

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 66

TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES:

Your Memorialists, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska in the Thirteenth Regular Session assembled, respectfully represents that:

WHEREAS, mining is one of the chief industries of Alaska and it is desirable to encourage the development of mining in Alaska,

NOW, THEREFORE, your Memorialists pray that the mining laws relating to Alaska be so amended that survey work done by United States mineral surveyors upon a mining claim for the purpose of establishing its boundaries, or for any other purpose in connection with the location of the claim or protecting the title thereto, whether in connection with patent surveys or otherwise, be credited as assessment work for the year during which such survey work was done.

AND YOUR MEMORIALIST WILL EVER PRAY.

Passed by the House, March 2, 1937.

Passed by the Senate, March 9, 1937.

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 67

TO THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
FOREST SERVICE, TONGASS NATIONAL FOREST AND
THE HONORABLE ANTHONY J. DIMOND, DELEGATE
TO CONGRESS FROM THE TERRITORY OF ALASKA:

We, your Memorialists, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska, in regular session assembled, do most respectfully represent that:

WHEREAS, the Trail, known as the Naha River Trail, at Loring, Alaska, is in a deplorable condition; and may, at any time, cause the loss of life, or lives, if not rehabilitated or closed; and

WHEREAS, hundreds of people use this Trail as a means to reach the interior of Revillagigedo Island, for trapping, pros-

pecting and recreation, and should the said Trail be closed, it would work a great hardship on a large number of the settlers in this vicinity;

NOW, THEREFORE, we, your Memorialists, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska, most respectfully petition the United States Department of Agriculture and the Tongass National Forest officials to repair and rehabilitate the said Trail, or construct a new one, in order that it may serve the residents of this district.

AND YOUR MEMORIALISTS WILL EVER PRAY.

Passed by the House, March 2, 1937.

Passed by the Senate, March 9, 1937.

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 68

TO THE BOARD OF ENGINEERS OF THE RIVERS AND HARBORS DIVISION OF THE WAR DEPARTMENT, AND TO THE HONORABLE ANTHONY J. DIMOND, DELEGATE TO CONGRESS FROM ALASKA:

Your Memorialist, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska in thirteenth regular session assembled, most respectfully represents:

WHEREAS, your Board did on July 27, 1936, report unfavorably upon the proposition for improvement of Metlakatla harbor, which report was made in compliance with Section 3 of the Rivers and Harbors Act approved August 30, 1935; and

WHEREAS, it is the belief of your Memorialist that further consideration should be given this proposition and that circumstances covering the use of small boats in Metlakatla harbor and the necessity for a small boat harbor are of sufficient importance to justify an appropriation to improve the harbor in this respect.

NOW, THEREFORE, your Memorialist prays that a further hearing and investigation of the necessity for the said improvement of Metlakatla Harbor be made so that relief can be afforded the fishermen of Metlakatla and vicinity.

AND YOUR MEMORIALIST WILL EVER PRAY.

Passed by the House, February 27, 1937.

Passed by the Senate, March 4, 1937.