockeysville?

Answer. I cannot say whether they were or not. My impression is that they had just come from Baltimore, and were not organized for that purpose.

Question. At the time you saw them were they in arms, and carrying the flag of their country?

Answer. I don't remember of them carrying any flag; I am certain they were not carry the flag of their country.

Question. How strong a body of men was there at Cockeysville, at the time you speak of!

Answer. The force was reported by some to be 1500, by others to be 2000, and 2500, I think there was about 2500.

Question. From Pennsylvania, were they?

Answer. Yes.

Question. Do you know where those troops from Cockeysville were going and for what purpose?

Answer. They were Government troops from Pennsylvania on the road to Washington. It was after the call of the President for troops. They got as far as Cockeysville, the bridges were destroyed and they could not go further.