

THE KNIK ARM 49 COURIER

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Chugiak, Alaska .10¢

SLANKER SWEEPS TO VICTORY!

NEW ENTERPRISE FORMED HERE

A group of Alaskans from Chugiak, Anchorage and Fairbanks have recently entered into a joint venture which they are incorporating under the name of the Alaska Mining Syndicate with temporary business headquarters at Moose Horn Trading Post.

It is reported that a prominent Alaskan, a resident of Anchorage, is to head the new company and that Jim McPowell long-time business man of Chugiak, is one of the Directors. Mr. Fred Pettyjohn, prospector and miner from Fairbanks and the Upper Susitna River country is included in the management. The Alaska Mining Syndicate is primarily interested in the development of mining properties and in prospecting for other mineral deposits with commercial possibilities. The headquarters and supply point which the Syndicate is constructing on the Susitna River at Denali, is located where the new Denali Highway to Mt. McKinley crosses the Susitna River, and will serve the public as well as its mining activities.

The mining industry of Alaska requires only the development of some of the vast mineral resources to make the new state into one of the principal metal producers in the Union and the need for companies such as the new Mining Syndicate is very important.

NEW OPERATOR AT MOOSEHORN

WALTER H. DAY, formerly of Valdez, will operate the Service Station at Moose Horn. His son Bob, who attends Anchorage High School, will assist him.



WINNERS OF POSTER CONTEST ANNOUNCED

The Poster Contest which the Fire Prevention Committee sponsored for 6th, 7th and 8th Graders and relating to the Fund Drive to be held the first nine days of May, has been judged and the winners announced today.

First Prize went to Janie Short in the girls division and to Duane Keys in the boys division.

Runners-up in the Girls class were: Judy Bayles, Carolyn Van Zandt, Jeanette Milliman, Karla Ranger, Linda Headlough, Fraya Petronovich, and Kaylene Ranger.

Runners-up of the boys were: Frankie Leonard, Don Taylor, Freddie Earles, Danny Walker, Donald Setter, Stan Sharp and Frank Heller.

Fire Company President G.E. LeDoux, Jr. and Chairman of the Fire Prevention Board Jim Polyefko will present the awards at a special assembly at the Chugiak School this afternoon.

"Slippery Tom" is Chugiaks new "Mayor"

CHUGIAK.. APR. 22 '59

Chugiak voters who "hankered for Slanker", were jubilant today as returns indicated that Tom "Slippery" Slanker had been swept into office in a landslide victory.

Although returns were still incomplete at presstime, 10 of the thirteen precincts in Chugiak were overwhelming for Slanker with a total of 10,982 votes. The closest opponent teen-aged Linda Henrich was lagging with a total of 5,441 when the other candidates conceded to victory to the "Far North Fuel". Even Slankers sharpest critic, Dorothy Steeby begrudgingly offered her congratulations.

Only the former Mayor Vern Haik refused to admit defeat and demanded a recount. However, since Haik had only polled a total of 162 votes his protests went unheeded.

It is suspected in some circles that Haik was behind the effort to discredit Slanker when it became obvious that he was the peoples choice for that high office. Who else would have spread the rumor that the unexpected cold spell of the past weekend, coupled with threats of delayed delivery of fuel oil caused an unusually large number of votes to be cast for Slanker during those two days.

However, despite, plots, name-calling and general mud-slinging; the voters expressed their confidence in the Far North House-warmer, and entrusted to him the job of administering Chugiaks affairs of state for the next year.

The new mayor is to be found at his mile 14 service station shaking hands and passing out cigars to all the loyal supporters who with unswerving devotion elected him Chugiaks first citizen.

DON'T FORGET THE V.F.W
HOBO DINNER ON FRIDAY NIGHT
BEGINNING AT 8:00 P.M. AT
V.F.W. HALL &&&
DON'T FORGET THE P.T.A.
LUNCH ROOM DINNER ON SATURDAY
NIGHT BEGINNING AT 6:00 P.M.

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The GREEN THUMB Corner



MORE GARDENING TIPS

The way that winter refuses to release its grip, makes it necessary to continue to confine our gardening to indoors. Those who started seedlings in small containers several weeks ago, may find that they may grow too large before it is safe to set them outdoors. Be sure to check to see if they may be getting root-bound, and move to a larger container if necessary.

Also, as the plants become larger, it may become necessary to add a little fertilizer. This is rather tricky when the plant is confined to a small pot or can. It is best to use a "pill" such as a Plantab, as it is possible to apply too much of the regular garden variety when the plant is still potted, this can burn the plant and perhaps kill it. The Plantabs are designed to fertilize plants that are growing in a small amount of soil, and are absorbed by the plant as they are needed.

Starting of seedlings in the house has been simplified in recent years by the development of pre-planted trays in a specially prepared media.

These "PUNCH & GROW" gardens come sealed in plastic and need only the addition of water to start germination. This is a very handy way for one who is short on space to start a variety of flower and vegetable plants indoors.

The media used in these trays is not soil, but is specially conditioned and supplied with sufficient plant food to get the seedlings off to a good start and to sustain them until they are ready to transplant.

Any seedlings that are growing inside need to be watered frequently, as they tend to dry out rapidly inside. A water soluble fertilizer, such as the fish fertilizer may be applied occasionally with the daily watering. If this is used in the proportions recommended it will not harm the young plants.

We would like once again to remind anyone with small garden tractors that there are a number of people anxious to hire someone to cultivate their gardens when the time comes. So, if there is anyone with this type of equipment for hire, we should like to hear from them.

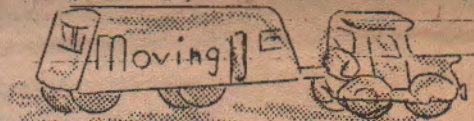
CBA ABANDONS "MERIT SYSTEM"

This year CBA has decided to adopt a different system of sharing the profits of the Spring Carnival. Instead of having the Volunteer workers assign their "carnival credits" to an organization of their choice; CBA has requested that all organizations in the community that wish to share the profits to submit a copy of their budget for the coming year, along with an estimate of their income from other sources. After the Carnival these budgets will be reviewed and the Board will attempt to divide the profits among the organizations where they are the most needed and will benefit the community the greatest. It is required that all budgets must be submitted prior to the Carnival to be considered.

It will still be possible for individuals to benefit organizations of their choice. There are a great number of jobs, such as decorating, warehousing etc. that will be let out on contract.

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HOUSE TRAILER



ROY WILSON.....LOT # 13
EAGLE RIVER TRAILER COURT

GARDEN SUPPLIES



punch & grow

fish fertilizer

jiffy pots



Black Magic

Seeds....vegetable and
Flower

EAGLE RIVER HARDWARE-HQ-25491

The Cook of The Month



This week, Jeanette offers us the components of what is a favorite meal at the Wotherpoons. It is complete with a hearty main dish, vegetable and zesty salad.

STEAK PIE

2 lbs or more round steak
1 lb. ground meat
(may be moose or caribou)

Cut steak in small serving pieces.
Roll ground meat in small balls and dip in flour, salt and pepper.
Brown in grease in large frying pan.
Cover with water & simmer over low heat for two hours.

Make double batch of pie crust. Line large baking bowl with pie crust. Set a cup or small glass in center (up side down to catch gravy) pour in steak and meat balls. Cover with remaining pie crust.
BAKE in 425° oven till golden brown (about 15 minutes.)

WAX BEANS

SAUTE a can of mushrooms in a tablespoon of butter.
Heat wax beans.
Add mushrooms and serve hot.

PEAR SALAD

Place 1/2 pear (cut side up) on lettuce leaf. Fill cavity with heaping tablespoon of mayonnaise. Sprinkle with sharp or medium sharp cheese. Refrigerate until ready to serve.

ATTENTION, CHUGIAK BELLES!

This week only, the Belles will meet on Friday night instead of Thursday. The meeting will be at the home of Ruth Briggs and at this time the program of the stage show will be discussed. From now on there will be a practice session every Tuesday as well as on Thursdays. This Tuesday group will meet at the home of Dorothy Steeby in the mornings at 10:00 AM.

REIDS RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Reid and their son Timmy returned to Chugiak last week after a winter spent outside. Mrs. Reid is the former Robin Halverson. The Reids had not informed their family that they were returning and succeeded in surprising them.

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to organizations or individuals. These jobs will be evaluated by CBA as being worth so much in cash, and payment of this cash will go to the organization selected by the volunteers.

It will be required, however, that whoever volunteers for one of these projects, regard this as an obligation that must be fulfilled by a stipulated time, or CBA notified, so that other arrangements be made.

CBA has made arrangements to purchase a miniature railroad to serve as a kiddy ride at the Carnival, if it can be delivered in time.

There will be another meeting on Monday April 27th. at 8:00 PM at the home of Dale Briggs.

"DEN DOIN'S" (CUB SCOUT ACTIVITIES)

- DEN MEETINGS:
- Den #1....Wednesday 4:30 to 5:30 PM...Mrs. Breandel
 - Den # 2...Wed.-6:30 to 7:30 PM
...Mrs. Fillmore
 - Den #3....TUES.-7 to 8 PM
...Mrs. Towne
 - Den #4....Thurs. 4:30 to 5:30 PM...Mrs. Milliman
 - Den #5....Fri. 7 to 8 PM
...Mrs. Hartman
 - Den #6....Tues. 6:30 to 7:30 PM
.....Mrs. Kruscavage

The cub Scouts swimming class is every other Wednesday. The next class will be on Wed. Apr 29th. Boys will meet at the Eagle River Shopping Center at 6:30 PM.

WANTED: A lady to baby-sit with 1/2 dozen small boys once a week and to help teach them basic elements of scouting. Only requirements are a large enough home (located on the Birchwood Loop) and an understanding of small boys. (There are a number of boys who would like to become Cubs in the Birchwood Loop area if a Den Mother can be found.)

Any boys interested in becoming Cub Scouts, may obtain information of the closest Den and the name of the Den mother by calling Committee Chairman Tom Towne.

Scotties T.V. Repair

TELEVISION-RADIO-AUTO RADIO
TRANSISTOR RADIO and RECORD
PLAYERS
FAR NORTH TRAILER COURT
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Fire
Lake
Lodge

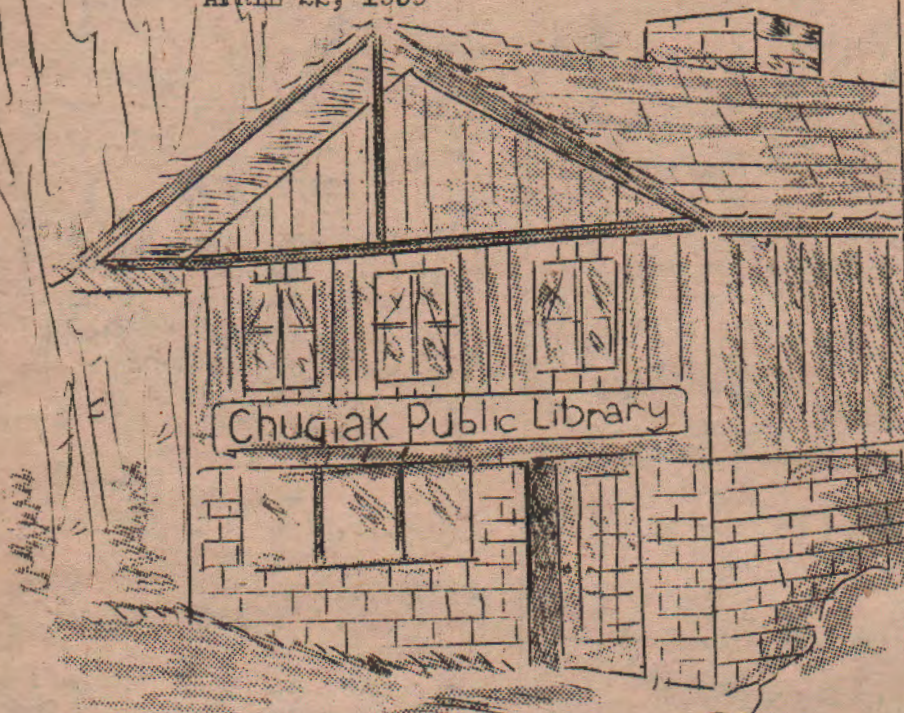
FINE FOOD
BEVERAGES
CATERED PARTIES

A Perfect Gift for any Mother

jewelry-lingery-gift items

Dept. Lorraines store

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LIBRARY HAS HUMBLE BEGINNING

All the publicity that has been attached to the moving of the library to Swanee Slopes has led many people to believe that this is a new service to our community.

This is a far cry from the truth. The Library is several year old now. It came into being as a result of the dream of one lady along with the assistance of two others.

When Marie McDowell retired as president of PTA in 1954, she said in her closing speech that she hoped to see the PTA sponsor a public library some time in the future.

The first semblance of a library began in 1956, when from

6 to 10 books were sent each month to Moose Horn for lending. The first real boost came on Feb. 11th, 1957, when Mrs. McDowell along with Mrs. Earl Ray and Mrs. Wes. Mickey went to the Anchorage Lusac Library and selected 400 books which had been released from deactivated Army libraris. This was due to Mr. Ed Fortier remembering Marie's wish to have a library in this community, and his desire to see it come into being.

These books cost .06¢ apiece, and the money was raised by membership subscriptions of \$1.00 per year from P.T.A. members.

From time to time new books have been added by

donation and by outright purchase. In 1957 \$34. was allocated to the library by Bill Ramsey, in the form of Carnival Credits. Also Mrs. Dolores Whaley donated \$10.00. This along with fees from overdue books, has given the library a small working fund. The most prized acquisition is the new set of Comptons Encyclopedia which was a gift from the publisher through the territorial Librarian, Miss Phelps.

The Library has been housed for the past four years at Moosehorn. The original cataloguing was done by Mrs. Ray, Mrs. Ted Brink & Mrs. Ralph Anderson. Since then, Mrs. Ray has done the marking and catalogueing alone, & there have been some 600 books added in the past 2 years.

Now, the library has moved into a building of it's own, and a number of other members of the community have come forth to offer of their time and material. Mr. Paul Swanson has provided the building, Wes Blanchard & Art Wallace have provided the material for shelves, while Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Kirk, Mrs. Jim Lake & Ruby Joines have set the library up in its new location and put things in order. Also a number of other people have volunteered their time to act as volunteer librarian for several hours each week.

In its new location, where it will be more centrally located, and handy to the school and the children for whom it was primarily intended; the library should get a lot more use. However, we must not forget how the McDowells have these past 4 years donated the space and of their time so as to make this library possible and to permit it to grow till it reached the point where it needed a home of its own. By RBellringer

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to

BONA-FIDE ALASKAN RESIDENTS ONLY

Eagle River Sports Arena

STAR ROUTE ANCHORAGE ALASKA

700 SHARES COMMON STOCK-PAR VALUE, \$100.00
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THE CORPORATION WILL CONSTRUCT A BUILDING AT EAGLE RIVER ADJOINING THE EAGLE RIVER SHOPPING CENTER AND WILL LEASE THE BUILDING TO THE BOILING LANE OPERATOR. NEGOTIATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR A SATISFACTORY LEASE.

FOR FURTHER DETAILS, CONTACT:

VIRGIL FLINT, STAR ROUTE ANCHORAGE...HO-2-5356
RAYMOND TEDROW, STAR ROUTE, ANCHORAGE...HO-2-5451

NEW BOOKS
AT
THE CHUGIAK LIBRARY



"Accent on Murder" by Richard and Frances Lockridge
"The Gray Flannel Shroud" by Henry Slesor.
New books recieved from the Territorial Librarian as part of the 100 rotating books include such titles as Water Color - a Challenge by Brooks, "The Universe & DR. Einstein" by Barnett, "All About Strange Beasts of the Past" by Andrews "America's Ethan Allen", by Holbrook, "Huckleberry Finn" by Mark Twain, and "In the Hands of the Senecas" by Walter D. Edmonds.

PONY LEAGUE SPONSOR NEEDED

Anyone, either business, club or individual, who is interested in seeing a Pony League formed here please contact Tom Slanker at Far North Fuel. The Pony League is a junior baseball team for boys in their teens. Some of last year's star players on the Little League have reached Pony League age and should have the encouragement of a sponsor for a team of these older boys. A diamond has been provided meeting the qualifications of Pony League. This is in the Peters Creek area and was laid out by the Peters Creek Community Club.

"MYSTERY" CAMPAIGN MANAGER REVEALED

The name of the campaign manager that Slippery Slanker has kept such a closely guarded secret, came to light today in what was obviously a last ditch attempt to discredit him. This information was brought forth by incumbent mayor, Vern Haik, who at his personal expense has hired detectives to ferret out the name of this supposedly political genius whom Slanker had imported from Outside. Haik maintains that

this was a deliberate hoax, and and actually Slippery had made a "deal" with a local individual who was known to a great number of voters and turned his campaign over to her in return for guarantees of certain favors when he was elected. This person is well known in the community as being a very sharp trader, and it can be suspected if Haik's story is true, that she struck a hard bargain indeed. While Haik carefully refrained from mentioning any names, his deliberate and repeated references to the "pork-market" and "hog-wash" leaves no doubt but that he was referring to JoAnne Vanover, whose reputation as a bad actor in the political field has long been a community scandal.

VOTE FOR SLIPPERY

12 New pupils enrolled at the Chugiak School last week to make a total enrollment of 418.

Eileen Newton and Cathy Stevens will represent the Chugiak School at the Alaska Spelling Bee to be held April 30th, next Thursday, at the Sydney Lawrence Auditorium under the sponsorship of the Anchorage Daily Times. Eileen and Cathy are both 7th grade pupils.

Winners in the Fire Prevention Poster contest will be announced this afternoon and the prizes will be presented to them. Boys and girls of the 6th and 7th grades made posters to enter in the contest. 8th grade pupils were taking final state tests at the time of the contest and could not compete.

LUNCH MENU

- Monday, April 27
Sauer Kraut & Weiners
Mashed Potatoes
Bread & Butter
Devils Food Cake Milk
- Tuesday, April 28
Hamburger Gravy on Hot Bun
Biscuit, Mashed Potato
Hot Roll & Butter
Pears Milk
- Wednesday, April 29
Hamburgers, Potato Salad
Cherry Pie 1/2 pt. milk
- Thursday, April 30th
Pork & Beef Meat Loaf
Mashed Potatoes
Buttered Carrots, Hot Roll
Blue Plums Milk


THE HALF HOUSE
Way mile 23-
BAR and DINING Room

Wave to **DICK**

When you see **HIM**

PIONEER
DRIVE IN
mile 21
Good Food

Stop at the
Beautiful Sign
for groceries notions
Mrs Ganns
Eagle River shopping center
Package Goods



Church News



CHUGIAK CHAPEL (assemblies of God)
 Rev. Bernard Tewell
SUNDAY SCHOOL.....10:00 AM
 Morning Worship...11:00 AM
 Christs Ambassadors....
Young People.6:30 PM
 Evangelistic Service 7:30
 Bible Study &Prayer Meeting
 Wednesday....7:30 PM
 Workers Training Course
 Bible Doctrines
 Friday....7:30 PM

CHUGIAK ST ANTHONY'S
 Catechism, Saturday..1:30
 until.....2:30 PM
 Two classes: McGanns base-
 ment &Rosemary Johnson's
 home.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Mile 14 Eagle River
 E.C. Chron, Minister
 Sunday School.....9:40 PM
 Morning Worship...11:00 AM
 B.T.U.....6:00 PM
 Evening Worship...7:00 PM
 Wed. Prayer Meeting.7:30 PM
 The 4th Wed. of each month
 the following groups meet
 at.....7:30 PM
 GIRLS AUXILIARY
 SUNBEAMS
 WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION
 MEN'S BROTHERHOOD
 Nursery open during services

BIRCHWOOD BAPTIST MISSION
 Sunday school.....10:00 AM
 Morning worship....11:00 AM

PETERS CREEK INDEPENDENT BAPTIST MISSION
 Sunday school.....10:00 AM
 Morning worship....11:00 AM

METHODIST CHURCH
 Rev. Nelson Moyer
 Sunday School.....10:00 AM
 Morning worhsip...11:00 AM
 Evening worhsip....8:00 PM

CHRISTIAN CHAPEL
 ALI B. Jarman..Minister

(Christ. chap.)
 Sunday school.....10:00 AM
 Morning worship & communion
11:00 AM
 Evening service.....7:30 PM

EMMANUEL CHAPEL
 Rev. Joseph Overy, Pastor
 Sunday school.....10:00 AM
 Morning worship.....11:00 AM
 Evening worship.....7:30 PM
 Tuesday morning prayer meeting
11:00 AM
 Wednesday Prayer meeting & bible
 study.....7:30 PM
 Youth Fellowship, Fri...7:30 PM

REVIVAL SERVICES

Revival Services are continuing for the balance of this week at the Chugiak Chapel. The services begin at 7:30 each evening thru April 26th.
 Evangelist and Mrs. Oscar Butterfield are conducting the services and cordially invite everyone to share in the singing and praises to the Lord.

SHOWER HONORS MRS. CHRISMAN

Mrs. Jack Chrisman was guest of honor at a shower given April 16 at the V.F.W. Hall. Hostesses for the affair were Mrs. Lionel Deal, Mrs. Wm. Reuter and Mrs. Charles Carter.
 The hall was decorated with blue,

MACKEY FAMILY RETURNS
 Mr. & Mrs. Harry Mackey of mile 23 returned to Chugiak las t week, after several months visit to New York State. Returning with them was their son Wayne with his wife and two children. Wayne was formerly stationed at Ft. Richardson and had also lived at mile 23 before his discharge.
 Another of the Mackey children Mrs. Cambell Hodge and her husband and four children came to Alaska with the family and are at present renting the Roy Shumate home at mile 23. *****

pink and white streamers from a large white umbrella. The delicious cake was decorated with pink and blue baby dresses and rosebuds, and the best wishes from Post #9785 were inscribed.
 Present at the shower were; Mrs. Elvis Monroe, mother of Mrs. Chrisman, Mrs. Gora Monroe, Mrs. Alma Smith, Mrs. Inge Smith, Mrs. Martha Munro, Mrs. Eva Jones, Mrs. Aflis Tewell, Miss Terry Deal, Mrs. Pat Reed, Mrs. Joanne Henrichs, Mrs. Francès Tuck, Mrs. Doris Straight, Mrs. Daphne E. Monroe, Mrs. Agnes Marshburn, Mrs. Louise Morris, Mrs. Isabelle Adams, Mrs. Lillian Polyefko, Mrs. Grace Tatro and the little Misses Gail and Pamela Deal.

EAGLE RIVER SERVICE
 AUTO PARTS and Repair
 MILE 14.....HO-2-5418
 Mgr.....Harlie L. Barrick

Country Disposal
 PICK-UP.....ONCE A WEEK
 \$3.00 per MONTH
 N.F. TIENSVOLD....HO-2-5280
 Star Route.....Mile 23

Washeteria and sauna baths
 9 AM until 10 PM
 mile-18 1/2-HO-2-5188

Knik-Knak Shop
MOTHERS DAY
 cards and gifts
 SHOP EARLY FOR A GOOD SELECTION !

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Deadline for advertizing in
The Knik Arm Courier is now
Monday at Noon, deadline for
News is Tuesday at 6:00 P.M.

The Knik Arm Courier has had a good deal of fun the past couple of weeks taking an active part in the local "political campaign". This week is more or less given to much facetiousness also but beneath it all our primary purpose is to try to print news in such a manner that the facts will be used to the benefit of the community. One of the community efforts we have naturally tried to push has been the Fire Company. We know we haven't put it just the way it should have been put or it would have had better support. But here is an article that has come from the pen of a local citizen which sums the current fire protection effort up very well.

CHUGIAK FLAP

The final attempt is being made to organize what will be known as "The Chugiak Fire Prevention Association". This has been tried before, it is true, but let us face facts; how much actual thought has been put into such a project with the ramifications in mind that must be overcome to assure that such an effort would be accepted wholeheartedly by the community involved?

Next column



ALLENS
Grocery and Cabins
GEORGE & ADDIE ALLEN...PROPS
Package store
service sta.

Another question: Has the community of Chugiak ever been offered the position before where they could control the funds obtained through a membership by officers elected by public vote? "A Chairman, Vice-chairman, Secretary, Treasurer and four other Board members, total of eight in all, elected by qualified members of such an organization to insure that the best interests of the community are served in fire protection."

While I'm dishing up dreams let me put a whip-cream-topping on the conglomeration! "A Constitution of confusing articles that must be ironed out in the first annual meeting of qualified members as to whether it meets their needs or not. "By-Laws" have also been added, something else that calls for active participation and final resolution. You may ask, "Where did all this originate, and for what reason?" I believe the answer is obvious: by those few who have no more to gain and no more to loose than you who read this. Yet they feel that something must be done to assure that a person wishing for adequate fire protection, lower insurance rates plus the assurance that if they wish to insure their homes an insurance company will accept the risk, and above all - a community sponsored organization with elected board members responsible to see that popular demand is strictly adhered to within the boundaries of the law as well as a full accounting of monies entrusted to their care. Impossible? It well may be if we do not support the first of one of the many projects that are a part of the growing-pains of any developing community.

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SHOPPING IN CHUGIAK

We would like to take the space this week and beat our own drum. We would like to inform the Business people of Chugiak of a new service that we of the COURIER now have to offer.

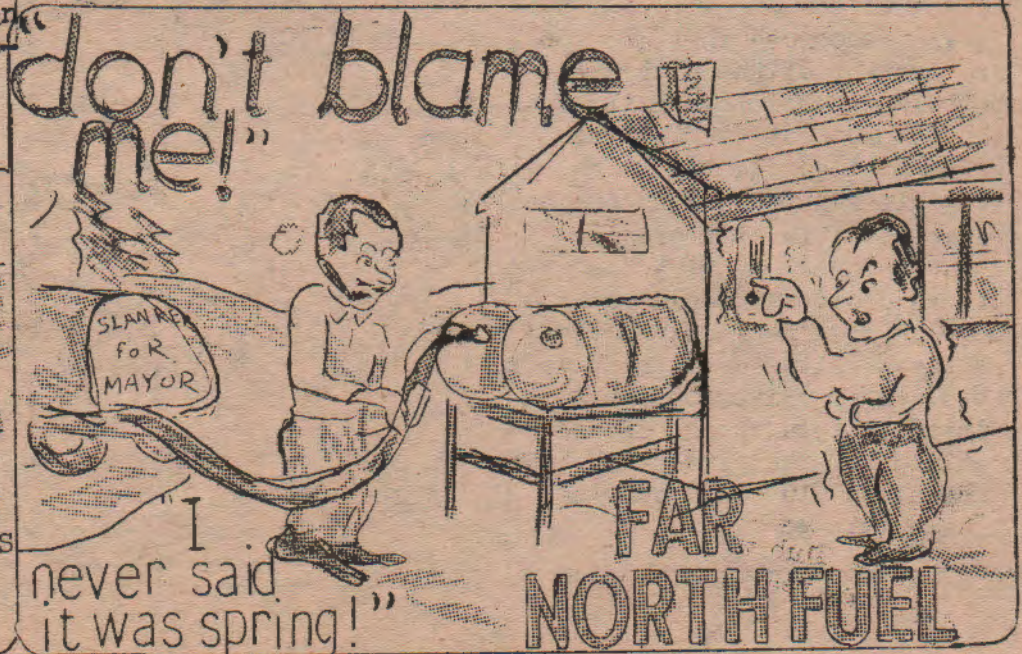
With the aquisition of our new duplicating machine we are now able to turn out Job Print- of high professional quality. In the past with nothing but our shakey old mimeograph machine, we felt it best to turn down any requests for form letters etc. , for fear that the quality would be unsatisfactory

However, we now know that we are able to produce stencil work on a par with any other stenographic service, and we invite anyone in need of job-printing of this type to investigate our service.

We particularly take pleasure in producing anytype of artwork, as witness the ballots for the recent election for "Mayor".

As with our advertising, we have attempted to keep our rates low enough that the people of our community will find them within their sometimes limited budgets. However, as with our ads, we do not stint on either quality or workmanship or on the time it takes to produce the results. We take pride and pleasure in both the appearance of our advertising and our printing and find the good will of our customers and their continued patronage well worth the modest rates we charge. *****

LOOK FOR "EAGLE RIVER SPECIAL S AT THE MARKET BASKET



don't blame me!

SLANKED FOR MAYOR

I never said it was spring!

FAR NORTH FUEL

COMING EVENTS

APRIL 22, 1959

- Wednesday, April 22
 Girl Scouts # 120
 Friendly Neighbors at Oberg's 7:30 p.m.
 Evangelistic Service at Chugiak Chapel 7:30
- Thursday, April 23
 Homemakers
 Evangelistic Services
- Friday, April 24
 Hobo Dinner, V.F.W. Hall
 Evangelistic Service
 Brownie Scouts at 7:00 p.m. at Stephens
 Cubs Den 5
- Saturday, April 25
 P.T.A. Lunch Room Dinner
 Evangelistic Service
- Sunday, April 26
 Evangelistic Service
- Monday, April 27
- Tuesday, April 28
 Cub Scouts Den 3
 P.T.A. Executive meeting
 Fire Committee
- Wednesday, April 29
 Girl Scouts # 120

PETERS CREEK COMMUNITY CLUB MEETS

The regular meeting of the Peters Creek Community Club was held last night at the Half Way House. Their annual membership drive will begin in May with a \$5.00 cash prize for the member bringing in the most paid up new members to the Club. Anyone residing in the Peters Creek area is eligible and welcome to join. It was announced that all future meeting of the Club will be held in their own hall, i.e. the Quonset Hut at 22 mile. Grass will be planted in the area cleared for a Pony League Diamond. This will greatly enhance the looks of the area. It was decided to delay construction of a permanent booth at the Carnival until next year. Mrs. Peter Halverson was appointed to take charge of decorations for the dime-pitch booth which the Club will operate again this year.

\$ CLASSIFIEDS

NOTARY
 GRACE TATRO MILE 21 $\frac{1}{2}$
 at the DARI-DELITE

SIGN-PAINTING.....POSTERS
 ART WORK
 CALL HO-2-5275.....BELL-ART SIGNS

HOUSING FOR SALE
 TRAILER HOUSE w/lean to, modern beautifully furnished on $\frac{1}{2}$ acre lot. Near H'way & school bus rt. \$3,000 TERMS
 QUONSETS: Large, 960 sq ft. on $\frac{1}{2}$ acre lot, near h'way & school bus route. \$1,800. TERMS
 See REESE TATRO at DARI-DELITE
 Mile 21 $\frac{1}{2}$

-JOB PRINTING *
 FORM LETTERS,..LEAFLETS..TICKETS
 ETC.
 THE KNIK-ARM COURIER..HO-2-5500

RESIDENTIAL LOTS
 Beautiful view, well drained, near h'way & school bus route, phones & power avail. TERMS
 See REESE TATRO - at DARI-DELITE
 MILE 21 $\frac{1}{2}$

CHUGIAK FLAP - Cont.

It is something that a daily perusal of any newspaper reflecting the growth of the Alaska of today will reveal - consolidation of effort is necessary for the betterment of the community. Let's not flunk the first step, SUPPORT THE MEMBERSHIP DRIVE, MAY 1 THRU MAY 9, 1959.

DINNER MENU AT MOOSE HORN

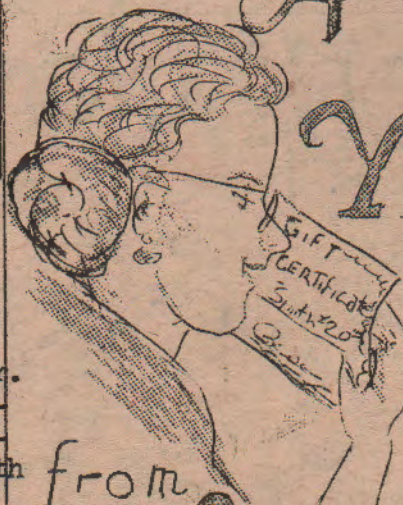
- Wednesday,
 Spagetti & Meat Sauce
- Thursday,
 Beef Stew
- Friday,
 Clam Chowder
- Saturday,
 Lima Beans With Ham
- Sunday,
 Roast Beef
- Monday,
 Meat Loaf
- Tuesday, Corned Beef & Cabbage

WE'RE getting ready for the Spring Construction Season

-FOR WEEKEND BUILDERS -
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"MAYOR" CAMPAIGN DRAWS TO CLOSE

TEMPERS FLARE IN BATTLE FOR HIGH POST

In a campaign highlighted by much mud-slinging and vilification, local candidates for the high honor of "Mayor" of the Chugiak Village at Carnival Time are gathering their final arguments and rebuttal as the time for gathering in the ballot boxes approaches. The Teen-Age Candidate has today issued the following statement:

Fellow citizens of Chugiak, on April 23rd you will elect a new "mayor" for our community and it is a well known fact we could use one.

In all due respect for my fellow candidates and their political aspirations, and our present mayor", Vernon Haik, who has done nothing during his administration except run for "mayor" again, I think we need a change of policy. Vote for me, and if elected my administration will put into effect a different type community government by making drastic changes.

No. 1. I will build a detention home for wayward adults and delinquent parents. All communities have a few of these and I'll build a place to put them.

No. 2. I'll create a new educational system to educate parents and adults in the art of teen-age speech, the art of listening to and appreciating teen-age music, the art and method of teen-age dress and hair styles, and the latest most up-to-date dance steps and styles.

No. 3. Another matter that will relieve our full consideration is the family automobile problem. Our teenagers in Chugiak are all growing into adulthood with frost-bitten thumbs from hitchhiking. My administration will advocate two-car families with one car always at the disposal of the teen-ager.

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NEWS NOTES ON CANDIDATES

Which candidate's "father" pulled him out of the clutches of a wily female at a local tavern ?

The Friendly Fellows of Fire Lake think that all the inefficiency and stupidity of the current crop of candidates ought to be disregarded. They think that they should be elected as a body to be "Mayor". This might not be such a bad idea for the Friendly Fellows would be so busy AT Fire Lake that anyone could be ACTING "Mayor", even some bad actor.

It is rumored that Bruce Robinson is looking for the job of Police Commissioner as it has the most opportunities for graft ~~xxx~~ besides a nice fat salary. That is why he is managing two candidates- and then too he perhaps can get David a job as a secretary- the 7 year old \$12,000.00 per year man. Right here in Chugiak, no less.

A large company had just installed a new "Electronic Brain". To test its ability they asked one of their younger executives to question the machine.

He wrote, "Where is my father?" As soon as they placed the question in the machine the wheels started turning, the lights flashed and it turned out the following answer: "Your father is off the Coast of Florida fishing."

The young executive said that was impossible, that the machine was a fake, and that his father had been dead for 20 years. So he was asked to rewrite the question, feeling perhaps the machine had misunderstood and that it would respond better to other wording. So he asked, "Where is my mother's husband?" The wheels started turning and lights flashed again. Out came the answer: "Your mother's husband has been dead for 20 years but your father is still fishing off the Coast of Florida."

Now Voters ! you think you are living in a changed and changing world. Vote for me and you'll know you're living in a changed world. Remember, if you smoke a thinking man's filter you need a thinking girl for

"MAYOR"

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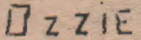
Linda Henrichs

A letter also came in the days mail from a disgruntled Chugiakian. It follows.

Dear Editor: You now have a letter from a frustrated subscriber. I had visions of being the next "Mayor" of Chugiak. Because of all the suspects for the job I could not find one who was less qualified than this writer. I sent my lobbyists out armed with brew and a jug of hot-air campaign promises. The brew must have been very powerful for although they failed to get me mentioned for "mayor" I have subsequently been addressed as "Governor".

I would have written about this sooner but I didn't know that this feller Slippery Slanker was going to get into the act and its been too cold to risk having my oil cut off. After seeing some of the monstrosities concocted with the lumber and building materials that I sell, I think I'll promote this lady Steeby for Mayor in hopes that she can develop Alaskan tulips and gladioli big enough to camouflage and beautify aforementioned horrors.

Yours truly,

 the Lumberman
P.S. I qualify the signature on the basis that my wife often calls me "Blockhead" and blocks are usually wood.



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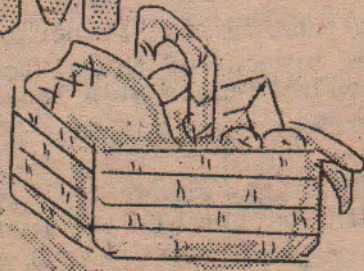
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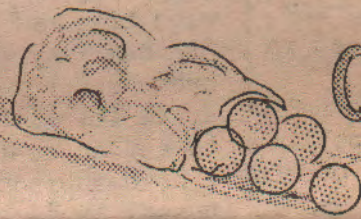


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