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ALASKA AT HEAD OF RELIEF FUND DONATION TABLE

Territory First in Subscriptions Per Capita to European Relief Fund.

In subscriptions to the relief of starving European children, Alaska stands at the head of the United States on the National collection, according to advices received today by Gov. Thomas Riggs from National headquarters. Alaska's quota, on the basis of \$33,000,000 for the entire country, had been fixed by the Control Committee for the European Council at \$10,000, while the total fund raised by the Territory is approximately \$22,000, according to Gov. Riggs, who acted as Territorial chairman in the campaign.

In a letter just received by Gov. Riggs from H. L. Guttererson, of the Control Committee, it is stated: "It is with greatest pleasure that we are able to tell you that Alaska stands at the head of the United States on the National collection. Basing our original estimate for each locality on a readjustment of the Red Cross war drive quota down to a \$33,000,000 basis, we had put Alaska down at \$10,000. Your letter, stating that you will realize approximately \$22,000, assures Alaska of the first place by a very large margin."

Hawaii Is Second

"It may be interesting to you to know that the Hawaiian Islands is second, New Hampshire third, Oregon fourth, Rhode Island fifth, Minnesota sixth, South Dakota seventh, Michigan eighth, Alabama ninth and Arizona tenth."

"One fact stands out in the collection and that is that the type of state—agricultural or industrial—the geographic location of the state, or the economic and financial conditions, have little or no effect on the campaign. The success of failure of the campaign has obviously been in every case due to the ability, energy and interest of the state chairmen and their committees."

Total Up to Date

"We have succeeded in raising in cash to date \$27,750,000. In addition to this, we have certain other resources and expectancies from a few states that have not yet finished, which will bring us well over \$29,000,000. In view of the fact that the original program was made up early last fall, when the price of foodstuffs was considerably higher than at the present time, this sum of money will adequately cover the program laid out by the European Relief Council and so we can close knowing that we have carried on the only successful National Collection since the war and also knowing that it has been done at a lower cost than any national campaign that we know of. The cost has been less than two and one-half per cent."

Many Small Subscribers

"One interesting feature of the campaign has been the innumerable small subscribers. The plight of the European children has appealed to the American imagination far beyond what we thought it would and the knowledge that the money was being expended under the direction of Mr. Hoover and by the four largest relief organizations in this country inspired confidence among givers of every class."

"Please accept our most hearty appreciation of your co-operation and congratulations on the responses that the good people of Alaska have given to you and your committee."

KEGEL CASE TO JURY.

The case of the U. S. vs. Paul Kegel, recently indicted by the Grand Jury on two counts charging alleged illegal possession of intoxicating liquor and selling the same, was before Judge Fred M. Brown in the United States District Court this forenoon. Only three witnesses were introduced, Kegel taking the stand in his own defense and denying the charge.

The jury took the case about 11:30 o'clock this forenoon and was still out at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The jury is composed of George E. Cleveland, T. H. Ashby, Robert J. Cragg, A. Randall, J. H. Kline, George Oswald, John A. Davis, J. L. McCloskey, Oscar Harri, Otto Bernhard, George E. Coury, and Andrew Delgard.

James A. Smiser, United States District Attorney, represented the government and Grocer C. Winn, the defendant.

SALVATION ARMY GIRLS TO DEVOTE BALANCE OF THEIR LIVES TO LEPERS

HONOLULU, T. H., April 11.—Three Salvation Army women from the European corps passed through Honolulu recently on their way to Java to devote the remainder of their lives to work among the leper there. All were under thirty years of age. They were Captain Germaine Muller from France; Captain Mary Olvick from Norway and Captain Elizabeth Brooks from England. Members of the party said there were 3,000 lepers in Java.

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DR. HENRY VAN DYKE.



Dr. Henry Van Dyke, who has long been pastor of the Brick Presbyterian Church of New York city, and also a professor in Princeton University, says that "no art is exempt in the moral law" and that ridicule will kill immodest dress and indecent dances. He is unimpressed by the alarming reports on the present day standards and calls for an invention by some for the torment of imbeciles. One of his firm beliefs is that good music, like good books, will always exert dominating influence.

CHILDREN MUST ATTEND SCHOOL SAYS NEW BILL

Compulsory Education Bill Is Introduced Today in The Senate.

A compulsory education measure was introduced in the Senate this morning by Senator Britt, by request. The measure to be known as S. B. 43, compels the education of children between the ages of 7 and 17, prohibits employment of such children by corporations, persons or association of persons, and fixes penalties.

The bill provides that no child between the ages of 7 and 17 shall be kept out of school and if parents or guardians are found guilty of violating the act, a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$25, is provided for each offense.

Corporations, persons or association of persons must not employ children of the required school age, when schools are in session. If the act is violated, and they are found guilty, a fine of not less than \$1 nor more than \$25 is provided.

United States marshals and their deputies and regular appointed policemen are designated as "attendance officers" to assist in enforcing the provisions of the act.

Native Question Up.

R. E. Robertson submitted a communication to the Senate this morning, relative to conditions prevailing among certain natives at or near Seldovia. The communication embraced one from Juanita Anderson, of Seldovia, written on March 22, 1921, and also a communication from Judge Fred M. Brown.

The communication from Miss Anderson touched on deplorable conditions of morals of certain natives on Kenai Peninsula, and also bringing out the fact there are no provisions for native children being held over by juvenile judges or the Board of Children's Guardians as provided in Chapter 32, Session Laws of 1913. Subsequently this act was amended by the Legislature of 1917, in Chapter 16.

The question at issue is morality of native girls, several flagrant cases of immoral ways being cited. Judge Brown suggested that the Legislature, if possible, should create some fund which would be under the control of the Board of Children's Guardians to relieve native cases of distress and sickness.

In accordance with the expressions of Judge Brown, the communications were referred to the Senate and these were given into the hands of the Educational Committee today.

PORT O' MISSING MEN.

Inquiries for three men have been received by the Governor's Office, assistance being asked for locating them. L. B. McCallum, of Portland, Ore., asks aid in locating James R. Shorts, who, it is said, works in Alaska during the summer and returns to Seattle each winter. Mathias Nelson Vig, reported to have come to Alaska some 30 or 32 years ago, is sought by Mrs. Alvin C. Severson, of Inwood, Iowa. Two inquiries were also received from J. K. Bell. Information of value can be communicated to the Governor's Office or direct to the person making the inquiries.

KETCHIKAN COURT TERM POSTPONED FOR 2 WEEKS

The term of the Ketchikan Court was called this morning and upon orders of United States District Judge Robert W. Jennings, Clerk J. W. Bell gave notification of a postponement of the Court for two weeks, or until April 25.

JOHNSON FOUND NOT GUILTY BY JURY OF TWELVE

Former Deputy Is Freed from Charges of Alleged Liquor Violations.

George L. Johnson has been found not guilty of alleged violations of the liquor laws, the Grand Jury having recently indicted him on 11 counts, five of which were dismissed last week upon instructions of the United States District Attorney.

The verdict, read in the United States District Court, Judge Fred M. Brown, presiding, when the court opened this morning, was a sealed one. It was returned last Saturday night at 10:30 o'clock after the jury had been out since Friday afternoon.

The counts, Johnson was found not guilty of, were alleged illegal possession of intoxicating liquor on June 12, August 30 and September 12 and alleged importation of said liquor from Prince Rupert.

Many ballots were taken by the jury. The first ballot is said to have been 7 to 5 for acquittal. From then until the final ballot there were many changes, at one time, a ballot being 9 to 3 for conviction. During the time the jury was out separate ballots were taken on the six different counts. It is understood the uncorroborated evidence of Fred M. Magill proved the weaker. Finally the majority of the jury induced the others to only consider the evidence and a quick verdict was then returned.

H. L. Faulkner and Henry Roden defended Johnson and Assistant District Attorney Walter Schaffner represented the Government.

The Johnson case was perhaps one of the most important criminal cases before the present session of the United States District Court, Johnson, at the time of the alleged offenses, of which he has been found not guilty, was a Deputy United States Marshal, stationed at Douglas. The trial excited much attention, the court room being crowded while it was in progress and great interest manifested while the jury was deliberating.

EDWARD JOHNSON GUILTY.

A jury in Judge Fred M. Brown's trial room of the United States District Court, late Saturday afternoon found Edward Johnson guilty of four of the counts he was indicted upon recently by the Federal Grand Jury. These counts charged alleged violations of the liquor laws, having liquor in his possession, manufacturing, intoxicating liquor and having an unregistered still.

M'MILLAN DAMAGE CASE.

Arguments will probably be presented in the United States District Court this afternoon before Judge Robert W. Jennings in the damage case of Dan MacMillan against the Alaska Juneau Gold Mining Company. Rebuttal testimony was presented this forenoon and part of the afternoon. It is quite probable the case will go to the jury today.

NEW FISHING CONCERN INCORPORATES HERE

The Sea Coast Packing Company, with head offices in Seattle, filed articles of incorporation with the Secretary of the Territory today, declaring that they intend doing a general fishing business in the State of Washington and the Territory of Alaska and designating Will H. Winston of Ketchikan as their attorney in Alaska.

The incorporators are Bernhard and Robert Lindenberg. The capital stock in the company is placed at \$50,000, divided into 500 shares of \$100 each.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Lawrence Reedy, employment agent for the Alaska Gastineau Mining Company, has been at St. Ann Hospital for several days suffering from stomach trouble. He is reported improved in health.

Chief of Police T. E. P. Keegan is at St. Ann Hospital suffering from a slight indisposition.

TWO OIL PERMITS ASKED FOR BY SEATTLE PEOPLE

Two new applications for oil prospecting permits, both in the Cold Bay District and for 2,560 acres each, were received today at the office of Frank H. Boyle, register of the U. S. Land Office. They are from A. E. Nugent and Viola L. Page, both of Seattle.

HEAVY TRAP TAX DISASTROUS FOR ALASKA CANNERS

C. J. Alexander Says \$500 Trap Tax Might Prove Fatal to Industry.

Fear that the imposition by the Territory of a tax of \$500 on all fish traps would be disastrous to the industry, and possibly the direct cause of many canneries ceasing operations, was expressed today by C. J. Alexander, until recently actively in charge of the company operations of the Hoonah Packing and vice-president of the company.

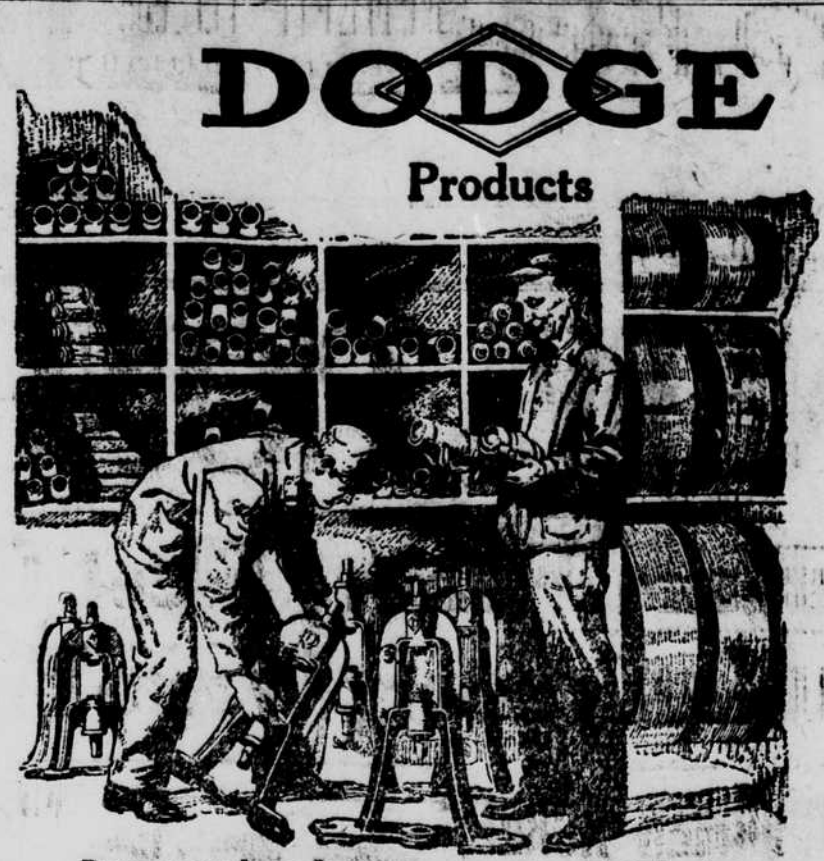
Mr. Alexander, who is considered one of the leaders in the fisheries industry, replying to a query as to the effect of such a tax as proposed in the tentative measure being prepared by the House Ways and Means Committee of the Territorial Legislature said that the salmon fishing and canning industry in Alaska is at such a critical state of its career that the proposed tax might be the blow that would kill it altogether.

"The salmon fishing business is now at its lowest ebb and it looks as if already the Territory will have some canneries on its hands for unpaid taxes. The placing of this additional tax may at this time prove fatal to the industry just when it is attempting to struggle to its feet after being almost knocked out by the disastrous season of 1920," Mr. Alexander said. "Although I have not thoroughly examined all the provisions of the taxation measure, I would advise thorough investigation before any more burdens of taxation be placed upon the waning salmon industry."

PRINCESS MARY LEAVES FOR SOUTH THIS MORNING

The steamer Princess Mary arrived in port at midnight Saturday with the following passengers: D. J. Dermody, Frank Cullen, M. Dermody, F. G. Oethe, Mrs. E. C. Hyde, John Newman, H. Middaugh, H. P. Vevestead, J. Valeson, J. W. McCormack, D. W. Speacy, C. A. Schultz, F. G. Brown.

The vessel left this port for the south at 7 o'clock this morning.



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