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RICHLAND COUNTY.

The Details of the Wealth and Importance of the several Townships of this County, as gathered by the Assessor and arranged by Auditor Stauff. Shows the Total Valuation for 1883 and 1884; the Gain or Loss and where, and Net Gain in County.

Townships.	REAL ESTATE.				PERSONAL PROPERTY.											Total Valuation of Townships.	School Poll.	Road Poll.							
	Valuation.	Acres.	Value.	Total.	Horses.	Mules & Asses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Carrriages, Etc.	Merchandise.	Stocks & Bonds.	Real Estate.	Personal Property.											
Magle	21,040 00	85,033	85,033	238	16,442	18	980	832	9,280	143	1,031	117	330	91,701	2,200	13,846	44,428	118	156	00					
Norway	10,235	26,176	19,980	102,435	66,110	404	20,270	7	408	733	11,368	101	121	427	127	321	9,345	7,000	14,108	65,771	165	208	50		
Collax	8,380	27,450	69,516	77,009	5,700	164	9,740	8	560	306	5,494	45	88	81	159	908	223	2,711	25,630	101,380	77	108	50		
Sheyenne	6,148	16,950	135,039	135,039	271	16,950	13	715	693	12,286	188	405	244	750	1,800	100	9,428	45,067	227,000	118	175	50			
West End	58,864	100,200	160,800	160,800	42	2,200	1	100	200	4,115	42	102	7	35	385	993	7,008	66,842	20	78	50				
Oranton	54,008	77	118,115	118,115	40	2,905	20	2,720	86	1,858	1	17	48	5,124	100	100	12,337	19,729	22	81	50				
Abercrombie	27,707	87	97,609	97,609	500	248	15,330	41	2,375	429	6,120	85	173	120	363	1,830	125	8,385	35,219	132,828	110	160	50		
Dwight	4,105	40,908	134,441	134,441	1,000	327	21,560	108	7,970	449	8,015	44	120	173	615	20,095	300	4,703	70,883	250,921	93	138	50		
Moore	45,917	90	304,300	304,300	1,350	398	28,265	205	10,310	857	5,863	30	73	175	515	8,653	1,715	22,836	81,776	286,066	71	115	50		
Danton	39,270	100	152,833	152,833	107	6,805	10	673	151	2,353	1	17	15	178	165	1,120	900	4,508	16,338	169,221	53	73	50		
Dexter	400	31,188	47	129,303	2,150	100	6,000	12	700	175	5,610	18	100	18	300	200	890	5,810	17,500	148,155	67	73	50		
Belford	38,068	91	100,187	100,187	226	11,514	59	3,570	350	5,610	53	130	157	363	2,815	1,086	7,944	22,150	132,327	80	121	00			
Berlin	14,850	23	48,743	48,743	240	13,170	9	130	309	4,468	61	122	210	440	950	100	7,397	20,707	15,449	77	100	50			
Pleasant Valley	25,048	83	87,787	87,787	278	14,470	14	708	277	4,261	11	27	176	264	1,510	100	5,332	26,703	115,520	82	117	00			
Fairmount	8,408	64	30,979	30,979	139	3,300	21	1,355	110	2,305	51	92	60	161	1,063	100	6,800	20,418	60,307	62	78	00			
De Villo	10,738	63	65,845	65,845	108	9,825	21	1,150	123	2,274	1	2	78	217	1,310	100	7,100	21,012	87,157	56	84	00			
Brighwood	19,028	25	56,310	56,310	409	4,002	6	350	169	3,460	21	42	84	87	347	100	1,503	10,026	60,330	32	48	00			
Park	23,216	34	88,540	88,540	119	5,628	12	550	227	3,490	4	10	78	175	522	100	3,853	14,048	102,388	48	72	00			
Wahpeton	285,276	100	285,276	285,276	146	7,610	64	1,288	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100		
Total, 1884	308,868	546,068	73,008,027	2,996,803	84,732	3814	220,147	507	44,824	2738	94,809	628	1,200	1976	5,319	20,492	23,286	5,468	21,618	129,958	682,764	5,049,050	1080	2190	50
Total, 1883	211,645	498,611	42,183,562	2,072,304	30,103	2851	173,467	451	30,965	3626	99,615	773	1,730	2284	3,782	19,469	3,330	38,000	140,220	500,901	2,638,232	1213	1304	00	
Gain	97,223	49,447	31,224,465	824,499	54,629	963	46,710	116	13,859	2107	189	189	741	1,587	30,863	3,824	2,138	10,000	10,000	91,773	307	885	50		
Loss																									
Net Gain																									

The above table proved so interesting when published last week, that several parties called for copies of the paper, and we being unable to supply them have decided to republish the same. The table shows the assessed valuation of the county, where the property is located, what it consists of and the gain or loss in 1884 over 1883. It will be seen that the total valuation of the county the present year is \$3,049,659, a gain of \$411,334 over last year; and yet the average assessment is considerably lower than last year, all the way from one to two dollars per acre. And in the matter of cattle it will be seen that although there was a gain of more than 2000 head, the assessors lose over \$4,000 on that item alone. In sheep there is a gain of 189 head and the assessors lose \$445. In the matter of stocks Wahpeton alone has lost \$16,382 worth. "All other property valuation" in Wahpeton alone, loses \$10,993; and yet on the whole, the county in 1884 makes a handsome showing over 1883.

Stray Brick.
Fergus Journal, 1: Mr. Jay Henry Long, who has been employed on the Journal for two years and more, has accepted a situation as editor of the Telegram of this city, and we believe commences work on that paper to-morrow. Mr. Long is a valuable newspaper man, is chock full of energy, and ability to make a good newspaper. Our relation with him have been pleasant, and he leaves us with the kindest of mutual feelings. With Harry Wheelock on the Journal staff, there could be few turns in the wheel of fortune more unexpected than that Jay Henry should be the editor of the Telegram. But this world is full of surprises and they are not all ended yet.

Adelacywood on the G. A. R. and Gen. Logan: "Some jackass of an editor with ears big enough for awnings has said 'the Grand Army of the Republic will engineer Gen. Logan's campaign for the vice presidency.' To think I, a world like to say the Grand Army of the Republic will do no such thing. It will neither engineer Mr. Logan's or any other man's political campaign. The G. A. R. has no more to do with politics than the devil has to with greasing the hinges of the golden gates of the New Jerusalem. Those men who are continually holding up the G. A. R. as a political organization either know nothing about it or willfully lie about it; either of which is inexcusable and reprehensible in a man of common sense. All shades of politics are represented in the G. A. R. and they are bound together by a stronger tie than any political party or religious sect could give them."

Winnipeg Special: W. B. McBride of Chicago, who arrived here from a trip to the Rocky Mountains, brings word that a man named William Owens, a California miner, was found by some railway navies near Kicking Horse river a few days ago in a famished and partly deranged state. Owens said he started June 13, with Joseph Williamson, from Kamloops on a prospecting tour, expecting to strike the Columbia river, but their supply of provisions had given out. They traveled for six days and a half without food, when Williamson laid down and died. Owens then cut strips of flesh from his dead companion's legs, which he ate sparingly and proceeded on his tramp. He

had been living six days on human flesh when found and still had a quantity of the dried flesh in an old handkerchief. He was very weak and emaciated, and told the story with difficulty. He repeated the horrible details on several occasions, and all who heard him are convinced that the story is true. He had a large roll of bills with him. The police have taken the matter in hand and will investigate it.

"Jim Blaine has a right by his training, education, experience and position in his party to aspire to the presidency; but this man Cleveland is a machine made; he never tried a case in the court of appeals in his own country; can't name all the foreign countries with which we have diplomatic intercourse, and if he went to Washington couldn't find the white house door or the treasury department without a guide—Benj. F. Butler."

The Governor at Bismarck.
Governor Pierce and family arrived at Bismarck last week and was met by a very large concourse of people, who gave the distinguished party a most royal reception, and address by Judge Francis, when the Governor responded as follows:
My Fellow-Citizens—I am almost painfully embarrassed on this occasion. It is simply impossible for me to respond in fitting terms to the address of welcome which has been so eloquently delivered. I of course can well imagine that this is not a compliment to me personally. I would be very vain to so construe it. As I said at Fargo last evening, I hope I may assume that this demonstration is an evidence of your good wishes and good will toward the temporary governor of Dakota, the continuance of which must rest on his future good behavior. I have met this same kindness in three different sections of Dakota. I received it in the extreme southern portion of the territory. I received it again for the last two days on the line of the northern Pacific and it seems to me that the people all over this territory are about the same, with the same hopes, the same desires and the same purposes. It has been said of Dakota that her soil needs only to be tickled with the plow to laugh with abundance. It seems to me that the people of Dakota need only to be stirred by fairness to bond with generosity and hospitality. I can see no reason in the world why the people of Dakota north and south, east and west, should not be united on everything—united even on division, if in the future it should seem politic. I look forward a few years, and I see young men and boys of the territory; some of whom may be before me now, future governors, senators and representatives in congress, or judges of two, three or four proud states carved out of this grand territory. I see them rising up great in commerce, great in science, great in art and great in mighty deeds accomplished. How infinitely small then will appear the petty dissensions and bickerings of to-day, of what little importance will we be when if we do not go forward now in united effort to promote prosperity and the best interests of the great territory. I hope my friends that I have not said too much on this occasion. We have a habit down where I came from of appreciating very short speeches. I can simply say to you that I have come here to reside and expect and hope to meet you all again in a social way. I thank you for this surprising demonstration, for I must say that I am surprised. Again I thank you and bid you good night.

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FARM MACHINERY, BUGGIES AND WAGONS,
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DEALERS IN
Lumber, Sash, Doors,
1 Building Paper, Etc., Etc., Etc.,
At Wahpeton and Wyndmere, Dak.

W H H PEIRCE,
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Wahpeton, - - - Dakota.

M. KOBETICH & CO.,
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FASHIONABLE TAILORS
20 Shop over John Nelson's store. Keep Constantly on Hand the
Finest Domestic & Imported Clothes.
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TAKE NOTICE!
On account of the merchant tailors of town charging such exorbitant Prices for Goods,
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Have ordered and received a Full Line of Custom Made Clothing, which they are willing to SELL at 50 PER CENT. LESS than merchant tailors' prices, and Guarantee Satisfaction in Fit and Goods every time. They also keep a Complete Assortment of
CHILDREN and BOYS CLOTHING, TRUNKS and VALISES HATS and CAPS, BOOTS and SHOES.
All at Bottom Prices! Come and Inspect!

Peoples' One-Price Clothing House,
20 Dakota Avenue, Opposite Merchants Hotel.
Wahpeton, - - - Dakota.
Notice.
Peter Hanson called at THE TIMES office Monday and paid for the notice advertising a check for \$25 picked up on the street by J. P. Marlow last week, and stated that he at the same time lost three other checks as follows: One given by N. P. railroad company to James Leaky for \$44.26 one by B. T. M. & M. road to Pat Kennedy for \$61.00, and a New York draft in favor of W. L. Pitkin for \$35.00. Mr. Hanson has stopped payment on them, but would be obliged to the finder to leave them with him or at this office or notify him where he can obtain them. They were all lost, it is thought, in the vicinity of Marlow & Schlechter's meat market, near where he first was found.
R. N. Ink, in Howry's new block, has money to loan.

W. B. PARSONS,
GOVERNOR-AT-LAW,
Notary Public, Exam. and Insurance Agent,
C. O. Fryer, Dept. Dist. Ct.,
Wahpeton, Dakota.

McMURDER & BOGART,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW,
Special Attention Given to Collections,
Wahpeton, Dakota.

R. N. INK,
NOTARY PUBLIC,
Real Estate and Loans, Office in Howry's
Wahpeton, DAKOTA.

L. B. EVERDELL,
Attorney at Law,
Office opposite the Minnesota House,
14 Brocktonidge, Minn.

Ezra C. Valentine,
Attorney at Law,
Real Estate Exchanged and Money to Loan,
Office in Court House, Brocktonidge, Minn.

Geo. D. Swaine, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
Dakota.
Specialties of Women a Specialty. Office on Dakota Avenue.

G. W. ARBUCKLE, M. D.,
HOMOEOPATHIC PRACTICER AND SURGEON,
Specialties of Women a Specialty, also the Eye and Ear,
Wahpeton, Minn., promptly responded to.
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HENRY C. RENO,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Wahpeton, D. T.
Office over Howry's Bee Hive Store. Residence, Dr. Hatten's house, Third Street. W6

G. BARKOW, M. D.,
Physician and Surgeon,
Office over Martin Schott's store,
WAHPETON, DAKOTA.

H. B. ORANDALL,
Real Estate Agent, Notary Public and Collector,
Farms and Town Lots for Sale.
CULFAX - Richland County, - DAKOTA

GEO M HANLY,
SURGEON DENTIST
Office with Dr. Geo. B. Swaine, over Peirce's Hardware Store, Wahpeton, D. T.

ANTON GILLES
BOOT AND SHOE MAKER
Shop on Dakota Avenue, opposite N. Schott's shop. All kinds of repairing promptly attended to.

Joseph C. Henvis,
Real Estate Office
GRAND VIEW FARM, D. T.
Partly located on government land. Money to Loan and Final Proofs Made. June 9

RESTAURANT & BAKERY,
ELI VACHON, Propr.
Opposite Opera House. Feb. 27/87

JOHN M. RUGGLES,
WAHPETON, DAKOTA,
REGISTER OF DEEDS.
Titles to lands investigated, and correct abstracts furnished. Taxes paid for non-residents. Collections made, and promptly remitted. Lands bought and sold.
I will see that the tax is cancelled on the treasurer's records, and the proper amount of tax collected. My charges are \$1.00 for each receipt.

MARLOW & SCHLECHTER
Proprietors of
EXCELSIOR MEAT MARKET.
Dealers in all kinds of fresh and salt meats, hams, bacon, and sausage constantly on hand. Cash paid for fat cattle, hogs and furs. Meat delivered to any part of Wahpeton and Brocktonidge, D. T. of charge.

Commercial Hotel
WAHPETON, DAKOTA.
Good Accommodation Guaranteed to the transient Public.
MICHAEL SCHMITT,
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IN CHATELAIN AND REAL ESTATE.
Funds always on hand for Chattel Loans
Varn Laska City Property bought and sold.

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One Block from St. P. M. & M. depot.

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his permanently located in Wahpeton, and is prepared to do a general dentistry business.

The Northwestern Chronicle is the organ of the Rt. Rev. John Ireland, Catholic bishop of St. Paul. It advises Irishmen to "vote as they please; not vote en masse for one ticket, as it says they have in the past in too many cases; and to assume an independent position in politics."

Indianapolis, 14.—On the 8th inst. the Sentinel of this city contained an editorial charging that Blaine had seduced his present wife in Kentucky and then fled to Maine where the young woman and her father followed him and he married her at the point of a gun. This having reached Mr. Blaine he telegraphed Col. Holloway of the Times that the statement was false and infamous in every particular. "Political slander," he says, "has no attention to, but this attacking the honor of his wife and children cannot be submitted to." Holloway was asked to secure the services of a lawyer at once and bring suit against the responsible publisher of the Sentinel in the United States court. Col. Holloway placed the matter in the hands of Senator Harrison's law firm and papers are now in the course of preparation in accordance with Blaine's desire.

W. P. Shappel, the well known trader of Clitheral, was in the city this morning and brought particulars of a distressing accident that befel H. G. Spitten, a farmer of Nidaros, Saturday. Spitten was cutting wheat with a self binder when his horses became restive, ran away and in his attempt to stop them he was thrown directly in front of the sickle, the knives cutting and lacerating his right leg in a horrible way. He managed to roll out of the way and help came. The injured man was removed to his house, fortunately near by, and Dr. Nye, of Clitheral was sent for, who amputated the limb above the knee. The calf of the man's leg was actually hacked to pieces. He is resting comfortably now with every prospect of a speedy recovery. Spitten is 42 years of age and has a wife and family. The horses and machine were stopped in the brush, neither having sustained any injury.

St. Louis, Aug. 7.—A dispatch from Freedomia, Tex., says: A desperate fight occurred 10 miles north of this place Monday evening, in which one man was killed and three mortally wounded. Samuel Faulkner and Henry Allen met the two Woodall brothers on the road and attacked them with Winchester rifles. The party dismounted and fought from behind their horses. Nearly twenty shots were exchanged. Allen was shot through the heart in about the fifth round and killed. One of the Woodalls was shot in the shoulder and neck and disabled. The other Woodall and Faulkner closed with bowie knives and a fearful combat ensued, in which Woodall was stabbed just below the heart. Faulkner then turned to look after his dead companion Allen, and as he did so received a bullet in his breast from the pistol of the older Woodhall, who was lying on the ground with his neck and shoulder split open with a Winchester. Faulkner will probably recover. Both the Woodalls will die.

Helena, 9.—Mongre particulars have been received of another slaughter of horse thieves in the Muscleshell region, 150 miles north-east of here, last week by cowboys. While in pursuit of stolen horses a log house was discovered in the timber on a mountain side. It was secretly watched a day or two, during which time several parties of men came and went, some by day and others by night having in their possession horses, evidently stolen. It became evident that it was the horse thieves' rendezvous the cowboys congregated, and last Monday night, crawled up close to the house and attacked fourteen horse thieves about the premises at the time. Nine were killed and five escaped. The cabin was set on fire and burned. No particulars have yet been received of the flight of Grayville Stuart's cowboys with a band of thieves at the mouth of the Muscleshell, though the fight must have occurred several days ago. The locality is over 200 miles from Helena, with no telegraph communication. There never was a period in this or any other territory where so much horse thieving was going on. The citizens are determined to stop it. Fully fifty have been hanged or shot in the past month.

Wahpeton, Dakota.
First Class in every Respect
Good Bars to Concomitance with the House.
THIRD STREET, WAHPETON, DAKOTA.

Train Schedule

Train	Time	Destination
1	7:00 a.m.	Wahpeton
2	7:30 a.m.	Wahpeton
3	8:00 a.m.	Wahpeton
4	8:30 a.m.	Wahpeton
5	9:00 a.m.	Wahpeton
6	9:30 a.m.	Wahpeton
7	10:00 a.m.	Wahpeton
8	10:30 a.m.	Wahpeton
9	11:00 a.m.	Wahpeton
10	11:30 a.m.	Wahpeton
11	12:00 p.m.	Wahpeton
12	12:30 p.m.	Wahpeton
13	1:00 p.m.	Wahpeton
14	1:30 p.m.	Wahpeton
15	2:00 p.m.	Wahpeton
16	2:30 p.m.	Wahpeton
17	3:00 p.m.	Wahpeton
18	3:30 p.m.	Wahpeton
19	4:00 p.m.	Wahpeton
20	4:30 p.m.	Wahpeton
21	5:00 p.m.	Wahpeton
22	5:30 p.m.	Wahpeton
23	6:00 p.m.	Wahpeton
24	6:30 p.m.	Wahpeton
25	7:00 p.m.	Wahpeton
26	7:30 p.m.	Wahpeton
27	8:00 p.m.	Wahpeton
28	8:30 p.m.	Wahpeton
29	9:00 p.m.	Wahpeton
30	9:30 p.m.	Wahpeton
31	10:00 p.m.	Wahpeton
32	10:30 p.m.	Wahpeton
33	11:00 p.m.	Wahpeton
34	11:30 p.m.	Wahpeton

Train Schedule

Train	Time	Destination
1	7:00 a.m.	