

Question. Did you see them brought there?

Answer. Yes. They were brought in Mr. Ady's market wagon.

Question. Did you subsequently see those arms anywhere.

Answer. I had several of them in my hands. I saw some members of the company have them, one brought one over to show me, they were Harper's Ferry rifles.

Question. Do you know what finally become of those arms?

Answer. Some of them were collected by the company which was stationed at the Relay House.

Question. What company was that?

Answer. A company of the 1st Pennsylvania regiment.

Question. In whose behalf were they acting?

Answer. They were in the Government service, put there to guard the bridges. After that regiment was taken off the road, the 87th came down, and they collected some pistols and sabres belonging to that company.

Question. Do you know whether any of those arms were obtained at Mr. Grason's house?

Answer. I think some of them were.

Question. Did you ever hear Mr. Grason say anything with reference to the secession of Maryland, either encouraging or discouraging it?

Answer. I have never heard him express himself very much. There was a pistol and sabre obtained from Mr. Grason's house, I don't know whether they got them at that time or not. On one occasion, I heard Mr. Grason had said on Cooper's porch, that if Maryland did not secede he would go to Texas.

Question. Did you hear him say anything by way of rejoicing or regretting at any success or reverse to the armies in the field?

Answer. I remember one night, after the battle of Bull Run, Mr. Grason, Mr. Carman, Ben. Payne and I don't know how many others were on Cooper's porch, and there was rejoicing there that night. I know they were very glad of it at the time and were rejoicing a good deal.

Question. Did Mr. Grason say anything or take any part in the rejoicing?

Answer. No. I could not say.

Question. State, if you know, whether Mr. Grason was ever charged at a political meeting, with having said, if Maryland did not secede, he would leave the State?

Answer. Yes. On one occasion at the Court House, I think he did.

Question. State, if you know, whether these movements of the military, Mr. Grason with them, were published, and known to the persons in that part of the county?

Answer. Yes. They were publicly know.