

Ques. Do you not know that among the persons you have mentioned are some who from the beginning of the rebellion up to this time have been bitter opponents of the Government and zealous partizans of the South? and have not some been in armed hostility to the Government of the United States?

Ans. No sir, I do not know that any of them have been in arms against the United States, nor opposed to the Government of the United States, but they are opposed to the administration of Mr. Lincoln, they belong to the Democratic party.

Ques. Were you at Ellicott's Mills on the day when Capt. Geo. R. Gaither's troop of horse went to Baltimore city to oppose the passage of the United States troops on their way to the capital?

Ans. I was not.

Ques. Do you not know that one of the parties you have named was an officer of that troop and with it during its stay in Baltimore city in April 1861?

Ans. I have seen one of the parties acting as Lieutenant of that company, but I do not know whether he was with the company at that time for I did not see the troop when it left Ellicotts Mills nor when it came back; I was not in Ellicotts Mills at the time.

Ques. Have you ever heard the party say that he was with the company at that time?

Ans. I have heard him say he was.

Ques. State how many of the parties you have named have children in the Confederate army?

Ans. I have no knowledge of any of their children being in the Confederate army.

Ques. Have you ever heard Thadeus Clark say that he had children in the Southern army?

Ans. I have heard Mr. T. Clark say that he had two sons in the Southern army.

Ques. Have you ever heard George Bond say he had sons in the Confederate army?

Ans. I have heard him say he had two.

Have you ever heard John R. Brown say that he had children in the Southern army?

Ans. I have heard him say he had one son there.

Have you ever heard Benj. Dorsey say that he had children in the Southern army?