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Tuesday 2055  
Wednesday 2089  
Thursday 2047  
Friday 2061  
Saturday 2051  
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## BUY AT HOME

One of the essential things in the development of a country is the patronage of home industries and institutions wherever that is possible. And nearly all of the time that would be not only possible but profitable on Gastineau channel. Such manufacturing institutions as we have in this section give value for their money, and our stores are up-to-date and reasonable in their prices.

However, if every one would make it a practice to purchase all that he has to buy at local houses, we would have better and larger manufacturing institutions and larger and better stores. If the money that is sent out of Juneau to mail order houses and to outside manufacturing concerns were spent at home, it would have a wonderful effect on trade here. The merchants and others would carry larger stocks of goods, give employment to more men and create a greater volume of business all round.

And the local dealers are entitled to this sort of treatment. They have payrolls that help to give us population. They pay taxes that help to run our municipalities, give us streets and the other municipal institutions. They help to support our schools, our churches, fraternal societies, to care for our needy and everything that makes the communities worth living in. Give them the support they are entitled to—and that is every possible dollar's worth—and they will be able to give us even better service than they are now giving.

Let every man buy what he can on Gastineau channel, and the result will be improved Gastineau channel communities.

## THE PRESIDENT AND WICK'S FISH

Wickersham says the President has taken no action on Alaska fisheries questions notwithstanding that "I—ME—WICKERSHAM, WROTE HIM A LETTER." Probably the President never saw the letter. Probably it was sent to the proper Department by the President's Secretary. At least that was where the subject matter of the letter was discussed to the dislike of Wickersham. And what did Wickersham do then? Did he call on the President and ask for an interview? No. He did not care a tinker's hoot about what the President's attitude might be. He had a copy of that letter, and he was only trying to make up a record for another campaign anyhow. He was not after results. He was after something that would make a noise like campaign thunder.

## CRITICISED DEMOCRATS

The charge is made that certain Democrats who formerly supported Wickersham in his efforts to secure an Alaska Legislature have gone over to "the enemy," and they are severely criticised for it. These Democrats aided Wickersham in securing his "first step toward self-government." They were prepared to aid him to secure the second and third steps. But notwithstanding that he was invited by the President to take the next step, he not only refused to do so, but criticised the President for extending him the invitation.

The Democrats who aided Wickersham before because he favored the first step toward self-government are still for self-government. Wickersham was left at the end of the first step.

If some of those who opposed the taking of the first step have now accepted the inevitable and are willing to keep step with the progressive Democrats, who refused to stop the fight for self-government when Wickersham stopped, the progressive Democrats are willing to have their aid.

The progressive Democrats stand for principles rather than men. They desire to utilize all in Alaska that stands fairly and squarely for self-government and progress as long as it so stands. They are not hero worshipers on the one hand nor bile-laden vengeance seekers on the other hand. They are marching forward—always forward—and they are glad when joined by those who may have formerly hampered rather than aided their progress. They will not refuse any man the right to stand up for Alaska. They are not blind, bigoted Bourbons. They would be glad to have Wickersham join them in their fight for self-government notwithstanding his many wanton betrayals of the cause—howbeit, they will never again cease to watch him.

Wickersham is coming to Alaska to make the hills ring with his denunciations of the administration. He is angry through and through because the President, Cabinet officers and Senators and Congressmen and all the others of high and low degree did not come

to him, and ask "what would you have?" He will attempt to convince people that it is the President's fault that he never met and talked with the chief executive of the Nation. "The President should have come to me—Wickersham—and asked for a chart and program," is the attitude.

By the way, the presence in Alaska of Dr. Coe and the near approach of Wickersham causes one to recall that when the late Legislature was in session Delegate Wickersham informed the members that he would get a law passed that would bring the insane of the Territory back to Alaska. He pledged that he would have an insane asylum located at Skagway. But Alaska's insane are still in Oregon. Some more "piffle in Washington and peddle in Alaska!"

Senator Sulzer stands for progress and efficiency. Senator Sulzer will not be a Delegate to Congress from Alaska for many months until he knows and is known by all the Senators and Representatives in Congress who are worth while and all the Cabinet officers who have anything to do with Alaska. He will go to Washington and get results.

## A GOOD CITIZEN GONE

(Port Townsend Leader)  
In the tragic death of Hon. D. S. Troy, of Chitum, Jefferson county and the State of Washington have lost the citizen who could least be spared. Progressive, industrious, generous, affable; combining keen business judgment with an open-handedness which could not bear to see a fellow man in trouble. His good acts were as numberless as the sands of the sea. Of a mental and moral calibre which had made him one of the biggest men in the State, and pointed away in the full vigor of manhood, with his work but partly done. Many a hopelessly involved farmer of the Northwest who has had the benefit of his advice and financial assistance will miss the friend who helped him over the hard places; many a prosperous man will long remember the spirit of loyalty and fairness which was his governing principle; many a friend will miss his jovial smile, warm hand clasp and never-failing word of encouragement. It is indeed a pity that the incomprehensible scheme of things should decree that the one most needed should be taken away. The memory of "Dave" Troy will be cherished for years by thousands of people of the State of Washington. The world would be a better place to live in if it contained more men cast in the same mold.

## FOR BETTER OR WORSE

(Fairbanks News-Miner)  
Whether or not road building in Alaska will be hastened through the passage of Delegate Wickersham's anti-road commission bill, now pending before Congress, is a question which should receive the serious consideration of Northerners, whose future prosperity depends largely upon the rapid improvement and extension of the elaborate system of wagon roads with which we have been provided by Colonel Richardson and his colleagues of the Alaska Road Commission.

The bill introduced by the Delegate empowers the Territorial Legislature to "alter, amend, modify or repeal" the act of Congress relating to the construction and maintenance of wagon roads and trails in Alaska and, if passed, might be used by the Territorial lawmakers to put an end to the commission of which Colonel Richardson is the moving spirit.

Knowing the hostile attitude of Delegate Wickersham toward the head of the road commission, we are inclined to regard the pending measure with suspicion. If approved by Congress it will prove a dangerous weapon in the hands of partisan legislators.

## NOT THE TIME TO CHANGE PILOTS

(Whitehorse Star)  
While nobody supposed for a minute that the country would go to the everlasting yew-trees if Mr. Hughes should be elected President, the fact that Woodrow Wilson has proven that he can safeguard the interests of the country during the most trying period through which it has ever passed, is sufficient inducement to the average voter to let well enough alone. That Mr. Hughes is an awfully nice man is not denied or even questioned. The majority of men are nice but odds of them would make a sad mess of sailing the ship of State. Therefore, as Mr. Wilson knows the course and as Mr. Hughes has never sailed it, the present is not an auspicious time for changing pilots. If Wilson had not made good, it would be different, but he has made good in the past, is making good in the present and will make good in the future. Vive la Wilson.

## A FUNNY SIGHT

(St. Louis Republic)  
A Republican candidate going up and down the country complaining about President Wilson's diplomatic appointments makes a funny sight. Ambassador Herrick, whose case pains Mr. Hughes so deeply, knew nothing about diplomacy when he went to Paris. He was president of a savings bank and an Ohio politician. Nevertheless, Herrick succeeded Henry White, a diplomat of long experience who knew France because he was educated there.

## GAG PUT ON DELEGATE

(Valdez Miner)  
It is a fortunate thing that those Fairbanksians put a gag on Delegate Wickersham before he worked further damage to our interior trail appropriation. Had he been permitted to have his way he would tear up the road and destroy all communication between the two towns to avenge his fancied grievance against the Road Commission. This is one Alaskan body that our Delegate has been forced to let alone; and the fact has galled him until he has become batty over it. It is a good thing for Valdez that the Fairbanks Chamber of Commerce stepped in and reminded the Hon. James that he was elected to serve all the people.

## HARD NUTS FOR HUGHES TO CRACK

(Philadelphia Record)  
Would you have recognized Huerta?  
Would you be in favor of intervention in Mexico?  
Would you urge universal compulsory military service?  
Would you have urged upon Congress an embargo on shipments of munitions to the Allies?  
Are you in favor of ship subsidies?  
What are your specific complaints against the Federal reserve system?  
What would you have done about Belgium and the Lusitania?

Dr. Alfred Hulse Brooks, head of the U. S. Geological Survey work in Alaska, who is enroute to this part of the Territory, told a Seattle reporter that he was neither a doctor of medicine nor a doctor of law; that the title which he bears was given to him by the people of Alaska, and that he values it more highly than any degree that could be conferred by a university. Dr. Brooks is a typical soughdog. Alaska has no firmer friend than this highly efficient official. Mining men in Alaska have learned to regard the opinion of Dr. Brooks above that of any other geologist in the country.—(Anchorage Times.)

The town will appreciate the early installation of the electric light and power system. We trust that at least the main street of Anchorage will be lighted, so that a person may get about during the hours of darkness with some degree of comfort as well as safety.—(Anchorage Times.)

It is worthy of note and commendation that the first group of railway laborers—three hundred in number—imported by the Alaskan Engineering Commission for work on the railway project are American citizens.—(Anchorage Times.)

# CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

## FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

MAKE YOUR SELLING TASK SHORTER by making your real estate ad LONGER. It's hard to tell a real estate story within the space of a few lines. Prospective buyers like to learn more, from your ad, than the mere fact that you have property to sell. It is good policy to give some real information about the property.

FOR SALE—All kinds of second hand furniture and stoves. In tent, next to Hyde's barn. Willoughby Ave. A2-1m.

FOR SALE—Restaurant and lunch room. Enquire Empire. Jy20tf.

FOR SALE—Big gas boat under construction at bargain. Apply P. O. Box 563, Douglas. 52

UNCALLED FOR suits for sale, \$5 and up. Club Tailors 71 Front St. tf.

FOR SALE—Rooming house, call phone 1202, over McMillan Bros, for particulars. a18

FOR SALE—One riding or driving pony. Enquire Wm. Geddes. A31.

FOR SALE or trade—Five-room house, and once acre land. Address P. O. Box 764. 822tf.

## FOR SALE—EFFICIENCY

FOR SALE—Correspondence scholarship. Efficiency never goes begging. The person who can do positively and thoroughly something that is useful is always in demand. ADDRESS SCHOLARSHIP, Empire. tf.

FOR SALE—Two General Electric motors in excellent condition. One 3 h. p. and one 1/4 h. p. Address Electric motor, Empire. tf.

FOR SALE—Two houses, newly built, 6 rooms in each, at corner of Sixth & Kennedy streets, Lot 1, Block 121. See Gust E. Anderson. —84

FOR SALE—3-room modern house, furnished, on lot 50x100. Enquire J. Plant, Third St. Douglas. 6t.

## SOMEBODY'S ALWAYS TAKING THE JOY OUT OF LIFE.

Next Monday is Labor Day. Yep, and we're win labor as usual.

## OUR OWN STUFF, SEE!

Names Is Names.  
L. M. Nutt is a fisherman, working at Ellamar. —

Things To Worry About  
"Wick" is coming back north again to tell what a great man "I am."

## WHY ARE ADS IMPORTANT TO WOMEN?

To read the store ads and to visit the stores is to run into the "temptation" to buy—and the best way to meet such a temptation is, usually, to yield to it.

## SMILES

No Alibi.  
"The war is doing me a good turn, anyhow."  
"In what way?"  
"I don't have to think up excuses for not taking my family to Europe this summer."—(Detroit Free Press.)

## Well, Y Not?

He (to new acquaintance)—How do you spell your first name?  
She E-d-y-t-h-e. How do you spell yours?  
He—J-y-m-e. — (Boston Transcript.)

## She Understood.

Aviator (home from the war on leave)—And then when you are up pretty high—three or four miles—and you look down, it's positively sickening. It is stupendous, awful. A great height is a fearful thing. I can tell you.  
Lady (feeling)—Yes, I can sympathize with you, poor boy. I feel just that way myself when I'm on top of a stepladder.—(Tiger.)

## Same Line.

"When I was a boy," said the gray-haired physician, who happened to be in a reminiscent mood, "I wanted to be a soldier; but my parents persuaded me to study medicine."  
"O, well," rejoined the sympathetic druggist, "such is life. Many a man with wholesale aspirations has to contend himself with a retail business."—(London Tit-Bits.)

## Innuendo.

"Wombat says he tries to put as good a face on things as possible."  
"He's the man to paint your portrait, old top."—(Kansas City Journal.)

## Easy and Sure.

"What would you do if you had £1,000,000?"  
"Oh, I don't know. Just sit down and watch my wife spend it, I suppose."—(London Answers.)

## No Use for It.

"Have you a \$5 bill that you don't know what to do with?"  
"Yes, here is one."  
"O, thank you. But, I say, this is counterfeited."  
"Well, you asked me for one I didn't know what to do with."—(Chicago Herald.)

## Many a married man's best friend

is his wife's husband.

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new \$500,000 high school.

Condensed Statement of the Condition of  
**The B. M. Behrends Bank**  
(As reported to the Territorial Banking Board)  
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS AUGUST 5, 1916

<b>Resources</b>	
Loans and discounts	\$ 738,751.09
Overdrafts	NONE
Bank building, furniture, etc.	46,773.83
U. S. and other bonds	225,959.15
Cash and due from banks	339,888.68
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,351,412.75</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>	
Capital	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	12,823.31
Deposits	1,238,590.44
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,351,412.75</b>

Women, nowadays, are ad-readers. They have learned that the worth-while things are advertised.

## What Will It Cost?

Those who have never tested the usefulness to them of the classified ads are apt to wonder about what the cost will be of securing, through advertising, the result they desire.

What is it costing you per day, to be out of work?  
What is it costing you per day, to be without a tenant for that house, apartment or store?

What is it costing you to have a vacant furnished room. What is it costing you to "get along" without needed help in your home, in your business?

Would the expense, each day, for a classified ad be greater than the expense incurred inevitably through trusting to luck about these things?

To use classified advertising, day by day, until you secure work, or a tenant, or help would involve a very slight expense compared with the loss to you inflicted by the lack of these.

## WHAT IS IT COSTING YOU NOT TO ADVERTISE,

## WANTED—Miscellaneous

ARE YOU A CANDIDATE for a business position? Conduct your campaign through the classified columns—a short and convincing campaign, ASSURING your ELECTION to the post you desire. Make it known to business men your FITNESS for the place—and, while you may have a good many candidates in opposition to you, you have an equal chance with any of them to win. 84.

WANTED—Twenty-five men a day with 25 cents each to bathe at the Pioneer Baths, including shower and excellent accommodations. A28.

WANTED—Strong boy not going to school. \$10.00 per week. Juneau Fruit Market. A29.

Lady wishes position as dentist's assistant with opportunity to learn mechanical dentistry. Box 325 Douglas. 82

WANTED—Girl for general household. Scandinavian preferred. Address Carbot's Boarding House, in Douglas. 30tf.

HIGHEST price paid for men's cast-off clothing, guns and jewelry. Club Tailor, 71 Front Street, Tel. 451. tf.

SINGER Sewing Machine Company distributing office for Alaska, Supplies and Repairs. Phone 125. 321 Franklin Street. tf.

ELDERLY and middle-aged men make money selling our hardy, guaranteed ornamental and fruit stock. Cash weekly. Outfit free. Experience unnecessary. Wash, Nursery Co., Toppensish, Wa. Au14tf.

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## BOARD and LODGING

GOOD home cooking and pleasant rooms at reasonable rates. Mrs. E. Emmons, Bay View House, formerly the St. George. Agt.

## JUNK DEALERS

United States Junk Company buys all kinds of metals and rubber. J. W. Fellx, manager; Cash Cole's Barn, Phone 2442. 2-29-tf

## MANICURING

MANICURING and furnished rooms, 634 Seward street. Jc19-1m

SEWING MACHINES, needles, oils and repairs at I. J. Sharick's. 5-15-tf

Fresh shrimps at Graff's. 8-1-tf.

## TURKISH BATHS

HILLSIDE BATH HOUSE—Turkish Needle, Steam, shower and tub baths. Dry and steam heat. 218 Front St. Phone 163. 11-16-tf.

CITY BATHS. Steam, shower, tub and Turkish baths. Emma E. Burke, proprietress, 329 Front Street, Phone 31-6. 11-16-tf.

## PROFESSIONAL

HARRY C. DEVIGHNE, M.D. Rooms 2, 3, 4, Mainy Bldg. Juneau, Alaska. Office 2302—Phone—Res. 2303

DR. P. J. MAHONE 412 Goldstein Bldg., office phone 822; house phone 823. Juneau . . . . . Alaska

WILLIAM PALLISTER, M.D. Physician and Surgeon Specialist in the treatment of diseases and deformities of the eye and ear, nose and throat. Glasses fitted. Office Juneau General Hospital. Phone 500

DR. D. A. GRIFFIN DENTIST Specialist on Pyorrhea and Prophyllactic work. All work guaranteed. Consultation Free. 335 Gold Street

DR. L. O. SLOANE Office Phone—18 House Phone—29-7

DR. LEONARD P. DAWES Surgeon and Physician Office First Nat Bank Bldg. Hours 10 to 12 m.; 1 to 4; and 7 to 9 p. m. Phone—2C-2; Res.—2505.

DR. A. J. PALMER Physician and Surgeon 108 Second Street Office Phone 4f3

DR. DOUGLAS BROWN Office 497 Goldstein Building Hours 10:30 to 11:30 a. m. 7 to 8 p. m. and by Appointment. Phone, office 458—residence 468

DR. MARTIN DAMOURETTE Physician and Surgeon Microscopic and Bacteriological Examinations San Francisco Bakery Block.

DR. E. H. KASER DENTIST 1 and 3 Goldstein Building Phone 55. Hours 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

DR. E. J. HALFORD DENTIST Seward Building Front & Franklin - Phone 193

WHITE & JENNE Dentists Valentine Bldg. Juneau

MISS ALBRECHT, Osteopath Swedish Massage, Medical Gymnastics. Expert treatment given in all cases requiring massage, diet and mechanical therapies. Rooms 410 Goldstein Building. Phone 232.

## MONEY LOANED

on personal property, diamonds, jewelry, notes and bonds. All business strictly confidential. J. Plant, broker and jeweler, Front St. 3-1-tf

## FURNISHED ROOMS

ROOM FOR RENT—114 Main St. tf

FOR RENT—Two sleeping rooms, team heat, plenty of hot water. Rent reasonable, good view. The Windsor, Phone 228. A 14.

FOR RENT—Nice furnished room with bath. Enquire over Juneau Drug Co. or phone 476. tf.

## HOUSES & FLATS FOR RENT

FLAT FOR RENT—Four-room modern flat with bath for rent. Apply I. Goldstein. Jy19tf.

FOR RENT—Four room cottage with bath room and range. Thomas, Juneau Hdw. Co. 85

FOR RENT—Two room partly furnished flat in the best part of Douglas. For particulars phone 26 Douglas. A21-tf.

COMPLETELY Furnished Apartments. Everything ready to move in. \$18 and up. Close in; good view. All outside rooms, Phone 228. Au14.

FOR RENT, 2 and 3-room furnished housekeeping suites; reasonable. "The cozy corner of Juneau." Cliff Apartments, near Court House. 2-11m.

FOR RENT—4-room housekeeping apartment with bath; also 2-room housekeeping apartment, both furnished. Sans Souci, Douglas. 5-2-1m

FOR RENT—Fairbanks Restaurant. Enquire of I. Goldstein. 7-2tf.

STORE FOR RENT, formerly occupied by Juneau Hardware Co., Front street, phone 303. a2tf

FOR RENT—Dining room. Enquire Circle City hotel. a31

## RUSSIAN BATHS

RUSSIAN STEAM BATHS open Wednesdays and Saturdays from 2 to 12 p. m. Hillside above Alaskan hotel. 5-20-1m

## DYEING AND CLEANING

PHONE 394, Moon Bros., for last class cleaning and pressing, 126 Front street.

## PALM READING

PALMIST—Come to the palmist. I tell you about work, business, marriage and the future. Get your fortune told. 306 Front Street. 4-5-1m

Dry Cleaning, Sponging and Pressing of clothes for men and women. Price Reasonable. I will call for and deliver. Repairing. JOHN TORVINEN, 112 Franklin St. Phone 252

WANTED—100 Men To Get Their suits pressed by the month for 62½¢ each. Moon