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County Commissioners' Court. Following is the list of bills allowed at C C Hobart, remittance taxes \$ 6 30 R F Hardwick, labor on county Mabel G Mack, clerical services A M Kelsay, salary Simeon Bulton, deputy clerk Robt Kelley, deputy sheriff J Fitzgerald, janitor C L Phillips, treasurer C L Gilbert, school supt M M Cashing, keeping county Wm Jordan, rebate on tax James L Langille, rebate on tax Erwin-Hodson Company, records, \$225.55; allowed

Meston & Dygart, records Giass & Prudnomme, records \$43. allowed George D. Barnhard & Co. records \$22, allowed. 12 00 Ward & Robertson, use of team V Winchell, viewing road. C J Hayes, services deputy as-

W H Whipple, assessor salary Dalles City Water Works, water E Jacobsen, mdse sheriff 5 70 Mary S Myer, clerical services 4 00 C L Gilbert, school supt. J F Haworth, supplies sheriff J H Aldrich, coroner's fees. Timothy Miller, coroner's juror W E Hergaton, do TB Hodson, J F Atwell do R Schmidt. do John Treno. do do Dr Candiana, medical examiner A Frank, digging grave B Glazier, burying pauper A M Barrett, coffin pauper Ed Sweetland, witness coroner. Wm Frizzell, team hire Frank Hall, do do Mrs Davis, board pauper \$21, al-10.50 Pease & Mays, supplies pauper Sinnott & Fish, lodging pauper Crandall & Burgett, burial pau-

A Dietrick, medical services . J H Cross, supplies pauper Quen Tai Co, washing for jail J H Cross, washing machine M E Hitchcock, room rent pau-Mays & Crowe, sundries 130 77 Geo H Riddell, road supervisor \$25, allowed . Geo M Wishart, road supervisor.

F LaPier, assistance for pauper F W L Skibbe, board pauper.

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J B Goit, surveying

64 50 A Washington Scandal. Startling sequel of a United States senator's unholy alliance comes from Washington, a story about which some is one of those stories that have to be told without names, although they could be given. It would bring too much trouble upon innocent people. Twenty years ago a United States senator had a mistress in the pension department. When a daughter came, the senator paid a young man of respectable family a handsome sum to marry the mother of the child. They removed, and the sen- broke down 'thout noth'n to live on 'at ator, failing of re-election, also left Washington. The young man prospered and became wealthy. The daughter is now visiting influential friends in Washington. A son of the senator, who is there in official life, met the young lady, that,"-N. V. Sun. proposed marriage and was accepted. The parents, to the astonishment of the young people, strenuously objected: the mother of the young lady went at once to the city, and it is announced that she and the daughter will sail for Europe. The young man yows he will follow. The few who know the facts are wondering

them know they are brother and sister.

Stockholders' Meeting. Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of The Dalles Chronicle Publishing Company will be held at the county court rooms on Tuesday, the 25th day of May, A. D., 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of adopting suplimentary articles of incorporation, increasing the capital stock of said company and transacting such other business as may come before said meeting. By order of the Board of Directors. The Dalles, Oregon, April 9, 1897.

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GEORGIA'S GOLD GLEANER.

An Old Woman Who Hunts for the Precious Metal.

Report Says She Has a Rich Hoard as the Result of Many Years of Hard Work and Frugnt Living.

Mary Odom, gold hunter, lives in a littic cabin on the mountain side, about a mile from Auraria, the ancient mining town of north Georgia, whose best days were those prior to the discovery of gold in California in 1849. The cabin was built by a miner named Odom, and when the excitement in California began he bade his wife and daughter Mary, then a girl 12 years old, farewell, and tarted west. His family never heard from him again.

His wife managed to support herself. and, having some knowledge of gold 100 00 mining, taught Mary how to wash the galoen grains from the sand in the beds of the mountain streams. The two were quite successful and guthered a great deal of gold dust. When Mary was 16 years old her mother died. That was in 52, and the United States mint was ill in operation at Dahlonega. Mary soon grew expert in finding gold, and many a pennyweight did she carry to he mint. Having disposed of it, she ereted, invariably, half her profits in the cable at the mouth of the gulch above Auraria.

> The war came on and the mint was roken up and for four years Mary Glam had a hard time of it. The conederate government needed all the money it could get and the tithe gatherers made frequent visits to her cabin a search of gold; but she was able to see her hoard hidden. After the war matters settled down a little, and when she was assured of the protection of the civil authorities she went about her work boldly and devoted all the time that she could spare from the cultivation of her little patch of cleared land o the business of gold hunting. The richest deposits had been worked over able as they had been when she first be gan to wash gold in the mountain atreams. She lived very frugally and raised her own crops of corn, cabbage and potatoes, and spun and wove her own clothing. She has niways kept up the habit of putting aside half her findings whether they were large or small Sometimes her washings would not amount to much during the week, but f the secured only 50 cents slie would but aside a quarter and spend the rest. piecing out her wants by going into debt. She is now in her sixty-first year, and she has boarded away a sock filled with gold dust, which she has shown to come of her most trusted friends, and worth several thousand dollars. Still she keeps at work, and on any fair day, when not busy about her cabin, she may be seen tramping over the hills in search of gold. She will tuck up her homespun skirt and stand knee-deep in the chill waters of the mountain EAST SECOND STREET. streams all day long washing the sand and gathering up the shining particles. "It ain't so easy as it wer' 40 year

her fron-gray locks from her forehead. "but I kin make a purty good Byin out'n it vit. I've seed the day when I ights a week, but I hardly everstrike ch a streak as that nowadays. I spected pap to come home old an' po' fur conre a'ter he lef' for California, but I done gin up all hopes now. I seed so many o' them po' of fellers come back

I thought I'd save up part of all I foun' is to he'p 'im out wien he come back. that's how I come to save up my ittle tille. The Lord knows hit's little nough, in spite o' what folks says bout my bein' a rich 'oman an' all sich as

AN ILLINOIS CAVE.

Remarkable Find Near the Town of Red Bud.

Preparations are being made to explore a cave which was recently found by some hunters, who accidentally disovered it while chasing a wounded ildeat. The cave is situated in the reif they can be separated without letting tions known as the "sink holes," eight miles west of Red Bud, Ill. The entrance is about seven feet in diameter, but after entering the size varies, it being 20 to 25 feet to the ceiling in some places. The ceiling is studded with arge stalagmites. Large rocks project from the sides of the cave and are covered with innumerable white points, which by a dim light resemble stars. The width does not vary so much, as it is about 16 feet wide at all points.

In the center of this cave flows a stream of clear water, which contains numerous small, eyeless fish. A number of them were caught and placed on exhibition here, but they lived only a few days. The depth of the stream is from 20 to 30 feet. About two miles tream of clear water, which contains

ing about 100 feet from its surface. Recently an exploring party had a small boat made and attempted to cross this lake, but after going nearly half a mile from shore decided to return. There are a great many erevices in the rocks, and it was in some of these that the skeletons of wild animals were found, supposed to be those of the wolf. Snakes of all kinds make this cave their home in winter.-Chicago News.

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Assignee's Notice Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, assignee of the estate of R. E. Williams, an insolvent debtor, has filed his final account and solvent debtor, has filed his final account and report in said assignment with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, and that the same will be called up for hearing before the Judge of said Court on the first day of the next regular term of said Circuit Court, to-wit: On Monday, the 24th day of May, 1807, or if the same cannot be heard by said Court at said time, as soon thereafter as the same can be heard by said Court.

Dated this leith day of April, 1897,

A. S. Mac ALLISTER,
Assignee of the estate of R. E. Williams, an insolvent debtor.

Administrator's Final Account.

from the entrance it empties into a large lake, which varies in depth from the to 40 feet and lies beneath a ceiling about 100 feet from its auction.

Soms interested in said estate are hereby nothed from the depth from the hearing thereof.

Dalles City, Oregon, March 25, 1897.

mc27-4t-ii E. A. GRIFFIN, Administrator.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Mary M. Gordon, deceased, has filed his final report and account in said estate, and that Tuesday, the 4th day of May, 1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day at the County court room, in the county court house in Dalles City, Wasco County, Oregon, has been appointed by said court as the time and place for hearing said final account. Dated this 25th day of March, 1897.

ASA STOGSDILL.

Administrator of the estate of Mary M. Gordon, decease 1.

Sheriff's Sale

In THE CIRCUIT COURT of the State of Ore gon for Wasco County. F. D. Greene, Plaintiff.

J. L. Story, Lucretia Story and Dalles City. Dfts. By virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Wasco, to me directed and dated the 30th day of March, 1897, upon a judgment and decree for the foreclosure of certain morti ages, rendered and entered in said court on the 22d day of March, 1897, in the above entitled cause, in favor of the plaintiff and against the defendants, J. L. Story and Lucretia Story, as judgment debtors, in the sum of \$883.60, with interest thereon at the rate of eight percent per annum from the 22d day of March, 1897, and the further sum of \$3.1.70 costs and disbursements of suit; and further in favor of the defendants J. L. Story and Lucretia Story, as judgment debtors in the sum of \$50.11, and the further sum of \$545.11, and the further sum of \$546.11, and the further sum of \$546.11, and the further sum of \$50 costs of suit, and jurther the costs of and on said writ of execution; and commanding me to make sale of the real property embraced in said decree of foreclosure and order of sale and hereinafter described, I have duly levied on and will, on the 3d day of May, 1807, at the hour of 2 o clock in the afternoon, at the county courthouse door in Dalles City, Wasco County, Oregon, sell at public anction, to the highest bidder, for each in hand, all the right, title and interest which the said J. L. Story and Lucretia Story, or either of them, had on the 1st day of January, 1893, the date of the mortgage of plaintiff foreclosed herein, or which such defendants, or any of the defendants herein, have since acquired or now have, in and to the following described real property, situate and being in the County of Wasco, State of Oregon, to-wit.

Lots numbered eleven (11) and twelve (12: In block twenty (20) of Gates Addition to balles By virtue of an execution and order of sale islowing described real property, situate and being in the County of Wasco, State of Oregon, to-wit:
Lots numbered eleven (11) and twelve (12) in block twenty (20) of Gates Addition to Dalles City, Wasco County, Oregon, or so much thereof as will satisfy said above mentioned and described judgments, attorney's fees and costs. Said property will be sold subject to confirmation by said Circuit Court and to redemption, as by law provided.

by law provided.

Dated at The Dalles. Oregon, this 31st day of March, 1897.

T. J. DRIVER.

NOTICE-SALE OF CITY LOTS.

Notice is hereby given that by authority of ordinance No. 292, which passed the Common Council of Dalles passed the Common Council of Dalles City April 10th, 1897, entitled, "An ordinance to provide for the sale of certain lots belonging to Dalles City," I will, on Saturday, the 15th day of May, 1897, sell at public anction, to the highest bidder, all the following lots and parts of lots in Gates addition to Dalles City, Wasco county, Oregon, to wit: Wasco county, Oregon, to-wit:

Lots 9 and 10 jointly, in block 14; lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, jointly in block 15; lots S, 9, and 10, jointly in block 21, known as butte; lots 10, 11 and 12, in known as butte; lots 10, 11 and 12, in block 27; lot 9 in block 34; lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block 35; lots 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 36; lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 37; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 42; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 42; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 4, 5, 6, 8, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 7, 10, 11 and 12, in block 41, and lots 3, 4, 5, 6, in block 4b.

The reasonable value of sa lots, for less than which they will no. e sold, has been fixed and determined by the Common Council of Dalles City as follows, to-wit:

Lots 9 and 10, in block 14, \$150; lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, jointly in block 15, \$200; lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, jointly in block 21, \$200; lot 10, in block 27, \$225; lot 11, in block 27, \$225; lot 12, in block 27, \$300; lot 9, in block 34, \$100; lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block 35, each respectively \$100; lots 6 and 7, in block 35, each respectively \$125; lots 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block 36, each respectively \$100; lot 12, in block 36, \$125; lots 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block 37, each respectively \$100; lots 6, 7 and 12, in block 37, each respectively \$125; lots 2, 3, 10 and 11, in block 41, each respectively \$100; lots 1, and 12, in block 41, each respectively \$125; lots 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block 42, each respectively \$100; lot s 6 and 12, in block 42, each respectively \$125; lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43, each respectively \$100; lot 1, in block 43, \$125; lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, in block 46, each respectively \$100; lots 1 and 6, in block 46, each respectively

Each of these lots will be sold upon the lot respectively, and none of them will be sold for a less sum than the value thereof, as above stated.

One-fourth of the price bid on any of said lots shall be paid in cash at the time of sale, and the remainder in three equal payments on or before, one, two and three years from the date of said sale, with interest on such deferred pavments at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, payable annually; provided that the payment may be made in full at any time at the option of the pur-

The said sale will begin on the 15th day of May, 1897, at the bour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, and will continue from time to time until all of said lots shall be sold.

Dated this 13th day of April, 1897. GILBERT W. PHELPS. Recorder of Dalles City.

Lots A, B, K and L, block 30; A B, block 72: A, B, C, D, E and F, block 82, and A, B, C, D and E, block 25. Apply WM. SHACKELFORD.

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[7] S. Indian Service, Warm Springs Agency. SEALED PROPOSALS, endorsed. "Proposals for Water and Sewer system" and addressed to the undersigned at Warm Springs, Crook County, Oregon, will be received at this agency until 1 o clock p. m. of May 27, 1807, for furnishing the necessary materials and habor required in the construction and completion of a water and sewer system, (including plumbing for the boarding school plant to be creeted on this reserve, in strict accordance with plans and steel-neatlons, which may be examined at the office of the "Morning Oregonian," Portland, Or., "THE CHRONICLE," The Dalles Or., and at this Agency. SEALED PROPOSALS, endorsed: "Proposels

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Bidders will state clearly in their bids the length of time required to complete the work. The right is reserved to roject any and all bids, or any part of any bid, if deemed for the best interest of the service.

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tion of public works.

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Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or draft upon some United states Depository or solvent National Bank in the vicinity of the residence of the bidder, made payable to the order of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, for at least FIVE PER CENT, of the amount of the proposal, which check or draft will be forietted to the United states in case any bidder or bidders receiving an award shall fall to promptly execute a contract with good and sufficient survices, otherwise to be returned to the bidder. Bids accompanied by each in lieu of a certified check will not be considered.

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