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#### THERE IS BLAME FOR BOTH.

The Oregonian lays the blame of strikes, such as now exist in the East, upon the leaders, such men as Debs, Sovereign, etc. "It is in vain," it says, "after a riot has been put down by the strong arm of military power, for the officers of labor unions to disclaim all intent of such proceedings and publish manifestos denunciatory of lawlessness."

What it says is in a sense true, and yet we do not think it all the truth. Every strike brings to the front leaders, men who are honest and conscientious in their desire to keep within the law; men whose interests are with the strikers, and who vainly undertake, while uniting with them for a common object, to restrain them from acts of violence. It is not all the truth in another sense. The employer who puts wages down to such a point that the laborer can barely exist upon them, has as much to do, or more, with the ultimate bloodshed resulting from the mad acts of starving and riotous men, as the men themselves, for they create the condition that drives the hopeless and hungry laborer into using force.

We realize the sharp competition that compels capital to curtail its outlay, but surely no sane man will say that the total loss from this competition, the total burden, of cheap prices, should fall upon the side of labor. Besides, it might be affirmed, we think, truthfully that the coal operators themselves secretly encourage striking. It invariably follows that labor loses, and it also follows that the coal operators win.

A dollar or a dollar and a half a ton rise in the price of coal, caused by the strike, means millions in clean profit. It means also the closing down of the mines, so that the operators are at no expense, while the stock on hand is consumed. By the time this is done the miners are starved or shot into submission, and with perhaps just enough concession to permit them to eke out an existence, the mines are again opened, and there is a brisk demand for coal for quite a long time at enhanced prices, of which, unfortunately, labor does not get its share.

There are some crimes worse than the shedding of blood, and the mine operators who make additional profit out of the strikes which his acts compel, is a greater criminal than the starving and irresponsible miner.

#### A CRAZY RUSH.

The steamer Queen arrived at Tacoma Monday night with 200 returning excursionists, but no miners. Her officers report that the mounted police of the Northwest territory are compelling all who have not a year's provisions to turn back. They further state that there are 200 miners at Skaguay, and that but few who went up two weeks before had gotten across the mountain, and that a great many would not get across this season. Men can pack but seventy-five pounds and the round trip is seventy-two miles.

Yet on top of this hundreds are going yet this fall. The Willamette will sail from Seattle Thursday with 800 passengers and 300 horses. The Al-Ki sailed Monday with 200 people. The Rapid Transit carried up 268 horses Tuesday, and the George E. Starr sailed the same day with 100 men and as many horses. On top of

this comes the statement that the City of Seattle has been chartered to take 200 Philadelphians, 200 tons of freight and two steam launches of 150 tons each, to the mouth of the Yukon. She gets \$200 apiece for passengers and \$200 a ton freight, and will carry besides 150 other passengers.

And still the craze has only begun. It is safe to say that nine out of ten of those going now will not reach the Clondyke this year, but they will go to Alaska, live hard, and half of them will be ready to come home by spring. No matter how rich the Clondyke may be, it is impossible, with the limited means of getting on to the headwaters of the Yukon, for the trip to be made. Those going by the way of St. Michaels, and taking steam launches may get in, but the fellows who tackle Dyea are most of them doomed to disappointment.

The New York Press says love is a disease. This may be true, but one of its peculiarities is that it can be caught from one who hasn't it. It differs from most other contagious diseases, too, in that having it once does not prevent being inoculated with it over and over again. It generally runs its course in a short time if left alone, and is not at all dangerous.

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#### BUSINESS VICISSITUDES.

How Nations Have Encroached Upon One Another's Trade.

The annals of commerce are not entirely without a spice of romance. There is a little retributive justice that savors of the novelist's art in the way the spoiler is sometimes spoiled in business relations. In an article entitled "Made in Japan," the Pall Mall Gazette shows how nations have encroached upon one another's business, and reaped for a time a rich harvest, only to see the same tactics employed by a rival people, and be forced to stand aside while the trade slipped from their hands into the keeping of another nation.

In old times the Dutch, by importing English clay, made a good profit out of imitations of Chinese porcelain, and presently the Dutch product became established in the markets of the world as Delft ware.

But the Dutchman was no more secure in his profitable trade than had been his predecessor, the Chinaman. The English potters took to copying the Dutch patterns, and sold their pottery much cheaper, and the north of England became headquarters for the Delft china.

Again, however, the spoiler has been spoiled. Of late the Japanese have made themselves masters of the art of reproducing the patterns best liked in England, and have begun to encroach on the domain long monopolized by the English potter. The Japanese product is finer and stronger, and above all cheaper than the best English ware, and Japan is providing the markets with goods which were originally a Chinese monopoly.

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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon on the 5th day of July, 1897, upon a judgment and decree in said court made and rendered on the 24th day of May, 1897, in favor of James Lake, plaintiff, and against William A. Miller and Lydia S. Miller, defendants, I, J. W. Driver, Sheriff of Wasco County, do hereby levy upon and will sell, at the front door of the county courthouse in Dalles City, Wasco County, Or., on Monday, the 10th day of August, 1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all of the real estate described in said execution and order of sale, and described as follows, to wit: Commencing at a point thirty feet east and ninety-two and twenty-hundredths rods south of the northwest corner of John A. Simms Donation Land Claim in township one (1) north of range thirteen (13), east of the Willamette Meridian, Wasco County, Oregon; thence south sixteen rods one foot, thence east ten rods, thence north sixteen rods and one foot, and thence west ten rods to the place of beginning, containing one acre and a fraction of land, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the sums due under said writ, to-wit: the sum of \$500, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum, since September 24, 1894, to the date of said sale, and also the first sum of \$50 as a reasonable attorney's fee, and the further sum of \$10, accruing costs and expenses of said sale.

Dated the 9th day of July, 1897.

T. J. DRIVER, Sheriff of Wasco County, Oregon.

#### Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Silas W. Davis, late of Wasco County, and now deceased. All persons having claims against said estate or against the estate of Corum and Davis of Wasco County, Oregon, who said firm said deceased was a partner, will present the same, duly verified, to me at The Dalles, Oregon, or to my attorney, Duffar & Menefee, of Dalles City, Wasco County, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated at Dalles City, Oregon, this 22nd day of May, 1897.

B. F. LAUGHLIN, Administrator of the estate of Silas W. Davis, deceased. m26-51-1

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JAMES H. ECKELS, Comptroller.

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