

## The Douglas Island News.

### THE LOCAL FIELD.

Read the Opera House ad.

Ohman's Hall is on Third street.

Furnished house to let. See Charles Wortman.

Novelties in gent's neckwear at the Treadwell Store.

The best lager beer on earth always on tap at Ohman's.

The big 300-stamp mill at Treadwell started up last Friday.

Judge Bach made a trip to Berner's Bay the first of the week.

New line of Men's underwear and fancy hose at Lindstrom's.

New furnishings in up-to-date styles just arrived at Lindstrom's.

Mr. W. C. Angell, of Treadwell, is a recent subscriber to the News.

Mr. and Mrs. Calhoun, of Juneau, were visiting in the city Sunday.

Have you seen those Silk Crepes in all shades at the Treadwell Store.

See the announcement in the Douglas Opera House ad for this week.

Ed. Mack, the Juneau print, was over calling on his Douglas friends Sunday.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new saw mill wharf. Mr. Slater has charge.

C. A. Lindstrom carries the most complete stock of clothing and furnishing goods.

Ladies', Men's and Children's shoes, the largest assortment in the city, at Lindstrom's.

The largest assortment of gentlemen's shoes ever brought to Alaska, at Frank Bach's.

Just received a large assortment of Men's hats and caps at Lindstrom's popular store.

Tinsel cloth is the latest fad for evening wear. Large assortment at the Treadwell Store.

A new Native Presbyterian church is being erected on the beach near the Friends Mission Chapel.

Our good friend Mr. E. S. Churchill has our thanks for a liberal supply of those large, juicy clams.

It is reported that Henry Olson has married a wife in Sweden and is on his way back to Douglas City.

Try Ball's Dyspepsia Cordial, a preparation made by Dr. Robert L. Ball. For sale at the Club saloon.

Mrs. John Ledbetter expects to start about May 1st for a visit with friends and relatives at Fargo, N. D.

You are cordially invited to inspect the new goods that are arriving on almost every boat, at Lindstrom's.

A letter from Louie Steen at Dawson City announced that he would start for God's country on or about the 22nd inst.

John McNeil bade goodbye to his friends on Douglas Island last Friday and departed on the Humboldt for the States.

The rainy season has set in and you may need a new umbrella. Call and look at our new line, just received, at Fox's.

Chas. Baldwin, Fred Cottrell and Fred Cook left last Friday for a hunt on Admiralty Island. They returned last night.

The family of W. C. Angell came down from Skagway on the Senator and are stopping at the home of Mr. Neah Guttridge.

Alex Smallwood is at the St. Ann Hospital, suffering from stomach trouble. His many friends hope for his speedy recovery.

It will pay you to look over our spring and summer line of samples just received from the Royal Tailors. P. H. Fox, Agent.

Chas. A. Fox, August Feil, M. J. O'Connor and Victor Spaulding returned last night from a shooting trip on Admiralty Island.

Mr. Goldberg, of Seattle, who sells the popular General Arthur cigars, was in the city last week and made a pleasant call at the News office.

Mrs. A. Lilystrand came up last week on the Senator from her home in Tacoma. She has many friends in Douglas who were glad to see her again.

WANTED.—Capable, reliable person in every county to represent large company of solid financial reputation; \$936 salary per year, payable weekly; \$3 per day, absolutely sure and all expenses; straight, bona-fide, definite salary, no commission; salary paid each Saturday and expense money advanced each week. STANDARD HOUSE, 334 Dearborn St., Chicago.

## Juneau's Coming Event.

Preparations are going steadily forward in Kaufman Bros.' place at Juneau toward getting all the decorations in shape for their coming Spring Opening next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. These decorations will be the principal feature on this occasion, and on a very elaborate scale. The amount of novelties and immense variety and high character of the goods which this enterprising firm has been opening up lately will certainly astonish all visitors. In these respects Kaufman Bros. can certainly hold their own with the very best concerns on the Pacific Coast this season. Knowing full well the excellent taste of the decorators employed by the firm, we should certainly advise all the ladies of Douglas, and the gentlemen, too, for that matter, to go over next week and spend a pleasant afternoon viewing their exhibition.

### HURRAH FOR WILLIS.

The Treadwell city council held its first meeting last evening and elected the following officers: Mayor, R. J. Willis; president pro tem, G. L. Grant; Clerk, R. R. Rogers; treasurer, Jos. MacDonald.

Mr. C. W. Higgins, Pacific coast agent of the Armour Packing Co., was in the city yesterday and in company with Mr. W. Gould made a short call at the News office. Mr. Higgins has just returned from a trip to Dawson. On his way out from Dawson to White Horse he met 657 men, 42 women, 2 children, 283 sleighs, 284 horses, 10 mules, 134 dogs, 11 bicycles and 20 oxen. He was 5½ days in making the trip and the volume of travel to the interior may be estimated from the above figures.

### ICE CREAM.

Mrs. Gallwas will open up an ice cream parlor at her home in the Marks cottage, on Second street, beginning next Sunday afternoon.

### READING ROOM.

On and after April 1st the front room of Judge Gillette's office will be open as a reading and study room for young men who have leisure hours at their disposal. From henceforth it is hoped that they may not be compelled to spend their time in the bar rooms of the town in order to find a comfortable place to read or study in.

They will only be disturbed during trials, and are welcome to come and go at their own pleasure.

L. R. GILLETTE.

For something new and stylish go to Lindstrom's.

We have the finest line of rubber goods ever carried in this city, consisting of combination hot water bags and fountain syringes, hot water bottles, plain and flannel covered, rubber gloves, seamless; all sizes. Douglas City Pharmacy.

Marshal Edmonds made a trip to Sumdum last week, returning Sunday, to serve a warrant on John Morello, who is accused of the grave crime of conducting a restaurant without a government license.

Mrs. G. L. Johnson left on the steamer Senator for a visit at her former home at Republic, Mich. Gus bears the distinction of being one of the first of this year's crop of summer widowers.

A gentleman from New York was promenading the streets of Douglas, and meeting an old timer, asked who carried the largest stock of shoes in town. Lindstrom does, of course.

A large iceberg floated in and lodged on the beach at Treadwell last week. Mr. Corbus has it photographed in several different positions. He also has a negative of the 300 that is perfect.

The sad news reaches us that Mr. A. Hunter is very sick at San Francisco. His complaint is what is called miner's consumption, and his physicians have no hope of his recovery.

Mr. Art Putman returned home last Saturday evening on the Excelsior and those who had contemplated going to Valdes from Douglas have decided to abandon the project.

Excavation work is in progress for an addition to the assayer's department at Treadwell. A new furnace of the most improved type will take the place of the old one.

The meeting of the Douglas Island Chamber of Commerce held last Friday evening was one of the most harmonious in the history of that organization.

Gents, now is your time to place your order for a spring and summer suit of clothes, made to your measure. A fit guaranteed. P. H. Fox, Agent.

Mrs. J. M. Hall, accompanied by her two bright little children, made the News office a short visit last Monday afternoon.

### A HUNTER'S PARADISE.

C. N. Replogle, E. S. Churchill, Joe McComb and John McWilliams returned on Tuesday of last week from a hunting trip over in the vicinity of Bear creek, on Admiralty Island. They brought home an abundance of deer meat, besides ducks and grouse, and a goodly supply of large, fat, juicy clams. The tale they tell of their experiences is so full of those points that make a huntsman's fingers itch, that already two parties have left Douglas for the camp on Bear creek. They had with them two dogs; one a half Siwash cur and the other a bird dog. Neither of these had ever seen a live deer before, but they surprised their masters by exhibiting a natural ability in hunting and capturing these wily animals.

The crust on the snow was not strong enough to hold the bird dog and after a few attempts he repaired to the beach and awaited developments. But "Siwash" was in his element and could frisk about on the white crust with perfect safety. He took to the timber and soon his vigorous bark revealed the fact that he was on to something. Down through the brush, over fallen trees, waded the frightened deer, delayed in its movements by the deep snow in which it sank at every step.

In a few minutes he reached the beach, swept clear of snow by the action of the tides. But here it was that the bird dog began his part of the performance. The deer immediately took to the water and was making rapid strides for safety when the bird dog, who unhesitatingly followed him in his frigid bath, climbed on his back and grabbed a convenient ear in his teeth to balance himself. His deership resented this arrangement and, ducking his head, threw the dog in the water. The dog climbed on again, and the performance was repeated several times, until it was a question whether the dog would drown the deer or the deer drown the dog. A rifle shot from the shore striking the deer in the spine settled the contest in the dog's favor.

Alaska abounds in just such opportunities for sport and we are glad to note that the party above mentioned refrained from killing more game than they could use, and did not mar the event by ruthless slaughter.

### K. OF P. SMOKER.

Last Thursday evening North Star Lodge, No. 2, K. of P. of this city, gave one of their enjoyable smokers. We were fortunate enough to receive an invitation, and the appointed hour found us on hand.

On entering the hall we discovered quite a number of small tables, already surrounded by an eager, laughing crowd, engaged in card playing. Chalk pipes and tobacco were liberally distributed about the room and everybody was having a good time.

We joined the players and after being badly beaten in two games of whist we were ready for the program that followed.

A male quartette composed of H. R. Elliott, J. E. Haman, L. R. Gillette and George Burford discoursed sweet music for awhile. A lunch consisting of sandwiches and coffee, lemonade, fruit and cigars was served, after which Messrs. Elliott and Burford entertained the assembly with mandolin and guitar music.

Chancellor Commander Shepard took the chair, and after a few appropriate remarks announced a recitation (one of Kipling's poems) by Judge Gillette. Then followed impromptu speeches and several choruses, in which all joined, and another song by the quartet, after which all were surprised to find that the hour was very late.

The boys in the K. of P. Lodge are royal entertainers and the Lodge is composed of a class of gentlemen that one likes to associate with.

### "GOD BLESS THE STARS AND STRIPES."

Mr. O. M. Bernard returned last week from a short sojourn at the British city of White Horse, where he has been as representative of the New York Life Ins. Co.

He is very indignant at the treatment received by the American laborer in that country. "Almost invariably the bright, go-ahead, capable up-to-date laborer is an American," said Mr. Bernard. "And yet they are mistreated and made to stand aside for the incompetent Britisher at every possible opportunity. Americans who have bought property at White Horse and built for themselves homes there, are now not sure that they will be allowed to work."

After getting an insight into the conditions that exist there, Mr. Bernard comes home with the feeling that the United States is good enough for him, and says emphatically, "God bless the Stars and Stripes."

Wanted.—A partner in the hardware business. Tinner preferred. Charles Wortman, Douglas.

## SPRING GOODS

Are now arriving in large quantities. Our selections have been made with even more than our usual care and we are particularly strong in our Ready to Wear Line for Ladies. \* \* \* \* \*

WE ARE SHOWING OUR SPRING LINE OF

Ladies' Ready-Made Suits  
Ladies' Skirts & Petticoats  
Dress Goods  
Neckwear and Belts  
Wallpaper and Lineoleums

WE INVITE YOUR INSPECTION

## S. BLUM & CO.

JUNEAU.

## Douglas Opera House

S. GIUS, Prop.

## Show Every Night

by a

### First-Class Vaudeville Company

Commencing Monday night, April 1st, two of the members of the famous Colored Quartette will sing every night at the Free Show

## A Family Show

will be given on

## FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 5

The Skagway Colored Quartette will sing

The Douglas Steam Laundry will do your work with neatness and dispatch. Give them a trial and see if they don't please

## The Comet

SAMPLE ROOM

### LEMP'S BEER

"There's nothing too good for THE BOYS."

ED. CASEBOLT, Proprietor.

108 Front Street

JUNEAU, ALASKA.

## THE LEADING EVENT OF THE COMING SEASON

NEXT MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

April 1st, 2nd and 3rd

## KAUFMAN BROS.

## SPRING OPENING

OF MILLINERY AND NOVELTIES IN LADIES' WEAR.

All the Ladies and general public of Douglas and Treadwell are cordially invited to be present.