

Question. Did you, at any time during that week, see Col. Kane, in connection with any officers of the Horse Guards?

Answer. I did not.

*By the Committee.*

*Question by the Committee.* Was there any speaking at the pole, except upon the one occasion, which you refer to?

Answer. I don't know about the second; I was not out there.

*Question by the Committee.* There had been speaking in the hall, by Mr. Yellott, had there not.

Answer. Yes.

*Question by the Committee.* Did I understand you to say that you saw the flag go up, at the second raising?

Answer. Yes.

Question. You did not hear any speaking at that time, did you?

Answer. No.

*The examination of this witness was here concluded.*

The Committee then adjourned until to-morrow, Friday, morning, February 17th, at 10 o'clock.

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FEBRUARY 17th, 1865,  
10 o'clock, A. M.

The Committee met, pursuant to adjournment. Present, all the members.

NELSON COOPER, recalled.

*Question by the Committee.* When did you first hear of any hissing and groaning at the raising of the flag at Towson-town?

Answer. I do not think I heard any talk of that until this case came up; last week was the first time I ever heard anything about it.

*Question by the Respondent.* The people of Towson town generally visited your place, and congregated there as the post office of the village?

Answer. Yes; pretty generally so.

Question. You never heard it mentioned (the hissing, groaning and cheering) upon any occasion?

Answer. Not until last week. I never heard of it until after some parties came home from Annapolis.

Question. Who were those parties?

Answer. The witnesses in this case.