

Testimony of Martin V. B. Chase.

By Mr. Baker.

Ques. Is this paper the original written report made to the
Gov. and council on the hospital treasury matter.

Ans. Yes sir.

Ques. Your name appears on the original report; by whom
do you say that was made. Ans. It does appear,
written by Fred A. Dave of Portland.

Ques. You think Mr. Dave was the chairman of the
committee. Ans. Locally we had no chairman; Mr. Dave
was not on the hospital committee, but circumstances
were such that he took part. He wrote the report,
and signed his own name.

Ques. Then the name of E. A. Thompson appears, whose
writing is that. Ans. I should say it was Dr. Thompson's.

Ques. Then follows your name on the report. Ans. Yes sir.

Ques. Do you think Mr. Dave would have written that
without your authority. Ans. I have a letter from him
explaining that matter.

Ques. repeated. Ans. Mr. Dave would not sign my name
to a report unless he thought it was all right; if he
did he would be very likely to do it.

Ques. The committee had discussed the matter and