

## No Hope For Dietrich Bill PASSES AWAY

United States senate sidetracks Gov. Brady's pet measure for government of Alaska. No aid for railroads at the present session.

(Special Dispatches to Daily Alaskan.)

Washington, Feb. 27—The bill introduced by Senator Dietrich providing for the government of Alaska by a commission consisting of seven members one of whom shall be the governor and which was strongly endorsed by Gov. Brady and others has been sidetracked and will not be passed upon by the senate. There is hope that the bill providing for an elective delegate in congress will go through.

### NO RAILROAD AID THIS YEAR

Washington, Feb. 27—The bill authorizing the construction of a railroad from Valdez to Eagle and providing for a government guarantee of interest will not pass at this session.

### George S. Boutwell Dies of Pneumonia

[Special Dispatch to Daily Alaskan.] Groton, Mass., Feb. 27—George Sewell Boutwell, former governor of Massachusetts, United States senator and secretary of the treasury, died at this place this morning of pneumonia.

George S. Boutwell was born at Brookline, Mass., January 28, 1818. He was a democratic governor of Massachusetts in 1852-3, a republican member of congress 1863-9, secretary of the treasury in the cabinet of President Grant 1869-73, a republican senator 1873-77. He was one of the leaders in the anti-imperialistic movement, and as such supported Bryan in 1900 and Parker in 1904.

## Hard Fighting at Mukden

Oyama and Kuropatkin begin fourth day's fighting after a temporary suspension of hostilities. Advantages up to last night with Japanese.

(Special Dispatches to the Daily Alaskan.)

St. Petersburg, Feb. 27—Fierce fighting has been resumed at Mukden. The battle that has been raging for three days ceased last night, but the engagement was taken up at noon today and the fighting is furious.

Mukden, Feb. 26—via St. Petersburg, Feb. 27—From Friday morning until late this afternoon, three days, a terrible battle raged between the Russians and Japanese near this place. The fury of the battle subsided this evening. As a result of the fighting the Japanese have gained a slight advantage.

### IS COMING

Steamship Jefferson Sails for Skagway

[Special Dispatch to Daily Alaskan.] Seattle, Feb. 27—The Jefferson sailed for Skagway with passengers, freight and mail Saturday night.

The Bertha sailed for Valdez, Seward and other Alaskan points Saturday night.

The Jefferson will be due at Skagway, Wednesday, and she should have four days' mail.

### Populations Gains

The stork is doing his best to increase the population of Skagway. He brought two sweet little girls to town yesterday. One of them was left at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Coleman in the north end of town. The other has become a member of the family of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Achison, at Broadway and Fifteenth avenue. Dr. Runnals, attending physician at both homes, says all parties are doing well.

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## MAN DIES VETOES IT ON LEVEL

Seattle Hotel Man Passes Away

[Special Dispatch to Daily Alaskan.] Seattle, Wash., Feb. 27—Hiram S. Stevers, the well known hotel man, died yesterday afternoon of inflammation of the liver. He was 43 years of age and leaves a mother, two brothers and three sisters.

### Banquet at Juneau

A banquet will be given Gov. Brady at Juneau Wednesday evening. A telegraphic invitation to be present was received by J. J. Daly, president of the Skagway chamber of commerce, today.

### New Music at Pack Train

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Gov. Mead Puts Quietus On Tacoma

[Special Dispatch to Daily Alaskan.] Olympia, Feb. 27—Gov. Mead vetoed the bill providing for the submission of the question of the removal of the capital from Olympia to Tacoma to a vote of the people this morning. It will be impossible to pass the bill over the governor's veto.

The people of Olympia are highly elated over the action of the governor.

### Notice to Coal Consumers

On and after Wednesday, March 1, 1905, all coal will be sold for cash on delivery only. Shaw & Johnson, P. C. Dock, Skagway, Feb. 27, 1905. 3t.

### Railroad Restaurant

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Engineers Recommend a Canal at Sea Level

[Special Dispatches to Daily Alaskan.] Washington, Feb. 27—The government engineers recommend a sea level canal across the isthmus of Panama. It is estimated that the canal will cost \$230,500,000. It will take from 10 to 12 years to construct the canal.

## BIG FIRE

New Orleans Swept With Conflagration

[Special Dispatch to Daily Alaskan.] New Orleans, Feb. 27—A terrible conflagration visited this city last night. The water front of the entire city was swept. All the docks and warehouses were destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$5,000,000.

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### CITY COUNCIL MEETS TONIGHT

There will be a special meeting of the city council this evening. It will be the first meeting since the first Monday in the present month.

Among the matters that will come up for consideration tonight will be the election ordinance and the resignation of the members of the school board.

Mayor Keller will return to Whitehorse Wednesday to remain there for another week, so the council meeting tonight is likely to be the last one for two weeks.

**Passengers for Tanana**

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