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Ward Only a Clerk in the Store and Maving Nothing to De With Handling County Money

Ward of the remainder of a decosit of county own toeunds, amount ng to about \$1200.

Mr. Ward in regard to his shortage with Les firm was owing to him. latsop county since that fact became known, r just prior to the time it became known to

the oublief. Yes str. on can remember? Yes sir.

hat you have had with Mr. Ward in regard \$300 othis matter.

he reason that the state must first show that pose! Yes sit, I suppose will such statements were voluntary, and the The Court-The objection is sustained

Mr. Cleeton-Were the statements he made to you free and voluntary? Certainly. It time? In the banking business. ight. He said that Howell told him that they were that much behind with the county asked him why it occurred and how much the whole, and I considered it a business probably was. He said Howell kept the proposition to taxe all I could get. them on real estate, but could not do it Eventually, I believe, it was done by Mrs.

Didn't he come to you first and want to grow \$1,000. Yes, I believe he did.

And then a day or two afterwards, before he money had been obtained, he came to

Just state what conversation you had with im then in regard to his first asking to \$1,000, and then coming and asking for \$6,000 He said at first \$1,000. Howell told him that He afterwards said the amount had in reased to \$7,'00 or a little over. He said he tid not know, but he supposed he was telling the truth about it now.

When did this conversation occur? It or mrred in June Before the public knew of it generally Yes, sir.

CROSS-EXAMINATION.

inversation, didn't you, on the same subect. Well, what was that?

The Court-The objection is sustained. Mr. Fulton-We will save an exception and call the witness bereafter. That is all.

Men's Viouna wool underwear, now 7s derwear, now \$1.00 each. Men's heavy all wood sweaters, black After recalling Judge Gray and other wife and that we would have to make it op and that

required of him by law, extending back Flavel and the banks. of evidence produced from the files of the

quaintance with the defendant. H. L. Ward,

Taylor, and Mr. Fulton then said: "Call the

Mr. Ward's direct examination was con

amount of county meany, \$17,963.21. Now, I consideration of his release and payment to smy of hir No sir, I have not. That is to my On Howell's acknowledgement and yourgo. Starting from the above basis, the pro-

Have you used any of it for private purposes. statements, The first witness called was ti. Wingste, who lited between \$180 and \$1000. I thick it is about told you. I did not. I took his statement that is to the national cortes. The parthat, somewhere in that neighborhood. The then as all right, but I do not now believe it day he made the assignment I went over there was used in the store. Mr. B. L. Ward, who was formerly county and I spoke to him about our money in there

Have you ever had any conversation with for it: that he would pay it all but the amount

And he told me to come in again and get it paid, about the time the bank was closing, Will you relate that conversation as near as. The next day, I think it was, I went over into you go into? I was in the express or livery the bank and he paid me \$1300 and something: Tell any conversation and all conversations the difference whatever it was, but held out

This Not that they have been talking about. Mr. Fulton-We object to this festimony for The entry in Mr. Case's book. That is you sup-

it ou f I am under the impression that I drew a check for it but I do not remember.

You had deposited that money there

And he told you that he would pay you Being public money he stated he would pay to that effect.

it if we would allow him to retain this. Why did you do it? I thought myself and knowledge? amount, and after he falled I did not know judge as to that, know, but it was so, as Howeli had told him. whether he wou d pay ic cents on the dollar or

Mr. Allen interposed an objection to wit

actually acted as treasurer? Mr. Howell. Wher I did not understand bookkeeping

Mr. Allen-I object to any testimony on be-

The Court-The objection is overruled. Mr. Fulton-Go on, Ben. I did not under stand bookkeeping and knew I was not qualified to keep the books and Mr. Howell did. and I appointed bim as deputy to take charge or the books and do the business,

Now, were you and he associated in busi ness at the time you first went into office? Yes, sir, and up to the beginning of last July. On the 3rd, I think, of July,

Did you have confidence in him? Yes, sir, As to his integrity? I had, I trusted him. Now did you have anything at all to do only book I ever did any writing in, among Mr. Fulton-That was the June before the the treasurer's books, was a register. When and of July? Yes; a couple of weeks before Howell was out I would write in that book

> had misappropriated any of the funds, if you Of what year? The present year,

the office one day and said they had heard of the French duty also helped the ad. of citizenship that are set forth in the Explain to the jury. Howell called me into so be money in the firm belonging to the county

Men'a all wool \$2.75 patr.

Men's double reinforced laundered white

Men's heavy Jersey knil avershirts, now

chirts, 50 cents each

or words to that effect. usiness and he thought it could be paid back. Itid you make any effort to borrow this mor

Now, was that the first time you knew any county clerk's office, Mr. Clecton announced thing about it? Yes sir. Except the Case

> came back I tried to get it in another way. He thought he could get Mrs. Badollet to advance have more than enough to pay the county us

> and can have the property that is over. Well, what did you do: Mrs. Badollet changed her mit d and did not take the store, but she borrowed \$5000 on a lot. On some security she gave to him to put up, I got \$1000 from Mrs. Morrison and I supposed this left a balance of

When did you discover that it was clain to be more? In the first part of July, when you came into the store and spoke to me

Mr. Ward, you are the defendant in this acmortgage here, which you stened, and which plain why did you subscribe to any statepaid into the firm of Howell & Ward.

It is charged here against you that you have Mr. Alien-I object on the ground that the mortgage speaks for itself. When I found out that Howell had

sum you have used of this money. Did you use Why did you subscribe to this statement; executive in that colony. ing around to the banks and getting their ject of the Spanish government contains

What did you do in the store generally? and he said that as it was county money and What was your place? I was clerk, selling that I and my bondsmen would be responsible goods in the store. That was all. That is, it

was my principal business. Where were you brought up, in your boyhood, Ben? On a farm.

Living on a farm here in Clatsop? Yes, After you left the farm what business did business somewhere about two years and 1 sold out and was seiling and buying real esthen I went in with Mr. Howell.

Mr. Weich testified this morning that you eknowledged in my office that day that this noney was used in the firm business. Do you remember hearing that statement? I remember hearing him make that state-

About how the money was used. Well, I don't remember, exactly. I remember Mr. Howell said it was u ed in the store and I

Mr. Allen-I think the jury is the best The Court-The objection is overruled.

Now, I think there are some checks here. I do not know how many, on the bank A I don't remember what proportion of the drawn by you on the bank, as county trensirer, at different times. For what purpose? For the paying of warrants and school or ders and the county appropriations. As a half of the defense that Mr. Howell acted as rule Howell drew them, Mr. Howell drew

> Mr. Futton-That is all, I think, at the present, your honor. If I have overlooked mything, I will recall the witness.

Mr. Ward was subjected to a long and ressing cross-examination by Mr. Cleeton, without developing any new facts or ma terially impairing the force of the statements made by him in the direct examination,

#### DOLLAR WHEAT.

December wheat would go to \$1 was ala bushel above last night's closing price. however, finnity stopped the advance. ports of large export demands at the seaboard and interior points, were fac-

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onial Minister.

Two Houses of Parliament Ministers Responsible to It. .

New York, October 27 .- A dispatch to

Morely v Prendergast, the ne-

The autonomy which the cabinet of represent the mother country, and who 27, 1897, to be investigated. It is a mat-

You, yourselft I did once, when I. W. Case Did you have any knowledge of its being concerns that belong to the colonial parmade an assignment or failed. We had depos- used in the store, further than that Howell, hament and to the imperial parliament tition is founded on a careful discrimina what is of national importance. The project in operation will interpret the most terests," since it will only grant to the colonists complete control of all that retate for about eight months or a year, and limitations beyond those mutually ar-

> ranged With the metropolis to co-ordinate is their respective merchantile and comwill be performed by an insular chamber lors into two similar chambers-that is members of this parisiment shall be said I guess it must be if he says so, or words cleated by the same suffrage system as that which regulates the elections in the peninsula. The same legislative body shall represent Cuba in the imperial parconstituted. The governor-general as the representative of the central power shall whole, but there appear to be checks here zation of the parliament as its govern of responsibility characteristic of every responsible to the colonial parliamen and every enactment of the governor tive power in all that touches the local tions; second, military and naval matters; third, organization of the law courts fourth, those depositions that under the name of patronage really regulate rela-New York, Oct. 27 .- Expectations that

nost realized today as the market in the shall grant to the Cubin people, the use last hour touched 99 cents, about 2 cents of and the protection afforded by the States, necessary business positions tors. Rumors today of a December ma- prevent the colonial parliament from lesnipulation and a possible reduction in sening, closing or to delimitate the rights

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tion Order Rescinded.

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Will Be Left to the Island to Legislate Upon All Business at the Month of the Yukon

Will Be Stopped. Except by the Two Privileged Companies.

Tacoms, Wash., Oct. 27 .- A special to the Ledger from Olympia, Wash., says; Governor Rogers cut from the Tacoma munication to the president

the United States, Washington, D. C.: "Honored Sir-As governor of the state of Washington I have the honor to reen from the Tacome Ledger of October

vent the carrying out of this iniquitous and unjust policy?

"I am, my dear sir, yours sincerely, "J. R. ROGERS, Governor,"

was held today to enter a profest upon their customs tariff without any also telegraphed to Senator Wilson and to S. A. Perkins, private secretary of

Senator Hanna: and give a monopoly to two companies now located there."

PORTO RICO'S DEMAND.

New York, October 27 .- A dispatch to the Herald from San Juan, Porto Rico,

seued a manifesto in which they demand

DEPOSIT FOR THE SALE.

New York, October 27 .- In anticipation of the sale of the Union Pacific under foreclosure, a check for \$6,000,000 was deposited today for the reorganization committee with Special Master Cornish. The check repersents ten per cent of th sum to be paid for the road.

