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WADE, HUGH J.

~~1/7/~~ 12/7/1933 Hugh J. Wade to come to Alaska  
with N.R.A.

Fined for traffic violation. (NB 13; pp 23)

WADE, HUGH J.

Juneau political  
~~parasite.~~

7/25/1941/2 Appointed Defense Coordinator.

WAGNER, JOHN

Salmon Cr. pioneer

8/3/1942/6 Age 80, died. Came to Alaska 1896.



WAGNER, JOHN

Salmon Cr. pioneer

~~Expire~~ 9/18/1916--After 16 ye rs of contin-  
uous residence on his Salmon Cr. homestead, Wag-  
ner received his patent from the Land Office.  
The patent had been held up by adverse suits and  
conflicting claims for land adjoining his propert

WAGNER, WM. J.

Of KINY Radio etc

1. Sells 2nd radio station. (NB 24; pp 1.)

WAHL, JOHN N.

Pioneer

6/14/1941/3 John N. Wahl, 79, buried today.  
Came to Alaska in 1897 to Juneau, then went  
into the transfer business here. In 1900  
he went North to the gold fields and later  
returned to prospect in Berner's Bay, etc.

WAKEFIELD, LEE H.

Pioneer cannery man.

Died. Spiral No. 10. page 7.

WALKER, A?P.

Senator Walker

11/20/1944 Age. 57, died in Portland Ore. Came  
to Alaska in 1905 to work on the old Alaska  
Central R.R. (now A.R.R.)



WALKER, DOC NORMAN

Ketchikan druggist

10/21/1946 Advocates statehood but wants it  
split into two states...

8/19/1948 Walker proposes seiners fish despite  
FWS closure.

8/20/1948 Wrangell men object to his proposal.

8/23/1948 FWS reopens Commercial fishing in S.E.

4/5/1949 Age 60, dies. Had set fire to his  
mattress and died of nervous exhaustion!

WALKER, NORMAN R.

Ketchikan pioneer  
druggist.

5/7/1945 Ketchikan druggist and Territ. Senator  
"roasts" Gov. E. Gruening.

3/14/1947 Norman R. "Doc" Walker resigns from  
the Legislature

7/7/1947 VG letter Walker wrote to Del. Bartlett  
on not protesting Indian claims when Hope,  
Johnson, Grant, and Peratrovich went to Wash.  
D.C. on Pulp timber claims. VG. (more

4/24/1948/8 VG pict. of Walker also lists his  
accomplishments.



GEORGE, WALLIS S.

Juneau big shot.

Pict. only Spiral No. 12. pp. 50.

Nov. '56 Anniversary edition: His dad, Martin George, brought his family to Juneau in 1897 when he became associated with the Nowell Mining Co. of Sheep Creek. Also had an uncle-- Tom George.

He attended Juneau schools and graduated from J.H.S. then went to Business College in Portland Ore. He is a Certified Public Accountant. He once worked for the B.M. Behrends store and bank.

Managed J. Cold Storage and moved it from the City dock in 1927.

Lives with wife and adopted daughter Carol Ann, in penthouse of Baranof Hotel. Another

daughter, Maydelle, is Mrs. Jack Jefford of Anchorage. She has 3 children.

His two sisters are Lessie (Mrs. Martin Burkland) of Seattle and Carrie, (Mrs I.C.Bjorge) of Wrangell.

8/9/1939/8 Wallis George Jr. died in pent house of Baranof Hotel age 21.

12/12/1940/7 Wallis George denies report that his body was found under the Cold Storage Dock.

WALMSLEY, HARRY G.

Juneau man.

11/21/1938 Age 42, dies in Seattle of palsy.

WALSTEAD, SIGRID

Juneau pioneer

12/3/1943 Sig Walstead to get \$4000. for 50%  
disability when Army car overturned and pinned  
him---7/17/1942 near Seward.



WALTERS, Clarence.

See story of 'Coasting Home the Hard Way' Envelope 8

WALTON, WILLIAM

Sitka seiner----

8/2/1951 See card on FISHING VIOLATIONS (4 x 6)

8/4/1951 Fined \$500.000 etc.

8/31/1951 Walton quits Fisheries Board after  
arrest and conviction by FWS. W.O. "Bo"

Smith appointed to board.

WALTONEN, ED.

Juneau pioneer

Dies. Spiral No. 10. page 6.



WARNER, CHAS. G.

Machine shop man.

4/2/1937 Drove car off Lower City float approach  
road at 15:20 today. Cud Gove was with him  
but had climbed out while Charlie was turning  
the car around. Drowned.

WARNER, MRS. CHAS. G.

Juneau woman

Died. Spiral No. 10. page 20.

WARNER, JACK

Juneau marine  
inspector.

7/28/1942/4 Warner's Grocery in Douglas has  
been sold at publick auction to satisfy \$3500  
debts.

WARNER, MISS TONI

Daughter of Jack

1. Pict. as Air Force cadet. (NB 24; pp 19)

WARRACK, J.B.

Contractor

12/2/1929 Good pict of him and N.C. Nelson in  
paper on completion of new Nelson bldg.  
(Housed Race Drug store in 1955)



WARWICK, MRS. MILLIE

Juneau pioneer

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5/11/1948 Age 84, dies. Survived by daughters,  
Mrs Geo. Jorgensen and Mrs Noel I Baker.

WARWICK, W.A.

Juneau pioneer

8/26/1939/3 Celebrate their golden wedding Mon.  
at 1109 D. St. in Juneau. Came to Alaska in  
1898 and in Juneau the past 26 years. Have  
two daughters---Mrs Geo. Jorgensen and Mrs.  
Noel I. Baker.



WASDAHL, AINER

'Two-forty Swede'

Dies. at Tenakee Springs. (NB-9; pp 13)

WASHBURN, BRADFORD Jr.

Mountain climber

5/16/1938 Wrecks his plane in Lake Union. He and man pass. unhurt but two women drown!

10/5/1938 Brad Washburn here. Climbed Mountain in Valdez area.

6/27/1940/6 Washburn party here (names listed) to climb Mt. Bertha in Glacier Bay area.

~~8/15/1940/2 / Giving / at / Nome. / To / FLY / to / New / Zealand~~  
and.....

8/15/1940 Climbs Mt. Bertha. Give account.

8/29/1941/6 Washburn party climbs Mt. Hayes near Fairbanks.

5/18/1951 VG pict. of Brad Washburn.

WATERS, WALTER C.

Of Wrangell

5/19/1943/2 Resident fur buyer and curio shop  
owner at Wrangell since 1898, died in Seattle.

WATSON, HARRY G.

Sec. of Alaska

4/26/1940/2 Harry G. Watson, leaving for Mining  
post in Fairbanks. To become Secretary of the  
Alaska Miners Association.

See story in Emp. White Env. DEACHS Juneau-1967



WAYNOR, CHARLES

Juneau collection  
agent.

2/19/1938/8 Crocket Riley freed after beating  
Waynor for advances to his girl friend who  
worked for Charlie....

See card on WAYNOR TRACT in Juneau Hist. file



WEATHERS, AL

Pioneer boatman

1/7/1935/6 Having first all steel troller built  
for Alaska fishing.

See SMALL CRAFT 1935 "Al Junior"

Had the "Deutz" later then the "Guide"

WEBB, GEO. L. 'DOC'

Dedication -----Album 48.

WEBSTER, ED

Juneau pioneer

EMPIRE 11/2/1918 pp.2; Passes away today. V.G.

WEIDMAN, CARL Sr.

Juneau troller

1. Goes South for winter. (NB 24; pp 13)

WEIDNER, HAL S.

1. Sues for divorce from Mary. (NB 24; pp 15)



WELSH, MRS. JEANICE

Cannery woman.

Killed in July 1958 Earthquake at Yakutat.

See Earthquakes, etc. also see pp. 47 in  
Aug. 1958 PACIFIC FISHERMAN

WELLE, EDW.

Juneau fisherman.

Husband of Linda Pademeister. Dies.

Spiral No. 12. pp. 38.

WELLINGTON, JAMES

Juneau man----

See VG. pict. of him as "Spark-plug of Seward  
Salmon Derby in June 1957 A.S. page 15.)  
(Jim used to be in the Thomas Hdwe. Co. in Junea

WELLS

1890-1891

See Leslie Expedition.



## WESTDAHL

1900-1902

(Ferdinand Westdahl)

Assistant in the C.&Geo. Sur., commanded the str. "McArthur" in Alaskan waters. In 1900 he was engaged in Coast Pilot work in S.E. Alaska. In 1901 the Sannak Id. harbors and anchorages were charted and a reconn. made of the south shore of Unimak Id. In 1902 the hydrography of Hinchinbrook entrance, Pr. Wm. Id. was executed, and the topography of the adjacent shores of Hinchinbrook and Montague Ids.



WESTERMAN, GEO. SR.

Picts. and story of little old couple who have been with  
Foss for many years. Book 37; page42

WELLS, BOB

Sec. of J.C ofC

Emp. Arr. Juneau Jan 9, 1954 to assume the  
position as manager of radio station KJNO. He  
replaces Del Ray..... (10 yrs. ago 1/9/1964)

WENDT, FRED

Juneau painter

Dies. Spiral No. 10. page 14.

Juneau  
Sphun Id.

WESCHENFELDER, E. E.

Age 85 died Oct. 30, 1967 at his home on  
end of Fritz Cove road. Born Apr. 27, 1872 in  
Coberg, Germany. Came to U.S. in 1907.

Came to Alaska in 1913, living in Douglas &  
Treadwell and later Juneau. A butcher by trade  
he worked in many local shops. From 1926 to '58  
he operated a fix and mink farm on Sphun Id. etc.

See DEATHS (Juneau 1967)



WEST, CHARLIE A.

Scrap dealer,  
etc.

See card on "Kingston" and "Tondéleyo"

11/3/1936/8 Capt. Chas West of "Tondeleyo" was arrested today. Grand larceny. Took a tractor belonging to Mrs Malene R. Wilson of Hood Bay which was found on board when the boat arrived at Ketchikan.

11/13/1936/6 Chas West gets one year suspended sentence provided he returns tractor to Hood Bay!



WESTFALL, JACK

And Ethel, wife.

2/8/1939/7 Lost everything in Goldstein fire.

WESTFALL, JACK

Juneau man.

2/13/1945/3 Sold his "Stormy Petrel" last fall  
and will run an ?-mobile on the Yukon which  
was built by he and brother-in-law to hunt wolves

WESTFALL, JACK

Of "Monteery"

1. Kills two deer, one shot. (NB 24; pp 15)

WESTFALL, RAY

~~Pict. with Wes Turner at Kake in June 1956.~~

PCA-10

WHITE, ALBERT

Marshall-Politico  
etc.

10/9/1928/8 Al White wants to improve jail  
arrangements in the new Federal Building, soon  
to be built; would change the plans.

2/15/1929/8 Al White admitted to Alaska Bar.  
He has been studying law this past 25 months  
under Henry Roden. Says he does not intend  
to practice but has to have a law background  
in his present capacity of U.S. Marshall.

SEE CARD IN 4 x 6 file on HERRING SEINERS

8/20/1931/8 Owns Adm.-Alaska G.Mine stock....

11/16/1934 Al White sues Neil Heard for libel;  
Mildred Herman is Heard's Attorney.



11/20/1937 Story of White--Eaulkner G.O.P. fite  
in city council chambers ofer electric rates.

7/27/1938/6 White and father-in-law Williams  
in law-suit over Seaview Apts. and Cash Bazaar

8/20/1938/5 Williams gets Seaview Apts. and Cash  
Bazaar while the Whites get \$4500. cash.

LOOK IN LG. G. S. FILE UNDER "POLITICIANS"

~~DA~~Disp. 1/22/1916 Albert White burned out in  
Seward Dock fire.

WEYHE, JACQUE

Stenographer

First Natn'tl. Bank. Pict. only  
Spiral No. 12. pp. 47.

WEYAND, DALLAS S.

Curley Weyand

12/5/1939/3 Age. 39, died in hospital of an emergency appendectomy.

WEST, MAE

Actress

8/2/1927/2 Mae West is 44 years old.

PICT. with Martin Itjen of Skagway. BOOK 34; p49



WHITNEY, CAPT. BION B.

Old ships master and  
later Inspector of  
Hulls at Juneau.

Good pict. of him about 45 or 50 yrs. old----page 8 in  
Oct. 1954 ALASKA SPORTSMAN.



WHEAT, ORVILLE

Juneau man.

8/14/1930/8 Orville Wheat, 21, charged with a statutory crime involving a 14 yr. old girl. He is a 'recent arrival' on the Channel and has ~~not~~ been employed at Switzer's Dairy.

8/22/1930/8 Wheat escapes from road gang near Ferry float and gets away. Had been sentenced on a simple assault charge to 7 months in Juneau jail. (Al White says Wheat had just finished doing 18 months at McNeill's Island for car theft) It is believed he may have stowed away on the "Princess Alice" which was in port today.

8/23/1930/6 Wheat seen near Norway Point. White says 'capture imminent'.

8/25/1930/8 Wheat captured Sun. nite 24th, in unoccupied shack of Wm. Steinbeck near Bergman.

8/26/1930/8 Jimmy Moore, local boxer charged with aiding and abetting Orville Wheat.

8/27/1930/8 Jimmy Moore turned loose. Not guilty

2/16/1932/2 Orville Wheat charged with assault, etc. 5 involved.

9/29/1932/3 Wheat, Fed. prisoner, escapes from St. Anns Hosp. by using sheets tied together from the 3rd floor. Sheets became untied and he dropped some distance sustaining a ~~very~~ ankle sprain. Captured an hour later.

8/8/1933/8 Wheat bound over on serious charge. Escape and assault with dangerous weapon...

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WHEAT, ORVILLE

- ~~1/25/1934/8 Hazel Wheat, wife of Orville, took off her coat and stepped off the City Dock. Rescued by C.F. McNutt and crew of "Estebeth" Plenty cold!~~
- 8/31/1934/8 Orville Wheat stabs Victor Erickson at 03:00 today in a knife battle on Lower Front (Franklin) St.
- 11/26/1934/8 Orville Wheat sentenced to 15 mon. at McNeil's Island.
- 8/16/1938/8 Orville Wheat and Ray Barnett are in City jail---admit robbery Sun. of \$205.00
- 12/16/1938/5 Mrs O. Wheat arrested while visiting husband in jail---for being drunk in public place!

4/8/1941/2 Mrs Hazel Wheat, 30, shot herself in the head at home of John Grado on Glacier Highway about 8 miles out. She is dead. John Grado says she shot herself by accident while target practicing. They had been drinking and then she wanted to shoot at target so John sat her between his legs---she would shoot and then pass the gun to John to reload. It was during a passing that the gun went off and killed her. Grado is in jail pending investigation.

4/9/1941/2 Grado is freed. Jury says she died by own hand. Orville Wheat testifies.



WHITE, MRS. ALBERT

Postmaster

Emp. 7/20/56 - Confirmed as Juneau Postmaster  
yesterday by the U.S. Senate.

For 20 yrs. she has been Republican National  
Committeewoman and was appointed to P.M. job by  
Pres. Eisenhower.



WHITE, E.J. STROLLER

9/29/1930 Died at 19:00 last night, age 71.  
First came to Skagway in 1898 and ran the  
SKAGWAY NEWS.

WHITE, E.J. "STROLLER" JR.

Son of E.J. Sr.

4/10/1940/3 Living in Fullerton, Calif. and is  
making a name for himself in local politics.  
Mother is acting curator at the Museum.

WHITE, GEORGE

Son of Al White

6/11/1938 Hurt in motorcycle crash at 19:00  
last evening delivering letter to Al at his  
summer cabin.

6/14/1938/3 Geo. White, 24, died of injuries.

WHITE, JACK

Juneau Grocer

9/12/1942/3 Age. 71, died at St. Anns. Hosp.  
Owned the Totem Grocery a few years ago.  
Came to Juneau in 1898 and for the last few  
years has had a trading post on the Haines  
highway, near the border.

WHITE, MRS. JOSEPHINE  
(Stroller)

Alaska pioneer

Dies. Spiral No. 12. pp. 64.



WHITE, (TWINS) TOM & ENNIS

Sons of druggist

6/18/1945/8 - Maj. Tom White returns to Juneau to  
seek flying future here. His brother Ennis  
is in the Navy.

WHITEHEAD, DEE ANN

Bank bookkeeper

1st Nat. Bank. Pict. only Spiral 12. pp. 47.

WHITEHEAD, ERNIE

Of N.C.C. Juneau

7/30/1940/6 Ernie Whithead of the Northern Comm.  
Co. at Fairbanks says (in Juneau today) that  
Caterpillar Co. is entering the marine field.

WHITEHEAD, ERNIE

N.C.Co. Juneau  
mgr. etc.

VG pict. of Ernie pp. 6, P.W.B. Feb. 1957. and  
short article telling of him being Territorial  
manager of Halton Tractor Co. of Portland, Ore.

WHITEHEAD, BR. WM.

Juneau doctor

See card on JUNEAU DOCTORS for more on him.

Indep. 1/13/1957 Replaces Joe A. Williams on  
board of Directors of First Natn'l. Bank.



WHITESIDE, OSCAR

Colored Juneau pioneer janitor.

Pict. & story. Spiral No. 12. pp. 30.

WHITNEY, CAPT. GEO. H.  
S.B. Ins. Service

1/7/1936 Capt. Geo. H. Whitney, 77, formerly  
with the Steamboat Inspection Service in Juneau  
died today. Came to Juneau from Sitka in 1912  
when the Juneau office was established. He  
first came to Alaska in 1898.

WHITTIER, M.J. "JUD"

Son of Maurice S.

Pict. only    Spiral No. 12. pp. 47.

WHITTIER, MAURICE S.

Juneau pioneer Customs  
man.

Dies. Pict. and story. Spiral No. 12. pp. 32-33.

12/31/1945/8 To retire



WHYTE, ALEX

School janitor

12/26/1936/8 Alex Whyte, Juneau school janitor  
for many years, age 64, died today of pneumonia  
at St. Anns. VG. acct. cae to Alaska in 1901.

WICKERSHAM, JUDGE JAMES

Juneau pioneer

10/24/1939 Age 82, died at St. Anns today. Came  
here in 1900, etc.

WIDMARK, ALFRED

Metlakatla man

1. Pict. as House candidate. (NB 24; pp 5)

WIITANEN, MATT

Douglas pioneer

11/18/1933/8 Age 57, died in Douglas today.

WILBUR, JAMES

Juneau big-shot

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Fined for drunken driving. Spiral 13. pp. 16.



WILDE, OTTO (Sr.)

Entrance Id.

pioneer

Dies. Spiral No. 12. page 23.

Have photo of him in old Soboleff glass plates.

5/3/1939/8 Otto is in town---tells of 12# cut-throat in Hobart Bay area lakes. He is fox farming on Entrance Id. and says doing well even if all others are going broke.

8/5/1940/8 Seiner "Emerald" exp. and burned in Rocky Pass and Ottoy/ was badly burned. Taken to Wrangell by boat "Star" Leo Lowry, who was with him was also burned.

WILDES, CHAS. EDW. 'Tug"  
Son of Otto, Alice

7/23/1946/2 Age 22, drowned in surf near Aberdeen:  
Wash.

WILDES, KEITH

Juneau insurance  
man. etc.

Pict. only    Spiral No. 12. pp. 49.

Look in Lg. G.S. File under HUNTING (Violations)  
Also under PLANE WRECKS (He was in the plane in  
which Fleek, Harold Bates were killed.)

WILDES, KEITH

Juneau Insurance man.

Emp. 4/22/1935 The first FHA loan granted in Juneau was to Mrs. Keith Wildes for a building on 12th St. and to Geo. Sheeper for a bldg. on Evergreen Ave.



WILE, ALBERT

Juneau Postmaster

12/4/1942 Age 64, died at St Ann's. Came from  
Germany during Gold Rush. Got his citizen-  
ship in 1905 etc. (Had lost a leg--gangreen)



WILLARD FAMILY (Cabin)

Indian village

4/1/1949/6 Fire completely gutted the home of the Willard family at 628 Willoughby Ave. Started by their 3-year old girl playing with matches. Clarence "Frenchy" Beauchene and Bill Tonsgaard, passing by rushed in and saved the kids.

WILLIAMS

1888

See Topham.

WILLIAMS, DEAN

Son of J.B.

~~Pan Am. & Western~~  
Airlines, etc.

6/10/1966--Daughter Janice has arrived home  
from Col. State College at Greeley, for summer.  
Employed at Economic Security Division, Juneau.

See sm. white Env. under WILLIAMS, DEAN

WILLIAMS, DEAN

Cabin at Lena Pt.

Badly damaged by falling tree. 12/9/1956

(NB-22; pp-49)

WILLIAMS, EDW.

Ketch. Mailboat  
operator.

Dies. Spiral No. 10. pp. 13.



WILLIAMS, CAPT. FRANK

Nome mariner  
"Meteor"

1. PICT. BOOK 32; pp 70

WILLIAMS, FRANK P.

~~Juneau native~~

1. Dies of acute alcoholism, age 29  
(NB 24; pp 15)

WILLIAMS, GEO. (Jr.)

Juneau native boy

6/1/1951/8 Badly injured leg at sawmill when he  
fell on re-saw belt. Leg nearly cut off. Had  
4 blood transfusions.

WILLIAMS, HARRY V.

Ketch. Ins. man.

4/19/1948/2 VG pict. of him in Empire.

WILLIAMS, JASON P

Juneau forester.

1. Pict. pp. 23, Alaska Sportsman, Oct. 1954
2. Died in Eugene, Ore. (People Note-book)  
(Spiral No. 10. page 7--13.)

1/6/1939/5 Wins ski event on 5th St.

6/30/1939 J.P. Williams retires from Forest Service



WILLIAMS J.GERALD

Alaska's Attorney  
Gen. (Clown)

Picts. Spiral No. 12. pp. 69.

7/2/1941/6 Mr & Mrs. J.G. Williams come here.  
He plans to take Alaska Bar examination and  
may locate here.

10/6/1942/2 J.G. Williams quits as 8th grade  
teacher in Juneau public schools.

Lg.G.S. file in envelope headed "Politicians  
Scramble for State Jobs" under POLITICIANS

6/4/1949 Williams d nys political charges in  
Anchorage feud.

WILLIAMS, JOSEPH A.

Of A.J.Mine (Supt.)

1st Nat. bank director. Pict. only  
Spiral No. 12. pp. 48.

Strollers 8/3/1921--- Hoe Williams, assayer for the Treadwell Co. arrived home after a two week visit with his parents at Whitehorse, Y.T.

Indep. 1/13/1957 Resigns as Bank director and is replaced by Dr. Wm. Whitehead. Joe is leaving Juneau for good shortly.

WILLIAMS, CAPT. LEONARD

"N.T.Co. skipper

1. Passes on. Album 48. pp. 2.

WILLIAMS, LEW M.

Wrangell paper  
printer.

9/12/1951 Removed by Truman from office as Sec.  
of Alaska.

9/13/1951 More on Lew Williams removal.



WILLIAMS, LOUIS F.

Cannery supt.

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Dies in Seattle. Spiral No. 12. page 22.



WILLIAMS, MARGARET ANN

Mrs. "Doc" Wms.

8/10/1953 Age 52; died today.

WILLIAMS, M. D.

A.R.C. PRA, etc.

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12/29/1945/8    31 years with Government; retires.

WILLIAMSON, JOE

Mag. cut of the owner of the Marine Salon in Seattle  
in Book 32

WILLIAMSON, JOE D

Seattle photo-  
grapher.

1. See/ pict. in Book 32 (Card in 4 x 6 file)
2. Collaborating with Gordon Newell on tug-boat  
book to be printed in spring of 1957  
(PWB Dec. 1956; pp 28)



WILLIAMS, WESLEY (PAT)

Juneau squawman

Pat cooked for me on "Watres" in 1952

Badly hurt in fall from dock (NB-9; pp 11)



WILLIAMSON TRIBE

1. Katherine to marry 'Moose' McGee (NB 13; pp  
35-A)

WILLOUGHBY, BARETT

Author

10/8/1928/8 Barrett Willoughby, daughter of  
"Wild Martin" Willoughby, pioneer mariner of  
Katalla, writes another book entitled "Gentle-  
man Unafraid"

WILLOUGHBY, DICK

Juneau pioneer

Man for whom Willoughby Ave. named.

VG Pict. in Juneau Album (Winter & Pond photo)

See ALASKA NEWS May 10, 1894 concerning his  
Funter Bay raven story.

See WRANGELL AND THE STIKINE GOLD RUSH by C.L.  
Andrews for more on him.

See QUESNEL for article on his clean-up there.

Recall his (Silent City) in Glacier Bay--pict.  
of Bristol, England. (In envelope "Silent City"  
in Lg. G. S. File under PIONEERS

WILLOUGHBY, DICK

~~Old Juneau Pioneer-----once owned the corner  
where VALENTINE BUILDING Now stands. See card  
on VALENTINE BUILDING~~



WILSON, ANGUS

Aged Scot....

2/18/1957 Age 78, found dead in his room at the  
Scandinavian Hotel Sun. eve.

Born 6/1/1878 in Charlotte Town, Pr. Edw. Id.  
Canada and came to Alaska 1935. Became a U.S.  
citizen in 1942. Believed to have a son in  
Seattle.



WILSON, MATTHEW

Home demolished  
Near N.C.Co.

Home destroyed by fire.	1/9/1952/6
To be rebuilt	1/12/1952
Donors listed	1/14 and 1/16/1952

NOTICE ---Evidentially I have another file card  
on Wilson in one of my other files---refer to it.

WILSON, MATTHEW

Juneau squawman,  
fire victim, etc.

- 1/9/1952/6 Fire destroys home on West 12th St.  
1/12/1952 To rebuild Wilson home.  
1/14/1952/6 List of donors to Wilson fire fund  
1/16/1952/2 More on fire fund.  
1/21/1952/2 More on fire fund.  
1/28/1952 More VG on Wilson home going up despite  
sub-zero weather, etc. Joe Smith and other  
volunteers listed.  
12/1/1952 Matthew Wilson leaves home, stark naked  
at 04:00 and disappears! Said, before leaving,  
"Where I'm going I won't need any clothes"....

WILSON, RAY

Juneau native boy

1. Guilty of liquor charges. (NB 13; pp 23)

WILSON, SANDY A.

Old Beachcomber

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See file card on "31-E-720"



WILSON, SANDY

Old prospector

4/5/1938/2 H.L. Wood on "Messenger" finds old  
Sandy Wilson on beach at Twin Points, exhausted  
but O.K. His boat wrecked there Mar. 20th.  
Tough old bird, etc. Wanted grub is all and to  
report to his partner at Limestone Inlet!



WILSON "UNCLE TOM" THOMAS

Thomas Wilson

PATHFINDER May, 1921 pp. 12.

Died at St. Ann's Hosp. in Juneau in mid-May 1921. Had he lived to May, 24th he would have been 100 years old. "Uncle Tom" Wilson as he was known to all old timers, first came north in 1874, when he followed the big rush to the Cassiar country. He had mined in Colorado and was on the site of Butte, Montana, before that camp was started. He was with Richard Harris, one of the founders of Juneau, at all these places, and was Mr. Harris on the Cassiar trip. He followed him to Juneau in the fall of 1886, after the gold strike had been made in Silver Bow Basin. The name Silver Bow was given to the basin after the one near Butte, where Wilson once mined.

He built a home in Juneau and mined in the Basin for many years. Each year on May 24 for many years past many people called on him and congratulated him on his birthday. There was every indication he would reach the century mark until he was suddenly stricken with apoplexy and passed away peacefully.

WINGARD, LEMUEL G.

Petersburg man.

2/27/1948/2 VG. Wingard trys to beat his partner  
and is being sued.....

WINGATE, KENNETH

Juneau troller

Drowns when boat "31-D-154" capsizes under  
Juneau-Douglas Bridge. ALBUM 30 (No)  
See file card on numbered boat.

WINKIE, JOHN

Cook, Juneau pioneer.

12/14/1934 Old John Winkie, cook, who came to  
Juneau in 1886, died at St. Anns of cancer.  
Age, 67.



WINN, MRS. ANNA

Wife of "Slim Jim"

11/27/1946 Died in Juneau today. Came here in  
1893, etc.

WINN, MRS. ANNA (Home)

3rd & Franklin Sts.

4/18/1934/8 Mrs. Anna Winn and son John suffer  
burns in fire that gutted their home very early  
today.

WINN, MRS, BESS

Wife of Grover C.

6/11/1949 Age 61, dies in Seattle following an  
operation.

WINN, DENNIS

Old Fisheries Agent

11/23/1940 Age 70, died in New Hampshire.



WINN, GROVER C.

And family

5/25/1943/6 Grover has been missing at Sitka for over a week now..... Fears felt.

5/31/1943 Body of Grover C. Winn found in Swan Lake at Sitka. Badly decomposed. Has been in water since May 18th.

See clippings in Mrs. Anna Winn's album which I salvaged from the Winn house before it was torn down to make room for the new Alaska Federal Savings and loan building.

WINN, JOHN

Juneau pioneer

6/28/1944/3 Age 62, died at Laurel Beach San.  
in Seattle. Came to Juneau in 1893, son of  
Col. Billy Winn etc. Other brothers are  
Burdett and Grover.

WINN, MILTON

Juneau pioneer

1/15/1936/8 Milton Winn, 52, killed in a car  
wreck near Casa Grande, Arizona.

1/22/1936/8 Driver of the Winn death car charged  
with manslaughter---drunken driving.

WINTER, LLOYD V.

Pioneer photographe

11/19/1945 Age 79, died at St. Ann's Hosp.

Came to Juneau in 1893



WINTHERS, JOHNNY

Juneau halibut  
fisherman, etc.

Son of old John of the "Emma" (little)  
11/23/1940/3 John Winthers 21, and Len Peterson  
22, of Sitka were fined \$5.00 apiece for  
playing football (passing ball) in streets of  
University District in Seattle. Alternative  
was pay fine or spend night in jail. Both  
elected to spend night in jail but Peterson  
chickened out and paid the fine.

## WITHERSPOON

1899-1905

(David Columbus---)

Topographer, U.S.G.S. assisted Gerdine in Schrader's party in 1899 in topo. work on Chandlar and Koyukuk Rivers. In 1900 he was again with Schrader in the Copper River area. In 1901 he assisted Gerdine in reconn. of northern part of Seward peninsula and in 1902 they were in the upper Cooper River country, and made a topo. reconn. map of the head-water regions of Copper, Nabesna, and Chisana rivers. In 1903 he was in charge of a party, to which F.H.Moffit was attached as geologist and C.R.Hill as field assistant, making a reconn. of the N.E. portion of Seward peninsula. In 1904-1905 he was engaged in making topo. surveys in the Yukon-Tanana region. (1904 he surveyed region between Birch cree, Charley river, 70-mile and 40-mile creeks, and Salcha and Chena rivers. In 1905 with Stone as geo. assist he worked south of Yukon flats, from Circle to Fort Hamlin (The Stone mentioned was R.W.Stone)

WOLD, OLAF LESLIE (Charlie)

Juneau pioneer

Emp. 2/15/1944/3 Age 88, died. Came to Eyak  
(Cordova) 1889 then to Juneau in 1902 and has  
been here ever since. Carpenter and boat-  
builder by trade.

WOLLAND, FOLQUERT

Juneau tailor.

11/15/1933/8 Age 86, died. VG. history.



WOODMAN, CHAS. EDW.

"Sandy"

Of the firm of Juneau boat-builders (Woodman & Berntsen) (Sandy and Andy)

5/14/1942/4 Age. 71, died today. Came to Juneau in 1898. He and Andy Berntsen started their boat shop partnership in 1922

WOODS, CHARLIE

Juneau pioneer

Tee Hbr. Charlie goes to Pioneer's Home  
Spiral No. 10. page 51.

WOOD, PASTOR H.L.

7th Day Adventis

9/11/1931/3 Cruiser "Messenger" Capt. Wood.  
of 7th Day Adventists Mission, arr. Juneau.

9/3/1935/5 Pastor Wood and family arrive to  
locate in Juneau.

3/30/1939 Wood turns law officer---takes over  
custody of murderer at Pilot Point until reg-  
ular officials can get there...

6/22/1942/3 Woods/ is back in Juneau after taking  
air pilot training.

4/29/1943/5 Woods left for Anch. to finish his  
flying training. Will then fly his own ship  
to remote regions.

9/25/1944 Woods killed in plane crash of his  
Fairchild-24 Sunday the 24th at Kasaan Bay  
while landing; believed he suffered heart  
attack.



WOOD, PASTOR, H.L.

Adventist

6/16/1934/8 Harold L. Wood and family here on new 75' mission boat "Messenger"

5/26/1938/6 Towed gasboat of Paul Pocus in 30 miles to Kake from Fredrick Sd. All Pocus had after drifting 3 days was whiskey.

See card on WILSON, SANDY for another rescue.

9/9/1940/3 "Messenger" returns; tells of rescue of fishing boats on West Coast Pr. of Wales.

2/16/1942/5 Pastor Wood buys plane for use in his Alaska Mission work. A 3-place Fairchild 24 deluxe plane.

7/19/1944/2 Wood returns from long flying trip--

to Nome, etc. in his own plane.

WOOD, PETER.

Politician

Pict. and story: Attacks New Constitution.

Spiral No. 12. pp. 32.

8/3/1945/5 Peter Wood, director of Alaska Information Service (publishing an Alaska Business Directory) is in Juneau with an office in the Baranof (Pict. in paper)

2/13/1946/8 Wood is publisher of Alaska Business Directory and Alaska Newsletter.

1/2/1948/8 Files for House. Came to Alaska as a carpenter during War II.

3/5/1949/3 Pete Wood attacks Curt Shattuck's road to his home in city limits.

3/28/1950 Wood wants Statehood or Free Nation



from U.S.

Has bell of "Princess Kathleen" Seattle. BOOK 44  
page 47

See his article against STATEHOOD in his  
INTERLAKEN TIMES (Seattle) Mar. 23, 1960 in  
Lg. G.S. File under STATEHOOD (Opposition to)



WOOD, PETER

Juneau politician

Takes issue with E. Gruening on the so-called  
'horrible canned-salmon industry'  
(N.B.18; pp 4)

WOODRING, CHAS "WOODY"

Juneau lazy man

7/16/1952 Gets 3 months for stealing groceries  
from the Case Lot.

WOODWARD, JACK J.

Sheet Metal man.

8/28/1942/3 Age 55, died at St. Anns. Hosp.  
Came to Juneau in 1910 and later opened a  
sheet-metal shop where new portion of Juneau  
Cold Storage now stands. (The shop was at one  
time called "Woodward & Newman")

WOROBEC, HARRY, JR.

Douglas boy, 10.

5/12/1945 Drowned today trying to swim from  
Juneau Island to Douglas cannery dock at 11:15  
today. Gary Bach was with him.



## WOSNESENSKI

1842-1843

(Ilia G. Wosnesenski)

Was sent to Alaska in 1839 by the Imperial Academy of Sciences of St. Petersburg, to make collections. He sailed with Etolin, who was succeeded in command by Kadnikof, on the Russ. Am. Co. ship "Nikolai". Arr. Sitka 5/1/1840. In 1840-1841 he was on the coast of lower and upper Calif. In 1842-1843 he was on the coast of ~~Lower~~ Bering Sea and Kotzebue Sd. and Aleutian Ids. In 1844 in the Kurile Ids. And in 1845-48 about the Okhotsk sea and Kamchatka. He returned to Sitka at the end of July, 1849, and sailed then for St. Petersburg with Capt. Riedell on the ship "Atka". Mining engineer Doroshin returned on the same voyage.

## WORONKOFISKY

1836

(Lieut. Woronkofski)

-----of the pilot corps, by direction of the Russ.-Am. Co., surveyed in 1836 the southern shore of Alaska peninsula from the vicinity of Chignik bay, where Vasilief's work ended in 1832, westward to Unimak pass, connecting with Staniukovich's survey of the north shore in 1828. He sailed from Sitka on this errand on Mar. 6, 1836, in command of the company's transport "Kadiak". The survey was carried on in bidarkas and his assistants were Aleuts. He returned to Sitka Aug. 30. Baer and Helmersen speak in high praise of this work.

## WRIGHT BROTHERS

1903-1905

(Chas. Will Wright)

(Fred Eugene Wright)

In 1903 C.W.Wright of U.S.G.S. made study of mining conditions and gen. geo. of Porcupine Placer district of S.E.Alaska and assisted Spencer in the Juneau region.

In 1904 F.E.Wright, assisted by Chas. W., made geo. studies in S.E.Alaska---a cross section from Taku Inlet to Sitka. F.E. made detailed investigation of Sitka mining district while C.W. examined coal and metalliferous deposits of Admiralty Id., shore exposures from Sitka to Wrangell, and then to Cleveland peninsula, mainland coast from Stikine to Windham bay, and the copper and gold deposits of the Ketchikan district.

Again in 1905 they were in S.E.Alaska in the Ketchikan and Wrangell districts.



WRIGHT, FRANK

Pres. Carlisle Pkg. Co. and also Pres. of Assn.  
of Pac. Fisheries in 1920.

VG pict. (Loose in Fish Book No. 1.)



WYATT, CAPT. CYPRIAN

Life story and pict. in Book 37; page 69