

## SENATE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 11.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

Your memorialist, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska, in ninth biennial session assembled, respectfully represents:

WHEREAS, Candle, Alaska, is favorably located between Deering, Alaska, and Haycock, Alaska, and Elephant-Point, Alaska, and is the center of population in the Kotzebue Sound section, an important mining district, and

WHEREAS, Candle, Alaska, is now connected by telephone line with Deering, Alaska, and private interests are contemplating a telephone line from Elephant-Point, Alaska, to Candle, Alaska, and a bill has passed the Senate and is pending in the House of Representatives for an appropriation for the building of a telephone line between Haycock, Alaska, and Candle, Alaska, it can be readily seen that Candle, Alaska, is the logical communication center for this district, and

WHEREAS, there is no means of communication with other coastal stations having connections with other sections of Alaska, and the United States,

THEREFORE, your memorialist urges that as soon as possible, a radio station be established by the Government at Candle, Alaska, to the end that the population which is now endeavoring to develop this section of Alaska may be encouraged, aided and supported in their efforts.

And your memorialist will ever pray.

Passed the Senate, April 22, 1929.

Passed the House, April 29, 1929.