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### Biographical Note

Louise Carey McConnel, a teacher and nurse, lived in Kake, Klawock, Klinquan [Klinkwan] and Juneau between 1908 and ca. 1912. She worked in the Juneau Hospital and taught for four months each in Kake, Hydaburg, and other southeast villages.

In 1913, she married Dr. H.N.T. (Herbert) Nichols in 1913 and they worked until 1916 in Kotzebue. He died in 1926, leaving two sons for Mrs. Nichols to raise. She died in 1939 at age 60.

### Scope and Contents Note

Views of Cordova, Sitka, Killisnoo, Shakan, Metlakatla, Kootsnafoo, the Yukon and Tanana Rivers and Iliamna. Tlingit canoes, a war canoe, Killisnoo Cemetery and a witch doctor's grave are included in the images.

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- 49 [Dr. Mahone, acting surgeon, Mrs. Sleighton and Louise McConnel attending to a patient, c..1910.]
- 50 -same as 49.
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- 52 same as 46.
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- 55 [Native dressed in Chilkat blanket and standing next to another man with portion of totem in view.]
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- 57 [Louise McConnel on right, standing with another woman and two children.]

- 58 [Louise McConnel, another woman and three boys standing behind hospital in Juneau, 1910.]
- 59 same as 58.
- 60 [Dr. Sleighton at Juneau, 1910.]
- 61 [Mr. & Mrs. Hawksworth and child, Louise McConnel, Mrs. Hannthorn, Captain of "Barbary" Cannery boat-in front of Hawksworth House. Raspberry bushes in view.]
- 62 [Group of people standing in front of large home.]
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- 73 [Woman and child standing near totem.]
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- 79 Iliamna. [Caribou herd climbing up snow-covered hill.]

- 80 [Unidentified village possibly along Yukon River.]
- 81 [Fish racks and buildings along shore.]
- 82 [Unidentified building, woodpile and fuel barrels along shore.]
- 83 [Lon, cabin home, woman standing below garden, near creek.]
- 84 [Unidentified buildings.]
- 85 Klinquan [Klinkwan]? [Supt. Lopp standing under totem]
- 86 Klinquan [Klinkwan]? [Two men standing in front of damaged wooden building. Totem pole with small cedar tree growing from top leans against the buildings]
- 87 [Two men, Supt. Lopp on right, standing in front of building.]
- 88 Tanana River. Feb. 1908. [Alaska Govt. School Supt. sitting between 6 dogs on a sled.]
- 89 [Supt. Lopp shaking hands with Eskimo boy, Village School in background.]
- 90 [Supt. Lopp standing with three other men.]
- 91 Klinquan [Klinkwan], 1908 - [Supt. Lopp standing by totem.]
- 92 Juneau, Alaska. [View from Mt. Juneau includes Gastineau Channel, Douglas and Treadwell in distance.] (Case and Draper photo 62.)
- 93 [Totem and grave houses, Howkan.] Faded print.
- 94 New Bridge, Hydaburg, Oct [19]12 [foot bridge over stream, center; houses, center and right].
- 95 Hydaburg, ca. 1912 [four buildings and sawmill on far bank of stream].
- 96 Two school boys [on planked wharf; house and store on left and right behind boys; Hydaburg, ca. 1912].
- 97 Famous Hydaburg Baseball League [group of fourteen men and equipment].
- 98 Officers of "Native Daughters of Alaska" [eleven women, all wearing short dark stoles; at Hydaburg].
- 99 Indian village, Juneau, Alaska, 1910 [houses on Willoughby and on hill above].
- 100 Indian houses [at Kake, ca. 1910; houses along shore behind beached canoes].

- 101 "Kake" Boys [three Tlingit young men, head and shoulders view; all wearing brimmed hats; ca. 1912].
- 102 Klawock [with school, left; teacher, center; house, far right; water, foreground].
- 103 Klawock, Alaska [from hill above; three buildings, foreground on shore of lake (?)].
- 104 Killisnoo Cemetery showing "dead houses" [grave stones and grave houses; view from the water].
- 105 Indian witch doctor's grave, Killisnoo 1909 [grave totems and house; trees beyond].
- 106 Killisnoo Indian village [view from the water; numbered buildings identified on reverse: 1. Government school House & Teachers living rooms. 2. Greek Church – Cahtolic, 3. Trading post or store. 4. Salvation army Hall, 5. A native home. 1909].
- 107 White church at old Klinquan [Klinkwan]... 1910 [view of village, and church, center, from the water].
- 108 Self [Louise McConnell and Mrs. Henthorne's baby under Totem--Klinquan [Klinkwan], 1910.
- 109 Klinquan [Klinkwan] ca. 1910 [view from the water; numbered buildings identified on reverse].
- 110 Native Store, Klukwan, 1910 [five people on porch of two-story building].
- 111 United States Public School, Klukwan, 1910 [group of children and teacher beside school].
- 112 The Agricultural Experiment, Klukwan, 1910 [group of men digging potatoes]. Fading print.
- 113 Vegetables grown by natives of Klukwan [four young children on walk behind display of vegetable; school in background].
- 114 Klukwan, 1910 [carved bird above door; home of John Kalchockie].
- 115 Boy and girl, Shakan village, ca. 1909 [two young children beside barrel].
- 116 Old Sukwan [Sukkwan totems in front of houses, Old Witch Totem on left]
- 117 Down Chilkat river [people in canoe].