

Conith } Henry Good - Smoked - somewhere about 1st March in night some-
" } person enters Smoke House took 3 pieces bacon weighing about 40 pounds
Sam Baker } Smoke House - 10 to 14 yds from house - hardly so far lots 12 - was not locked
3 pieces as were stolen - know it from number of hives salted & hung up - said 2 days before - Kellies
3 hogs salted away - 30 pieces - when w^{as} 28 pieces hanging - counted it 27 - 1 brocked & 1 used - after
the smoke house was entered 24 pieces left - heard person - break windows - did not see person
did not go out in night - next morning - windows knocked out - did not go out to see
count my bacon very often - was afraid to go out - did not think it safe -

W. Mitchell - On the day Baker was arrested for burning store - was at Frank's Baker came
there - had a stick - said he had it hit any one - said they were after him - called him
out asked me whether I thought him guilty of ~~burning~~ burning store - I said yes - said he
was clear of it - advised him to run off if he was guilty - said he was not
guilty - said he would stay if there was nothing else against him - told him
there was nothing else against him - said I was fooling him - that they had
warrant for cheating Good - bacon - said he took one piece from Good's
smoke house - He & McCloud went back to get two pieces more - door
of smoke house was open - took to Bet Reddy's - Officers came & arrested
him for burning store said he was ready to go - - said we went to Good's
got 1 piece & took to Bet Reddy's - got drunk - He & McCloud went & brought
2 pieces more - from Good's to Bet Reddy's as far as from there to Van Pelts Place
Baker was drunk when he told me - talked very sensibly at the time -
(seems to be afraid of the bacon charge)

Walter Meston - Sam Baker will say anything about himself or any one
else - will lie - known to tell lies - thinks he will say things disgraceful
to himself - When drunk talks largely - say any thing when sober - lies when
sober - will not confess himself to the truth for minutes at a time -

McPewell - Baker told me when arrested, thought he was under influence
of liquor went to house & took more - told us about the bacon & implicates McCloud
said that McCloud went to Smoke House & got 1 piece meat took to Bet Reddy's -
drank & around - Bet told us to get a man out & she would let us off with
the liquor bill - went to get man very drunk - McCloud gave pistol & told him to
shoot if any one came - got 2 pieces more - - told the late & old him when
when drunk & sober -

Jos. Baker - When Sam was brought to Jail was drunk. appeared to be
drunk before was drunk when put in jail asked jailer liquor - told him
any thing - say things he never heard of or saw - told any thing to tell a lie -
neighborhood will not believe him drunk or sober - when drunk has
no more sense than a cow - & not much when sober

Hopewell - about 12 miles - brought Baker - had nothing to drink after
starting - - said I am guilty of bacon scrape -