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Special to THE CHRONICLE.]
New York, Jan. 18.—A representative of the Slaven Dredging company, in speaking of the dispatches concerning the connection of the firm with the Panama canal company, has this to say: "We received not \$15,000,000 but \$20,000,000 for our work on the canal, and we did the work we contracted to do for it, and did it well. Our relations with the Panama canal company are as open as the day. We have nothing to conceal. All such talk is absurd. I never heard of any suit being brought against the company or any member of the company, such as that spoken of in the dispatch. It is strange that it could take place without my knowledge. "There are no revelations which can be made concerning our connection with the canal company." continued the representative. "We simply had a contract to do so much work for so much money. We did it and got our money. We made money on the contract because we were able, with our approved appliances, to do the work cheaper in fact than we thought we could ourselves. There is no sensation in the Slaven end of the canal scheme. It was a simple business transaction from beginning to end: no sentiment, no bribery, no corruption; just hard work well done and paid for according to contract."

Up The Columbia.
SPOKANE, Jan. 18.—(Special)—A gentleman well acquainted with Capt. Griggs of the steamer City of Ellensburg, on the Columbia, stated yesterday that he had inside information to the effect that it is President Hill's determination to build a branch line up the Columbia river to control the Big Bend grain trade and the Okanogan mining and cattle shipments. As to which side of the river the line will be built upon, the gentleman could not state. Neither could he give with positiveness the terminus, but it will be either at or opposite Virginia Bill's place, Port Columbia, Bridgeport or Swansea, but whether that would cut any figure with the railroad or not is unknown. Pending the construction of the branch line the City of Ellensburg will bring the business down the river to the Great Northern at Wenatchee, and after the Columbia river bridge is built the Thomas L. Nixon, now used as a transfer boat will be put into that trade.

COUNTY EXHIBIT.

Official Report of the Proceedings of Wasco County

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES

Of claims allowed and ordered paid by the County Court of Wasco county for which the salary and fees are not provided for by law. In accordance with an act entitled "An act to authorize the publication in county newspapers of the proceedings of the county courts, and fix compensation therefor." Approved Feb. 21, 1891.

E Jacobsen & Co, record book for the assessor	\$ 1 50
The Dalles Mercantile Company, supplies for pauper	5 00
Mays & Crowe, giant powder for road district No 6	14 00
Same for supplies for road district No 18	11 00
Same for supplies for road district No 18 (Dethman)	11 50
Geo T Thompson, supplies for road district No 25	1 50
Snipes & Kinerly, matches for the Court house	1 00
Blakeley & Houghton, medicine for pauper	4 25
H Herbring, valise for pauper	1 50
Blakeley & Houghton, supplies for jail, etc.	9 90
W A Kirby, supplies for pauper	5 00
Dalles Publishing Company, supplies for county clerk	1 50
A M Williams & Co, supplies for pauper	5 10
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Geo T Thompson, iron work for the Mt Hood bridge	22 45
E Jacobsen & Co, supplies for the county	10 00
Mrs H Fraser, meals for jurors	27 00

Hood River Glacier, advertising	4 00
J H Middleton, rent of room for election	5 00
Hugh Logan, M D, expert at a coroner's inquest	5 00
Hugh Logan, M D, for medical assistance	16 50
N Harris, supplies for paupers	11 00
Oregon Lumber Co, lumber for road district No 3	12 00
S M Baldwin, room rent for election purposes	2 50
Dalles water works, water for November and December	10 00
Martin Wing, lumber for road district No 34	6 62
Umatilla house, lodging jury	39 00
Joles Bros, supplies for pauper	5 00
Maier & Benton, sundry miscellaneous accounts	32 15
G C Eshelman, medical attendance, paupers	20 00
E F Sharp, team hauling stores	2 00
John Parker, lumber road district No 3	24 74
M V Rand, use of team	3 00
Ward & Sons, lumber for road district No 14	21 17
Same, lumber for road district No 14	14 76
Same, lumber for road district No 14	50 40
Harbison Bros, supplies for road district No 5	2 08
T T Nichols, for board of paupers	7 50
W E Garretson, for care of clock	24 00
I C Nickelsen, supplies	4 00
Glass & Frudhomme, supplies for county clerk	75 00
Dalles restaurant, meals for jurors	29 45
Burnham & Robertson, team for the grand jury	6 00
Chrisman & Corson, supplies for pauper	5 00
A M Williams & Co, soap for the Court house	1 25
A M Williams & Co, supplies for pauper	2 10
C E Haight, meals for jurors	16 00
B E Tucker, lumber for the Tucker bridge	70 50
Baldwin restaurant, meals for jurors	40 50
P Limmeroth, trimming trees in Court house yard	4 00
W W Pattison, use of building for election	4 00
H Logan, M D, medical service	9 00
T Wilhelm, use of building for election purposes	3 00

CERTIFICATE.
State of Oregon, County of Wasco, ss.
I, J. B. Crossen, county clerk of Wasco county, Or., do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full and complete list of the claims allowed and ordered paid, by the county court of the above named county at the January term, 1893, the amounts of which are not provided for by the statute.
Witness my hand and seal this 17th [L. S.] day of January, A. D. 1893.
J. B. CROSSEN, County Clerk.

Meets With Favor.
Waterville Democrat. The plan of taxing inheritances is one which meets with much favor nowadays. Starting with the proposition, which is believed to be a sound one, that the right to transmit property from one generation to another is not natural, but subject to the control and permission of the state, the advocates of the plan point out that it has stood the test of actual experience in other countries, and has been found to work very well. What particularly commends it to public favor, however, is the certainty with which it can be collected. When a man dies his estate is subject to the inheritance tax before it can be settled. Small estates are exempt, but large ones must pay the tax in the same way as other claims are paid. There is much merit in the idea.

Roasted to Death.
KEOKUK, Ia., Jan. 17.—The first section of the California limited on the Santa Fe was derailed five miles east of Dedill, Mo., this morning. The dining car rolled down the embankment, caught fire and was burned. William Ross, a colored waiter was roasted alive. Six or eight were seriously injured. A broken rail caused the wreck.

DEATH ON THE TRAIN.

A Terrible Ride in Burning Cars Where Death was Inevitable.

SOME ESCAPED THROUGH WINDOWS

Ex-President Hayes in a Critical Condition at his Home.

A LEAGUE FOR GOOD ROADS MEET

Mrs. Barnaby's Bottle Murder Case in Denver—Dr. Graves May Yet Escape the Penalty.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 17.—A remarkable accident occurred this morning on a railway line between Slatousk and Samara. A train loaded with recruits was going at full speed when the forward car took fire. For some reason the engineer did not stop and the entire train was soon in flames. As many of the recruits as could jump from the car windows. Some landed in deep snow banks and escaped injury; others struck the ground and were killed. Many were fearfully burned before jumping. Numbers were burned to death in the cars, which were entirely consumed. When the roll was called it was found that forty-nine were dead and twenty terribly burned or otherwise terribly injured. An investigation will be held to determine the cause of the fire, but it is supposed that the soldiers, skylarking in the front car, upset the stove.

Condition of Ex-President Hayes.
FREMONT, O., Jan. 17.—The condition of ex-President Hayes at ten this morning is the same as last night. Dr. Hilbish, attending physician, spent all last night at the bedside of the stricken ex-president. The Hayes mansion is kept perfectly quiet. The general's son, Rutherford said this morning that his father's condition was about the same as last night. Many messages of condolence are being received, and the illness everywhere is the subject uppermost in this city. [His death is elsewhere reported.]

Great Criminal Trial in Rome.
ROME, Jan. 17.—The great trial of the Mala Tita criminals began yesterday in tarranto. The 102 prisoners were brought heavily ironed into the courtroom, which was crowded with witnesses. As the Taranto courthouse is too small to accommodate the witnesses and prisoners, the church of St. Giovanni will be used during the trial as a criminal court.

Entire Ships Crew go Down.
PARIS, Jan. 17.—The French steamship St. Marie, from Marseilles to Havre ran down an Italian bark off Villafrauca Monday, during a heavy sleet storm. The bark went down with all her crew of 13 men.

Dr. Graves Granted a New Trial.
DENVER, Jan. 17.—The supreme court has granted a new trial to Dr. Thatcher Graves, convicted of the murder of Mrs. Josephine Barnaby, of Province, R. I. The states attorney, who secured the conviction, says the case will never be tried again, and Graves will be released.

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