

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST AROUND TOWN

The steamer Admiral Evans is due here on her southbound trip Friday morning.

The freighter Latouche is in port today.

Robert A. Lilly, of Fort Gibbon, is a town visitor.

Dr. and Mrs. Berthold of Seattle are Cordova visitors.

Miss Esther Traversy of Seattle is spending a few days in Cordova.

Mr. and Mrs. Swindland of Ruby, are here on their way to the states on a visit.

S. H. Palmer and wife, of Pleasantville, N. Y., are spending a few days here.

John Marshall and Alex Graham of Juneau, were arrivals in town on the Northwestern.

L. H. Carvey, Fred Hotchkiss and Geo. Madden, who are doing some extensive placer mining in the Nizina district, came to Cordova on yesterday's train, having finished their work for the summer.

United States Commissioner Wm. O'Connor, of Chitina, and P. L. Schwartz, in charge of the native school in the interior, came to town to attend the hearing conducted by the bureau of fisheries.

Miss Perqueta Courtney, Miss Barbara Bronell and Bobby Mack, members of the Ellis vaudeville show, arrived on yesterday's boat and will make their initial appearance at the Empress theater tomorrow night.

Cards have been received announcing the engagement of our former young townsman, Craig P. Hazlet, son of George C. Hazlet to Miss Frances C. Gillman of Detroit. The date of the wedding has not as yet been set.

Col. Jas. G. Steese, president of

the Alaska road commission, and Dan A. Jones, superintendent in charge of the work in the Third and Fourth divisions, left on this morning's train on a tour of inspection of the Chitina trail.

A total of \$1,337.55 has been received from the recent Salvation Army drive. The list of contributors from Kennecott, McCarthy, Strelina and China will be published tomorrow.

Delegate Geo. B. Grigsby and Attorney General Jeremiah Murphy, Democratic nominees for re-election will arrive here tonight on a launch from Valdez and address a mass meeting at Empress theater on Saturday night.

Special meeting of the Red Cross is called to discuss the ways and means of caring for the destitute Indians of the Copper river valley and every member is urgently requested to be present at Eagle club rooms Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Recently the Daily Times stated that the natives of the Copper river valley were rapidly dying off, which upon investigation appears to be erroneous. When the official count of these people was taken in 1885 there were 366 and this year there are 332, with only a loss in population of thirty-four in 35 years.

There will be a meeting held in Eagle lodge room tomorrow night at eight o'clock for the purpose of relieving the destitute condition of the natives of the Copper river valley. Everybody is invited to attend. P. L. Schmartz, who is in charge of the government school at Chitina, will be present and tell the exact condition of these people.

HAS NICE GOLF COURSE BUT BUM MAIL SERVICE

Unalaska boasts of being one of the most up-to-date towns in Alaska, possessing a nine-hole golf course. It also has tennis courts and a baseball diamond.

And it complains, not boasts, of having one of the poorest mail services in existence, requiring 14 days to get a letter from Seward to Chignik, only a few hundred miles. This is said to be one of its greatest drawbacks to development.—Gateway.

EMPRESS WILL HAVE NIGHT OF VAUDEVILLE

An item of more than ordinary interest to local theatre goers is the announcement of the Empress theater management to the effect that the Ellis vaudeville company will appear here tomorrow night.

This company arrived on the steamship Northwestern after completing a tour of principal cities in South-eastern Alaska and, according to press clippings from Juneau and Ketchikan newspapers the organization is of a calibre far ahead of any like aggregation seen locally in some time. The program of the visiting vaudevillians is said to be replete with a variety of all that is new in popular songs and latest dances while the comedian of the organization, Bobby Mack, offers some unusually ludicrous comedy sketches and songs; Barbara Bronell is said by the company's manager to be the best specialty dancer ever seen locally and her program tomorrow is composed of toe-dancing, folk dancing and the ever popular soft shoe dancing. Perqueta Courtney is billed as a singer of "peppery jazz" numbers and comes with many laudatory press notices from principal circuit theaters from outside.

The company is unquestionably an excellent organization of entertainers and judging from advance information their offering tomorrow night will be well worth while.

ALASKA PIONEERS HOLD WEDDING CELEBRATION

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rothenberg of Nenana recently celebrated their thirty-fourth wedding anniversary. They were married at Saginaw, Mich., in 1886 and mushed over the Chilkoot pass in 1899 and have spent 21 years of their married life in Alaska. They were pioneers in the Chicken creek district in the Forty-Mile country.

ATTENTION F. O. E.
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One lot Solid Pack Tomatoes in 2 1-2 pound tins, while they last, per can - - - - - 20c.

Several cases of preserves in tins containing 1 pound and 9 ounces net, known as a 2 pound tin. We have them in the following varieties--Black-berry, Peach, Pear, Plum, and Quince. Regular value, 75c and \$1.00 per tin, special, per tin - 50c.

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