

THE KNIK ARM COURIER

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Chugiak, Alaska, U.S.A.

Chugiak Little League Tied For First!!

PLAYOFF GAME FRIDAY AT HOME FIELD

The Chugiak Little League ball team is tied with the Tigers from Anchorage for first place in the second half of the season series. The playoff for these two teams for first place will take place Friday evening at 6:30 p.m. on the Chugiak diamond. The winner of this playoff will then play the Gilman Indians who are the top team in the first half of the series. The winner of this game will hold the League Championship.

Three Chugiak boys, whose names are being withheld until after playoff, have made the all-star team which will journey by train to Fairbanks with 12 other boys on August 12th to compete for Alaska title. The 15 boys, one manager and two coaches will make the trip to Fairbanks with all expenses paid by Little League sponsors. They will return on August 17th.

Following the Fairbanks engagements a picnic will be given by the Katmai League for all of the teams at which time trophies will be presented for the League Championship and for the most important player in the entire league. The Chugiak team will also be guests at a banquet and there a local trophy will be awarded for the best sportsman.

The game this Friday will afford much excitement and it is hoped our boys will have full support for the tremendous task of beating the Tigers, who are also out to win.

FIRE MARSHAL VISITS Chugiak School

MR. H.E. DEARINGER & MR. KI. KOSINSKY INSPECT SCHOOL PLANT.

LOCAL GIRL STARS IN THEATER WORKSHOP PRODUCTION

Sixteen year old Renetta Thomas of Birchwood stole the show in the Theatre Workshop production of "The Teahouse of The August Moon". Renetta received a tremendous ovation for her interpretation of the role of "Lotus Blossom", the flute voiced Giesha girl. Miss Thomas has danced in a number of local productions but this was her first speaking role. Last year she appeared in "The King and I" and in "Oklahoma". Although her lines were all in "Oklahoma" she did a wonderful job of interpreting the difficult role and succeeded in portraying the innocent yet worldly creature who is the oriental Giesha Girl.

CUB PACK MEETING

Chugiak Cub Scout Pack Meeting will be held Saturday morning at Peters Creek at high tide which is 9:00 a.m. The new Cub Committee Chairman, Mr. Joe Wood, will make the presentation of badges and awards. All Cubs, parents and interested persons are invited and urged to be present. Saturday morning August 2nd at 9:00 a.m.

M.T.A. ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual membership meeting of the Matanuska Telephone Association will be held Saturday, August 2nd at 7:30 p.m. in the Central School in Palmer. All telephone subscribers, who are thereby stockholders, are urged to be present.

At the request of the Chugiak Volunteer Fire Company, Territorial Fire Marshall, Mr. H.E. Dearinger and Alaska Board of Education Maintenance Superintendent, Mr. Ki. Kosinsky, made a thorough inspection of hazards at the Chugiak School yesterday accompanied by Chief Jim McDowell and Assistant Chief Jess Straight and Mr. Lee Emmert, Superintendent. They explained that with construction of the new addition all of the needed corrections for safety as outlined by our firemen would be included into the entire structure. Mr. Dearinger had with him a copy of the plans drawn by Edwin Crittenden and Associates which call for the present hot air furnace to be replaced with a hot water boiler which will meet with National Board of Fire Underwriters and the Fire Marshall's approval. This type boiler will blow hot air from off of coils instead of from direct fire as in the present heating system. Other corrections include fire shutters with fusible links on all air ducts, correction of exit doors, automatic shutters on storage areas, vented furnace room, remodeling of kitchen and proper vent installed therein. Mr. Kosinsky stated that the addition and the incorporate corrections should be completed for the 1959-1960 school year. A Hydrant wrench has been secured by the Fire Company that fits the present hydrants so now both apparatus are operable at the school.

JUNE 31
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The Knik Arn Courier will
print without charge, any
ads for work for teen-
agers.

We take this opportunity
to print the following
note to the Editor for
we are humbly grateful for
it.

To the Editor & Staff:
A note of appreciation—
We want to thank you for
your good work in printing
the Knik Arn Courier. We
realize there is much hard
work and time involved.
We feel you are rendering
a much needed service to
our community, and are
sure it is read with
eagerness by many famil-
ies every week, as it is
by us.

Thanks!
The Tatro's

And THANK YOU too!

Dear Editor;
What are the qualifica-
tions for membership in
the Yellow Hat Gang?

J. Hound

The mail is full of
letters this week. Here
is another in the same
vein but this paper
does not know the answer
to the question put.

Dear Editor: I have
noticed the influx sudd-
enly of Yellow Hats in
the Chugiak vicinity and
have heard a rumor to
the effect that funds for
the purchase of these
hats come from the Alaska
Salmon Industry. Can
you enlighten me?
Queenie Berry

Sorry, Miss Berry, we
cannot. But the requir-
ement for membership is
that a hat be purchased
from Lorraine's stock of Yellow Hats.

SNOW IN HAVERE, MONTANA

Sgt. MARVIN SNOW and his
family with their five
husky dogs were the subject
of a front page article
and picture in The Haver
News last week. The Snows
were visiting Marvins
brother in that city and
no doubt caused quite a lot
of speculation about Alaska
with the dogs and also the
sled which was perched
atop the station wagon.
Sgt. Snow was recently trans-
ferred to Andrews Air
Force Base near Washington,
D.C. Marvins was Fire Chief
of the Chugiak Volunteer
Fire Company for two years.

Don't Forget !!!
THE FIRE PROTECTION MEET-
ING IS FRIDAY EVENING,
AUGUST 8th at 8:00 P.M. at
THE CHUGIAK FIRE HALL,

SCHOOL CENSUS

The deadline for completing
the School Census is at
hand. Any member of the
community who has not yet
been contacted by one of
the census takers, or who
may not have been at home
when the census taker called
is requested to please call
Mrs. Jack Phillips at Ho-
ninstead 5656. Mrs. Phillips
is in charge of this project
which is to attempt to get
as nearly correct as possible
a count of the children
who will attend the Chugiak
School this season.

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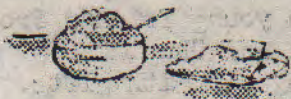
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BAR and Dining Room

Drop by and Meet us -
George and Anne

The Cook of The Month

TOMATOES ON SALE



by Rusty Dellringor

Several months ago our Cook of the Month was Lorene Tofson. Due to the Courier missing a week of publication, we were unable to print Lorene's wonderful recipe for Chili. However, an extra week in July enables us to correct this situation. At one time or other everyone in the community has attended one of the Chili Feeds that Lorene has put on for various good causes in the community and we are sure that this now famous chili recipe will be a welcome addition to any kitchen file.

FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS

It was strawberry-shortcake time at the lovely Birchwood home of Lorene Tofson on Wednesday July 23rd. The Ladies of the Friendly Neighbor Club eagerly look forward each year to the summer meeting at Lorene's which is carefully timed to coincide with the time that her fabulous strawberry bed is at its prime. These luscious berries coupled with Lorene's incomparable baking makes this annual feast one no

CHILI

2 lbs. hamburger) Brown
3 big onions) over low heat.

Add: 1 cup catsup
1 qt. tomato juice
2 tbs. MILD Chili Powder
1 tbs. Paprika
2 tsp. salt
2 tsp. pepper

Add: 2 No. 2 Cans Chili Beans or 1 1/2 lbs. Dry Chili Beans cooked.

member wants to miss. Last minute reservations for the Club's Anniversary dinner at Fire Lake Lodge, on August 6th were taken. The new officers took over their duties and the first order of business was a suggestion that the Friendly Neighbors offer to assist Tom Slanker in the dinner. he is planning for the Little Leaguers and their Coaches.

The secretary wishes to remind all members that the dinner meeting is August 6th at 7:30 p.m. and to be sure to have a gift for their Secret Pals even if they do not plan to attend.

THE FAR NORTH
LAND MERCHANT

Believes in The
Future of Chugiak

Residents of Chugiak were delighted last Friday to see a pick-up truck of ripe luscious red Tattus Tomatoes parked along the roadside at Pella Park, 18 1/2 mile. Although these tomatoes have been available in Anchorage for some time it was the first time any had been offered for sale in our community. The driver plans to return to Chugiak again next weekend, so all you tomato lovers, keep your eyes peeled!

MAILBOXES TAMPERED WITH

Some person or persons (very likely children) have been tampering with the mail in boxes located at 23 mile. The mail has been removed from the mailboxes and placed in the paper tubes and in one instance, scattered on the ground. Parents in this vicinity should question their children closely on this matter and instruct them for in addition to this being a nuisance it is a Federal offense.

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Church News

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Nelson Meyer
 Sunday School 10: a.m.
 Morning Worship 11: a.m.

CHRISTIAN CHAPEL

Ali. B. Jarnan, Minister
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship & Communion 11:00 a.m.
 Junior & Youth Group 9:30 p.m.

CHUGIAK CHAPEL

Rev. Bernard Towell
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Christ's Ambassadors (Young People) 6: p.m.
 Evangelistic Service Sunday 7:30 p.m.
 Bible Study & Prayer Friday 7:30 p.m.
 Closing Exercises of Vacation Bible School will be held Friday night at 7:45 at the Chugiak Chapel. Parents and friends are invited to attend.

MRS. HILDRETH STEELMAN (Mary) has been confined to the Palmer Hospital for the past several days.

MRS. GERALD COX was taken to Providence Hospital last evening.

VOTE FOR JIM FREY for STATE SENATOR At Large Districts 7 to 14.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. L.F. Price Welcomes You to Sunday Services
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Baptist Training Union 6:30
 Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
 Prayer Meeting, Wed., 7:30
 Nursery Open During Services

LATER DAY SAINTS

Sunday Services 10:30 a.m. at Candlelight Inn

EMMANUEL GOSPEL

Rev. Eva & Lincoln Brown Invite & Welcome You to Worship With Them
 Sunday School & Bible Study 10:15 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Service 7:00 p.m.
 Prayer Meeting & Bible Study, Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
 Youth Fellowship, Friday 7:30 p.m.

MRS. MARTY COLLIERFORD is home from 5040th Hospital where she spent several miserable weeks, but she won that round. Her friends and neighbors are all happy to have her home.

THE FAR NORTH

LAND MERCHANT

WANTS CHUGIAK LISTINGS LET HIM SELL, RENT OR FIND THAT CHOICE PROPERTY

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Kris Laukat celebrated his fifth birthday Sunday afternoon with young friends from Anchorage and Chugiak presenting him with gifts. The children had a wonderful time at Kris's home at 23 mile and were especially enchanted with the cake made in the shape of a corral with the 5 quads being rounded up by cowboys on horses.

BABY SHOWER

Friends from Spenard, Anchorage And Chugiak honored MRS. DARRELL SMITH with a shower at the home of Mrs. Floyd Smith last Saturday, July 26th. The motif for the very unusual cake was a clothesline hung with small cake diapers. Mrs. Smith received many lovely gifts for the expected newborn.

VOTE FOR JIM FREY

CHUGACH



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JULY 31

TEEN-AGERS MEET

Thirty Four Chugick Teen-agers met at the Carnival Hall on Monday evening in response to an invitation from the Youth Action group. The youngsters were very enthusiastic about the plans of the adult group to assist them in organizing planned recreation for the youth of this community. There were four adults present to convey the suggestions suggestions of the adults and to act as liason between the two groups. Mrs. Leslie Todd, Mrs. H.D. Johnson, Mr. Dale Briggs and Mr. Max Pyles were the adults present. The teen-agers expressed an interest in sports with emphasis on roller skating and basket ball during the winter months in the Carnival hall. Also the girls would like to see a girls softball team sponsored. The boys talked of organizing a car club with the possibility of acquiring a suitable area for drag-racing. Both boys and girls were very anxious for teen-age dances to be promoted in the community. They stated that they would prefer to have these dances restricted to the teen-agers in this immediate community and their guests, to prevent military and people from town from attending indiscriminately. They met again Wednesday evening to organize and elect officers. They hoped to set up the dances immediately to

**HEATING SALES OFFICE
OPENS HERE**

The newest business to open in our fast growing community is a heating equipment sales and service office. The E.F. Burger Heating Service is in the new quonset hut located at 21 1/2 mile. Mr. Burger recently arrived with his wife and son from Galesburg, Illinois, where he operated a similar business. The Burgers have purchased the Mainhart home-stead and plan to make Chugick their home. Mr. Burger is the distributor for Synchronatic forced air furnaces and has several models on display at his office. He hopes to be able to serve the community with both sales and repairs and invites his neighbors to drop in and meet him and inspect the newest equipment.


keep the enthusiasm at a high level and to attract all teen-agers in the community into joining their group.

**SHOPPING in
Chugick**

With all this rainy weather making us easy victims to summer colds, it is a comfort to know that the Knit*Knak Shop at Eagle River carries a complete line of all patent cold remedies. In addition to the nose drops and cough syrups they are stocking some of the newer remedies such as Dristan. These tablets, which a number of Doctors are now recommending, are a wonder for affording instant relief from the discomforts and miseries of stuffed heads and congested chests. Dristan combines the effects of antihistamine along with the pain relieving benefits of A.P.C. and are the answer to getting back on your feet in a hurry.

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In these times of great importance to us as a new State and as citizens of a great free Nation it behoves each and every one of us to try to understand how our State will operate. The Courier will print each week, a portion of our Constitution.

PREAMBLE

We the people of Alaska, grateful to God and to those who founded our nation and pioneered this great land, in order to secure and transmit to succeeding generations our heritage of political, civil and religious liberty within the Union of States, do ordain and establish this constitution for the State of Alaska.

THE CONSTITUTION of the STATE of ALASKA

Article 1

Declaration of Rights

Section 1. This constitution is dedicated to the principles that all persons have a natural right to life, liberty, the pursuit of happiness, and the enjoyment of the rewards of their own industry; that all persons are equal and entitled to equal rights, opportunities, and the protection under the law; and that all persons have corresponding obligations to the people and to the State.

Section 2. All political power is inherent in the people. All government originates with the people, is founded upon their will only, and is instituted solely for the good of the people as a whole.

Section 3. No person is to be denied the enjoyment of any civil or political right because of race, color, creed or national origin. The legislature shall implement this section.

Section 4. No law shall be made respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof.

Section 5. Every person may freely speak, write, and publish on all subjects, being responsible for the abuse of that right.

Section 6. The right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the government shall never be abridged.

See next page

SEE THE FAR NORTH LAND Merchant

No. 5340

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Summer Rates for Drilled Wells - \$10. per ft.

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RESCUE CALLS

This morning, July 31, at 11:45 a.m., the Chugiak Volunteer Fire Company received a call from Larry Heinrichs to come to Flint's with the rescue truck as a woman was losing her baby. Just as the crew were about to leave a call came from the Anchorage Fire Department that a baby was suffocating at the Eagle River Shopping center. The crew left immediately but no one was at the shopping center so the truck went to the Flint home where Larry was waiting as he had said he would do. He then directed the truck to the fourth house up the street where a baby was found to be dead from having strangled on mucous. The mother was in a hysterical condition and was transported to 5040th hospital. The name of the family was not learned.

Mr. E.E. Dearing, Fire Marshall reports this a.m. that safety corrections in the School furnace room are being made NOW.

THE CONSTITUTION: continued-

Section 7. No person shall be deprived of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law. The right of all persons to fair and just treatment in the course of legislative and executive investigations shall not be infringed.

Section 8. No person shall be held to answer for a capital, or otherwise infamous crime, unless on a presentment or indictment of a grand jury, except in cases arising in the armed forces in time of war or public danger. Indictment may be waived by the accused. In that case the prosecution shall be by information. The grand jury shall consist of at least twelve citizens, a majority of whom concurring may return an indictment. The power of grand juries to investigate and make recommendations concerning the public welfare or safety shall never be suspended.

To Be Continued Next Issue

HO. 5175
IS THE NUMBER
FOR LUMBER

BIRCHWOOD BUILDING
MATERIAL YARD

18½ MILE, Right in the HEART of Chugiak. Ho. 5175

THE ALASKA DAIRY

IS EXTENDING IT'S HOME DELIVERY
ROUTE TO ENCLUDE
ALL OF:

YEAR ROUND DELIVERY

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Birchwood Loop
Eagle River Home-
stead Road and
The entire Chugiak
Area

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JULY 31

Plain DIRT Gardening

Perennials From Seed

Almost all Perennials can be raised from seed. Some will bloom the first year if started early enough, while others such as Peony and Troillius must be at least three years old.

Prepare seed bed in a sunny place near enough to your house so you won't forget it.

Make rows 4 or 5 inches apart. Cover seeds with soil to a depth of about four times their diameter and firm well. Mark your rows so you will know what is what. And don't give up too soon! Most perennials take a long time to germinate. Some might even wait until the following year before showing.

Keep the seed bed well watered but not soaked. During hot dry weather shade the bed with shades about a foot above the soil. Drouth and hot sun can kill the seedlings in a few hours and also kill the roots before the seedling has shown above ground. Remove the shades

during prolonged cloudy weather. Burlap sacks may be used for shades, holding them up with stakes. Some gardeners put burlap, kept damp, directly on the seed bed after planting and taking off as soon as the seedlings show. This method would be all right with only one kind of flower but with more than one variety, germination would be at different times. The young seedlings would still need protection.

As soon as the seedlings are well up they should be thinned to stand to 1 inch apart. In 2 or 3 weeks they should be thinned again to about 2 to 4 inches unless you transplant at that time. Transplanting should be done in cloudy weather. If done in sunny weather shade the plants for a few days.

Some seeds need cold for germination, planting in early spring or fall. Some of these are: Armeria, Iris, Shasta Daisy, Lilly and Pyrethrum.

Chugiak Garden Club



Classified

FOUND: 2 HUSKY DOGS - call Jack Johnson - Ho. 5320

NOTARY: GRACE TATRO *** 22 1/2 Mile - The Dari-Delite

AVON REPRESENTATIVE *** Call Ann Johnson - Ho. 5200

FOR SALE: 1954 Plymouth Belvedere Suburban.

Knik Knik Shop - Eagle River FOR SALE: Oil Range \$50.

New Book Case \$35.

2 Lamps with Shades \$25.

for the Pair. See Fern Peters, Box 134, Chugiak Post Office or drive up Peters Creek

FOR WHEEL ALIGNMENT AND TUNE-UP Call PIONEER 3800 EVERETT MOTORS IN PALMER

TEENS ADS

WANTED: Ironing & Housework 75¢ per hour. See Diana Halverson at 23 Mile or leave word at The Courier. Ho. 5500

DIANA: Please call The Courier, Ho. 5500.

DINNER MENU AT MOOSE HORN

Thursday - Meat Loaf
Friday - Macaroni & Cheese
Saturday - Roast Beef
Sunday - Baked Ham
Monday - Pork Chops, Dressing
Tuesday - Fried Chicken
Wednesday - Ham & Cabbage
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