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KODIAK, Alaska, July 15, 1899.

In my last letter I mentioned Wood island as a small island lying off the northeast coast of Kadiak island and separated from it only by a narrow channel about two miles wide. The only importance now attached to it is the fact that here is located the headquarters of the North American Commercial Company.

The island is only about ten or twelve miles long and does not average more than two or three miles wide. There is absolutely no industry of any kind represented on the island other than the fact that it is the headquarters of distributing point for this company, and yet, here during a period of perhaps ten years, from some time about 1852, there existed an industry which gave employment, during a part of each year at least, to hundreds of men and a large amount of capital. This was the packing and shipment of ice to San Francisco.

Just how much ice was shipped each year during this period can not now be ascertained, but there were three large ice houses erected on the island with a total capacity of several thousand tons. The first shipment of ice brought $75 per ton. This price was reduced on later shipments but good prices were obtained during a period of about ten years and the shipments during all of these years were very heavy.

This ice was obtained from two or three large lakes on the island. Railroad tracks were laid connecting the lakes with the ice houses to facilitate the handling and storing of the ice. Nothing but the foundation of these immense buildings now remain to show where the business was conducted. To me, one of the most interesting "infant industries" of Alaska, if it should prove to be an industry, is the propagation of the different species of foxes for their fur.

At the time of the discovery of Alaska by the Russians, and in fact at the time of the acquisition of the territory by the United States, fox swarmed on the mainland and islands in countless numbers. Of the varieties there was the red, white, black, silver gray and cross fox, and while their numbers have greatly diminished, their furs yet constitute quite an important item in the fur business of Alaska.

It is difficult to arrive at the actual value of the different varieties of skins, as the price varies greatly at different localities, and there is also a great difference in the value of different skins of the same species. The rarest and most valuable is the black fox, now very rare, the skins of which are worth several hundred dollars. The next in value is the silver grey, worth from $50 to $200, sometimes much more. The next in value is perhaps the blue, valued at from $10 to $40. The cross fox skins may be of almost any value, owing to the great difference in their quality, they bring a cross between some of the standard varieties. Their average value however is something less than that of the blue variety. The white fox although not very plentiful does not appear to be as valuable as its scarceness would indicate, those which came under my notice being valued at from $3 to $5.

The most numerous and widely distributed varieties is the red fox, the skin of which is valued at from $1 to $3. It will be seen from the above figures, which I believe to be approximately correct, that if the fox can successfully be bred in captivity, the business would be very profitable. By captivity I do not mean in a cage or pen, but in some condition under which they can be controlled to some extent in their movements and habits, and protected from their enemies, whether man or beast. Experiments along these lines have been undertaken by a number of different persons at different times in different parts of Alaska.

During my official visit to the islands in the vicinity of Kadiak, I in company with my associate, Senator Patterson, and collector of customs, C. B. Cannon, visited Long island, where is located one of these fox breeding stations. Long island is about 7 miles long and from one-fourth of a mile to 3 miles wide. The island is very generally covered with timber, and is comparatively level, although high and rocky, interspersed with small valleys, covered with grass and ferns, and such other vegetation as is found in this climate. The island is separated from Wood island by a channel perhaps three miles wide.

At the head of a beautiful little cove or bay is located the dwelling house the superintendent of this station, the farm. In addition to [illegible] of house there are [illegible] other outhouses [illegible] the dwelling the [illegible] houses, feed houses, and [illegible] houses, which give the place the appearance of a thrifty, well-kept farm home in some secluded nook on the Oregon coast.

The dwelling which is a neat and commodious one, is surrounded by fences enclosing well-kept yards and lawns. Other fences enclose small pastures of luxuriant grass in which a number of fat sleek Jersey cows graze in contentment, rendering the scene even more homelike. Taking everything into consideration this is the most pleasant, cheerful and homelike spot.

We were welcomed by Mr. Lewis Carlson, the superintendent, his most estimable wife and healthy, happy children. When we had accepted an invitation to enter the house Mrs. Carlson brought a pitcher of fresh, sweet milk for our refreshment, and if you think we three homesick, hungry and thirsty Oregonians did not do justice to the treat you have no idea how good, fresh Jersey milk is after a three months sojourn in Alaska. After a short rest we took a walk about the premises.

This island was formerly stocked with black fox some years ago by Captain F. F. Feeney. The black variety being tried for the reason that they are the most valuable, but the experiment proved a failure so far as this variety is concerned.

The black fox is a very cross, ill-tempered animal, and the male fox has a habit of killing the young pups. If I remember correctly I was also informed that the number of young in a litter is much smaller than of some varieties. At any rate the black fox will not increase in number under the conditions which exist on a fox ranch. Finding the business unsatisfactory Capt. Feeney disposed of his interest in the business, including his claim on the island, stock on hand, buildings, etc., to a corporation known as the Semidi Propagating Company. This company procured a lease of the island from the government and proceeded to stock it with the blue fox, which appears to have numerous advantages for domestic propagation.

The blue fox is of a dirty blue or slate color, the fur of which is not at all handsome. The color is one, however, which is easily dyed black and this makes it valuable.

The fox are allowed to roam at will over the island, no attention being paid to them except to supply them with food and protect them from marauding men and animals. No one is permitted to reside on the island except the superintendant and his native helpers, and no one is allowed to land on the island unless he has business there, or can give a reason for his presence which is satisfactory to the superintendant. We walked out to a barn or cow house, and found two or three old foxes loafing around the building while half a dozen cubs stuck their heads from under the barn floor, and watched us with idle curiosity. We could hear them barking in every direction, and they could be seen at almost any time around the premises. At about 5 o'clock p. m. as feeding time approached they come from every direction. They were a little shy when they saw strangers were about, but Mr. Carlson informed us that when no strangers were around he could go among them when they were being fed, about as a shepherd would his flock of sheep.

Fish constitutes their principal feed, although they are fed a mush composed of fish and wheat shorts thoroughly cooked up together. The fish, large quantities of which are used, is kept either by being dried or salted. Large vats are built in which many thousands of pounds of fish, are salted down. When the salt fish is to be fed it is thrown into a vat or box, through which a stream of fresh water runs, which freshens it by taking the salt out. The dried fish requires no preparation.

Feeding stations are scattered over the island, so that the fox do not all congregate at the same place for their food. Of course no one knows how many fox are on the island but a conservative estimate would surely place the number above 1000.

The blue fox increase very rapidly, as one litter of cubs may contain as many as twelve or thirteen, although the average is somewhat less. So far I believe only the males have been killed on this island. It has been generally supposed that one male for four or five females was sufficient, but Mr. Carlson is of the opinion that an equal number of each, is better, giving as one reason his observation that after the cubs become large enough to eat solid food, the male assists in procuring food for the young, before they become able to leave the burrow and hunt it for themselves.

No one but those engaged in the business know how profitable it is, or indeed if it is profitable at all, as the business is carried on in such a way that the public knows but little about it, and those engaged in the business are not inclined to publish the results of their experience but from the fact that this company occupies four or five different islands on which they are engaged in the business as extensively as they are on this island, this leads me to believe that money can be made in the business.

These islands are leased from the government. If the business should prove profitable it will no doubt become one of importance, as there are hundreds of islands on the coast of Alaska, which would be suitable for this business. I am under obligation to Mr. Carlson for the kindness shown me as well as for the information given me in regard to this business, which is at least, a very interesting and unique one.

E. D. STRATFORD.

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PRETORIA, Aug. 15.—The executive council concluded its session at 12:30 p. m., when orders were issued to the field cornets to give out Mauser rifles in exchange for Martini-Henry rifles. A great crowd gathered to receive arms. The possibility of war with Great Britain is about the only subject discussed and it is generally felt the burgers should be considered before extreme measures are adopted.

MUCH ANXIETY [illegible]

CAPE TOWN, Aug. 15.—No reply has been received [illegible] here up to the present [illegible] Transvaal government on the latest British proposals on settlement of the questions in dispute, and a dispatch from Pretoria says the reply, when sent will be disappointing and it is feared the result will be a breaking of negotiations. Great anxiety prevails at the capital of the Transvaal.

General News.

Cuba will have a national guard.

Edward Atkinson has issued another rank anti-imperialist circular.

Missouri is shipping poultry to Hawaii. What's the matter with Oregon?

Rest has already demonstrated the fact that he is the real head of the war department.

Sixteen powers have signed the protocols of the arbitration and mediation treaties at The Hague.

The number of Spaniards now in the Philippines is less than at any time during the last fifty years.

Butter from Coos county finds a ready market in Alaska, Japan, Philippines, China and South America.

The experiments in tea raising in South Carolina, by the Agricultural Department are meeting with success.

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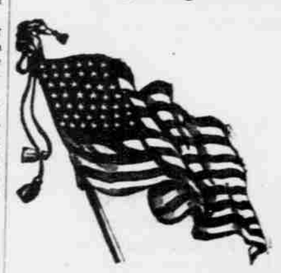

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Roseburg, Oregon, July 18, 1899.

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South of base line and west of Willamette meridian, Tp 24, R 4 W ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 7.

Within the next sixty days following the date of this notice, protests or contests against the claim of the company to any tract or sub-divisions within any section or part of section described in the list, on the grounds that the same is more valuable for mineral than for agricultural purposes, will be received and noted for report to the General Land office at Washington, D.C.

J. H. BOOTH, Receiver. J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office
ROSEBURG, Or., July 11, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, on August 18, 1899, viz:

MILLAIRD M. WHITLOW

On his H. E. No. 8454, for the NW ¼ NE ¼, Sec. 34 Tp. 26, S. R. 3, West. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

John W. Whitlow, C. F. Watson, J. Lawson and Jessie Whitlow, all of Peel, Oregon.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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Notice For Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Oregon, Aug. 9, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver, United States Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, on September 16, 1899, viz:

WILLIAM A. BULLOCK,

On his H. E. No 7320, for the S½ NW ¼, SW ¼ NW ¼ Sec. 14 T. 30 S., R. 1 West. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James Bullock of Roseburg, Oregon; Allen Pitts of Perdue, Oregon; Frank Fate, of Perdue, Oregon; E. Dixon of Roseburg, Oregon.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrators of the estate of W. L. Wilson, deceased, by virtue of an order and decree, issued out of the county court of Douglas county, State of Oregon, will, on and after Saturday, August 5, 1899, sell at private sale, at the premises, the following described real property belonging to the estate of W. L. Wilson, deceased, to-wit:

CHARLES E. STEVENS

On his H. E. No. 8135, for the SE ¼, NW ¼, Lot 3, Sec. 7, Tp. 26, S. R. 7 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William W. Thompson, G. C. Gravescne, J. Thompson, of Coles Valley, Oregon; John Long of Roseburg, Oregon.

(s4p) J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

Mining Application, No. 95.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Oregon, June 8, 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Charles Bruneau, F. J. Jennings and R. J. Jennings, whose postoffice addresses are as follows: Of Charles Bruneau and R. J. Jennings, Cottage Grove, Lane County, Oregon, and F. J. Jennings, of Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, have this day filed their application for a patent for 3000 linear feet of the Helena Consolidated Quartz Mine, or vein, bearing gold, silver and lead, with surface ground 600 feet in width, being 300 feet on each side of the center of said vein, and being 1500 linear feet of the Helena Lode Claim and 1500 feet of the Laurette Lode Claim, the Laurette being the 1st extension Easterly of the said Helena Claim, said claim being particularly described as Mineral Survey, No. 3995.

Helena Quartz Lode and Laurette Quartz Lode, known as Helena Consolidated Quartz Mine, situated in Bohemia Mining District, Douglas County, Oregon, in Township No. 23, S. R. 2 E., Willamette Meridian, Oregon.

Application of Charles Bruneau, F. J. Jennings and R. J. Jennings.

HELENA LODE.

Beginning at a fir post 6 inches square, 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with rock mound alongside, scribed M. S. 366. Identical with location starting point of the Helena lode claim, whence the discovery cut, and Tunnel No. 1, is S. 64 degrees E. 15 feet; also a fir 15 in. in diam. bears N. 57 degrees, W. 32 feet, scribed M. S. 366, B. T.; also a fir 8 in. diam. bears N. 83 degrees W. 24 feet, scribed M. S. 366 B. T.

Also the Noonday Mining Co.'s Ore House bears S. 15 degrees W. about 2000 feet.

Also the mouth of Geo. Kerr's Tunnel bears S. 31 deg. W about 900 feet. Also Mt. Thellson, commonly known as Cowhorn Peak of the Cascade Range, bears S. 43 deg. E.

Also Diamond Peak bears S. 80 deg. E. thence run N. 64 deg. W. on course of lode, up steep ascent 900 ft., intersect wagon road leading from the Noonday Co.'s Mine to their quartz mill, at 1200 ft. set fir post 6 in. square, 4 feet long, 18 inches in the ground for center post on Westerly end of this claim, with mound of stone alongside, scribed M. S. 366, from which a fir 10 in. dia. bears S. 5 deg., W. 20 feet, scribed M. S. 366, B. T.

A fir 8 in. dia. bears N. 60 deg. E. 10 feet, scribed M. S. 366 B. T.

This post is identical with the location post set on westerly end of this claim.

Thence S. 26 deg. W. 900 ft. Set post No. 1, identical with location Cor. 4 feet long, 6 inches square, 18 inches in the ground with a mound of stone alongside, scribed C. L. M. S. 366, from which a fir 14 in. dia. bears N. 87 deg. E., 69 ft. scribed C. L. M. S. 366, B. T.

A pine 8 in. dia. S 12 deg. E. 9 ft. scribed C L M S 366, B T.

Whence corner to sections 7-12-13 and 18, Tp. 25, S R 1 and 2 E, Willamette Meridian, bears S 56 deg 30 min W 1726 feet, thence from Cor No 1, S 64 deg E.

Var 19 deg 30 min E.

Descend steep Mountain, slope S E 15 ft. wagon road leading from Noonday Quartz Mine to Quartz Mill C N 65 deg E 1280 ft.

same road C South, 1400.5 ft to Cor No 2.

Identical with a corner of the location.

A fir post 4 feet long, 4 inches square, set in ground with mound of stone alongside, scribed C 2, M S 366.

Whence a fir 6 in dia bears S 66 deg W 8 ft, scribed C 2, M S 366 B T.

Corner No 2 of Laurette Lode bears N 26 deg E 19 ft; thence from Cor No 2, N 64 deg W, Var 19 deg 30 min E.

Ascend steep mountain 500 ft. intersect wagon road leading from Noonday Mine to Quartz Mill, 1230 ft same wagon road, 1499.5 ft to corner No 4, identical with a location corner.

A fir post 4 ft long, 4 in. square, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stone alongside, scribed C 4, M S 366.

Whence a fir 7 in dia bears S 8 deg 30 min W 21 ft, scribed C 4, M S 366, B T, and thence S 26 deg W, Var 19 deg 30 min E. 600 ft to center post on westerly end of Claim before described, embracing 20.66 acres.

LAURETTE LODE.

Beginning at corner No 1, identical with the corner of location, a fir post 4 ft long, 6 inches square, set 18 inches in the ground with mound of stone alongside, scribed C 1 M S 366, whence A S Pine 5 in dia bears N 47 degrees east, 22 ft scribed C 1 M S 366 B T.

Corner No 2, of Helena bears S 26 deg W 19 ft, thence from corner No 1, N 26 deg E, Var 19 deg 30 min E 280 ft to center post on Easterly end of Helena Claim, 300 ft to center post on westerly end of Laurette claim.

A fir post, 4 inches square, 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, scribed M. S. 366, with mound of stone alongside

Identical with location of Westerly end of Laurette Claim, whence discovery Cut and Tunnel No. 3, bears S. 72 deg. E. 104 ft. 366 feet to Small Tree C of S. 300 ft. to corner No. 6, Helena Claim, 600 ft. to corner No. 2.

Identical with corner of location.

A fir post 4 ft. long, 4 inches square, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stone alongside, scribed C. No. 2, M. S. 366, whence A fir 14 in dia. bears S. 54 deg. E. 13 ft. scribed C. 2 M. S. 366 B. T.

Thence from corner No. 2, S. 72 deg. E. Var. 19 deg. 30 min. E. descend 1499 ft to corner No. 3.

A fir post 4 ft. long, 4 inches square, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stone alongside, scribed C, 3, M. S. 366, whence a Flat Top sighnete Rock, two ft out of ground 24x24 inches with + cut with a chisel at direct point which bears S. 54 deg. W. 32 ft. marked with a chisel, C. 3, M. S., 366, B. E.

Also the N. E. corner of the Noonday Quartz Mill, bears S. 49 deg. W. 365.5 ft.

Thence from corner No. 3, S 26 deg W. Var. 19 deg. 30 min. E. 130, ft. to Creek 3 ft. wide, C. 3, E. 366 ft. to centerpost on Easterly end of this Claim.

A fir post 4 ft. long, 4 inches square, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stone alongside, scribed M. S. 366, whence a fir 12 in dia bears N. 54 deg. W. 22 ft. scribed M. S. 366 B. T. ascend 600 feet to corner No. 4.

Identical with a cor. of location:

A fir post 4 ft. long, 4 inches square, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stone alongside. Scribed C. 4, M. S. 366, whence a fir 10 in. dia. bears N. 10 deg. E. 29 ft.

Scribed C. 4, M. S., 366 B. T.

Thence N. 72 deg. W., from cor. No. 4, Var. 19 deg. 30 min. E. 725 ft. to Creek 3 ft wide, C. 4, East 900 ft. to wagon road leading from Noonday Mine to Quartz Mill, 1499 ft. to corner No. 1, and place of beginning embracing 20.48 acres.

The survey of the Helena and Laurette Quartz Lodes are identical with the respective locations, and the presumed general course of the vein or lode is northwesterly and southeasterly, as is shown by the plat filed herewith, as near as can be determined from the present development.

The Notice of Location of these mining claims is recorded as follows, to-wit:

First, location of the Helena, (called Helener is recorded in Volume 5 of Douglas County, Oregon, Mining Records, at Page 185, on the 7th day of July, 1898, and the second notice thereof is recorded in Volume 6, of Douglas County Oregon, Mining Records, at Pages 301 and 302, the 2nd day of August, 1898.

The first location of the Laurette Lode Claim was recorded in Volume 6 of Douglas County, Oregon, Mining Records, on the 16th day of November, 1897, at Page 86, and the second location notice thereof was recorded on the 2nd day of August, 1898, in Volume 6, of Douglas County, Oregon, Mining Records, at Pages 299 and 300.

The adjoining Claims are: On the northerly side of the Helena, (Helener) Lode Claim, the Verde, Lode Claim, of which F. J. Jennings is locator and claimant, and on the Northerly side of the Laurette Lode Claim is the American Boy, Lode Claim, of which R. J. Jennings and C. H. B. Bruneau are the locators and claimants.

The easterly end of the Helena, (Helener) Claim is the westerly end of the Laurette Claim. On the easterly end of the Laurette Claim is vacant government land, and on the southerly side of the Helena (Helener) and Laurette Claims is vacant government land.

On the westerly end of the Helena (Helner) Claim is the White Wings, Lode Mining Claim, located and claimed by G. G. Warner.

And any and all persons claiming adversely the mining ground, vein, lode, premises or any portion thereof, so described, surveyed, platted and applied for, are hereby notified that, unless their adverse claims are duly filed according to law and the regulations there under, within the sixty days publication of this notice, with the Register of the United States Land Office at Roseburg, in the County of Douglas, and State of Oregon, they will be barred in virtue of the provisions of said statute.

Dated this 8th day of June, 1899, and first publication on June 15th, 1899.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register U. S. Land Office.

Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Oregon, Aug. 1, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, on Sept. 12, 1899, viz:

CHARLES E. STEVENS

On his H. E. No. 8135, for the SE ¼, NW ¼, Lot 3, Sec. 7, Tp. 26, S. R. 7 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William W. Thompson, G. C. Gravescene, J. Thompson, of Coles Valley, Oregon; John Long of Roseburg, Oregon.

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UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Oregon, June 20, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory,"

FRANK M. HOPKINS,

of Canyonville, County of Douglas, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 686, for the purchase of the Lot of Section No. 31, in Township No. 28 S. Range No. 5 W., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agriculture, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver at Roseburg, Oregon, on [illegible] August, 1899. He names as witnesses: Rob