

### NEW COMPANY ORGANIZED

Called Yukon-Klondike General Trust Co.

Meeting Held Last Night When Board of Directors Was Selected—Object of Organization.

A meeting of those who will compose the Yukon-Klondike General Trust Company was held last night at the territorial courthouse with Judge Craig and Chas. McDonald in the chairs as temporary president and secretary respectively. A set of suitable by-laws was adopted and a board of trustees elected as follows: Judge Craig, R. P. McLennan, H. T. Willis, Z. T. Wood, H. Te Roller, Thos. O'Brien, J. T. Litgow, F. C. Wade, D. Doig and Alex McDonald. The board of trustees will hold a meeting at the same place tomorrow night for the purpose of electing permanent officers. The objects of the company are to transact a general business in buying and selling mining property and real estate, looking after investments and transacting business for non-residents and other such business as comes legitimately within the province of a general trust company.

#### A Nine-hour Day.

Chicago, April 13.—The Tribune says:

The first move in what is likely to be a bitter fight between the International Association of Machinists of several of the railroads entering Chicago, has been made in demands by the association on the Chicago Great Western Railroad. The demands call for a minimum scale of 29 cents an hour, shortening of the workday from ten to nine hours and regulating the apprentice system. The officials of the railroad company are expected to make a reply within the next few days. If they refuse to comply with the demands of the union all of the 200 machinists in the employ of the company, the majority of whom are employed in the shops at Oelwein, Iowa, will, it is said, be called out. Heretofore there has been no fixed minimum scale, it having ranged from 25 to 27 cents. The demand for a nine-hour work day is in accordance with the determination of the machinists to secure shorter working hours throughout the country, and will include all shops where union men are employed. For a long time there has been much dissatisfaction with the apprentice system and it was decided at length to insist on certain changes.

While the machinists have delivered their ultimatum only to the Chicago Great Western, the same demands, it is said, will be made on the other big companies, entering Chicago and preparations are being made quietly for making a fight to secure them. The officials of the union have been at work for some time organizing the men in all of the shops of the several roads and declare they have met with sufficient success as to feel confident of their ability to get an enforcement of their demands. As in the case of the Chicago Great Western, the machinists have had no written agreement with the roads and an effort will be made to secure one.

The machinists also are preparing to fight a nine hour work day in all of the shops in Chicago, beginning on May 20, and while the officers of the union say they think a victory will come without serious trouble it is generally believed that strikes will result. This, for the reason that at least three-fourths of the shops are not members of the Metal Workers' Association, with which the union has agreements, and it is known that several shops have indicated that they would not grant a nine-hour day.

#### Valuable Property.

A decision was given this morning by Gold Commissioner Senkler in the case of H. I. Meyer vs. F. X. Gowans, Chute & Willis and others relative to the ownership of claim No. 12a, right Hunt, Gold Run.

Evidence in the case was heard some time ago. The decision awards the property to Chute & Willis who had formerly purchased it of Gowans.

#### Kept Up Price.

Onions which would have sold readily at a fair price at any time during the past winter are now going to loss at the expense of their owners of having them hauled out and deposited on the moist bosom of the Yukon. Several tons from one warehouse were dumped on the ice today.

#### Buried Today.

The remains of Aaron R. Ewing who died on Hunker Wednesday presumably from hydrophobia or rabies, the result of a bite from a mad dog, were buried this afternoon in the cemetery on the top of the hill.

Elegantly furnished rooms with electric lights at the Regina Club hotel.

Shoff, the Dawson Dog Doctor. First floor Drug Store.

### COMING AND GOING.

Mail for Dawson passed Stewart at 2:30 this morning. Will arrive in Dawson tomorrow.

George Byron and R. Butler, of 34 above Bonanza, are registered at the McDonald hotel today.

A. M. Kilgore, of Lindow creek, was a guest at the Yukon hotel last evening. He returned to his claim this morning.

The C. D. Co. is entirely off the map now. The lettering on the warehouses is being changed today to the British-Yukon Navigation Co.

This morning J. S. Barron purchased from Geo. Verano the 12 foot lot adjoining his on First avenue and has now a frontage of 53 feet on which he will commence to build immediately.

The W. P. & V. R. is negotiating for the purchase of the Bonanza King from Burns & McDougall the present owners. The steamer will be put on the run between Whitehorse and Dawson and will be used exclusively as a cattle and freight boat.

John C. Davies left early this morning for Selkirk where he has important business to attend to. He started with a single horse sleigh but when necessary he will discard the sleigh and make the balance of the distance on horseback.

Shreffil Eilbeck has seized from Lee Pate, under a writ of execution the two islands situated in the Klondike river at or about the mouth of Bonanza creek known as group lot 8 in group 2 of the Yukon territory containing 32 acres, and will sell the same at public auction on the 1st day of August, 1901.

### APHORISMS.

Activity is contagious.—Emerson.

In warning there is strength.—Lew Wallace.

Kindness out of season destroys authority.—Sandi.

Advantage is a better soldier than rashness.—Shakespeare.

We may give advice, but we cannot give conduct.—Franklin.

Contempt is the proper punishment of affection.—Johnson.

Age is a matter of feeling, not of years.—George W. Curtis.

The beautiful is beauty seen with the eye of the soul.—Joubert.

Apologies only account for that which they do not alter.—Disraeli.

It lies in our own power to attune the mind to cheerfulness.—Auerbach.

There is great ability in knowing how to conceal one's ability.—La Rochefoucauld.

To speak and to offend with some people are but one and the same thing.—La Bruyere.

The Last of Their Walnuts.

Into Wabash, Ind., the other day wound a long procession of 22 wagons loaded with huge logs of walnut, the last lot of merchantable walnut in Wabash county. To the older residents the procession had much the air of a funeral, as they can remember when walnut was abundant in the county and looked upon the old trees as part of their childhood. Today there is not a tree left big enough to make a chair.

#### Cause and Effect.

Wife (to her husband who is a poet of the modern school)—You ought not to leave your manuscripts lying open on your desk, Edward. The housemaid can't restrain her curiosity—and today she's sick again!

#### The Art Boy.

"Why Madge, where are all the tassels on your new chenille boa?" "Oh, I stepped on some of them, and other people stepped on some."—Detroit Free Press.

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### FACTS IN NATURAL HISTORY.

A single codfish produces more than 1,000,000 eggs in a season.

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Toads, frogs and serpents never take any food but that which they are satisfied is alive.

Serpents are so tenacious of life that they will live six months or longer without food.

Toads become torpid in winter and hide themselves, taking no food for five or six months.

Turtles dig holes in the seashore and bury their eggs, covering them up to be hatched by the sun.

The whale suckles its young and is therefore not a fish. The mother's affection is remarkable.

It is believed that crocodiles live to be hundreds of years old. The Egyptians embalmed them.

Lobsters are very pugnacious and fight severe battles. If they lose a claw, another grows out.

The head of the rattlesnake has been known to inflict a fatal wound after being severed from the body.

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#### He Rights Them.

"I am told that you write poetry," said the snake editor to the proofreader.

"Yes, sir," was the reply. "I right poetry, and I right prose too."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

#### The Better Way.

"How can you tell a bad egg, dear?" asked a new wife of her new husband after they had gone to housekeeping.

"I don't think I would try to impart any information to a bad egg," replied he. "I would ignore it."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

#### Not All There.

"What kind of a man is Rodney McNibbs?" "Oh, he's the kind that would present you with the second volume of a book and not know it."—Chicago Record.

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### TRUST NOT FEARED

Although Many Large Cigar Interests Combine.

New York, April 13.—The World says: The American Cigar Company which was recently purchased by the American Tobacco Company has made final arrangements for the absorption of the Havana-American company.

The last named company was organized with a capital of \$10,000,000 in November, 1899, under the laws of New Jersey, for the manufacture of cigars. The terms of transfer, it is said have been satisfactorily arranged and it only remains for the legal documents to be signed in order that the deal shall become effective.

By the absorption of the Havana-American company the American Cigar Company, which already controls the manufacture of cigarettes, snuff and plug tobacco, will make a big stride toward controlling the cigar trade as well. One of the immediate results promised to the smoker is a slight reduction in the retail price of cigars.

The importance of the combination is indicated by the names of the firms represented in the directorate of the Havana-American company. These include S. Hemsheims Brothers & Co., of New Orleans; the Ybor Manraea Company of Key West; Seidenberg & Co., and Julius Erlinger & Co., of Tampa; Eugene Vollen & Co., of Chicago and Rosener, Arnold & Co., of Key West.

The American Cigar Company was incorporated in January, 1890, and was capitalized at \$7,000,000. It also was a combination of many manufacturers who had previously been doing an independent business.

The independent cigar manufacturers say they have no fear of the combination. There are hundreds of small factories in New York city and vicinity. The owners say that as they make local brands that are in popular favor their output cannot be easily displaced by the trust.

#### A Point in Precedence.

Mr. Marmaduke Jones—Society nowadays seems to be made up of such a lot of people we don't know.

Mrs. Marmaduke Jones—Oh, don't put it that way, my dear. Say, rather, that society nowadays is made up of such a lot of people who don't know us.—Life.

#### Force of Habit.

Mrs. Nags—If I should hear a burglar getting in the house, I don't know what I should do.

Nags (confidently)—Oh, you would probably scream out, "Don't forget to wipe your feet!" my dear, and scare him off.—Brooklyn Eagle.

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