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JUNEAU, ALASKA, DECEMBER 14, 1912.

THE GROWTH OF JUNEAU ILLUSTRATED.

THE growth of Juneau—the direct cause of which is the extensive mining developments of the past few months—is indicated by a number of facts that are distinctly observable: There has been a marked increase of business of all kinds, according to the statements of men engaged in business occupations.

The increase of population has caused a scarcity of dwelling houses for rent, and enterprising citizens are now planning to relieve the demand by the building of numbers of cottages and houses for rental purposes.

The number of children in the public schools has increased so rapidly that the school building is overcrowded and the school board is casting around for suitable accommodation to take care of the overflow. This is one of the healthiest signs of progressive prosperity.

It will, therefore, become necessary for the educational welfare of the children of school age for the school board to see to it that permanent provision be made for their care. The education of its children is one of the first duties of the state, and it is a matter of much satisfaction to know that the children of Alaska are generally provided with schools of an excellent character, as is evidenced by the standing that those of them attain who graduate from Alaska schools to enter other schools and colleges of the States.

Juneau must prepare for a considerable further increase of population within the coming year, and thereafter, and no time should be lost in making the necessary preparations, if the fullest fruition is to be reaped from the increase of population, and the expansion of business which it will bring.

The Turkish peace plenipotentiaries won't sit in that peace conference unless the Greeks quit peppering the Turks with shot and shell. Looks as though the 'Turks did have "a kick coming."

FISHERMEN ESCAPE FROM PEONAGE.

JUNEAU'S halibut fishing industry has undergone a transformation within the past two weeks. The fishermen have emerged from a condition of servitude to Seattle, since they have been able to find a market at home for the product of their arduous and hazardous toil. New life, and a new spirit have been injected into the business of fishing, for the toilers of the sea are now no longer at the mercy of unscrupulous Seattle fish dealers.

The making of Juneau a buying center of the halibut industry by a Chicago company marks a distinctly new departure and it should, and will, stimulate its development in a substantial manner.

Mr. Brooks, who represents the Chicago concern, expects to ship out of the port of Juneau direct to Chicago one hundred thousand pounds of fresh halibut every week, which means the payment of about \$7,500 weekly from one firm alone to local fishermen—or more than \$30,000 a month. And the fishermen get their money here and are no longer the victims of the selfish, dishonest greed of Outside dealers to whom, perforce, hitherto they were compelled to ship their product.

What we have herein stated will serve to show the possibilities of the halibut industry at this port. Is it not well worth fostering, encouraging, advancing in every legitimate way? It seems to The Empire that it is high time its potential growth and importance were fully realized by the people of this section of Alaska.

Notary Public Clark, of Fairbanks, good easy man, was also a most accommodating official, when he took his pen and seal in hand. Wonder if he served all comers alike, or if he made an exception in the case of the Fairbanks bankers?

THROWING ROCKS AT THE MONROE DOCTRINE.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's darts are not likely to make any other will his assertion be taken seriously when he says that the United States has made Cubans pay heavily "for its assistance by undermining the independence of their country."

When Sir Wilfrid made this statement he was merely indulging in hyperbole—for political effect. The United States has not in any particular undermined the independence of Cuba. On the other hand Cuba has thrice been saved from itself by this country. Its independence has been preserved to the Cubans.

If it had been charged that the United States was policeman to Cuba and a few Central American alleged republics, we might have admitted the truth of the assertion, but to the credit of this nation be it said it has exercised almost more than a fatherly care over the Cuban people, since it was responsible for their independence in the first instance. To have left such a mercurial people to their own resources, after thrusting them suddenly into the light of freedom and liberty, would have been an open invitation to anarchy in its most virulent form.

Cuba has been compelled to pay for the cost incurred by the United States in restoring order in the island republic, but it cannot be truthfully charged that there was any injustice in that. That our intervention in Cuba was justified, is fully borne out by the progress that is being made toward permanent peaceful conditions and prosperity in that country.

The fly in the ointment of the people of other nations is our Monroe doctrine—something that is peculiarly our own and something that will be preserved and defended. But the passing of three quarters of a century has not reconciled them to it. And the near completion of the Panama Canal is arousing the jingo sentiment of other interested countries, and the ebullitions of their statesmen are to us merely airy persiflage. The Monroe doctrine is an American institution.

I. J. SHARICK JEWELER and OPTICIAN. Advertisement featuring an image of a watch and jewelry.

ON ACTING WELL YOUR PART.

FAME and honor and glory amount to little, after all is said and done. Men who but yesterday were high in the honor roll of nations tomorrow are forgotten. It is truly only the evil that men do that lives after them: the good is too often interred with their bones.

The brave deeds of heroes are writ in the history of their grateful country, to be sure, but even history grows dim and musty and in the course of ages it becomes befogged and beclouded with mythology and tradition. Of course our means of preserving history are vastly improved upon that of ancient times, but it is not so long in the life of this world since some of the greatest men of all the ages, sang, wrote, lived, worked, suffered and died. Does not one recall "seven ancient cities claimed the Homer dead, through which the living Homer begged his bread?"

But yet again: "Honor and fame from no condition rise; act well your part for there the honor lies."

Troubles never come singly. Here's Thomas W. Lawson, of Boston, using grape and canister on Wall street, and now Congress threatens to take the stock gamblers by the neck.

In the meantime let us get busy on that federal building project.

A GIN DAISY AND A SABBATH CALM

Any man or woman interested in adding a few sterling recipes for delectable drinks cannot do better than take their notebooks and pencils with them to David Belasco's production of the new Hattaway comedy, "Years of Discretion," which that manager will present at Power's Theatre presently. Bruce McRae, in the character of Michael Doyle, a one-time bartender, now grown to a position of power in New York politics and society, is the author of the recipes, and Frederic and Fanny Hutton, who wrote the play, are the owners of the copyright thereto.

"Ye snow it first (fill glass cracked ice, presumably), then half one big lemon and half one baby lime, twisted till they weep, three little triplets of Gordon gin and a beautiful, passionate, feminine pink jigger of grenadine. Then a wicked taste of old monk, yellow chartreuse—fizzy water up to the shaker top and a bit of bar twirl. There's your Gin Daisy."

SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION.

In the District Court for the District of Alaska, Division No. 1, at Juneau.

First National Bank of Juneau, Plaintiff, vs. Ellen G. Bach, Frank Bach, Northwest Rubber Company, Schwabacher Bros. & Co., Inc., defendants.

To the NORTHWEST RUBBER COMPANY and SCHWABACHER BROS. & CO., Inc., defendants, GREETING: In the name of the United States of America and pursuant to an order of the above entitled Court in the above entitled cause made on the 5th day of November, 1912, you and each of you are hereby commanded to be and appear in the above entitled court holden at Juneau, in said Division, in said Territory, and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action within thirty days from the date of the last publication hereof; and if you fail so to appear and answer for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for and the Court will grant the relief demanded in said complaint, to-wit: Judgment on a promissory note against Frank Bach, in the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), with interest thereon at the rate of twelve per cent (12 per cent) per annum, from the 24th day of May, 1909; one hundred dollars (\$100.00) attorney's fees; together with its costs and disbursements herein incurred; further for a decree foreclosing a certain mortgage upon certain property situate in Douglas, Alaska, against all the defendants herein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the above entitled court this 5th day of November, 1912. E. W. PETTY, Clerk.

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The United States of America, District of Alaska.

WHEREAS, on the 13th day of December, 1912, B. B. Metz and P. M. Plisk filed a libel in the District Court of the United States for the District of Alaska, against the launch "Murrelet" her boats, tackle, apparel and furniture, in a cause of wages Civil and Maritime.

AND WHEREAS, by virtue of process in due form of law, to me directed, returnable on the 13th day of January, 1913, I have seized and taken the said launch "Murrelet" and have her in my custody. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a District Court will be held in the United States Court Room in the City of Juneau, on the 13th day of January, 1913, for the trial of said premises, and the owner or owners, and all persons who may have or claim any interest, are hereby cited to be and appear at the time and place aforesaid, to show cause, if any they have, why a final decree should not pass as prayed.

H. L. FAULKNER, U. S. Marshal, Shackelford & Bayless, proctors for libellants. First date of publication Dec. 13, last date, Jan. 1, 1913.

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