

Witness.—Yes, sir; it was consigned to us but not shipped. I gave half of it to Connell's line.

Mr. Garrett.—What quantity of this free flour was marked "free." Do you know whence it came?

Witness.—I do not, sir.

Mr. Garrett.—Do you know how it was shipped?

Witness.—I think it went aboard Connell's steamer.

*George R. Vickers* called and sworn:

Mr. Tyson.—Do you know anything in regard to "discrimination?"

Witness.—Not of my own knowledge. I was connected as a Director of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad until sometime in the spring of 1857. I made the charge on the road of discrimination at that time, and in substantiation of that charge I have a copy of the manifest with me here now.

Mr. Dennis.—There must be some limit within which this inquiry must be confined. This investigation is based upon the resolution of Mr. Tyson at the Corn and Flour Exchange, which had reference to 1859.

Mr. Vickers.—It may be well for me to remark that I do not know who summoned me.

Mr. Dennis, (to Mr. Garrett.)—How long have you been President, Mr. Garrett?

Mr. Garrett.—One year and some three months.

Mr. Vickers.—I know nothing of my own knowledge.

Mr. Tyson.—My reference was merely to the transactions of the past year.

*J. M. Drill* called and sworn:

Mr. Tyson.—What is your office in the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company?

Witness.—I am chief clerk in the general freight department.

Mr. Tyson.—Have you any knowledge of any discrimination on through comparative local freight on your road?

Witness.—I have no recollection of any special lot; can you refer to any particular case, sir, and I will answer it?

Mr. Tyson.—Are your charges as much per ton per mile on local as on through freight?

Witness.—That is a matter I have never investigated; our department is through freight exclusively; I do not see the manifests of the local freight at all.

Mr. Tyson.—It does not come under your knowledge?

Witness.—No, sir; the through points are from Wheeling and points beyond.

Mr. Tyson.—Have you any knowledge of any discrimination in your charges from Cincinnati to New York as compared with those of Baltimore?

Witness.—To what date do you refer?