

# The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

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## THE TRUE STORY.

The true situation on the Yukon begins to make itself so plainly visible that even those who thought all they had to do was to reach the Klondike with a scoop shovel and a couple of seamless sacks, to be able to start home with a fortune in a week, can see it. The area is limited, the number of rich claims having now decreased to 140, the gold proves to be of less value than claimed for it, and weights somehow have a fashion of showing up on civilized scales a great discrepancy. An Alaskan pound, or at least an Alaskan pound of gold, weighs only four ounces, or at most six. One \$130,000 lot of gold weighed out at the mint less than \$50,000, while another \$85,000 lot shrunk, probably owing to a change of climate, to \$1900.

A man down on Sauvies island many years ago was engaged during the winter months in shooting water fowl, principally for their feathers. To an old lady who inquired how many feathers he had he replied, "About a ton." She expressing surprise at the amount, he insisted that he was correct because he had "forty four sacks full."

Mr. James McNamee returned this summer from Alaska, having spent four years there, one of them in the Klondike. He estimates the yield of the Klondike mines for the past twelve months at \$2,000,000, a sum that would not purchase this year's wheat crop of Sherman county, which has 700 voters. And yet these fabulous tales have set rich and poor alike crazy. At Skaguay 5,000 men are struggling to get into the snows of Alaska in midwinter, wrecking their health, taking desperate chances of starvation, and putting up in money besides \$4,000,000 to do so. They have gone as utterly mad and reckless as a herd of stampeded buffaloes, and all because a hope of sudden wealth is held out to them. With the same amount of energy and determination, these same men could earn, in civilization, double the money they will make among the glaciers of the upper Yukon.

Whom the gods would destroy they first make gold mad. The cry is now "Skaguay," to get in, but ere long it will be "any way" to get out.

The English language seems to be faulty in that it is capable of being construed in so many ways. An example of this is before the attorney-general just now, and is causing him to delve deep into tomes of musty lore to discover, if possible, the meaning of an apparently plain English sentence. The question comes up over section 22 of the new tariff law with regard to the ten per cent discriminating duty on foreign goods, coming into the United States from Canada or Mexico, and involves the question as to whether or not the same discriminating duty does not apply to all foreign goods coming in on ships not flying the American flag, from countries with which we have no special treaty concerning it. If it does so apply, all goods coming in English vessels would have this duty to pay, and it would practically ruin the British steamship lines plying between this country and any others. The question arose over the words "not exempt by treaty or convention," instead of "not exempt by treaty or acts of congress." The attorney-general and the department are trying to find out just what congress meant.


The Spanish government has called out the next class of reserves, 80,000 in number. It is said 27,000 of

these will be sent to Cuba and 13,000 to the Philippines. And yet Spain, with 200,000 soldiers already sent to Cuba, insists that the revolution is at an end. Dispatches of the same date as those bringing the news above mentioned, state that Banderas, the Cuban general, has put 12,000 well-armed men into the field, leading them from one end of the island to the other. The entire Cuban army has been strengthened and Weyler hardly dare venture outside of Havana. Spain insists she will never consent to Cuba's independence, but it begins to look as though her consent will not be needed.

Gold mining is a legitimate business, especially in Oregon, but it must be followed as any other business. It requires good judgment, good management and lots of energy. Oregon is today the best prospecting ground in the world, and Baker and Grant counties are the best in the state. There are possibilities in quartz mining in that section which even the residents thereof do not dream of. In a few years every canyon will have its quartz mill, and every mountain its mine. South Africa and Alaska will not compare with it.

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## Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Wasco County, Oregon, executor of the last will and testament of Simon Mason, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to present them with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned at his residence, Wamie, Oregon, or at the office of Huntington & Wilson, The Dalles, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated July 28, 1897. JOHN END, Executor. 1990-5t-11

## Administrator's Notice.


Notice is hereby given that the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, by an order dated the 3d day of April, 1897, duly appointed the undersigned administrator of the estate of Andrew Y. Anderson, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same, properly verified, to the undersigned at French & Co.'s bank in Dalles City, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated May 19, 1897. J. C. HOSTETLER, Administrator.

## Assignee's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account as assignee of the estate of Young Quong Lee Juke Tow and Da-Ong Tong Tang, partners doing business under the firm name of Wai Tai, Young Quong Company and Young Quong Insolvent debtors, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County. That said final account will come on for hearing in said Court on the first day of the next regular term of said Court Court, to-wit: The second Monday in November, 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard. June 16-2w-1 J. O. MACK, Assignee.

## Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed with the Clerk of the County Court of Wasco County, Oregon, his final account as administrator of the estate of William O'Dell, deceased, and by order of the County Court of said County, Monday, the 15th day of September, 1897, at 3 o'clock p. m., has been fixed as the time and the County Court room in Dalles City, Oregon, as the place for the hearing of said final account. Administrator of estate of William O'Dell, deceased. ag14-11



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