

THE KNIK ARM COURIER

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Chugiak, Alaska, U.S.A.

School Begins Sept. 2

The Chugiak Territorial School will open on September 2nd this year. As usual, the walls will be bulging because of the number of pupils. The P.T.A. pre-school census which was not entirely complete, shows 324 pupils. Grade wise, these are: Grade 1, 54; Grade 2, 45; Grade 3, 34; Grade 4, 50; Grade 5, 33; Grade 6, 49; Grade 7, 28; and Grade 8, 31. There were 64 pupils of high school age listed.

Present plans are for two sections of 1st, 2nd, 4th, and 6th grades and one section each for 3rd and 5th, with a combination room of 3rd and 5th grade pupils. First week enrollment may change these plans.

In addition to the regular rooms, classes will be held in three quonset huts on the school grounds and in the Methodist Church. Bids have been called for on a three-room addition to the primary building. Construction will take place next summer.

The increase in enrollment is causing an overcrowded condition on the busses. Because of this, it will be necessary for pupils living less than one and one half miles from the school, to walk or obtain their own transportation.

Six of last years staff of teachers are returning, Eleanor Waterman, Irene Emmert, Ina May, Judith Saupé, Ducky Morse, and W.L. Emmert Superintendent. The new teachers are Carol Witherall, of Woodspoint, N.Y; Andrew Kirk, Gainesville, Florida; Virginia Search, Waveland, Indiana; Elaine Eggleston, Safford, Arizona; Margaret Dyers, Wasilla; Blakely McKinley, Palmer; Wilna Darr, Matoka, West Virginia; Zona Miles, Minneapolis, Minnesota, and Merydith West, Potsdam, New York. continued page 4

Dogs Maul TIMES CARRIER!

MATANUSKA VALLEY FAIR OPENS AUGUST 29th

Official Host & Hostess
Named

Commissioner of Agriculture and Mrs. James W. Wilson of Palmer have been named official host and hostess of the 1958 Matanuska Valley Fair to be held August 29, 30, 31 and September 1 in Palmer. The announcement was made by Eugene Kirsch, Fair Manager. They will be on hand to greet the many visiting dignitaries expected in Palmer for the four day fair and will, in their gracious way, offer a sincere welcome to the Matanuska Valley and the 18th annual fair, to each and every person attending the holiday weekend event. Developments continue as the Fair date approaches. Contracts have been signed with the Interior Rodeo Association and the Alaska Racing Association as featured events at the Fair. The midway will offer a wide variety of concessions — there will be something to interest everyone at the "Alaska State Fair" in "Alaska's Valley Plenty". Exhibits are expected to come in from throughout the Territory to compete for the cash and ribbon awards. Premium books are still available at the Fair office and anyone desiring a copy may write to the Fair, Box 1337, Palmer, and one will be sent to them. Exhibitors will be permitted to prepare and arrange their exhibits up to 9:00 a.m. the first day of the fair. Judging will take place starting at 9:00 a.m. and continue until all awards are made. Exhibitors names will be placed on the exhibits after judging.

FRANK ADAMS, 9 year old Times paper carrier, was severely mauled last Friday afternoon as he was delivering the papers, by two Boxer dogs belonging to Ted Dall. Marcia Dall was able to control the dogs and got them off the boy. His older brother had gone to the home of Mrs. Wm. J. Millican to call for help. Mrs. Millican called firemen and gave the boy first aid for bruises and the serious cuts he received. He was taken to Providence Hospital where he had to be given about 40 stitches. Frank was released from the hospital the following day.

Hornets STING YOUNGSTER

The MUNSON's 5 year old boy from Birchwood area stepped in a hornet nest Friday afternoon and was badly stung requiring medical attention.

MRS. RAYMOND KRAUSE was transported in the Rescue Truck by Fireman Art Wallace to Providence Hospital yesterday afternoon after she had suffered a stroke.

RESULTS OF FIRE PREVENTION BOARD ELECTION

No official return has been made on the election of board members for the Fire Prevention Board which was held last Friday at the Chugiak School.

POLING PLACE REMAINS THE SAME FOR AUGUST 26 VOTE

CAST YOUR BALLOT AT THE
CHUGIAK COMMUNITY CLUB HALL
AT 21 MILE.

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LETTER TO a TEEN-AGER

The following appeared on page 96 of August Readers Digest. We take the liberty of reprinting it here.

"Always we hear the spoiled plaintive cry of the teen-ager: 'What can we do; where can we go?'"

I can make some suggestions. Go home!

Paint the woodwork. Mow the lawn. Wash the car. Learn to cook. Scrub some floors, Repair the sink. Build a boat. Get a job!

Your parents do not owe you entertainment. Your village does not owe you recreational facilities.

THE WORLD DOES NOT OWE YOU A LIVING.

YOU OWE THE WORLD SOMETHING.

You owe it your time and energy and your talents. Help the minister, the Red Cross, the Salvation Army. Visit the sick. Assist the poor. And when you are through - and not too tired - read a book."

FLINTS RETURN

Mrs. Virgil Flint (Donnie) and her two daughters, Judy and Jeanne, surprised their friends by returning to Chugiak last Saturday. The Flints were on an extended visit to their original home in DuQuoin, Illinois and were not expected to return until next spring. However they found things so changed since they left, and found people so cold and indifferent and not at all like the warm-hearted Alaskans to whom they had become used, that they just had to come home. They have decided there is not a place in the whole world like Alaska, particularly Chugiak. Donnie returned just in time to vote in the Statchood election.

VISITOR FROM OREGON

Mr. Harvey Nordquist from Portland, Oregon, is staying with friends Mr. & Mrs. Charles Harriman. Mr. Nordquist is here to look over the Alaskan job situation for he would like to make his home here.

VOTE YES on AUGUST 26th
YES
YES
YES

DAVISES ARE HOME

Mrs. Allan Davis and daughter Judith, returned home last Wednesday from a visit to Arizona to be with the older Davis daughter, Peggy. In her joy at being home, Judy pranced about and wrenched her leg which resulted in her having to make a trip to the Valley Hospital for treatment.

TEEN-AGERS DANCE

The Friday Night Dance of the Chugiak Teen-Age Club will be a regular event. A number of adult neighbors looked in at last Friday's affair and enjoyed watching the youngsters have a good time. The teen-agers hope to add some athletic activities to their social affairs, with plans underway for a girls softball team next summer. They would like very much if some adult group would help then construct a skating rink this winter so that they could have skating parties.

JAMES D. FREY

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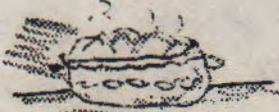
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The Cook of The Month

BIRTHDAY FEATURES
UNUSUAL CAKES

COOK FOR AUGUST - MARYLEE LAUKAT



by Rusty Bellringer

With Salmon being the seafood most always associated with Alaska, it is only fitting that this week's recipe should feature this favorite which is baked into a most unusual pie. Marylee Laukat finds that this entirely different way of baking the fish into the crust instead of the filling is always a sure hit at a ladies luncheon or a Friday night supper.

SALMON BAKE PIE

- 4 Cups (2 lbs.) canned or baked salmon.
- 1 1/2 Cups crushed crackers
- 2 eggs lightly beaten
- 2 tbs. evaporated milk
- 1 tsp. salt
- Dash pepper
- 1 Tbs. minced Onion
- 2 Tbs. Butter

- 3 Medium Potatoes (cubed & boiled)
- 1 Cup Medium White Sauce
- 1/2 Cup Fine bread crumbs

Flake salmon, mix lightly with crackers, eggs, milk, onion and salt and pepper. Melt butter in 9" shallow baking dish. Line with salmon mixture, pack firmly building the sides high. Bake in hot oven (450) for 15 minutes. Remove from oven

Add hot drained potatoes to white sauce and turn immediately into salmon "shell" in baking dish. Top with bread crumbs and brown lightly in hot oven. Serves six.

HOMEMAKERS PLAN FAIR BOOTH

The Chugiak Homemakers met last Thursday, August 14th at the home of Gleda Stephens, President.

This year the ladies are planning to operate a booth at the Matanuska Valley Fair. It was announced that the Afghan which the ladies have been working on is now complete and will be on display soon at a local business establishment. A member of the Chugiak Homemakers has been nominated for the scholarship to the Short Course which takes place in Fairbanks.

The Homemakers wish to announce that they have a 42 cup electric percolator which they will rent to other clubs within the community for \$2.00 per day. Anyone who is interested please call Mrs. Stephens at Ho. 5291. The next meeting will be a special Cookery for all Homemaker clubs. It will be held in Palmer and the date will be announced later.

The three Whaley children celebrated their birthdays together last Sunday, August 17th. Mark, Stephen, and Becky, 10, 9, and 7 years old respectfully, enjoyed a party that featured very artfully designed cakes decorated by their Aunt Darlene Robinson. Becky's cake was an Angel Food that was decorated in the form of a doll with an elaborate hooped skirt. The cake for the two boys was a sheet cake which sported a frontier village complete with Indians, Frontiersmen and tepees among trees of licorice sticks and green frosting with with green cocoanut grass.

YOUTH ASSOCIATION MEETS
The Chugiak Youth Action Association (official title) met last Monday night. The by-laws were read and accepted. A meeting is planned for the second Friday of next month at which time they expect to meet with the Teen Age Club to discuss mutual interests and problems.

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August 21

SCHOOL - continued from page 1 -

Grade assignments have been made but are subject to change, if it seems advisable. Miss West will teach music and girls' physical education. Registration will be held the morning of September 2nd. Busses will bring the pupils to school, arriving at the school grounds at 8:50 a.m. and will take the pupils home, the first day, at 12:00 noon.

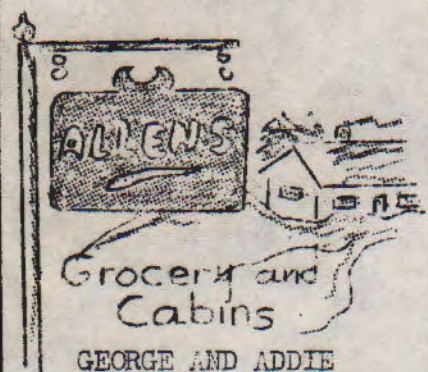
All pupils entering school in Alaska for the first time this year, are required by Territorial regulation, to present birth certificates at the time of registration. First grade pupils must be 6 years old before November 1st, 1958, in order to attend school.

Parents are requested to come with first and second grade pupils to help they register.

The hot lunch program will begin on Wednesday, September 3rd. Mrs. Ingal Tofson and Mrs. Milton Wyatt will again operate the lunch program under the sponsorship of the Chugiak P.T.A. Pupils wishing hot lunches the first week should so indicate at the time of registration.

MARY STEELMAN has cast the first absentee ballot in Chugiak for the August 26th election.

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Service Station
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Letter to the Editor


Dear Editor:

When the Fire Company took my wife to the hospital I was very grateful. The boys came quickly to take her, everyone in the city moved over to give the right of way to the Rescue Wagon, and everything went along just like in the big city. I hope everyone will also remember to support the Rescue wagon so that it can always be running whenever anyone else may have an emergency.

Yours truly,
Raymond Krause

CONVENTION DELEGATE

MRS. HILDRETH STEELMAN left by air Wednesday afternoon for Chicago to attend the American Legion Auxiliary convention in that city next week. Mrs. Steelman is a delegate from Alaska at large. She expects to stop over in Seattle for a visit and plans to return about September 10th.

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SHOPPING in
Chugiak 

Hardly a week goes by now without an invitation to a baby shower or a birthday party. There was a time when a last minute invitation posed the embarrassing problem of a gift but not so anymore. Lorraine's Shop in the Eagle River shopping area has an assortment of gift items suitable for any occasion, or for persons of any age. We were especially captivated by the "Little Golden Slippers". Real dress-up high heeled pumps for little girls. No more must little sister totter along dangerously in mothers shoes when she wants to play "grown up". These sparkly heeled golden pumps or sandals come in sizes 3 to 12 and the "high heels" are low enough to be safe but high enough to please little miss "Dress Up". These delightful little shoes are priced LOWER at LORRAINE'S than at the stores in town.

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Plain DIRT Gardening

Now is the time to look your garden over and decide which varieties have done well and which you will want to replace with some other next year.

So many people have difficulty growing spinach for it tends to bolt (go to seed) very early in this climate and sometimes never develops enough to be harvested at all. The New Zealand variety, although not a true Spinach, produces a supply of green fleshy leaves that may be picked off all during the season and is slow to bolt. It is very tasty and rich in vitamins.

FREEZING TIP

Many of us are now freezing vegetables from our gardens. Pint polyethylene sacks are the right size for family consumption but tend to take up too much space if used by themselves as they assume all manners of shape. Save the cardboard boxes that commercial frozen vegetables come in, or boxes from oleo margarine. The pint bag slip down into these boxes and the square shape pack easily into the freezer. Label them with masking tape or wax crayon.



TWO YEAR OLD CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Twelve wee friends had a wonderful time helping little Margie Dale Dellringer celebrate her second birthday. The weatherman cooperated, and there were no showers to dampen the multi-colored streamers of crepe paper or the dozens of ballons which floated from the trees as the youngsters frolicked in the Dellringer yard. The cake, which featured little BoPeep and her lost sheep, along with ice cream, pink lemonade and baskets of candy were consumed in a twinkling. an unexpected attraction was a flyover of the new Army Helicopters which sent the children screaming pell-nell down the steps followed by their excited nanas.

General Merchandise

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PERMANENTS

HOURS - TUESDAY THROUGH SATURDAY, OPENING AT 11:00 AM

APPOINTMENTS MADE AT KNIK-KNAK SHOP

Church News

METHODIST CHURCH
 Rev. Nelson Moyer
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

CHRISTIAN CHAPEL
 Ali B. Jarman, Minister
 Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship &
 Communion 11:00 a.m.
 Junior & Youth Group 6:00 p.m.

CHUGIAK CHAPEL
 Rev. Bernard Towell
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Christ's Ambassadors
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 Evangelistic Service
 Sunday evening 7:30 p.m.
 Bible Study & Prayer
 Friday 7:30 p.m.
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 Rev. H.F. Price
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 Nursery Open During Services

LATER DAY SAINTS
 Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.
 at Candlelight Inn

EMMANUEL GOSPEL
 Rev. Eva & Lincoln Brown
 Sunday School & Bible Study
 10:15 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Service
 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Meeting &
 Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
 Youth Fellowship
 Friday 7:30 p.m.
 WELCOME

MR. & MRS. EUGENE FLY and Jerry and Jinny are leaving Saturday for a five week tour of the Mainland. The Flys are planning to fly to Detroit where a new Plymouth is waiting for them. From there they will drive to Kansas City to visit with their families and friends then on to San Diego, California where they also have relatives. Their married daughter, Lois Ann, who lives in Seattle, is planning to join them in Kansas City and continue the trip with them. Lois Ann's husband, who is attached to ACS, has recently been transferred to Juneau, so she will ride as far as Seattle with her parents then fly to Juneau to join her husband. The Flys have said that a 'must' on their trip to California is a visit to Disneyland which is on their route as they travel north from San Diego.

DINNER MENU
MOOSE AT HORN
 Thursday - Broiled Lamb Chops
 Friday - Baked Salmon
 Roast Chicken
 Saturday - Ham & Cabbage
 Sunday - Roast Beef
 Monday - Stew
 Tuesday - Meat Loaf
 Wednesday - Swiss Steak

Fresh Vegetables From the Matanuska Valley & Bread & Rolls From The Parkerhouse Bakery in Valdez are Served.

MOOSE HORN Trading Post
 OPEN -- 9:00 A.M. to 9:00 p.m.

SPECIAL MEETING OF GARDEN CLUB
 The Chugiak Garden Club will have a special meeting Sunday evening, August 24 at 7:30 p.m. at the Fred Hahn home in Eagle River Valley.

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AUGUST 21

LATANUSKA FAIR ATTRACTIONS

ASPEC, Alaska State Philatelic Exhibition, sponsored by the Latanuska Valley Fair, is holding its third annual trophy event in the Hobby Hall during the Fair. The Fair will have cacheted covers of the two trophy events, the Third Annual Philatelic Exhibition and the Second Alaska T ractor Pulling Championship Contest. Send self-addresses stamped envelopes unstuffed, with 10 cents enclosed for each event cachet covers desired not later than August 27, 1958. They will be cancelled at Palmer on the day of the event if possible, otherwise on a day of the Fair. The stamp trophy will be given to the winner for one year with the winners name engraved upon it then returned to the Fair for the yearly competition. Thomas A. Lloyer, Palmer, recieved the first award in 1956 and Hobert Hyatt, Anchorage, recieved it in 1957.

Classified

FOR SALE: Men's Grey Wool Tweed Slacks Size 36-32 \$ 6.50
 2 Men's All Wool Shirts Washable - Size 16 1/2
 NEW Each \$4.00
 See These Bargains at the SWAP SHOP at Chugiak P.O.

BRING YOUR SNOW SUITS TO TRADE, TO THE SWAP SHOP

COMING EVENTS

Friday- Teen-Age Dance
 Saturday-
 Sunday - Garden Club 7:30 pm
 Monday -
 Tuesday - ELECTION DAY
 Wednesday - Fire Co. Training meeting
 Thursday - Girl Scouts
 Also the Girl Scouts go swimming each Tuesday evening leaving here at 5:30
 Friday - Cub Scouts organize at Laukats at 7:00 p.m.

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Classified

FOR SALE: Twin Beds with Coil Springs. CHEAP. Call No. 5291, Wm. Stephens 21 1/2 Mile.

FOR SALE: 12' x 16' JADIE to be moved. \$250. Steve Lund in Birchwood

FOR SALE: HOMART FLOOR FURNACE with Automatic Controls 62,500 B.T.U. NEW Fire Box \$70. Call Dellringer, No. 5275

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ARTICLE I.

Section 17. There shall be no imprisonment for debt. This section does not prohibit civil arrest of absconding debtors.

Section 18. Private property shall not be taken or damaged for public use without just compensation.

Section 19. A well-regulated militia being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed.

Section 20. No member of the armed forces shall in time of peace be quartered in any house without the consent of the owner or occupant, or in time of war except as prescribed by law. The military shall be in strict subordination to the civil power.

Section 21. The enumeration of rights in this constitution shall not impair or deny others retained by the people.

ARTICLE II

THE LEGISLATURE

Section 1. The legislative power of the State is vested in a legislature consisting of a senate with a membership of twenty and a house of representatives with a membership of forty.

Section 2. A member of the legislature shall be a qualified voter who has been a resident of Alaska for at least three years and of the district from which elected for at least one year, immediately preceding his filing for office. A senator shall be at least 25 years of age and a representative at least 21 years of age.

continued next week.

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