

## APPENDIX No. 3

The WITNESS: I understand that.

*By Hon. Mr. Reid:*

Q. Am I right that, in your opinion, the 11 horses that you mentioned were worth \$150 per head, taking it for granted that \$1,650 is the addition for these 11 horses?—

A. So far as my judgment would be worth, what little I seen of them, that would be my judgment.

Q. You would not swear that they were not worth more than that?—A. Surely theirs would not make them worth more than that to me?

Q. Your own horses were worth more than \$375?—A. I considered them good value at \$375 for farm horses.

Q. You considered the others were good value by the prices you mentioned, too?  
A. I would consider, yes.

Q. Am I right in taking it for granted that so far as your judgment is concerned, these 11 horses, figuring at \$1,650, were worth \$150 each, on an average, taking these as compared to yours?—A. Yes, if a man's judgment is worth anything with what he seen.

*By the Chairman:*

Q. You called them an inferior lot, in your judgment, \$150 is an inferior lot. That is what you said to-day?—A. Yes, did I not say that I considered them, the majority of them, an inferior lot? I think if you look at my evidence you will find I said that.

*By Mr. Carvell:*

Q. Now, take the 12 horses, that will bring the average down to \$137.50?—A. I asked him—

Hon. Mr. REID: I think it is fair I should finish this?

Mr. CARVELL: You might treat the witness fairly. He has described 12 horses, and you are only taking 11.

The WITNESS: You have misconstrued what I said if you have not put the Beckwith horse in.

*By Hon. Mr. Reid:*

Q. Take 11 horses, and I have read them over, that you gave me the value, in your opinion of \$1,650, and I stated if the 11 horses—never mind the other one just yet, I will come to that—average \$150, that you consider those horses that amount, the eleven?—A. The eleven.

Q. Yes, I will come to the other one again?—A. All right, take it that way.

Q. And you consider them worth \$150?—A. That 11.

Q. Now, then, there were 27 others, 38 were all that were purchased. There was one horse you did not consider worth anything?—A. From his appearance.

Q. There were 26 left then. What about the other 26, how did they compare with the 11?—A. As I told you, there was the bunch; no doubt the bunch that Thomas had would be in that lot.

Q. As I understand you a few minutes ago, you said that the other 26—never mind the one?—A. I am not talking of the one.

Q. But the other 26 would be comparable with this 11?—A. As I said, the bunch that Thomas had, that I supposed was in the 26 you speak of.

Q. Certainly?—A. I did not see those at all, only one or two, as he was leading them up there, and then the others as they passed along. There were some that I would suppose from their appearance would be between the worthless one and the others, you understand, some better, some worse.

Q. Well, there was one of the eleven that was worthless?—A. I think not.

Q. One of the twelve, I mean?—A. Yes.

Mr. S. SELFRIDGE.