



THE HOUSE OF SHAKES VII—Reflected in quiet waters around the Shakes Island and guarded by beautiful and authentic Tlingit and totem poles The House of Shakes VII stands in dignity near the City of Wrangell in Southeastern Alaska. In 1940, this was the scene of a colorful ceremony during which Charles Jones, hereditary chief of his tribe, became formally known as Kudanake

Shakes VII. With these traditional words of welcome, Kudanake welcomed some 500 specially invited people many of whom were dignitaries: "Thank you, my friends, for coming to this occasion in response to my invitation. It is as though a great light had burst through the darkness to see you here. Thank you, towards me you have come. —(See Story on Page 8)