

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 9.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SECRETARY OF THE
TREASURY:

We, your memorialist, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska, respectfully represent that:

WHEREAS, the only protection to shipping in the Bering Sea and Arctic Ocean is that afforded by the patrol maintained by the United States Coast Guard Service in the aforementioned waters; and,

WHEREAS, the greatest danger in the navigation of these waters exists in the late fall and near the close of navigation;

WHEREAS, the United States Coast Guard Service, now has a new and modern vessel designed and built especially for this northern service;

THEREFORE your memorialist respectfully petitions that the said patrol by vessels of the United States Coast Guard Service be maintained in the waters of the Bering Sea and Arctic Ocean until all vessels operating as common carriers in said waters shall have discontinued their operations therein and thus afford them the protection so urgently needed during the most dangerous period of navigation as above stated.

And your memorialist will ever pray.

Passed by the House, April 13, 1927.

Passed by the Senate, April 18, 1927.

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 10.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

Your memorialist, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska, respectfully represents:

That Hoonah, Alaska, has a population of about Five Hundred individuals; it is also the center of a large district of homesteaders, fox ranchers and small canneries; it is the first of several other smaller towns, including Tenakee, a fishing and health resort of about 100 people, Angoon, a fishing and hunting village of 150 people, Killisnoo, a fishing and cannery center of 200 people, Hoonah and Tenakee being the regular stations for United States Deputy Marshals. The towns