

NOW THEREFORE, your Memorialist, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska, in Eighteenth Regular Session assembled, respectfully urges that the repair and improvement of said facilities to accommodate the growing commerce of the Bering Sea, coupled with construction of a breakwater to protect the City of Nome, be treated as a priority project.

AND YOUR MEMORIALIST WILL EVER PRAY.

Passed by the House March 15, 1947.

Passed by the Senate March 20, 1947.

Approved by the Governor, March 26, 1947.

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 33

TO THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR, THE CONGRESS OF
THE UNITED STATES, AND THE DELEGATE FROM ALASKA:

Your Memorialist, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska, in Eighteenth Session assembled, respectfully submits:

WHEREAS, the present existing laws prohibit the White Race to own Reindeer in Alaska; and

WHEREAS, the Reindeer herds are fast becoming depleted and unless immediate and appropriate steps are taken the industry will soon become extinct; citing such instances in the Second Judiciary Division of Alaska as Unalakleet, Shaktoolik, Elim, Koyuk, Mountain Village, White Mountain, Council and Nome where large herds once existed, but are now non-existent; and

WHEREAS, this industry is virtually necessary to Alaska and especially the Second Judicial Division; and

WHEREAS, many of the White Race have expressed a desire in this industry; and

WHEREAS, it will encourage Veterans to participate in this worthwhile venture;

NOW THEREFORE, your Memorialist, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska, respectfully prays that immediate steps be taken to repeal existing laws whereby Whites are restricted from owning Reindeer in the Territory of Alaska.

AND YOUR MEMORIALIST WILL EVER PRAY.

Passed by the House March 19, 1947.

Passed by the Senate March 22, 1947.

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 35

TO THE HIGHWAY ENGINEER AND THE TERRITORIAL BOARD
OF ROAD COMMISSIONERS:

Your Memorialist, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska, in Eighteenth Session assembled, respectfully submits:

WHEREAS, the incorporated town of Seldovia is located in a vicinity which promises substantial development; but

WHEREAS, said area is handicapped for lack of a road system to serve as a link between said town and its surrounding areas; and,

WHEREAS, a road from Seldovia to Yakalof Bay, a distance of about eight miles, would connect two homesteads and two canneries with the town and open up considerable land for settlement; and,

WHEREAS, said road would be a safeguard for people on boats caught in storms while plying between Seldovia and Homer;

NOW THEREFORE, your Memorialist respectfully petitions that steps be taken to complete a road from Seldovia to Yakalof Bay, and also suggests that the matter of constructing a landing float at Seldovia for pontoon planes be considered.