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All persons having claims against deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of July, 1917, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

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The Populace.

From what has just been said, it may seem paradoxical to add, that the most peculiar thing about the people up here is, that there is *nothing* peculiar about them, either in manners, habits, dress or conversation. Take the average Territorial boy, for instance. He seems far more conversant with the geography, public people, social, religious, political and economic conditions, generally, of the East, than is his Eastern brother with Alaska and its appurtenances.

The youth of Alaska is avid for information! The libraries are frequented by the tiniest of tots, who, if too young to read, inquiringly study the pictures. Whether this is due to love of research, lack of a more attractive occupation, or isolation from more congenial environments, it matters not, so long as it ripens and develops his mind keenly.

It is doubtful if the average child from "Below" knows whether Alaska is a state or a territory, much less the name of its capital; whereas, the average child "Above" not only knows the name of each state and its capital, but the name of each governor as well. Furthermore, that Russian-America was purchased in 1857, at a cost of $7,200,000, and named Alaska (great land); that gold was first found at Klondike in 1896; and the gold beach at Nome in 1898—all these and other similar facts are truisms too common and trivial for the Alaskan lad to dwell upon.

Both grammar and high schools up here are of a pretty fair standard. Children who finish the grammer school are eligible for entrance into any high school of the States; or, those completing the high school are eligible into the universities of the States.

The Alaskan miner is on (if not above) a par with the miner of the States. Not even the foreign hard-rocker, is as uncouth in dress or habits as the word believes, and not near so rough, in any particular, as the miner of Pennsylvania, West Virginia or Arizona. Commendably, the Alaskan miner is always clean-shaved, but never clean-broke.

The recruit, who is as wild as the man from Borneo *before getting into* the Territory, takes on a tenderfoot tameness *before getting out*. It's in the atmosphere. The day of deviltry is done. Even the house of apologetic hue, like the bottle of brimstone brew, is gradually leaving via ebb tide.

It may surprise the gentler sex of the South to know that My Lady of the North is as fastidious about her fluffy ruffles, and as becomingly attired, upon the street, as a belle of Broadway. Also, that in paying a social visit, she is as punctilious as tho she were calling at the White House; one eye always upon the hands of the clock for fear of overstepping the bounds of propriety—remaining 16 minutes instead of 15.

The Territory generally is made up of people from everywhere, but Juneau, especially, seems to be composed of folk born and bred below the Mason-Dixon Line, noticeably Virginia—and F. F's. V. at that! (Further comment on charm or intellect would be superfluous.)

All of which form a life-size frame of gilt around the crude likeness of the wild-and-woolly, happy-go-lucky, unconventional, parki-hooded, walrus-eating, melted snow-water-bathing people—the picture which almost invariably hangs in the "dome" of the "Yank from Below." But, happily, "One-Eyed Mikes" and "Claw-Fingered Kitties" are types of yesterday.

There is something intangible about the Territory which makes its sons love its soil; yet every son bows to the hope of receiving, some day, the blessings of his Paternal Protector, under no other than the skies of the States themselves. And to hear him say he's going below at the first opportunity, doesn't imply any intention of obeying a summons to the place where the shovel is *not* used for snow: Conversely, just a *visit* to the greatest old Dad in the Garden-spot of the world—Uncle Sam! United States!

Facts And Features.

From the time one starts on the Inner Passage to enter the Northland, the dominant feature presented to the eye is—*spaciousness!*

All along the coast, the mountains rise to innumerable altitudes and form one vast stretch of serrated highland. The sides of the lofty ranges are flecked with snow, their crested heights forming fields of whiteness, and the whole thing hooded in mist of absinth gray. A tumbling cascade characterizes every ravine, and the yawn of each crevice is enough to sicken with envy the jaws of a New Jersey shark. These mountains and the scattered islands are densely wooded with spruce and hemlock.

The whole strength of this passage, from Seattle to Juneau, is a fiord 1,000 miles long, island-dotted and decorated with russett seaweed and here and there a deserted battery. Here, as on the Yukon, skillful navigation depends upon the eye, not the compass.

Alaska contains 600,000 square miles, "90,000 of which are available for pasturage and agriculture." It is twelve times the size of New York. In 1910 its population 64,356, whites and native inhabitants; but the next decennial census is expected to show 100,000. Its climate is as variable as the boundary lines of Europe—after the war. No two places seem to have the same temperature at the same time.

Such vegetables as potatoes, turnips and cucumbers can be grown as far up as the Artic Circle. Currents, raspberries and strawberries—but no fruits—are grown mostly in the south-eastern section. Ferns, mosses and lichens may be found most anywhere.

Gold mining is, of course, the most important commercial industry; fisheries rank second. Salmon, halibut, cod and herring are the principal fish caught, cooked, canned and commercialized.

Among the wild game are moose, caribou, mountain sheep and goat, deer and bear of every description. Hundreds of gulls and seabirds serve as sea scavengers and are a source of entertainment to steamship tousists. Ducks, geese, swans, etc, make a breeding ground of Alaska, but migrate southerly in winter.

Priceless placers and gold-bearing quartz veins traverse the entire territory, and it seems strange why these precious metals lay latent all during the Russian occupation. Who can guess what the Czar would not give to get it back—the purchase price, barely enough to maintain his army a fortnight?

(Continued next week.)

The following new books have been added to the Chestertown Public Library:

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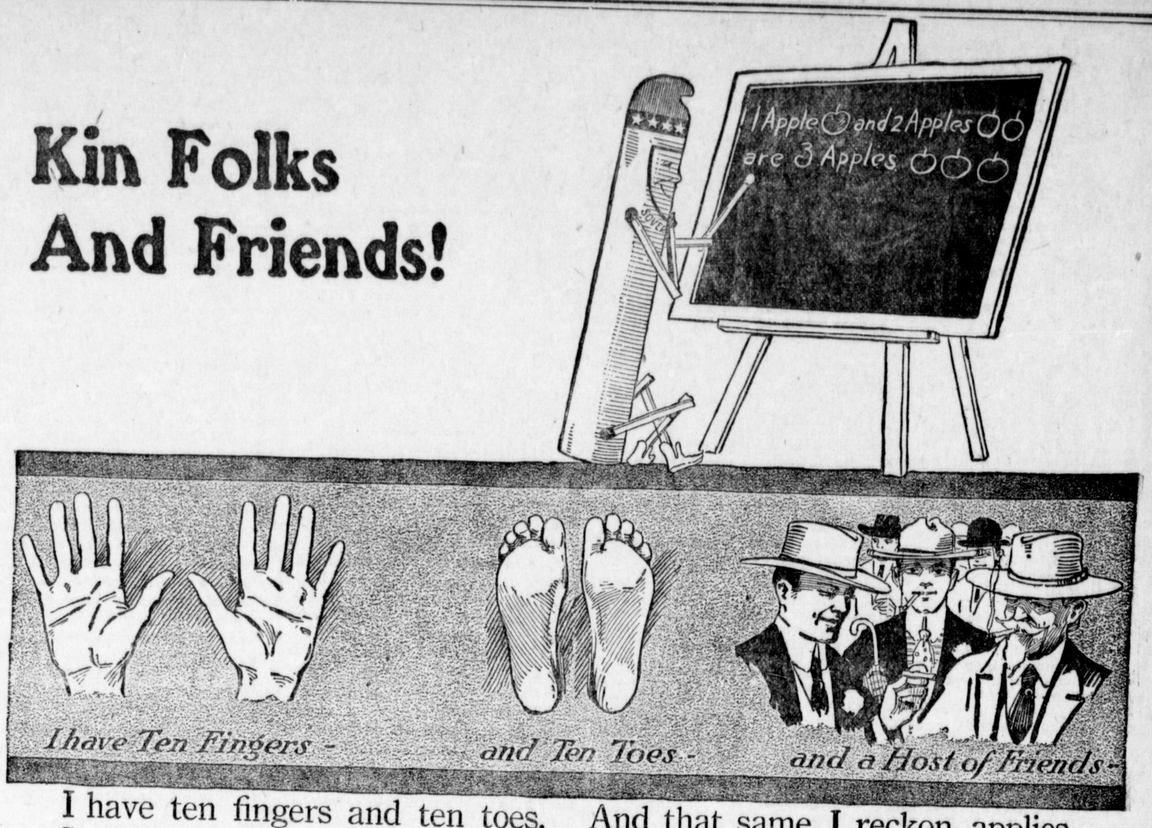

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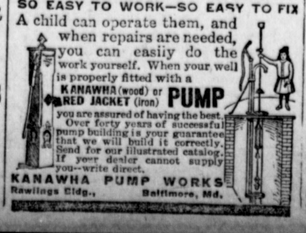

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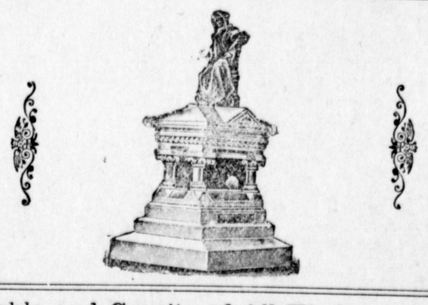

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