

*Question by the Committee.* Was not the road picketed from Towsontown in an opposite direction from Baltimore?

Answer. Yes, above Towsontown, between Towsontown and Cockeysville.

*Question by the Committee.* That was not to keep the communication between Towsontown and Baltimore was it?

Answer. I said between the county and Baltimore, not between Towsontown and Baltimore.

*Question by the Committee.* Were you on picket duty at any time?

Answer. Yes, twice.

*Question by the Committee.* Where were they stationed?

Answer. The first time I was up as far as Texas, near Cockeysville, one afternoon for two (2) or three (3) hours.

*Question by the Committee.* What were your instructions?

Answer. I had none. I went there and sat on the fence, and came back when my time was up.

*Question by the Committee.* What time?

Answer. Two (2) or three (3) hours.

*Question by the Committee.* Did you have your arms?

Answer. Yes.

*Cross-examination resumed.*

*Question.* What officer stationed you there?

Answer. I don't remember. I was sent out as several others. I don't know that I had any special instructions.

*By the Committee.*

*Question by the Committee.* Do you remember any other duty your company was performing other than keeping up the communication spoken of?

Answer. I don't know that there is anything else.

*Question by the Committee.* Communication between the city and county?

Answer. Yes.

*Question by the Committee.* You have no knowledge why it was desirous to keep up that communication?

Answer. There were some soldiers up above Cockeysville, who came down there, and there was great excitement; crowds coming up from Baltimore, and the soldiers were stationed along the road to prevent a disturbance.

*Question by the Committee.* Disturbance between whom?

Answer. Any disturbance that came in their way.

*Question by the Committee.* Among the people?

Answer. Yes; great crowds coming out the roads all the time; I suppose they were stationed there to act under the orders of the Sheriff.