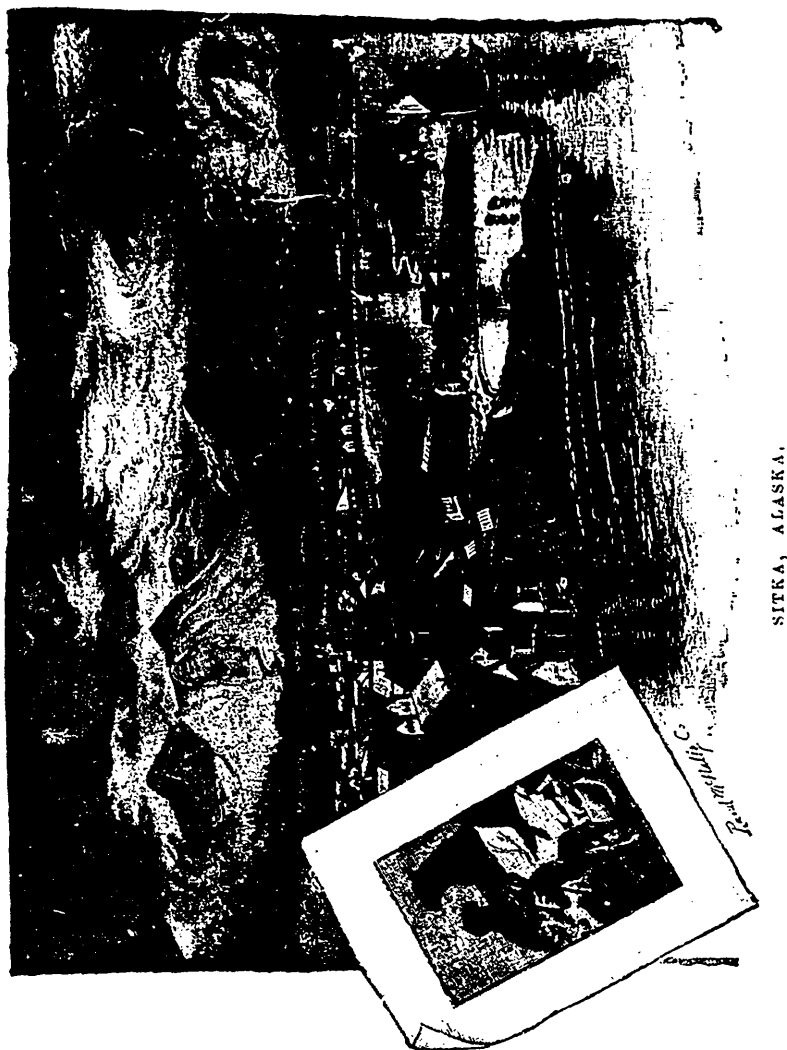


little of the natural frontier dignity which pervades the true Hudson's Bay factory. One of the bastions, and even some curtailed parts of the old stockade, still exist. There are now nine or ten whites in the vil-

his devoted wife have been the means, in the hands of Providence, of working a moral miracle in the habits of the natives. The commodious church was erected almost entirely at the expense of the natives



lage. The houses occupy a point of land and a little island forming part of the breakwater of the fine circular bay, cited officially as the best of the British Columbian harbours."

Here the Rev. Thomas Crosby and

and numerous outlying missions at Bella-Bella, Bella-Coola, Naas River, Port Essington, Queen Charlotte Islands, and the Upper Skeena. For many years Mr. Crosby travelled up and down the wild west coast in a