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with the Commissioner by Comp's Solicitor during the examination of this witness

Second Cross Interrogatory

2x Did you make out the list of materials before the plan had been determined upon

Answer

Yes Sir before ever I saw the plan, they had no plan at the time, the plan was gotten afterward, If they had a plan then, I did not know of it

Third Cross Interrogatory

3x If there was no plan how were you enable to make out the list of materials

Answer

Why it is very easy done, I have done it hundred of times. There was a portion of the old walls then standing at the time I made out my first estimate, and the rooms in the old house were similar to those there now. I dont know the exact form of the old rooms but I judged them to be similar from the way the house was laid off of course. There was a hall a dining room and a parlor, that was what I calculated for when I made my estimates

Fourth Cross Interrogatory

4x Where not the materials specified in the list Marked J. F. No. 1 procured and used in the building & state if not, what changes were made.

Answer

No Sir, they were not, when this list was made out there was intended to be a back building and then the plan was altered and of course dispensed with all thats on here for the back

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building. Properly to understand this thing I ought to make a statement so you can all understand it. In the fall of 1859 or I think it was in Dec. I had a letter of recommendation from Mr S. W. Falls to the Mr Chattertons in reference to this building that was then burnt out. They were then both of them at the barn, John went down to Mr Sees of an errand and Robert and myself went down to the building and there he asked me to make an estimate of the building what it would cost to put it up. After I had done it. I took it over to him, it was then I saw the plan, I got the plan from them, they were both in the field ploughing, the plan was in the cart. Then I had to take the plan home and make another estimate and this is the bill marked J. F. No 1 of price that I got for the original. The original plan he told me of was similar to the draft when I got it. The draft was a very imperfect one & did not show the back building when I got it. Well now I am not able to state exactly what things of those on paper marked J. F. No 1 was got. The joist and rafters seem the same, the sheathing was not, when the bargain was made, this thing paper marked J. F. No 1 was all dead, I gave Mr See a new bill for the sawing of the lumber

Fifth Cross Interrogatory

5x Where is the new bill furnished by you for the sawing.

Answer

I judge that Mr See has it. I have no copy of it and then some changes were made afterwards