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LETTER FROM FAR ALASKA

Jesse Smith, a Soldier, Writes The Progress About the Far Frozen North.

Haines, Alaska, Sept. 8, 1911.
Editor MARION PROGRESS,
Marion, N. C.

Sir:—Perhaps you will be surprised to get a letter for publication from the far frozen North. I was in your city in April of this year and like the city fine. I read THE PROGRESS and I think it a fine paper.

I will try to give you a few items from this part of the word. I am a soldier boy. Landed here July 3, 1911, and now stationed 16 miles South of Shagway, a noted place in 1897-8 on account of the Klondyke strike on the Yukon river, 700 miles north of Shagway. There are several gold mines near here. The Parcupine and Vogels mines are 40 miles west of Haines.

I like Haines fine. The climate can't be beat, though our days are long in the summer and short in the winter. The days in the dead of winter are about four hours long. Lamps are lighted about 3 p. m. and kept burning till 9 a. m. During the summer some nights never get dark, still the sun doesn't shine. It doesn't get very cold here, not more than 10 below zero, yet we have lots of snow. When I left for Marion on March 30 last the snow was about four feet deep here.

We only have 45 minutes drill five days in the week and parade occasionally. As the little boy says, "it's like getting money from home" without writing for it. I have been a soldier for seven years and have seen service in the Philippine Islands. We may stay here another year; hope so, for this is a fine place. Have snow in sight the year round, and this a lot of comfort when I know it is so hot in the good old United States.

I am a Southern man, and my wife's home is near Marion. I have been greatly interested in the argument in THE PROGRESS about the Civil War.

Yours truly,
JESSE H. SMITH,
Sergt Co. K, 16th U. S. Inf.

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FROM THE TROPICS TO HEAL US.



Cedron Seed Plant.

In Central America many natives are gathering the seeds of this plant, Cedron Seed, a rare medicine that has valuable curative powers. But few drug stores carry this seed, owing to the high cost of the article.

This country is a large consumer of this costly seed because it enters into the famous catarrh remedy, Peruna, sold the world over.

Seven Commandments For Keeping Dirt Roads In Good Condition.

Don't fill up the holes and ruts in the dirt road with brush, with rocks on top, and a little dirt to cover the rocks; but fill up the hole with dirt of the same character as the balance of the road.

2. Don't throw all the refuse from the ditches into the middle of the road, thus softening the surface and destroying the soil, firm bed that you have obtained by previous work; but throw this material out on the opposite side of the ditch.

3. Don't leave the center of the road the lowest point; but make it the highest and give the surface of the road a slope of about 1 in 20 to the side ditch.

4. Don't carry the water across the surface of the road from one side to the other; but carry it by means of culverts underneath the road.

5. Don't have grades on your road over 4 1-3 per cent; for if you do, it will be necessary to build V-shaped surface ditches or "Thank-you-mam's" across the road.

6. Don't in working out the labor tax on the roads, try to make a holiday of it; but give an honest day's work on the road. Let us eliminate what is often seen in those sections where the roads are maintained by the labor tax—10 or 12 men and an overseer, a little gray mule, a small plow, six dogs, three or four guns, and a few tools which often are not considered worth using at home.

7. Don't reject the split-log drag because it is a cheap road machine, but use it constantly, for it is the most efficient road machine that we can use in maintaining the dirt road.—Joseph Hyde Pratt.

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