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HOME. There is a land of every land the pride, beloved by heaven o'er all the world beside; Where brighter suns dispense serene light, And milder moons emanate the night; A land of beauty, virtue, labor, truth, Time-tormented age and love-sustained youth.

WASHINGTON LETTER. WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 20th, 1876. EDITOR STATESMAN: The election in Colorado yesterday went republican by a small majority, and the republican papers are intensely jubilant.

THE AMERICAN ALLIANCE. Is Gov. Hayes a Member? Documents to Prove He is Genuine Campaigner. (From the New York Herald.) We have received, and publish below, an extraordinary campaign document from Mr. Pelton, secretary of the national democratic committee.

HAYES' LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE. COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 10, 1876. DEAR SIR: Governor Hayes desires me to acknowledge receipt of your valued favor of July 7, enclosing resolutions of the American Alliance, and to say in reply that he is deeply gratified by this expression of confidence.

ASSASSINATION OF NATIONALITIES. Victor Hugo on the Turkish atrocities. It becomes necessary to call the attention of the European governments to a fact so small it seems that the governments appear not to perceive it. The fact is this, a people is being assassinated. Where? In Europe! Has this not witnessed? One witness, the whole world. Do the governments see it? No. The nations have above them something which is below them—the governments.

WASHINGTON LETTER. If the democracy have even the least regret for the loss of Colorado they have special cause to rejoice at the prospects of affairs in New York. The unfortunate difference between the Tammany and anti-Tammany parties in the city which at one time threatened disaster to the democratic party in that State, have all been settled, and now that the party will present a solid front in November, but little fear need be entertained of the result.

THE AMERICAN ALLIANCE. At a convention of the American Alliance, held in Philadelphia, on the Fourth of July last, Rutherford B. Hayes and William A. Wheeler were nominated as the candidates of the American Alliance for President and Vice President of the United States.

AMERICAN MEAT IN EUROPE.—America now furnishes meat with a portion of its natural beefsteaks. The animals are killed about two days before the steamer sails, and eaten across the water about two weeks after being killed.

A COMMEMORATIVE SYMBOL.—Through long ages the Jewish people were objects of persecution, esteemed to possess no rights which others were bound to respect. Under the free Constitution of the United States they find all this changed. They are the peers in the exercise of social and political rights of the best of their fellow citizens.

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Review of the Grain Market. LONDON, October 20.—The *Mark Lane Express* says: The amount of moisture in the north has again been considerable, but has not consequently proved very slowly. Such cereals as have been sown in an unsatisfactory condition, are likely to suffer further detriment in what may be a considerable quantity of beans is yet unsown, carrying having been entirely stopped by the continuous rain. In Ireland, the weather has been better, and the cereal harvest is now fairly over. It has been impossible to thresh freely of late. Supplies of wheat at the principal markets for the week are as follows: The bulk is in a damp and inferior condition. Such qualities only have been available at a decline of a shilling per quarter; even the trade has been slack. The week's imports of foreign wheat into London have been light. It is noticeable that there were no arrivals from the United States or Canada. The imports for the last five weeks of the current year were 5,611,812 cwt., against 7,240,123 cwt. for the corresponding week last year. These facts enhance the opinion that unless America can Russia export much more freely than of late, prices must rise further, in order to meet the necessary supplies from abroad. The more serious aspect of the Eastern question for some days has, perhaps, somewhat influenced buyers. Russia is going to war with doubtless some consideration. The war is almost unduly long, and the buyers and sellers alike awaiting political events. There were very limited arrivals of floating cargoes at all ports of call during the week, and the bulk of wheat has consequently been maintained prices. White advanced about a shilling per quarter. Major, with continued large shipments from America, quiet and unchanged.

THE WIFE.—Woman's love, like the rose blossoming in the arid desert, spreads its rays over the barren plain of the human heart, and while all around it is black and desolate, it rises more strengthened from the absence of every other charm. In no situation does the love of woman appear more beautiful than that in wife; parents, brethren and friends, have claim upon the affections, but the love of a wife is of a distinct and different nature. A daughter may yield her life to the preservation of a parent—a sister may devote herself to a suffering brother; but the feelings which induce her to this conduct are not such as those which lead a wife to follow the husband of her choice through every pain and peril that can befall him; to watch over him in danger, to cheer him in adversity, and ever remain unalterable at his side in the depths of ignominy and shame. It is a heroic devotion which a woman displays in her adherence to the fortunes of a hapless husband; when we behold her in her domestic seclusion, a mere passive creature of enjoyment; an intellectual joy, brightening the family circle with her endearments, and loved for the extreme joy which that presence and those endearments are calculated to impart, we can scarcely credit that the fragile being who seems to hold her existence by a thread, is capable of supporting the extreme of human suffering; nay, when the heart of man sinks beneath the weight of agony that she should maintain her pristine powers of delight, and, by her words of comfort and patience, lead the distracted mourner to peace and resignation.

AN ENGLISH PAUPER.—At a recent weekly meeting of the Epsom board of guardians, a communication from the medical officer of Great Brookham was taken into consideration, calling attention to the case of one Eliza Tanner, who was suffering from an internal complaint, and being an enormously fat and unwieldy person, the nurse in attendance was utterly powerless to move her patient, who, in consequence, had not been shifted from her bed for several days. The letter strongly recommended her removal to the workhouse infirmary, where there would be sufficient strength to lift the poor woman when required. The chairman said he had ascertained there were no paupers at the workhouse sufficiently able-bodied to be of much assistance to the nurse. The relieving officer being applied to, expressed his opinion that no two of the guardians would be able to lift Mrs. Tanner. It would be useless to engage a dyer for her removal, as she could not be passed through the doorway; indeed, nothing short of a strong and roomy wagonette would answer the purpose. Her weight, as near as could be ascertained, was about 24 stone, with every prospect of greatly increasing. Ultimately the relieving officer was empowered to engage such a number of persons as would be able to transfer Mrs. Tanner from one position to another, the chairman observing that it was obvious that if the woman was brought to the workhouse they would have to increase their staff.

AMERICAN BONDS ABROAD.—In answer to a number of correspondents, the *Chicago Times* undertakes to estimate the amount of American bonds held abroad. Without pretending to approach exactness, the *Times* fixes the amount at \$1,000,000,000. The basis of this estimate is this: The whole amount of the United States bonds outstanding is, in round numbers, \$1,700,000,000. Of this amount \$205,000,000 is held by the United States Treasury as security for the circulation of the national Banks and for United States funds deposited in the banks. Deducting this \$205,000,000, \$1,495,000,000 remains to be accounted for. A considerable amount of the bonds is held by individuals and Trust Companies in this country, and they are sold daily in the market in sufficient quantities to warrant daily quotations. The sum of \$50,000,000 is not too large to be used in this way, and then we arrive at the estimate of \$1,000,000,000 in foreign countries. The waiting tears stood ready for command, and now they flow to vanish the false tale. Is such a time as this it is not meet that every nice offense should bear its comment. DRINKING water neither makes a man sick, nor in debt, nor his wife a widow. EVERY inordinate cup is unblest, and the ingredient is a devil.



RELIGIOUS.—Rev. F. W. D. Mays will preach in the United Brethren church, to-morrow (Sunday) at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M.

NOTICE.—Persons wishing to have their floors or wells cleaned or repaired will do well by calling on Mr. James F. Boyle, who is always ready to fill orders. Leave orders at Rose & Schaeffer's saloon.

DISCHARGED.—The Grand Jury was discharged on Thursday, having completed their labors. The business of the term is light, but the Grand Jury deserve credit for the prompt manner in which the business was dispatched.

STEVENS COUNTY POLITICS.—The following is the democratic ticket for Stevens county: Representative, Marcus Oppenheimer; county commissioners, Stephen Ross, James McElroy, John Jones; sheriff, John U. Hoffmeyer; auditor, John R. Kingsley; treasurer, Max Weil; school superintendent, Moses Dupuis; probate judge, Leopold DeRudder; surveyor, R. H. Douglas.

FINE APPLES.—Rev. Joseph Sanders, living at the head of Dry Creek, has left at this office a box of apples, embracing eight different varieties, all of them very fine, and such as exhibited at any State fair would take the premium. With so much fine fruit in the country, it is with us a matter of surprise that at the late county fair the exhibition was meagre. We must do better next time.

THE INDEPENDENT is the title of a new paper, published at Roseburg, Douglas county, Oregon. John W. Kelly, a graduate of the STATESMAN office, is the editor, and furnishes his subscribers a lively sheet. John used to be an uncompromising democrat, but just now he is putting in big licks for Dick Williams and the radical ticket. He is particularly severe upon Hon. J. Lane, whom he denounces as the tool of a ring. We regret this warfare upon Mr. Lane, believing him to be an able and efficient representative.

Wm. MARTIN, candidate on the democratic ticket for the legislature is not so generally known as some of the other aspirants, but we are assured by those who have the pleasure of his acquaintance that he is a reliable man, and every way fitted to discharge the duties of a representative of the people. Mr. Martin is a farmer by occupation, industrious and punctual in his business engagements, and just the kind of a man to frame laws in the interest of the producing classes. His home is near the landing, and hence he is generally known than candidates more centrally located. The granger vote of the valley can be relied upon for Mr. Martin, and the added to the regular democratic vote secures his election by a large majority.

BRIDGES APPOINTMENT.—In making their canvass Messrs. Judson and Jacobs have a good deal to say about the appointment of British Brown to the position of clerk of the Third District Court. To us this seems a very small matter, and we only refer to it now for the reason that Jacobs reported to preparation in order to dodge the responsibility of having recommended Brown's appointment. We have it on a reliable authority that he (Jacobs) did recommend the appointment, and used his personal influence to secure it. To our mind, Jacobs had much better admit the fact, and plead in justification that at the legislative session of 1875 British Brown was elected chief clerk of the court by the unanimous vote of both parties—five democrats and four republicans—and if it was right for both parties to support Brown for that high position, there can be no very great wrong in recommending him for an unimportant clerkship.

COUNCILMAN.—We are pleased to notice that our neighbor emphatically endorses Hon. Dan Stewart as a candidate to represent this county in the territorial council. We have commended and wintered with Mr. Stewart, and know that he is a man who will do to the best. A resolute foe of jockey and everything that partakes of the character of corrupt legislation, his election will give tax-payers an assurance against "put up jobs" and special legislation. A careful, prudent manager of his own business, he is even more careful and economical in the management of public affairs. This was exhibited when Mr. Stewart was a member of the board of county commissioners, in which place he was a terror to the rogues who had designs upon the county treasury. In the council his wise and influence will always be found upon the side of economy and reform, and against every description of plundering legislation. As a matter of course Mr. Stewart will receive the unanimous support of the democrats of the county, and recognizing his honesty and integrity of purpose, we confidently expect the better class of republicans to drop party prejudices and give him their support. In these days when rogues mainly control politics, it is a pleasure to have an opportunity to vote for an honest man.

DOMESTIC WINES.—The cultivation of the grape in this country is no longer an experiment. Indeed, the success is so great that the more sanguine claim that our climate is as favorable to the growth of the grape as that of California. This being the case, our grape growers are already considering the question—Whence can they find a market for the surplus crop? Mr. Frank Scullini, a native of vine-clad Italy, is about to solve this question, and that is about all that is to be said. A day or two since we visited his ranch, a short distance below town, and were shown the vats, barrels and other arrangements for manufacturing wine on an extensive scale. One of the vats he has now in use has a capacity of 1000 gallons, and others are on a smaller scale. Mr. Scullini informs us that this season he expects to make 2500 gallons of wine, mainly from grapes raised on his own place. Should the experiment prove a success, with another year he will buy all the grapes that offer, and engage in the manufacture of wine on an extensive scale. In the room adjoining the vats, we counted 34 barrels ready to be filled with wine. These barrels are of a capacity ranging from 40 to 80 gallons, and will all be brought into use. With cheap vines there will be less demand for poor whiskey, and thus much of the money that is now sent abroad will be retained at home.

IMPORTANT OFFICE.—In the hurry burly of election times voters are prone to estimate the importance of offices by the amount they pay. We have an illustration of this in the case of the delegate upon whom the main interests center, whilst really the office is of less importance to the people directly than that of town constable. The delegate gets \$5000 a year and perquisites, and hence he draws the crowd and fills the popular eye. And so we might go through with the list, and show that the offices in all cases are estimated in proportion as they pay. This theory is by no means correct. The proper way is to estimate the office in proportion as it comes home to the interests of the people, and tried by this standard, one of the most important offices to be filled at the November election is that of probate judge. It is the estimate of an able statistician that every thirty years all the property in a country is administered upon, and in that way comes under the jurisdiction of probate courts. In this world two things are certain—death and taxation, and it becomes the prudent man to be prepared for both. Many of the ills of life can be guarded against, but the last dread summons comes to all men, and hence the importance of having courts where the property of the departed can be wisely administered upon, and the estate of widows and orphans carefully guarded. A weak or corrupt probate judge can work more harm in a community than almost all other agencies combined, and thus it is that an office that pays but a trifling salary is one of the most important. Recognizing this fact, the people of Walla Walla county as early as 1869 elected R. Guichard to the office of probate judge, and with the exception of one interval have continued him in office down to the present time. A man of clear head and sound judgment, he at once applied himself to the study of probate law, and has made himself better acquainted with that branch of legal practice than any lawyer in the country. This is not the opinion of the writer alone, but the opinion of able jurists. Judge Lewis, the ablest man that ever sat upon the bench in Washington territory, before leaving this district, stated in the presence of the writer that "Judge Guichard was the ablest probate judge he had ever known." The gentleman who immediately preceded Judge Lewis upon the bench has frequently made a similar declaration. Two years ago the people of this county recognizing Judge Guichard's fitness for the place unanimously elected him, and now that his name is again presented by the democratic convention, we expect to see him elected with almost equal unanimity.

HON. W. T. BARNES, candidate on the democratic ticket to represent this county in the legislature, has on different occasions served the people in the county board, and always to the satisfaction of tax-payers. At the election of 1871, Mr. Barnes was chosen a member of the board, and at the time of entering upon the discharge of his duties he found the county over twenty thousand dollars in debt, and the county credit down to 50 cents on the dollar. In connection with his associates in the board, he went to work to change this condition of affairs, and in a few years so managed to pay off the indebtedness and accumulate a large surplus in the county treasury. His history shows that at the time he entered the board the county was bankrupt. When he left the county debt was paid off, and over \$12,000 in the treasury. This, too, without increasing the rate of taxation, or in any way adding to the public burdens. A gentleman who has acquitted himself so well at home can be trusted to represent the county in the legislature. His past career is the best guarantee that he will labor earnestly and faithfully for the interests of his constituents.

MAMMOTH POTATOES.—Our old friend and subscriber, Mr. Kenison, has left at this office a specimen lot of potatoes of the "Buckland Seedling" and "Pearsley" varieties, that are of mammoth proportions. The smallest in the lot weighs over one pound, and the average is considerably over that figure. These potatoes when cooked open nice and mealy, and have nothing of the coarseness that is usually found in very large potatoes.

THOMAS B. MERRY, formerly of the Coos Bay News, and a writer of more than ordinary ability, has taken charge of the Seattle Dispatch, and will continue its publication as a democratic newspaper. We are pleased to see a man of ability at the head of a newspaper on the Sound, and are confident that the change will tend to the elevation of journalism in that quarter.

MORE IMMIGRANTS.—Five immigrant families arrived on the cars yesterday. Three of them left the train at Whitman station, while the remaining two families will go on up to Whitman county, to locate. They report quite a large immigration, via San Francisco, on the way to this valley.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.—All young men who feel an interest in the cause of Christianity, are requested to meet at the Methodist church, in this city, on Thursday evening, November 23, for the purpose of organizing a young men's Christian association.

A FALLING OFF.—The receipts of the Oregon State Fair this year were \$5000 short of the receipts of the previous year. The falling off is attributed to hard times. The fair itself, regarded as an exposition of the industrial resources of the State, was a great success.

RAISING THE FEES.—A bill has been introduced in the Oregon legislature raising the fees of sheriffs and clerks in the counties of Umatilla, Grant, Baker and Union 25 per cent. The bill was introduced by a reform member from Umatilla county.

MILITARY BAND.—We learn that the band of the First Cavalry left Vancouver on Friday morning, and may be expected to arrive here by to-morrow (Sunday's) train. When the band arrives a grand blow out will be in order.

MAMMOTH APPLE.—Hon. N. Ford has left on our table a mammoth apple of the "Gloria Munda" variety. This monster is 15 1/2 inches in circumference, and was taken from the tree on which was grown the largest apple on record.

REPAIRING THE CITY HALL.—Mechanics are now at work leveling up the City Hall building, and generally placing the structure in good repair.

SENATOR MITCHELL will speak at Pendleton, Saturday, Oct. 28, at 1 o'clock, P. M.; at Union, Tuesday, Oct. 31, at 1 o'clock, P. M.; at Cove, Wednesday, Nov. 1st, at 1 o'clock, P. M.; Weston, Friday, Nov. 3d, at 1 o'clock, P. M.; Walla Walla, Saturday, Nov. 4, 7:30 P. M. Senator Mitchell has labored earnestly for the interests of Eastern Washington and Oregon, and recognizing in him a friend to our material interests, we trust that the people of Walla Walla will extend him a cordial reception. The whole question of annexation turns upon Senator Mitchell's vote, and it is for the friends of the measure to show that they appreciate his labors.

THE COST.—Hon. C. S. Bush, chairman of the county board, informs us that the repairs and additions to the county building cost in the neighborhood of \$5000. The original contract was \$3400, but changes subsequently made, and additional improvements swell the cost to the figure given above. The iron doors for the vault cost \$700 more than was anticipated, and so on a few dollars here and a few dollars there and the total is really startling. There is one consolation, however, that the county has a good court house and one that will last for years.

MILITARY ITEMS.—We understand that semi-official information has been received that the Regimental Headquarters, First Cavalry, will be ordered from Vancouver to Fort Walla Walla, as soon as the smallpox has subsided. We believe that the wife of a member of the band is now suffering from this disease, but every precaution is taken to prevent the disease from spreading. Drill and dress parades are the order of the day at the Garrison.

TIN WEDDING.—The friends of Judge Guichard and lady treated them to a surprise party last Saturday night, the occasion being the tenth anniversary of their wedding. All manner of tinware, useful as well as ornamental, was added to the household stock, and many were the congratulations extended the Judge and wife upon the anniversary of an event that linked their destinies together.

COLLECTIONS.—Business men and others will read Messrs. Lacy & Whitman's card, in another column. At various times these gentlemen have attended to business for the STATESMAN office, and we can certify to their promptness and correctness in all business entrusted to their care. In their particular line they are without superiors, and will always be found reliable.

ON TIME.—During the alarm of fire yesterday, our citizens had a good chance to see that Col. Kraft keeps his steamer in fine trim. On reaching Adams Bro's corner, just one hundred and seventy-five feet from the engine-house, the Col blew the steamer's whistle. That meant that the steamer was ready to throw water.

PROBATE COURT.—At an adjourned term of the Probate Court, held on the 14th day of October, 1876, the following proceedings were had: In the matter of the estate of Xavier Basinger, deceased; administrator authorized to sell the real estate belonging to the said estate. In the matter of the estate of David Weston, deceased; the same order.

PLENTY OF WHEAT.—Although the O. S. N. Co's. steamers take away from Walla Walla about one hundred and twenty-five tons of wheat and flour each trip, there is still on hand at the depot and in war houses at Walla Walla about 800 tons, and the wagons continue to roll in loaded, and the vacancies at the depot are soon filled up.

A BAD OMEN.—Orange Jacobs, while on his way to Walla Walla in a private carriage, was thrown out. The driver not being well posted in that section of sand hills, lost his way in the dark, overturned the carriage, and a general dump was the consequence. The party succeeded in reaching Walla Walla, about 10 o'clock P. M.

T. F. McELROY, Esq., and wife of Olympia, are visiting this section of country, and are the guests of the "Stine House." Mr. McElroy in early life was a printer, but now that he is a man of means looks down upon the profession. He should recollect that it is not given to all men to get rich.

PUBLIC SPEAKING AT WESTON.—Hon. J. K. Kelly, and Hon. G. K. Shell spoke to a crowded audience at the town of Weston, on Thursday last. Those who were present inform us that Mr. Shell is a very pleasant speaker, and kept his large audience in capital spirits.

PASSENGERS.—The Walla Walla & Columbia Railroad brought up the largest number of passengers on Friday that has passed over the road this season. A sign that the railroad company must furnish the traveling community with more passenger accommodations.

CAPT. C. B. HOPKINS, U. S. Marshal, is at Walla Walla, attending the District Court. Capt. Hopkins was a former resident of this town and has many friends who are always glad to see him.

BUSY.—We visited all the principal stores in town yesterday, but found the proprietors too busy to report upon the state of trade. Under the circumstances we concluded that business was lively.

CROWDED.—Walla Walla may fairly claim to be a crowded town. The streets are crowded, the stores are crowded, and the hotels are crowded that it is difficult to get a "square meal."

THE RACES.—The great races commence on Saturday of next week. See additions to the race card.

COUNTY AUDITOR. R. JACOBS. In a Candidate for the Office of County Auditor. S. G. GOING, Veterinary Surgeon, United States Army. GRADUATE OF THE LONDON VETERINARY COLLEGE, can be consulted at the Stine House, Walla Walla, about the diseases of Horses and other domestic animals. HURRAH! HURRAH! Wheeler & Wilson No. 8. HAS TAKEN THE FIRST MEDAL at the Gen. Lewis Exhibition, and the GOLD MEDAL at the California State Fair. CHAS. WILKINS, Agent Wheeler & Wilson Mfg Co.

District Court Proceedings. List of cases disposed of in the District Court, Judge Wingard presiding, during the past week: Monday, October 16, 1876. Conrad Rickhart, a native of Germany, admitted to citizenship. Charles W. Frank, F. F. Lohr and George Eaton, appointed bailiffs. M. A. Carr vs Franklin Hart; sale of real estate confirmed. J. M. Corwell vs D. W. Darling, et al; sale of real estate confirmed. Jemima Wheeler vs William A. Holbrook, et al; sale of real estate confirmed. Jemima J. Wheeler vs Dennis Willard, et al; sale of real estate confirmed. Samuel John vs S. S. Smet; default and decree. T. J. Wiseman vs Nevada & Northern Telegraph Co., and Platt Barr; stricken from dock. J. J. Abbott vs M. Fettes; continuance by consent of counsel till next term of court. James K. Kennedy, et al, vs Samuel Hardesty, et al; continuance for several weeks. Tuesday, October 17, 1876. E. A. Linn, defaulting juror at May term, fined \$10 and costs; fine afterwards remitted. Baker & Berry vs Charles Horel, et al; sale of real estate confirmed. Wednesday, October 18, 1876. Grand Jury present the following true bills: Territory of Washington vs Bill, an Indian; grand larceny. Territory of Washington vs Sam, an Indian; burglary. Territory of Washington vs Valentine Edwards; grand larceny. Territory of Washington vs A. H. Shickley; making and drawing a lottery and scheme of property not authorized by law. Territory of Washington vs Valentine Edwards; plea not guilty. Territory of Washington vs Bill, an Indian; plea not guilty. H. Parker vs A. Shoue; continuance by consent of counsel. John Wicksham vs E. G. Roberts; motion to strike out 1st and 21 paragraphs of further and separate findings in answer overruled. Territory of Washington vs William A. Masterson; assault with a deadly weapon with intent to inflict on the person of another a bodily injury. Grand Jury presented true bill. J. H. Wicksham vs E. G. Roberts; motion to strike out 3d paragraph of reply, overruled. Thursday, October 19, 1876. John Wicksham vs E. G. Roberts; jury returned verdict in favor of plaintiff for \$86, and notice of motion for new trial given. Territory vs Indian "Bill"; grand larceny. The jury after being out some 14 hours in the deliberation of the case, failed to agree on a verdict, and were discharged. Bond of defendant fixed at \$300, and witnesses fixed at \$100 each. Territory of Washington vs Indian "Sam"; jury returned a verdict of not guilty; defendant discharged from custody. Territory of Washington vs Valentine Edwards; grand larceny. Defendant withdrew his plea of not guilty to the charge of grand larceny and plea of guilty to petit larceny entered. John Bowler and J. H. Shickler, witnesses in the above case, ordered to give bonds in the sum of \$200 each, for their appearance at the next term of the District Court, to answer the charge of gambling. Friday, October 20, 1876. Andrew Shrader vs Eva Shrader; divorce. T. J. Anars appointed counsel to take testimony and report findings of facts to the court. Patrick Wallace, a native of Ireland, admitted to citizenship. The case of Ferdinand Rosch vs George Vincent; action for money due for labor performed for defendant, is set for trial, 11 o'clock A. M. Territory of Washington vs A. H. Shickley; bond of defendant in the sum of \$100 for his appearance at this term of court forfeited.

Grand Jury Report. To Hon. S. C. WINGARD, Judge of the 1st Judicial District, W. T., October Term, 1876.—The Grand Jury would respectfully report that they have given due attention to all matters brought before them, and have presented five true bills on the part of the territory. We have also examined the public buildings in a body, and find the same in good condition—cleanly and neatly kept—showing that the different officers in charge of them are vigilant and attentive. We have also examined the books, accounts, etc., of the county treasurer, county auditor, and probate judge, which we find are kept in a very neat and plain manner, testifying to the competence, care and fidelity of these in charge of them. We find a balance in the hands of the county treasurer of \$1631 53, as follows: School fund.....\$1624 12 Road fund..... 24 41 Territorial fund..... 2 42 County fund..... 92 Total.....\$1651 53 We find quite a large delinquent tax on the books, which has been accumulating since 1872, a very large proportion of which cannot, from the nature of the cases, be collected, the parties against whom the assessments are made having left the country. We would respectfully tender our thanks to the court, the sheriff and bailiffs, for their advice and courtesy, which have been of great value to us in the discharge of our duties, especially by we thank Mr. T. J. Anderson, district attorney, for the very efficient aid he has rendered us by his constant attendance on our sessions, his affable demeanor, and invaluable counsel. W. S. GILLIAM, Foreman. J. V. CHAWFORD, Secretary.

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