

there without my seeing him, I was on the porch all the time.

Question. Did that difficulty, of which you speak, create more or less excitement or disturbance?

Answer. It created some excitement for a few minutes.

*The examination in chief of this witness was here concluded.*

*Cross-examination.*

Question. How far were you from the pole on which the flag was raised?

Answer. On Mr. Ady's porch, about fifty (50) or a hundred (100) yards from the pole.

Question. Were there other persons about Ady's Hotel, in front, on the pavement and on the porch?

Answer. Some three (3) or four (4.)

Question. Was it quiet and orderly in the vicinity of the pole at the time you were there?

Answer. Yes.

Question. Was there any noise, disturbance or cheering there?

Answer. There was some cheering when the flag was raised.

Question. Was there any singing?

Answer. I don't remember whether there was any singing or not.

Question. How long had you been there on the porch before that flag was run up?

Answer. I was there before the flag was brought out of the hall.

Question. Was there any catch or trouble in raising it?

Answer. I don't remember that there was.

Question. You say that you saw three (3) or four (4) persons about Mr. Ady's porch and in front of it, will you name as many as you can of those you saw there?

Answer. Mr. Yellott, Mr. Buckman and myself, I don't remember who the others were.

Question. Did you or not see any members of the Horse Guards about there?

Answer. I don't remember any of them being there.

Question. Were you a member of that company?

Answer. No; I had nothing to do with either company that was there.

Question. Do you know whether there was any flag flying from Ady's Hotel, at that time?

Answer. No flag that I remember; there was a State flag put up after the 19th of April.

Question. Was it before or after this flag was raised across the street?

Answer. I think it was before; I am not certain.