Quest. State how long you were engaged
for Mr Powell in building buoy Boats at said
Delaware Crossing.

Ans. Two weeks. I commenced work there
in the latter part of May or the first of June.
twelve of those boats were built here at Wyandott
& three or more at the Delaware Ferry. I think
I worked three or four days on those buoy Boats
here before I went to Delaware Crossing.

Quest. State what you know about the material
of which said Boats were built, with what material
they were caulked & whether they were pitched,
& painted.

Ans. (they were built of) Pine & Oak, caulked with Cotton wool,
& pitched with Tar & Rosin two coats, & they
were painted by Mr. Powell with two coats.
They were pitched ~~inside~~ here at Wyandott
with Tar & Rosin one coat. Then at Delaware
Crossing ~~Crossing~~ with another coat of Tallow &
Rosin.

Quest. Are you a Ship Carpenter by Profession?

Ans. I am not.

Quest. State if you know when said buoy Boats
were first launched?

Ans. I should judge it was some 4 or five days
after I went to work at the Ferry. I think there
were eleven or twelve launched at that time. & they

be by noon the same evening that they were