

JACKSONVILLE:
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1878.

The U. S. vs W. C. Griswold

In the above case B. F. Dowell visited Washington last fall for the purpose of getting the evidence, and since he returned to Portland the attorneys for the plaintiff have filed an amended complaint which increases the amount from forty thousand dollars to one hundred and forty-three thousand dollars, being an increase of about one hundred and three thousand dollars. The amended complaint charges fifty-four crimes, and a forfeiture of two thousand dollars for each crime. The total amount claimed is \$43,138 40, and the cost of the action.

The following is a copy of one of the counts. The other fifty-three are similar in many particulars:

Count. Cause a false Affidavit of M. G. Kennedy to be used before the Third Auditor.

That at the time of committing the grievances hereinafter mentioned, W. C. Griswold "was not in the military or naval forces of the United States, or the militia called into to or actually employed in the services of the United States;" and M. G. Kennedy had a fictitious claim against the United States, for Quartermaster and commissary stores, forage and transportation, animals pretended to have been purchased by and hired by C. S. Drew, Quartermaster General of Oregon in 1854, and acting Commissary for Capt. Jesse Walker's company of Oregon volunteers, in 1854, for the use of said volunteers amounting to a large sum of money, to wit: the sum of \$6,993.

That heretofore, to wit: on the 12th day of November, 1873, the W. C. Griswold caused to be used before the Third Auditor of the Treasury of the United States, at Washington, D. C., a false affidavit of M. G. Kennedy, made before J. Thibault, a Notary Public for the city and county of San Francisco, California, dated the 26th day July A. D., 1873, for the purpose of aiding in obtaining payment of the said fictitious claim of M. G. Kennedy from the United States.

That the said affidavit, among other things, states "that the said Kennedy furnished to Q. M. Genl. C. S. Drew bills of Quartermaster and commissary supplies, and animals for transportation purposes for and on account of the volunteers called into service to protect the immigrants on the Southern Oregon Emigrant road in 1854, amounting to over seven thousand dollars."

That the above described affidavit is false in this:

That the said Kennedy did not furnish to Q. M. Genl. C. S. Drew bills of Quartermaster and commissary supplies and animals for transportation purposes for and on account of the volunteers called into service to protect the immigrants on the Southern Oregon Emigrant road in 1854 amounting to something over seven thousand dollars.

That, in fact, the said Kennedy furnished the said Quartermaster and commissary C. S. Drew for and an account of said volunteers four horses, a wagon and a teamster one day for \$24, and all the balance stated in said affidavit is false.

That the said Griswold at the time he caused the last mentioned affidavit to be used before the Auditor well knew the same to be false.

That the said affidavit did aid the said Griswold, assignee of said Kennedy, to obtain payments of a part of said fictitious claim from the United States, to wit: the sum of \$6,636 96.

That by reason of the committing of the acts aforesaid by said defendant the plaintiff has been and is damaged in the sum of \$6,636 96, whereby and by the force of the revised statutes of the United States sections 3,490, 3,491 and 5,438, the defendant forfeited double the last mentioned sum of money, and two thousand dollars, amounting to the total sum of \$15,273 92, to the use in the said statutes specified.

News Summary.

Hon. N. Porter died at Sacramento on the 5th.

Five thousand troops have been sent from Egypt to Turkey.

Senator Butler is opposed to the repeal of the resumption act.

Making Custom House employees wear a uniform is being considered.

Thermometer was 42 deg. below zero at Fort Fairfield, Me. on the 7th.

The Prince of Montenegro has resumed command of the army of Albania.

Evidence accumulates that the war party in England is losing ground.

Sophia has been completely evacuated, and the Russians have taken possession.

It is thought the crisis in England has arrived at that peace is an impossibility.

Lord Roseberry is to marry Hannah, only daughter of Baron de Rothschild, of Paris.

Gen. Young defeated the Turks at Berrov. They losing 1,000 dead, the Russian loss 200.

New York bankers, of course, are passing resolutions against the remonetizing of silver.

Gambetta's organ, call upon the Government to remove Bonapartists from command in the army.

Tilden is said to be working to control New York State for his re-election to the Presidency.

Since the abolition of the death penalty in Maine, there has been but one conviction for murder.

Hayes and Cabinet are considering the advisability of recognizing the Diaz government in Mexico.

Turkey will wait for the meeting of the British Parliament before making overtures of peace to Russia.

If Sharon keeps away and Patterson goes off without paing the Democrats will have a majority of one.

Robert Bonner has recently purchased the celebrated Kentucky, trotting mare, Maud Mac, for \$10,000.

The World thinks the object of the silver bill is an indirect movement towards defeating the resumption act.

The naturalization of Spaniards as Mexican citizens since 1875 has been declared void by a Mexican Spanish treaty.

The New York World's advice to Senator Jones of Nevada is to let this silver question be settled without putting in his ore.

The ice on the Danube will probably be strong enough in a couple of days to permit the Russian troops to cross on it.

Thomas Dixon, late clerk of the the San Francisco police court, is charged with abstracting \$8,000 of the police court moneys.

Henry Underwood, supposed to be the U. P. train robber Tom Nixon, recently arrested in Texas, has been taken to jail at Kearney, Nebraska.

Special Treasury Agent Mudge is of the opinion that the Government is robbed of millions every year by the New York Custom House employees.

After examining the Bayona, Lieut. Wise says a tunnel seven miles long would be necessary in opening the canal across the Isthmus at that point.

Con. Va. and California mines have declared a dividend of \$2 a share and the Grand Prize \$1. Chollar and Potosi have levied assessments of \$3 a share.

The principal resemblance between a man who stops his team on the crosswalk of a crowded street and a half a barrel of flour, is that both make about a hundred wait.

The New York Tribune counts twenty-six senators against the silver bill, and thinks there may be twenty-eight. Twenty-six would prevent it from passing over a veto.

It is reported that Sitting Bull, having been joined by a large force of Sioux, the Nez Perces, and Lone Deer with seventy-five lodges has fled out of Canada and is now on his old stamping grounds, ready to commence a new campaign of blood. One account says he is on the grounds where Gen. Miles fought Chief Joseph, and where the latter surrendered. As nearly all our troops have been withdrawn from that portion of the country, he will have no difficulty in reaching his old haunts.

The President and the Chinese Question.

It is stated that the President intends to send a special message to Congress upon the Chinese question, though probably without proposing any special legislation. If the President does as it is said that he purposes doing, it is probable that the subject will at least secure a dispassionate and serious discussion in Congress. Whether anything will eventually come of the discussion, however, is we think dubious. If the matter was one which at all effected other States than those on the Pacific Coast there would be some hope of earnest action in the premises. But the truth that the evils of Chinese immigration are neither comprehended nor believed in east of the Rocky Mountains, and in fact, in many of the transmontane States there is a decided tendency to believe that the Chinese are rather a good element to have because of their cheapness. Above all, however, there is the impregnable barrier of a great passive indifference to encounter, and when Congress is abrogating an advantageous commercial treaty with a friendly Power for the sake of keeping cheap labor out of the country, it is to be feared that the proposition will enlist very little sympathy, and secure no enthusiasm. Nevertheless it is to be hoped that the President will send in his message. This is, as we have carefully pointed out from the first, an uphill undertaking, and it would be idle to look for final results in a hurry. Patience and perseverance must be applied, and above all the question must be argued with resolution and good temper. At this moment the most formidable obstacle to rational legislation on the subject is the truculent and wicked attitude of the Kearny gang of riotous loafers in San Francisco.—Record Union.

Badly mistaken.

"Tony," of the Standard, is a marvellous prophet. Unfortunately his predictions always lack verification, and his proverbial "I told you so" always vanishes, like the grindstone that the cow didn't swallow, into the thinnest kind of mist. This time Tony told the people that Mitchell had swallowed Jackson county and Bill Bybee had swallowed the SENTINEL. Mr Mitchell certainly has not taxed his stomach to such an extent, and Wm Bybee has neither bought nor intends to buy the SENTINEL. In fact the SENTINEL has not been sold to any one, and the only thing sold has been Tony himself, and that badly. Tell us something more St Anthony, your predictions and assertions, idle as they may be, are amusing if not instructive.

Our State election transpires in June while an election for Congress men will be held in November. The query now is, shall the convention called to nominate the State candidates also nominate the candidate for Congress.

A Chicago printer makes a luxurious living by selling for three cents each, red placards bearing the following words: "The bank is temporarily closed. It is hoped the assets will equal the liabilities."

Should the Bland silver bill pass mints will be established in St. Louis, Cincinnati and Quincy, Illinois, and the old mints at New Orleans and Charlotte, North Carolina, be suspended.

Talmage, the eminent preacher, said on one occasion, I declare in the name of the Almighty God, that no man has a right to be worth one hundred thousand dollars! Too many, without authority etc etc, are assuming to declare things in the name of Almighty God; and as for R. T. Talmage, if he had a hundred thousand dollars in his pocket, it is extremely probable he would believe he had a commission to say different things on this subject.

Specimens.—We were furnished some specimens this week says the Plunderer by Mr. Chase in the Telurium mine, near Canyonville. These specimens contain small amount of large quantities, but whether it is valuable, we are unable to tell, but are informed that it is very rich.

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