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ICE CAP

Juneau ice cap

9/28/1948/2 Expedition on Juneau ice cap returns in  
blizzard.

JUNEAU--ICE-BERGS, FROZEN OVER

Etc.

EMPIRE: 3/11/1920/6 Gastineau Channel filled with ice-  
bergs from Taku Glacier

## ICEBERGS

Bar ice, etc.

9/17/1928/2 An iceberg 40' x 135' was towed from the Channel and beached on the Douglas side by the C.G.

"Unalga"

3/24/1933/6 Unusual amount of Taku Glacier ice in the Channel today.

For good pict. of the one that damaged FWS hangar in Petersburg in 1958 see Alaska Sportsman Nov. 1958 pp. 22.

JCMR-5/3/1888 Many large bergs in Juneau Harbor.

ICEBERGS

In S.E. Alaska

1. Lodges on Douglas Beach. 10/14/'54 (Juneau 1-A; pp.15.)



IDAHO ROOMING HOUSE

~~D.A.Disp. 5/17/1917 Fire guts place. (I think  
this was formerly the ARCTIC HOTEL and now  
is about where Skinner's Gun Shop is (1960)~~

IMMIGRATION SERVICE

~~11/18/1948 John Brantner opens 1st U.S. immigration office  
in Juneau.~~

IMPERIAL BLDG.

See cards on LOUVRE BLDG.  
STOCKER BLDG.



## JUNEAU --INDIANS

D.A.Disp. 10/7/1914 pp 4; Douglas Natives don war paint and costumes and go on prowl for Juneau white man to whom they gave \$5.00 for whiskey and he didn't come across. They found him dead drunk on their whiskey and proceeded to beat him pretty badly. He is now in jail to sober up and recover from his bruises.

D.A.Disp. 6/3/1915 pp 8; Chief Ana-ka-klosh, reported to be 100 yrs. old, abdicated to his favorite nephew. V.G.

D.A.Disp. 12/16/1916 Juneau Indian village to organize a municipality with by laws, etc.

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D.A.Disp. 12/16/1914 pp. 4 V.G. Indian, James Taksak is in Court for assault on one A.Klakach--the assault being from a feud of long standing. Taksak once saved the life of Klakach and demanded five slaves for his effort.

D.A.Disp. 8/20/1915 pp.5; Young natives of Alaska tribes are irked with old tribal laws. V.G. stuff.

D.A.Disp. 2/3/1917 pp.5 Juneau native village wants a regular Fire Dept., complete with uniforms, etc.

ALASKA MINER 1/28/1899 Juneau Indian's Drunk--troubles..

D.A.Disp. 8/31/1899---Klow Kek, Chief of the Auks, age 120 years, is dead. V.G.

D.A.Disp. 9/2/1899 Chief Johnson has much trouble--divorce etc. V.G.

ALASKA RECORD MINER: 3/24/1900 V.G. Chief Johnson up to his old tricks.' Tells Indians that Gov. Brady trying to make a forced Indian reservation at Sitka, so the Indians will put up another \$1000. so he (Johnson) can make another trip to Wash. D.C. to see Pres. McKinley.

D.A.Disp. 8/19/1899 Chief Johnson takes a wife. V.G.

- D.A. Disp. 12/5/1900 pp.4; Yash-noosh (Chief Johnson) sues John L. Carlson of Taku Pkg. Co. for \$500.00 (Believe this was a fraudulent claim.)
- D.A. Disp. 2/7/1901 V.G. the Taku Tribe, under Chief Johnson, to desert Juneau and move back to the old Taku Village site. Johnson says his tribe moved here when gold was first discovered in Silver Bow Basin. He wants to sell his house, etc. V.G. stuff..
- D.A. Disp. 4/30/1901 Chief Casey' reported a roof fire on horseback. The horse stopped, the Chief didnt, at Front and Franklin, and the result was a hole in the roof of a cabin on the waterfront, the impracticability of the Chief sitting down to eat, and the expense to the Chief of a bottle of Chamberlains Liniment!
- J.C.M.R. 11/8/1888 V.G. Chief Kowee interviewed. (The article intimated he was either ignorant or could speak no English at all.)
- J.C.M.R. 1/17/1889 V.G. A social event in Auk Village. A V.G. description of conditions and dances, etc. Chief Kowee was the host and the big chief of the Auks, one Chief Kow-klake, also there in splendor'...



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J.C.M.R. 2/13/1890 pp.6 Unusual number of deaths among the local Indians this winter. The Indians can't seem to stand the hard winters in the Juneau area and they seldom reach an advanced age. Even at 30 yrs. most of them are decrepit from diseases such as rheumatism, from sleeping on the wet ground.

J.C.M.R. 3/12/1891 Local people are more or less at the mercy of the Indians----the Indians can make their own whiskey and become drunken then if they get caught claim that a white man sold it to him. He is usually believed and an innocent man pays a fine etc...

J.C.M.R. 3/3/1892 About death of Chief Kowee (Not at all flattering.)

J.C.M.R. 3/24/1892 More V.G. stuff on Chief Kowee--this article says he was a 'good Indian' etc. It also tells of the early miners of Juneau hanging three bad Indians who were under the bad Chief 'Cow-clan' a sub Auk chief.

J.C.M.R. 1/26/1893 On Jan. 21st the body of an Indian woman was found at foot of Main St. on the beach. She smelled of whiskey and was drowned. Believed to be a

witch by some of her tribe and it is thought by local authorities that her head was held under water until she succumbed.

J.C.M.R. 11/2/1893 The Juneau Auk Indians cremate three today--an old man of 50 yrs, a boy of 17 and a 1 yr. old baby. They have been saving the bodies of the younger two for several weeks, until they had become quite ripe. But it is their belief that it is not good for the young to go to the Spirits unguided so they held on to the bodies until the death (questionable) of an old Indian.

J.C.M.R. 4/6/1893 James Wickersham says Alaska Indians are of Chinese origin. V.G.

J.C.M.R. 8/2/1888 The paper was campaigning to enforce the '21:00 law' and make it so that the squaws as well as the bucks would be out of the town by that hour! More V.G. on this topic on 8/9/1888 pp.6.

J.C.M.R. 10/7/1893 Auk village rapidly improving--Takou's are not so ambitious! (Quote)

ALASKA JOURNAL: 6/10/1893 Full story of the death of old Chief Kowee---a V.G. account....



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ALASKA NEWS: . 8/15/1895 Mrs Kah-kan-too, aged Juneau Native woman, tried to commit suicide in the Juneau Indian village last night. She and her family had been drinking hootch, a fight followed, she got the worst of it, then while the others finally went to sleep, she tried to hang herself. She nearly succeeded before being rescued. Called a 'pink tea' potlatch, etc.

D.A.Disp. 8/27/1901 pp.4 Chief of the Taku's gets new outfit---Admiral's pants, Mexican hat, etc. and expects to make Chief Johnson green with envy.

D.A.Disp. 6/4/1902 pp-4; Chief Johnson goint to Wash. D.C. to appeal to President about treatment of siwashes on the fishing grounds. Says if his trip bears no fruit, he will challenge each cannery man separately to a duel.

D.A.Disp. 3/25/1904 Relatives of Chief Johnson, deceased, argue in court over division of his 'treasures' etc.

D.A.Disp. 5/14/1903 Chief Johnson has troubles with his gas-boat at Seattle.

D.A.Disp. 3/14/1903 pp.4 V.G. Indian house-warming in Juneau. V.G. stuff....

D.A.Disp. 9/28/1904 pp.3; "Kooch Chee", bad Douglas Indian stabs a native woman, etcc. at Douglas.

D.A.Disp. 2/10/1905 pp. 3 V.G. Indian story by Purser, Ewing, of the S.S. "Cottage City" He states that the local young bucks of the Juneau area were to race up Glacier River, climb Mendenhall Glacier, kill a mountain goat, and be back in Juneau in three days time to win the hand of the Chief's daughter...

D.A.Disp. 12/13/1905 pp.3; Douglas Indians hired the Nat. and will give a regular 'white man's ball', orchestra and all, for the first time in Alaska. With practice the Natives will put up some first class music!

D.A.Disp. 3/10/1917 pp.5 Douglas natives to be 'exclusive' Decide not to associate with white trash...'

D.A.Disp. 10/11/1918 pp.7; Old Taku Chief 'Anaclahash' laid to rest today. V.G. stuff.

D.A.Disp. (Empire) 11/6/1918 pp.7; Jimmy Fox succeeds Anaclahash as head of the Taku tribe.



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- Emp. 3/12/1921 V.G. Witchcraft revived in Juneau' Auk Village. Little 9 year old Frank Peters, bewitched --- is a very bad boy----village equally divided on the matter. The boy was finally sent to the Chemawa Indian school..
- Emp. 10/29/1921/8 Juneau Indians of the A.N.B. move a big 40 x 70' bldg from Treadwell to Juneau on two scows today. The bldg. was formerly the Serbian Hall which stood on the Treadwell waterfront, between the Mexican and the 700 mills. It is now resting securely on piling near the former Giovanetti store on Willoughby Ave.
- Emp. 11/21/1921/8 Indians of 5 tribes given V.G. talk on citizenship by Judge Wickersham. V.G. advice...etc.
- Emp. 9/28/1922/3 Jimmy Jackson, Indian Mail carrier and Yukon River pilot, returns to Juneau. Born in the Taku village 54 years ago. etc. V.G. story. Also, he claims he was pilot on the river str. "Golden Star" (Gold Star) Capt. Turnbull, in 1898 during gold rush, when the vessel started up the Yukon to the present site of ~~White~~ White-horse...

Emp. 9/29/1922/8 Sheep Creek Mary, 87, old Native woman,  
died today. V.G.

Emp. 11/3/1924/8 says 'No truth in "tearful tale" by Wm.  
L. Paul, who says Cordova barred Indians from chance to  
get an education.

Emp. 3/23/1926/4 V.G. Editorial---Indians playing Smooth  
Politics (Same old stuff about the canneries, fish  
machines, etc and the aboriginal fishing rights of natives)

Emp. 1/18/1927 Morris Scott who with Andrew Dick stole a  
Ford car belonging to Homer G. Nordling, was the native  
who was found several months ago badly beaten on Glacier  
Highway. Had been beaten by other natives who claimed  
or accused him of witch-craft....

Dispatch 8/31/1899 Chief Klowkek dies.

2/28/1939 Indian (whiskey) prohibition bill passes Senate  
Alaska Territorial Senate

D.A.Disp. 7/1/1909 Many indians drunk on the beach--found  
champaign thrown out of the Louvre in clean-u --hi-yu  
skookum drunk. Chief of Police Mulcahy called at 04:00  
and makes 4 arrestes.

## INDIAN CLAIMS

- ~~2/18/1947~~ Aboriginal rights abolished by Treaty of 1867  
says U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals at S.F., Calif.
- 5/14/1943 Tee Hit Ton tribe sues F.W.S. for rights to fish  
Pt. Colpoys area.



INDIANS, OLD

See card on Mrs. Mary Anna Anathlahash

7/11/1929/7 Mrs Berner's Bay Jim, 105 years old, died today. Her husband died a year ago-- also well over a hundred years old.

12/5/1929/6 Jim Anderson "Old Jim", age 100, died today. Claims he was here when gold was discovered in the Basin. A son, Henry and a nephew, Chas. Garside, survive him.

11/9/1939/2 Mrs. Annie Hanson, grand daughter of Chief Kowee, died, age 67.

See cards on Old Indians in 3 x 5 files etc.

9/9/1952/3 Wm. King, 78 lying in state in Dipper House in Juneau. Yah Tah Hit clan.

## INDIAN VILLAGE

At Juneau

- 12/3/1932/7 Juneau Indians desire to annex their village to City of Juneau.
- 4/20/1940/4 The Juneau Indian village is subject to all the city regulations including police patrol, fire, sanitation, etc. Property is exempt from taxes unless it has been sold---even if to another Indian, then City can assess.
- 12/22/1940/6 Tide flats in Juneau Indian village to be filled by CCC with A. J. rock---21,000 cu. yds. City will lay 650' sewer pipe/ etc.
- 12/2/1941/2 Public Health reports extremely unsanitary conditions in the Juneau Indian village.
- 1/21/1942/5 VG letter by Juneau A. N. B. to Health commissioner. Says Indian village not as bad as Izzy Goldsteins "Squaw Harbor" or "Roberts Row"
- 1/27/1942/5 Juneau village to get face lifting, connect sewers, etc. says Jake Cropley.

## INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITIES

L. Mayor tells of plans, etc. (Juneau 9; pp. 64)



## JUNEAU-INDUSTRY

D.A.Disp. 11/25/1914 pp. 3; Juneau Fishing Center for many boats; V.G. Herring have appeared for first time in 5 years.

J.C.M.R. 5/9/1889 The Eastern Alaska Mining & Milling Co. sawmill at Sheep Cr. is cutting lumber for the Co.'s mine in the Basin. A wagon-road to the mine is now being constructed.

Emp. 4/11/1922/8 Smith & Fisher now make 'Taku Cakes' choc-covered ice cream bars.

INSANE

Crazy people, etc

10/9/1935/2 Mystery man on beach at Twin Pts. Spoken to  
by J.E. Smith of the "M-7255" who was hunting there.  
Says he was dressed in 'Robinson Caruso' get-up. Wouldnt  
tell his name, Said he and a partner came from States  
in an open boat and were camped there. States that his  
partner had gone to town for supplies.



## JUNEAU INSANE

D.A.Disp. 12/27/1916 Chas. Estmere, a Juneau civil eng. was found 'guilty of being insane' by an Anchorage court. Their grounds for the finding were based on an elaborate table he compiled, which showed that Delegate Wickersham was only 50% efficient and also that the Alaska Engineering Comm. was wantonly wasting timber.

INTER-SCHOOL MEET

See card on Juneau School Meet---- this file

## JUNEAU INVENTORS

D.A. Disp. 7/17/1917 pp.4 Juneau's Dr. Damourette has invented an unsinkable submarine. Plans to go to Wash. D.C. to present same to the Government.



IRON LUNG

~~5/2/1941/2~~ Iron Lung flown here for John Roberts, 28,  
A.J. miner who has infantile paralysis. Moved from the  
improvised one made by "Spike" McLean. ( He died 5/3/6)

IRENE G

See file card in 3 x 5 files on her.

*General marine file*

IRVING'S WHING DING MKT.

Burford's Corner

See cards on 20th CENTURY MKT.

BURFORD'S CORNER, etc.

7/31/1945/3 Ron Copstead and Harold Bates buy  
IRVING'S MARKET.



## IRWIN'S SUPER MARKET

~~D.A.Disp. 1/7/1913 and 1/17/1913 N. Goldenhar and J.P. Peyser bought out Joe Miller's property on Front St. next to the ALASKA SUPPLY CO.~~

~~This lot is 50' wide on Franklin St. and goes back 80' to the flats. (If the ALASKA SUPPLY CO. was where CONNORS MOTOR CO is now then it would stand to reason that the only adjacent property would be the N. part of what is now IRWIN'S MKT. (1960)~~

~~D.A.Disp. 2/28/1913 A new bar, the HEIDELBERG LIQUOR CO. was soon to be opened in the former Joe Miller property.~~

~~See card on GOLDSTEIN HOLDINGS (Chas. Goldstein)~~