Question. You went to the armory previous to the ordering out of the troops?

Answer. Yes.

Question. For what purpose did you gather the men to go for arms?

Answer. To protect our property at the armory.

Question. From what persons did you anticipate an attack?

Answer. From the same party that made the attack upon the troops. They wanted to attack the armories and get arms and we were called out to protect them.

Question. Was there not two sides to that question that day about the passage of the troops?

Answer. There appeared to be a division among them, both the military. and the people.

Question. Then part of the troops were under arms for the purpose of putting down riot, do you know for what purpose the others were under arms?

Answer. I can't say. I know there was a division among the men with regard to the passage of the troops. Some of them were opposed to them coming through and others were in favor of it.

Question. Do you know whether any under arms were combined for the purpose of preventing the passage of United States troops?

Answer. No.

Question. Do you know whether upon your road any means of passage were interfered with?

Answer. There were.

Question. Do you know by what authority and by whom those bridges were interfered with?

Answer. General Trimble had command of the party that went out.

Question. Were they military or civil?

Answer. Both.

Question. Who, during the days that followed the 19th of April, had command of the military in the city of Baltimore?

Answer. General Stewart was chief in command.

Question. Can you name any other person?

Answer. General Egerton.

Question. For how long a time was General Stewart in chief command?

Answer. I cannot say.

Question. Do you know by whom the general orders controlling the troops were issued—what names were signed to them?

Answer. No: I did not see any; we received our orders from Col Warner.

Question. Do you know under what authority or order, the party who destroyed the bridges, were acting?

Answer. No: I don't know by whom they were sent.