

COLESTOCK FOUND  
GUILTY AS CHARGEDJury Was Out Deliberating  
Less Than Three Hours.

TURNED IN VERDICT TUESDAY.

Findings Not a Surprise to Those  
Hearing the Evidence.

Ezra E. Colestock, charged with a venal assault on the night of December 6, 1900, the complaining witness being one Mary Thompson, a girl under 20, residing in this city, was Tuesday found guilty by a jury of the crime charged in the indictment.

The trial commenced Monday morning as soon as court opened, and there was considerable difficulty in selecting a jury, the time taken closing a few minutes before 12 noon. By 10 o'clock that evening the evidence was all in, when court adjourned until morning. The state then opened its argument through Attorney E. B. Tongue, deputy district attorney, who was followed by Messrs. Geo. R. Bagley and S. C. Spencer, defendant's attorneys, who in turn were followed by Harrison Allen, district attorney.

Messrs. Bagley and Spencer certainly made the most of their case, and when they had concluded their arguments and the court had instructed, there were many who heard the evidence and believed him guilty felt as though there might be a fair chance for acquittal or a verdict of simple assault.

At 3 o'clock the jury came in and the verdict was read. The defendant was present and exhibited no emotion other than a clutching of his hands, which were behind his back.

The verdict of the jury seems to meet with popular approval as just and called for. The jurors were:

John A. Chapman, Glencoe  
F. A. Haines, Hillsboro  
L. Channing, Hillsboro  
Alonso Pike, Beaverton  
Henry Challacombe, Cornelius  
J. R. McCracken, Laurel  
Louis Jose, Cornelius  
George Sushauer, Cornelius  
John A. Johnson, Beaverton  
W. W. Truesdale, Farmington  
Alice B. Todd, Forest Grove

All who heard the trial, and the court room was constantly crowded, seem to think that the defendant had as good a defense through his attorneys as could have been made. Messrs. Bagley and Spencer certainly made a spirited and able defense. It was simply a matter of evidence.

Colestock will receive his sentence in a few days. The least he can get will be three years, and the most, twenty years, in the penitentiary.

See those fresh new Olives at McCormick's store.

L. M. Hoyt has returned from a week's business trip to points over in the state of Washington.

A small shower of hail Monday forenoon was one of the freakish displays of Oregon weather.

Ladies' muslin underwear and wrappers, sheets and pillow cases for sale at Schulmerich Bros.

Five 3-year-old horses for sale. Weighs about 950. Broke to harness and saddle. Inquire of E. W. Fitch, Cornelius, Oregon.

Principal Barnes, of the Hillsboro High School, reports enrollment for month just ended at 310; tardy, 43; and absentees, 237.

Bicycles, new and old, cycle sundries, baseballs, bats, mits and gloves, fishing tackle, pocket knives and razors, at McCormick's store.

Mrs. O. E. Elliott, wife of a prominent logger at Marshland, Columbia county, was here the first of the week, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Bradley.

Schulmerich Bros. make the following prices on implements: 2 horse, all steel lever harrow \$12.50; 3 horse, all steel lever harrow \$14. Disc harrow from \$25 up, according to size and style.

E. L. James, who is prince of a good fellow, departed this week for McClelland, Cal., where he will log for the season. While there THE ARGUS will be sent to his address so that he will get all the news that is worth reading.

If you want to look dressy and neat, go to Ang. Tews, the Second street Hillsboro tailor, and give him your measure for a spring and summer suit. His work gives eminent satisfaction. Ask any of his patrons.

THE ARGUS recently mentioned the sale of a team by T. G. Todd to Zina Wood, and stated that they were foals sired by Oregon. Mr. Todd says that this is a mistake, and that they were sired by Pollock. They were half sisters to Jas. Sewell's Prince Almo, and are fine looking mares, weighing about 1600. Mr. Todd was naturally anxious to have correction made. Just how the error crept in is not now remembered. Mr. Todd states he has some fine stock out of Oregon, however, which speaks for themselves.

THOMPSON HAS EX-  
PENSIVE EXPERIENCEGaston Farmer-Journalist  
Connected With Craig.

WAS BONA FIDE NEWSPAPER MAN

Has Cost Mr. Thompson Nearly \$5000.  
Craig Built Air Castles.

T. W. Thompson, one of Gaston's reliable citizens, has in the past few years had some journalistic experience and he has paid for all he got beyond a doubt. When Mr. Craig, who published the Hatchet, was beginning to have financial difficulties he borrowed \$650 from Mr. Thompson and gave that gentleman a second chattel mortgage on his plant as security. The printing house at Portland and Mr. Marsh soon thereafter took from Mr. Craig that to which they had title and this left the youthful publisher with a subscription list and a mailing machine. His creditors finally laid upon his shipment of papers, and to avoid this Mr. Craig put Thompson's name to the head of his paper as the proprietor. The Multnomah Printing Co. did Craig's work and charged it up to Thompson. The bill ran up over two hundred dollars and then suit was brought against the alleged proprietor. Bills of sale from Craig to Thompson were introduced; power of attorney from Thompson to Hoffman, the Forest Grove attorney, to sell the remnant of the once powerful Hatchet, later on, was in evidence, and the result of the trial was that a verdict against Mr. Thompson in the sum of \$194.85 was turned in by the jury yesterday evening. This makes Mr. Thompson's venture as standing him something like, attorneys, costs and all, a thousand dollars. And Mr. Craig nods his head and looks dreamily and smilingly into the distance. And Mr. Thompson doesn't like it—but who would?

S. B. Huston was attorney for the printing house and Tongue & Tongue were Mr. Thompson's attorneys. The moral of the case is: It Costs Money to Run a Newspaper.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sappington was last Saturday evening the scene of a very pleasant party, the occasion being the sixteenth birthday of Miss Birdie, their eldest daughter. Lunch was served the guests and games were indulged in until a late hour. Those present were: The Misses Ethel Wehrung, Eva Cornelius, Arah Hoyt, Ivy Sappington, Rose Cave, Bessie Archbold, Hattie and Grace Connell, Blanche Huston, Susie McKinney, and Madge Imbrie; Messrs. Ira and Will Barrett, Lem and Linus Brown, Fred Siegrist, Jacob Milne, John Peters and Wm. Stevens.

The spring showers are about over and you will soon want your spring and summer footwear. Buy it at Dennis' and you will get both style and durability.

Monday evening Justice Wirtz, of Forest Grove, heard a case where Charles Anderson claimed some chickens that were on the premises of William Dille. The court held that the chickens were Anderson's and turned them to his possession. Dille still says that the chickens are his and he has replanted them. Constable Tupper has the feathered property in his possession, and Judge Randall of this place, will hear the case in a few days. Dille says he does not care for the value of the chickens, but that they are his and he proposes to have them.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Sorenson returned the first of the week from California, and are visiting at Forest Grove at the home of Hon. W. H. H. Myers. They will leave for their future home at Sumpter Baker county, the first of next week.

District Attorney Allen yesterday swore to an information before the county judge, asking that a warrant be issued for the arrest of Wm. Dille, on the allegation that the defendant had threatened to kill H. E. Bennett. It seems that the two men had some trouble over some chickens, and it is alleged that this led up to hard words. Dille and Bennett reside near Forest Grove.

It may not be a matter of law—but it is a matter of good judgment; that is, going to Dennis to buy your groceries. That is the reason that he is gaining and holding custom every day.

Rev. Morton D. Dunning, Forest Grove, will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational church next Sunday morning and evening. He also will take part in the special C. E. meeting in the church parlor at 6:30 p. m. Mr. Dunning's theme at 11 a. m. will be The Message of Amos, and 7:30 p. m., Christ Warning and Inviting. A cordial invitation to attend these meetings is extended to all.

Marriage license has been granted to Mr. William Vaughn, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Vaughn, of Middleton, and Miss Lulu M. Olean.

One by one the early pioneers of Washington county are going to their last resting place. Each has had his or her part in the development of the great Northwest and have earned the honors incidental to a life of pathfinding. The late Mrs. Rafferty was one of the noblest of our pioneer women, and the news of her death caused genuine sorrow to all who have watched her pioneerage in detail. She was a woman of sterling worth and of sublime character. She never rested in her efforts to do good so long as her physical strength permitted. Her neighborhood has sustained a great loss, and the whole county joins them in their sorrow.

Forty acres land near Centerville; nearly all cleared; bottom and new land; house, barn and granary, for sale. Inquire of J. W. Vandervelden, Centerville.

Dr. Bailey has had the room which he will occupy with the Pharmacy newly papered, walls and ceiling, and it presents a very neat appearance. He has fixed himself offices in the same building, the Bailey-Morgan block, right above where the Pharmacy will be. He has had a skylight cut through so that the Pharmacy will be well lighted. Taken all in all the new quarters will be very handsome when ready for business.

E. L. McCormick's wheels for 1901 are the Ramblers, Ideals, Imperials, Orientals and Olives, cycle sundries of all kinds.

Thos. H. Tongue, Jr., who is attending the Columbia Law School at Washington, D. C., has just undergone his first examination for the class year, and although he entered the university three months after the beginning of the class year there were but five in a class of 210 who had a higher average.

Always buy goods where you can get the best for the least money. Bob Greer's is the place in Hillsboro.

James H. Jack, of Farmington, has just concluded a very successful term of school at the Laurel Ridge district, and was in the city, Monday, enjoying his vacation. He reports that the enrollment was 29, and the average daily attendance for the six months, 14.

If economy is the road to wealth you will get there by buying your groceries at Greer's.

Delphos Lodge, K. of P. of Forest Grove, this evening celebrated the anniversary of the order in that city. There was an excellent program, supper and a general good time.

Lost, two horses; one a gray mare; the other a roan gelding. Both are branded "S J" on left shoulder. Suitable reward for recovery. W. W. Paine, Glencoe.

J. B. Imlay, the Reedville warehouse man, was in town the first of the week. He says that the farmers of his section are doing all the farming that the weather will permit.

Lost, class pin; "1901, O. S. N. S." Please leave at Angus office and receive reward.

Dr. Chas. C. Poling, president of the Dallas College, will preach in the Evangelical church in this city Friday evening, March 29, at 7:30. All are invited to this and all other services of the church.

Schulmerich Brothers can handle three or four carloads of choice Burbank potatoes. Portland prices.

Miss Alice Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Henry, of Beaverton, passed away Monday at 4 p. m. Deceased was 18 years of age. The funeral took place today from the Beaverton Congregational church.

All kinds of seeds in bulk at R. H. Greer's.

Mr. Ervine Burkhalter and the Misses Margaret and Etta Schulmerich departed last evening for Sumpter, Eastern Oregon, where they will meet Herman Schulmerich and remain this summer.

Schulmerich Brothers have blast-ming powder on sale at their store.

Miss Madge Haney, of Portland, was in the city this week in the interests of a new order, the Independent Order of Lions. Just what success she had is not known.

Now is the time to subscribe for THE ARGUS.

Miss Emma Everett, a daughter of S. Everett, of this city, has been re-appointed for a two years' term as matron of the Roseburg State Soldiers' Home Hospital.

Go to Greer's for Black Minorca eggs; setting of 15, 50 cents.

Wehrung & Son will soon have their new double floor establishment open and then their quarters will be second to none in the county.

Mrs. John Wendall, of Cooper Mountain, is in Portland at the home of her daughter, where she is suffering from a severe case of la grippe.

J. W. Hughes, of Dille, was in town Monday morning, doing business with Sheriff Sewell in the matter of a sale on execution.

Richard Connell, of Glencoe, is the only Washington county citizen who is summoned a U. S. grand juror to meet at Portland, April 10.

The Argus and Weekly Oregonian one year for \$2. Subscrib' know.

COUNTY TAXES  
WILL SOON ROLLProbably Ready for Collection  
Monday.

NEARLY NINETY-SIX THOUSAND

This Does Not Embrace the State  
Coyote Tax.

By the first of next week the roll will be in the hands of Sheriff Sewell and taxpayers can remit their county dues for the 1900 assessment. The amount to be collected is a trifle less than \$86,000. Tabulated, the levy is:

|                       |             |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| State                 | \$16,364.33 |
| County general        | 40,149.43   |
| County schools        | 14,854.57   |
| County road tax       | 11,906.21   |
| Special school levies | 9,781.53    |
| Hillsboro city tax    | 1,724.80    |
| Forest Grove city tax | 1,455.35    |
| Beaverton town tax    | 47.66       |

Total \$86,913.99  
This includes the poll tax, which is written \$1472. It does not, however, include the bounty tax for the state, as the rolls were too far advanced for extension when the bill became a law.

CORNELIUS SCHOOL CLOSED.

The Cornelius school board decided to close the school until next Monday on account of the uneasiness occasioned by the breaking out of the smallpox in the vicinity of Cornelius. The two places where the disease is in danger of spreading are under quarantine. Though these two cases are having the disease in a mild form every effort is being made to keep it within its bounds.

E. W. Moos.

PROBATE.

Estate of August Gentz, deceased.—Final settlement allowed and estate closed of record.

Guardianship—Alec B. Todd appointed guardian of minor, Samuel Ward Todd, with bonds fixed at \$200.

GOOD ADVICE.

The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from dyspepsia and liver complaint. More than seventy-five per cent of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects: such as sour stomach, sick headache, habitual constipation, palpitation of the heart, heartburn, water-brash, gnawing and burning pains at the pit of the stomach, yellow skin, coated tongue and disagreeable taste in the mouth, coming up of food after eating, low spirits, etc. Go to your druggist and get a bottle of August Flower for 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it. For sale by Delta Drug Store. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

Station Agent Beckwith has on hand a stock of through tickets from this place to Oakland and San Francisco, and this is quite a convenience for travelers, as they can save a day by this. Heretofore when one desired to go to those points, or to the east via that line they were obliged to lay over a day at Portland owing to such close connections. Mr. Beckwith explained the situation to the company, and the tickets came. Nothing like kicking for what you want.

Married, at Gaston, in the United Church of God, March 24, 1901. Mr. D. J. Womer and Mrs. Maggie George, Rev. A. W. Brickley officiating.

The citizens of the City of Cornelius have nominated the following ticket to be voted upon at the annual election to be held next Monday. For Mayor, C. B. Buchanan; for councilmen, J. P. Applein, F. Schoen, J. T. Dorrien and A. S. Briggs; for recorder, Homer F. Hendrix; for treasurer, C. C. Hancock. So far there is no opposition ticket in the field, and it is thought there will be none, although it is possible that such a thing might occur.

John W. Connell, of Glencoe, was in this city today, receiving the congratulations of his many friends on his recent marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Connell are now residing on the M. G. Wills property north of this city and close to Glencoe.

Early peas are now getting above the ground in many gardens, but small gardening is not yet very far advanced. Out in the country it has been too wet for very active farm work, and unless the weather gets better there will be a late crop—putting in this year. Hops are reported as doing very nicely. Fruit is not as far advanced now as at this time last year.

"Christ's legacy to man" is the subject that Rev. H. Oberg will present to his congregation next Sunday morning. No preaching in the evening.

Geo. Wann and son Thomas left this evening for Sumpter, where they will work at placer mining this season.

Marriage license has been granted to Fred Ellner and Miss Louise Bronner, both of this county.

Garden seeds in package and bulk at Dennis'. He handles reliable seeds.

(EDITOR ARGUS)—Last week I gave you the location of the Soldiers' Home; if you will permit me, I will give a description of the Home itself. The building is eighty feet long by forty feet wide, with piazzas in front and rear. There are three floors above the basement. The basement is used for engine and laundry in the east end, and dining room and kitchen in the west end. The first floor contains the commandant's office, his family's private rooms, the arsenal, library and club rooms; the second floor contains the adjutant's room, the visitors' reception parlors, the female help's rooms and also quite a number of bed-rooms for the men. The third floor is occupied by two large bedrooms, one containing thirteen and the other sixteen beds. On each floor there are two halls, one running lengthwise, the other crossways of the building. Every room, as well as the hall, is well provided with radiators, and each room and the hall is kept at all hours, both night and day, at the same temperature. Great care is taken as regards to fire. Every floor has enough water in buckets sitting along the hallways to flood the entire building. There are fire-escapes provided, so that the occupants of each floor may escape in case of fire independent of the stairways.

A. H. Garrison.

If you are looking for bargains call at McCormick store in Crandall building on Main street. He carries the entire stock of goods recently purchased from Mr. E. L. Abbott in connection with his stock of sporting goods. His 1901 Imperial bicycles are the best on the market for the money. Repair shop in connection with store.

Cedar Mill—Mr. and Mrs. Marion Butler, who have been in California for ten months, are back at their old home, here, heartily welcome.—We are sorry to learn that Owen Murray, one of our popular citizens, has been ill two months with the "grip."—Wedding bells will soon ring here. Keep your eyes open. This is not surprising, as Cedar Mill has a good selection of rich bachelors and many refined young ladies.—Bernard Westhoff has rented the Dr. McElroy place near the Convent. We wish you success, both ways, Bernard.

If Hillsboro gets the railroad, well and good. But whether it comes or not, H. Wehrung & Sons will do business with you. Their new line of wash goods, ladies' muslin underwear, wrappers and spring dress goods, has arrived.

Mrs. R. Davis, who resides several miles north of this city, is the proud possessor of a candlestick that has been in use over three hundred years. The workmanship is excellent, and compares very favorably with the manufacture of the present day. Mrs. Davis' ancestors brought the light holder from Wales many generations ago. Tinner Lamkin is putting it in shape for three hundred years' more wear.

Schulmerich Bros. have purchased the Bailey brick block and are going to open up a general implement and hardware stock in same about April 1st. Their present quarters are entirely too small for their increasing business.

Henry Shiermann, of Cornelius, had a runaway last Saturday while going home from this city. Just as he was passing the Louis Jose farm near Cornelius the tongue of his wagon came down and his team started on a run. The tongue broke, and although the driver held on for awhile, the team eventually got away. There was no particular damage except the broken tongue and his scattered load.

You can't reap unless you sow. Buy your farm implements from H. Wehrung & Sons. Complete line of wagons, plows, harrows, seeders, buggies, carts and all implements used on a farm. Come and see them and get their prices.

The numerous friends in this county of Mr. and Mrs. John Weiss, a well-to-do couple of Tigardville, will be pleased to learn of the arrival of a son at that household, and that the parents are correspondingly happy. The young man weighs ten pounds and has been christened Joseph Francis Victor. Early next autumn the young gentleman will claim a pair of shoes at Dennis'.

E. L. McCormick has removed his bicycle store to the Crandall block, occupied by E. L. Abbott. Mr. McCormick has merged the two stores and will be pleased to meet his old patrons at his new quarters.

Charles Doughty, who served in the Second Oregon while in the Philippines, has enlisted in the 28th U. S. Regulars, stationed at Vancouver and has been mustered in. It is said that the 28th will soon be sent to Manila and the young man will again see Oriental service.

The fields will soon be dressed in their best. Why not you? Buy your gent's clothing and furnishing goods at H. Wehrung & Sons. Largest stock and finest selections in the county.

M. B. Bump has been appointed to defend Albert Bieland, who is charged with having stolen a cow from a Sherwood party.

Greer's is the place to get your garden seeds.

MARCH, 1901.

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## Where We Are

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can and Civil Wars, is suffering

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