

Question. Did you see Mr. Carman at either of the flag-raising?

Answer. I don't recollect seeing him.

Question. How near to the Post-office is this porch of yours of which you have spoken?

Answer. It is right at the place?

Question. Was this news read in the Post-office or on the porch?

Answer. On the porch; I was on the porch when the paper arrived, and Longnecker got it and read it aloud.

Question. Did you remain on the porch until those gentlemen went away?

Answer. Yes; I think I was about the last that went away.

Question. Can you name any others besides those four (4)?

Answer. No; I cannot recollect any others.

Question. When those scouts stopped at Mr. Pennington's, in what direction did they go?

Answer. They went back towards Bosley's, near where they came from.

Question. From what direction did they come when they returned?

Answer. When they first came, they came from towards Bosley's, they afterwards came from the other side; the direction of Mr. Grason's house; I don't know which way they went.

Question. How long after that did the other company of scouts come?

Answer. It might have been half an hour or an hour.

Question. How long did they remain, all told?

Answer. About an hour and a half or two hours.

Question. How far from there to the place where they were encamped?

Answer. Perhaps three (3) miles.

Question. Did you go up to the encampment?

Answer. No.

Question. When you speak of Mr. Payne being on the porch, which do you refer to?

Answer. The old gentleman; Benjamin N. Payne.

*By the Committee.*

*Question by the Committee.* In what direction was this encampment?

Answer. It was rather in a northeasterly direction from Towsontown, following the turn pike—Dulaney's Valley turn-pike.