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Slipped Into Arctic Ocean.

Large Piece of Windom Glacier, in Alaska, Has Broken Off.

TACOMA, Oct. 9.—Windom Glacier, at Taku Inlet, in Alaska, which for more than a century has been immovable of record, was slipped into the Arctic Ocean between it and the sea, extended a wide crescent-shaped sandbar formed by its moraine.

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Proposed to Tax All Male Chinese and Japanese Servants.

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Wood for Forces in China.

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Independence Hops for California.

Brook are loading a number of cars with hops for shipment to Sacramento.

Dis honorably Discharged.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Private John Carlen, Battery B, Third Artillery, Fort Flieger, Wash., having enlisted under false pretenses, has been dishonorably discharged from the army, to date from August 1, 1900.

Strike in Denver.

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 9.—A general suspension of the building trades in Denver is threatened as a result of a strike of union woodworkers at the five large plants in the city, which was inaugurated to stop a step to the employment of non-union men.

To Try Diversified Farming.

OREGON CITY, Oct. 9.—The farmers residing in the vicinity of Clarks, 12 miles southeast of Oregon City, are making determined efforts to form a co-operative company for the establishment of a cheese factory in that neighborhood.

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