

EMERGENCY PHONES

FIRE OR AMBULANCE  
HO-2-5555

STATE POLICE:  
HO-2-5590



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COURIER



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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29th, 1961

CHUGIAK-10c

Demos Pledge  
Support To  
OCHS

ANCHORAGE: South Central Democrats, at their District Convention last weekend, solidly pledged their support of Operation Chugiak High School and unanimously voted in favor of the following resolution:

"WHEREAS, the Chugiak-Eagle River district population is now 7200 and is one of the fastest growing areas in the state;  
WHEREAS, the student population has increased in the past ten years from 71 to 900 students;  
WHEREAS there are constitutional restrictions preventing the establishment of an independent school district;  
WHEREAS the transportation of

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STATE POLICE SEEKING  
INFORMATION ON STOLEN  
VEHICLE

CHUGIAK: State Police are seeking information leading to the recovery of a half-track jeep belonging to the Hyland Drilling Co, and which was stolen from the Birchwood Methodist Camp earlier this fall.

A recent report from a witness told of coming upon the remains of a vehicle of this description approximately one mile east of the Glenn Highway on the new Eagle River Loop road.

According to the witness, someone had taken pains to conceal the vehicle under a tarp after cutting it in two with a torch.

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INCORPORATION OF  
CHUGIAK  
RECOMMENDED



BRUCE KENDALL, MEMBER OF THE STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AND LONG TIME SUPPORTER OF THE EDUCATIONAL NEEDS OF CHUGIAK, URGES THE PRESENTATION OF THE OCHS REPORT OF ALL LEGISLATORS FROM THIS DISTRICT.

JAYHAWK "DOG KILLER"  
STRIKES AGAIN

BIRCHWOOD: A second dog, this time a fifteen year old shepherd named Pal, has been shot to death on Jayhawk Drive in Birchwood.

Pal was the family pet of Dorothy M. Green, who had just recently moved to the community.

Mrs. Green stated that she had let the old dog out fifteen minutes before she discovered his body lying beside their mailbox. She said that she had not heard any shot.

Earlier this month a collie belonging to John Steeby also of Jayhawk Drive was also found shot.

State Police are questioning several suspects in connection with both shootings.

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CHUGIAK: Incorporation of Chugiak was the recommendation of the Alaska State School Board. This recommendation was made known to Dale Pierson, Co-chairman of Operation Chugiak High School in a letter from Theo J. Norby, State Commissioner of Education.

Pierson had recently met with the school board in Juneau to present the needs for a high school in this community.

The following letter from Norby dated November 17th stated the conclusions reached by the board.

Mr. Dale Pierson Co-chairman Operation Chugiak High School

Dear Mr. Pierson:

The members of the State Board of Education appreciated the opportunity to consult with you regarding the school housing needs in the Chugiak area, particularly as they relate to a high school.

The need is quite evident, and the State Board of Education has requested the Commissioner to submit a report on the overall construction needs in the State to be considered by the Board for presentation to the Division of Planning, Office of the Governor.

The inventory is practically complete and we are now projecting enrollments and making some estimates for future needs.

More physical facilities for both elementary and high school students are needed in the Chugiak area. The Board believes that Chugiak citizens should explore the possibility of incorporation, which would lead

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### CUR BLESSING OF ABUNDANCE

It is an ironic fact, that the more farmers a nation has, the less food on its tables.

About 75% of the population in underdeveloped countries are engaged in agriculture, but more than half their people do not have enough to eat.

In the modern, diversified economy of the United States, one farm worker produces enough for himself and 25 others. The harvest is far more than we use.

The recent Thanksgiving Holiday brings this contrast sharply to mind.

Our plenitude of food is foremost among the blessings for which the nation acknowledges divine favor.

Certainly the spirit of the recent holiday calls on us to share our abundance with those who have too little. CARE's Food Crusade opens a way:

For this part of its work CARE receives commodities from U.S. agricultural stockpiles. It buys other items then balances costs so that every \$1 donated delivers one package -- typically, 25 pounds of food.

The gifts reach hungry families and groups in 17 countries of Asia, Europe, Latin America and the Middle East. The donor's name and address go with each package to make it a personal offering from the people of America.

A dollar is less than most Americans have spent for each person at the Thanksgiving table. It will put food for many persons, for many meals (next col.)

(editorial)

on empty tables across the world.

We hope our readers will share the blessing of abundance by sending Holiday contributions to CARE Food Crusade, % the Northern Commercial Co. in Anchorage.

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### FULL DEPOSIT NOT REQUIRED FOR PHONE SERVICE

CHUGIAK: Louis Zib, local representative for the Nat-anuska Telephone Association has asked that residents of

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### SHOPPING !!!

AGE 2

CHUGIAK



Save Your Money

For years we have used this column to urge the residents of Chugiak to shop in our community, and have made every effort to point out what we felt were exceptional products and facilities that our local merchants made available.

During the coming month people will be engaged in the biggest shopping spree of the entire year; and we again wish to remind them all that we have in our community all that could be needed for Holiday shopping.

We would like to call to our readers attention the beautiful and truly Alaskan gift items available at the Alaska Woodcraft Showroom; and further up the road at the Shopping Center one can find an appropriate gift or decorative item; be it toys for the youngsters from the Eagle River Hardware, cards and other Christmas necessities at the Knik Knak Shop and, at Lorraines Department Store a selection of gifts appropriate for anyone.

The grocery stores offer goodies for the Holiday table, from Zimmermans and the Market Basket to further up the Highway at the Chugiak Grocery and Allen's; the latter also boast (cont page 11 col 2)

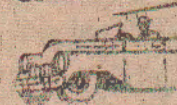
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## ZIMMERMAN'S

GROCERY

AND LIQUOR STORE

ONE STOP!



PHONE 14

HO-2-5461

HURRY!





COOK  
OF THE  
MONTH.

COOK FOR NOVEMBER  
URSULA BEAM

For her final recipe, Ursula gives another one of her holiday favorites.

This light airy cookie type confection is a perfect treat for the Christmas buffet

HORNS OF PLENTY

5 tbs Superfine (dessert) sugar  
2½ tbs flour  
2 whole eggs plus 1 yolk

BEAT until thick and lemon colored

HEAT OVEN to 400°

GREASE baking sheet and place in oven approximately 5 minutes to warm)

DROP mixture by teaspoonfuls onto warm baking sheet

SPREAD each to around diameter of two inches

BAKE in over four to five min. REMOVE from sheet while still hot.

SHAPE immediately into cones COOL and fill with Almond Whipped Cream (or favorite pudding)

ALMOND WHIPPED CREAM

2 cups whipping cream  
5½ tbs sugar  
1½ tsp Almond Flavoring

BEAT cream until stiff

ADD sugar and flavoring and continue to beat makes about 50 horns

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HOLIDAY HINT:

For a festive pair of candles for your holiday table chill (next col)

(hint).

two cans cranberry sauce (jellied variety).

Open can at both ends and unmold standing each upright on a plate.

Place a birthday cake candle in the center of each and light...you now have a beautiful fat red candle which can be eaten with the meal.

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YMCA PLANS ANNUAL  
GAME DINNER

ANCHORAGE: Captain John Tamaraz, military chairman for the Y.E.C.A. eighth Annual Wild Game Dinner, announced today that the invitation is now extended to all servicemen and their families for this once a year event.

The Dinner will be held on Saturday, December 9th. Over 1000 servicemen and their families attended last year's event.

This is not just a Dinner, Tamaraz said, but a complete display of Alaskan lore.

Jonas Brothers of Alaska will be displaying mounted wild animals. There will be continuous showing of Wild Game Movies, exhibits of Alaskan made woodcraft and minerals.

The displays will be open from 1:00 to 8:00p.m. and the Dinner will be served from 3:00 to 8:00pm.

A special invitation has been sent to the 5040th Hospital staff and patients this year.

This is a tremendous community effort, Tamaraz said. Merchants from all over the city of Anchorage will contribute food and services as a part of a gigantic Christmas gift to the mil-

(game dinner)

itary. Over 800 pounds of wild game was consumed last year including such delicacies as pickled moose noes, Shrimp and crab dips, smoked salmon, caribou, moose, bear reindeer, sheep, goat and trout. Many of the "Y" members are donating homemade Alaska jams and jellies and pies.

This is a unique chance, Tamaraz concluded, for servicemen and their families who have never tasted Alaskan dishes to try them.

We are in hopes that every military family will attend.

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PIES NEEDED FOR  
DINNER

ANCHORAGE: The military Chairman for the YMCA game dinner, Captain John Tamaraz, has requested that an appeal be made for donations of pies for the eighth Annual Game Dinner which is held for military personnel and their families.

Capt Tamaraz stated that he hoped club ladies from the Anchorage and surrounding areas could be persuaded to donate the pies. Approximately 200 pies will be needed.

Anyone in the Chugiak area wishing to donate a pie may call the Knik Arm Courier at HO-2-5275 and the pie will be picked up.

The dinner will be held on Saturday, December 9th.

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ALASKA AHEAD ON  
HIGHWAY BUILDING

JUNEAU: Alaska is building federal-aid highways faster (cont page 10 col 1)



CHRISTMAS  
GIFTS

FOR

EVERYONE

ONE STOP FOR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING!

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Knik Knak Shop

CHRISTMAS

CARDS.....

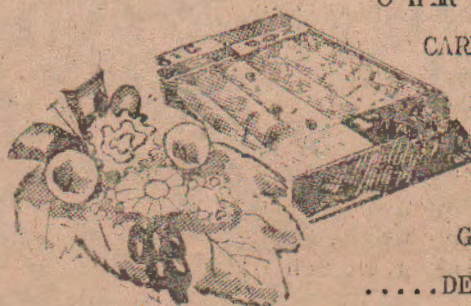
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CANDLES....

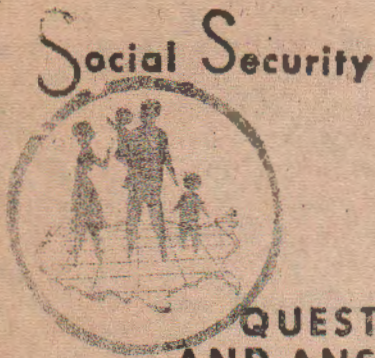
TREE LIGHTS

GIFT WRAP & TIE

.....DECORATIONS.....







**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS!**

**QUESTION:** I have heard that men can now retire at 62, but that their social security benefits will be "permanently reduced." How much is this reduction?

**ANSWER:** The exact reduction depends on how many months the man is under 65 when he first takes his benefits.

The maximum reduction is 20 percent, made when benefits start with the month a man reaches 62.

This means that if you would be eligible for a monthly benefit of \$80 at 65, you would receive \$64 a month at 62.

When benefits start later, but before the man reaches 65, reductions are less: about 14 percent at 63, and 7 percent at 64.

For more information about your social security, write to Social Security Administration, Box 1331, Juneau Alaska.

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(demos pledge OCHS support cont page 1 col 1)

approximately 175 students to Anchorage is not only costly, but extremely dangerous because of weather conditions and the distance; WHEREAS, the full benefits of Publis Law 815 are not being utilized for the Chugiak Eagle River District; THEREFORE; be it resolved that the South Central Democratic Convention endorse and urges appropriation of funds for the immediate construction of a state high school in the Chugiak-Eagle River District."

Earlier this year South Central Republicans passed a similar resolution pledging their support to Operation Chugiak High School.

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(stolen vehicle, cont page 1 col 1)

Subsequent efforts of State Troopers to locate this vehicle have met with failure due partially to the deep snow which has recently fallen and due partially to the uncertainty of the witness as to the exact location of the vehicle.

State Trooper Robertson has asked that anyone who may have noticed this jeep, or who may have seen anyone working or any other sign of suspicious activity in the above mentioned area contact the State Police at HO-2-5590.

Robertson added that the jeep had been painted white, making it all the more difficult to locate in the snow.

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**PISTOL SHOOTING INVITATION EXTENDED**

**PALMER:** Persons interested in indoor target shooting of pistols are advised that the Matanuska Valley Sportsmen of Palmer are beginning pistol shooting at their indoor range in the Center Theatre Building Basement on Thursday, November 30th starting at 8pm. (cont page 11 col 3)



**NEW PHONES**

The following phones were added to the Homestead exchange during the month of November:

- Eagle River Auto Parts and Service.....HO-2-5140
- Glenn H. Gnadd.....HO-2-5293
- Cyril L. Kiehl.....HO-2-5313
- Raymond G. Stephens. HO-2-5344
- Rudolph H. Krznarich.....HO-2-5368
- 1st Lt. Samuel H. Holland.....HO-2-5395
- Walter E. Keeton..HO-2-5395
- Joseph Klein.....HO-2-5418
- Eagle River Bowl..HO-2-5460
- M/Sgt Harold W. Hankins.....HO-2-5510
- Robert Thomas.....HO-2-5511
- Robert Lee Johnson.....HO-2-5516
- Eagle River School.....HO-2-5671

The above list has been printed for your convenience.

Clip it out and place it at the back of your Matanuska Telephone Directory.

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**IF YOU SHOP IN CHUGIAK THERE ARE 25 SHOPPING DAYS TO CHRISTMAS**



**TO ALL AREA RESIDENTS**

During the 1962 Construction Season, the Matanuska Telephone Association will construct major improvements to our facilities in the Chugiak, Eagle River Area.

Before the first of the year, we would like to hear from all the people who will want new or improved service in the future. This will allow us to include enough equipment and facilities to meet all requests for service without delay.

**MATANUSKA TELEPHONE ASSOCIATION  
Palmer, Alaska**



# MOOSE CALL



## NEWS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE CHUGIAK SCHOOL

### STAFF:

EDITOR: Sandra Fetrow  
 Assistant Editors:  
 Karen Darby  
 Linda Benjamin

### TEAM NAMING CONTEST UNDERWAY

CHUGIAK: Students at the Chugiak school are in the midst of a contest to select a name for the school basketball team.

Names will be submitted by the students and then the students themselves will act as judges, voting on the name they prefer.

There will be a preliminary election this Friday for the purpose of eliminating the names down to approximately ten. Then a final election will be held next week and the student who submitted the winning name will be awarded a ten dollar cash prize.

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### BASKETBALL TEAM AND CHEERLEADERS PRACTICE

CHUGIAK: Chugiak team members are practicing basketball on Tuesdays and Fridays after school. The Eagle River Team practices on Mondays and Thursdays.

There are six girls at the Chugiak School who have been practicing for cheerleading under the direction of Mrs. Carol Connell, eighth grade teacher.

A dances is being planned for junior high students in the near future for the purpose of raising money to purchase uniforms for the cheer leaders.

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### SMITHS MOVE TO ANCHORAGE

ANCHORAGE: Chuck Smith,  
 (next col.)

(Smiths move)

Superintendent of Chugiak Schools and his family have moved into the new home which they have purchased in the Shady Lane subdivision off DeBarr Rd. near Anchorage.

The apartment in the Chugiak school which the Smith's formerly occupied is presently being used as a teachers lounge, but in the future may be either turned into additional classroom space or a library on Smith's recommendation.

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### LIBRARY TO RESUME DAYTIME HOURS

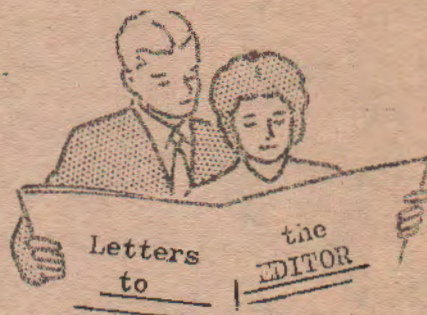
SWANEE SLOPES: The Chugiak Public Library will resume being open during the day, according to librarian Betsy Mickey.

The library is open during the day primarily for the use of the children at the Chugiak school, and schedules for the classes are being set up.

The Library will be open every Thursday at 9am beginning December 7th and will remain open until 3pm.

Evening hours will remain the same, Thursday evenings from 7pm until 8:30pm.

As yet no arrangements have (cont page 6 col 3)



"...For centuries man's world grew larger in size until he discovered two amazing facts. The earth was round and there are too many people to count.

Recently, within the last fifty years, this large globe suddenly shrunk. The shrinking was caused by modern communications, transportation and education.

Other nations are no longer "way over there"..They are all in well known locations with instant communication possible. No place is farther than a day away by travel. It means we are like the family who lived in the open country, then moved to town. It has to make some difficult adjustments in order to live in peace with its neighbors. This is a new world community. One of the signs awakening us to this fact is the known ef- (cont page 6 col 3)

**DON'T GET STUCK!**

SNOW TIRES &  
TIRE CHAINS IN  
ALL SIZES

**EAGLE RIVER SERVICE & GARAGE**

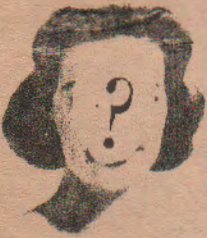
**EAGLE RIVER AUTO PARTS**

**AUTO ACCESSORIES**

MILE 14 1/2



(letter to the editor, cont page 5 col 3)



# Tell it to Martha!

By MARTHA COUNCIL

Dear Martha,

A few weeks ago I decided to apply some advise you gave to one of your readers to my own situation.

We got an invitation to a wedding of the daughter of a guy my husband works with. He has never met any of this man's family and I have never even met the man.

Bob (my husband) said that all the guys in his shop all got invitations too. We didn't feel like we wanted to go to the wedding or that we could send a gift, so we took your advice and sent a nice card offering congratulations to the couple and forgot about the whole thing.

Now the other day we get in the mail a note from the new Mr. and Mrs. THANKING us for the gift, and saying that our card must have gotten separated from the gift so they were not sure which one we had sent and asking us to describe it so that she can enter it properly in her bride's book.

What do I do now Martha?

I can't write and say I didn't send anything, I would feel too cheap.

You got me into this spot...now help me out of it.

..On the spot

Dear On the Spot,

This girl is showing very poor taste in writing and asking directly what you sent her...if she actually did lose track of who her gifts were from, she should have inquired discreetly.

This sounds to me like a deliberate attempt to embarass those who did not send gifts.

I don't feel that you are obligated to offer any explanation to someone who you don't even know.

Just sit tight and let her figure this matter out herself, to attempt to explain your position is unnecessary.

Sincerely,  
MARTHA COUNCIL

Address all letters to Martha to:

THE KNIK ARM COURIER  
BOX 1166  
CHUGIAK ALASKA

The Courier reserves the right to reject any letters which may be judged unsuitable.

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effects of nuclear explosions. As frightening as it is, we ought to gather our wits and ask "What's the first thing to do?".

I think the first thing citizens ought to do is communicate their desire to avoid war to all government leaders in such a way, and in such volume, that there will be the utmost effort made to do so.

In addition, we should insist on building relations for a sound PEACE.

There are some good suggestions also this line in Wm. Lederer's book, "Nation of Sheep" (available in the Anchorage library or a book store.) It is a primary action, and should become a rule for every citizen to make his voice heard for peace BEFORE he consents to becoming an undergroud, vacume-headed, spineless, futureless killer.

This sounds pretty strong, but I am merely summing up what we are to be, according to popular advice.

I know that whenever the American people rise up and speak, great things begin to happen. The most immediate, and greatest problem right now, as people, is to create peace.

"BLESSED ARE THE PEACEMAKERS."

REV. WAYNE HULL

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been made to enable the children at the Eagle River School to take advantage of the library.

Mrs. Mickey said that she hoped that some means might be found for transporting the children's books down to the Eagle River School one day a week.

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THIS IS THE PLACE  
FOR ALL OF YOUR  
FAVORITE BEVERAGES



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Next to

FREDDIES BAR

POLICE AID ASTHMA VICTIM

BIRCHWOOD: State Police came to the assistance of a Birchwood woman who was suffering from a severe attack of asthma.

Special medication was required to ease the attack, and the State troopers made an emergency run into Anchorage to pick up the medicine and delivered it to the woman.

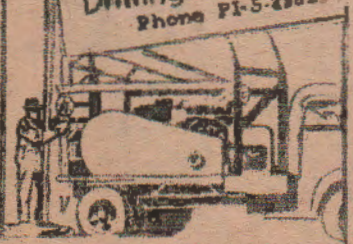
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**FRIDAY NINERS:**

	won	lost
1st Pl. E.R. SERV.....	10	2
Total pins 6202		
2nd pl. NB of A.....	10	2
Total pins 6170		
3rd pl. B&B Carpets...9.....	3	3
Total pins 6231		
4th pl. Freddies.....8.....	4	4
Total pins 6159		
5th pl. F.L Serv.....5.....	7	7
Total pins 6198		
6th pl. Hodge & Minks.5.....	7	7
Total pins 5916		
7th pl. Hahn-Carter...4.....	8	8
Total pins 6030		
8th pl. Ethel's&Artic.4.....	8	8
Total pins 5797		
9th pl. E.R. Fuel.....3.....	9	9
Total pins 6082		
10th pl. No Pins.....2.....	10	10
Total Pins 5702		

**HIGH TEAM GAME (w/handicap)**

1st- B&B Carpets.....	758
2nd - Hahn-Carter.....	744
3rd. - NB of A .....	714
Freddies.....	714

**HIGH TEAM SERIES (Scratch)**

1st- B & B CARPETS....	2163
2nd- Freddies.....	2086
3rd-F.L. Serv.....	2079

**HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME (Scratch)**

women:

1st-Jackie Lowe....	171
Phyllis Stewart	171
2nd-Jackie Lowe....	167
3rd-Phyllis Stewart.	160

**HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME (Scratch)**

men:

1. Don Hahn.....	216
2. Jim Rankin.....	197
3. Jack Stewart.....	191

**HIGH SERIES (Scratch) women**

1-Phyllis Stewart.....	484
Jackie Lowe.....	484
2-Betty Wolford.....	392
Norma Burns.....	392
3-Gerry Minks.....	389

**HIGH SERICE (Scratch) men**

1-Jim Rankin.....	559
2-Jack Stewart.....	545
3-Don Hahn.....	502

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(Friday Niners)

SPLITS PICKED UP

Marie Zib.....4-6-7  
Phyllis Stewart.5-8-10

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**BAGS & BALLS (This season to date)**

	won	lost
1st-King-Harding.....	22	2
Skunkers.....	22	2
2nd-Sears.....	19	5
3rd-Knik Arm Courier..	18	6
4th -Minnesota Woolen..	16	8
5th -Super 10's.....	16	8
6th- Hahn&Hahn.....	15	9
7th- Pin Pushers.....	14	10
Wilson & Wilson...14..	10	
8th- Page & Scott.....	12	12
Hare & Hare.....	12	12
9th- Pyles & Pyles.....	10	14
10th-Steeby & Steeby...8...	16	
11th-Moonier & Crone...8...	16	
12th-Phillips & Phillips8...	16	
13th-Foltz & Foltz.....	4	20
14th-Mongeau & Mongeau..6...	18	
15th-McKissick&McKissick 2...22		
16th-Balzen & Balzen...6...	10	
17th-Tofson & Tofson...0...	16	

**FRIDAY, Nov 24th**  
**HIGH GAME (scratch)**  
Men Heal.....209  
Women Elsie Boroughs.192

**HIGH GAME (Handicap)**  
Men Wiley Boroughs....221  
Women Elsie Boroughs....219

**HIGH SERIES (Scratch)**  
Men Heal.....551  
Women Elsie Boroughs...472

**HIGH SERIES (Handicap)**  
Men Heal.....584  
Women Elsie Boroughs...553  
(The above won \$6.00 cash prize apiece)

**HIGH TEAM (Scratch)**  
King & Harding.....347

**HIGH TEAM (Handicap)**  
Steeby & Steeby.....396

**HIGH TEAM SERIES (Scratch)**  
King & Harding.....1012

**HIGH TEAM SERIES(Handicap)**  
King & Harding.....1133

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(Bags & Balls)

December 1st teams will play for position.  
First shift will begin bowling at 6:30pm.

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to local support and responsibility of schools.

In the event of incorporation, tobacco tax and Public Law 815 funds would be available, the amounts of which it is not possible to determine at the present time.

I have asked Mr. Isaac, Assistant Commissioner, to explore this and as soon as I have further information from him it will be forwarded to you.

I am impressed with your "Operation Chugiak High School". It represents a tremendous amount of work and it appears that you have some good estimates of your future needs for school housing.

Please do not hesitate to keep in contact with your local school superintendent, Mr. Chuck Smith, who in turn, will be working with Mr. Carmody and Mr. Keefe. They join you in your concern for a good educational program of all the youth of the State of Alaska.

Sincerely yours,  
(signed) Theo J. Norby  
Commissioner of Education.

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**MERCHANTS INVITED TO BABY SHOWER**

**CHUGIAK:** Merchants of the area are invited to sign up for the second annual baby shower of gifts to be bestowed on the parents of the first baby born to a (cont page 15 col 3)

**THE BOO ROOM**

AT THE EAGLE RIVER BOWL



COCKTAILS.....

DINNERS (after 5pm)....

DANCE TRIP



CHOIR TO REHEARSE  
ON WEDNESDAY

# Church News



**OLD CHUGIAK:** The Senior Choir of the Chugiak Methodist Church will rehearse on Wednesday night this week only.

The choir is practicing Christmas music at this time.

The Thursday night practices will continue after this week.

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## ALTAR SOCIETY HOLDS RE-ELECTION

**EAGLE RIVER:** The Catholic Ladies Altar Society held a re-election of officers last Tuesday evening.

It was felt that perhaps some of the members had not had sufficient notice of the election held last month and this opportunity was made to enable each member to take part.

The same officers elected at the original election were voted in, with the exception of the office of Secretary-Treasurer which had been held by Mrs. Cyril Linek who resigned due to ill health.

Mrs. Dott Wacker was elected to fill this office.

Money making projects for the new year were discussed and the group plans to continue the traditional Halloween dance as well as conducting several bake sales and holding a bazaar.

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## THANKS TO THE LADIES CLUB

**CHUGIAK:** Mrs. Joseph Turgeon, President of the Catholic Ladies Altar Society asked that thanks be extended to the Chugiak Ladies Club for their donation of clothing to the drive which the Society is presently conducting.

The clothing will be sent to the mission at Unalakleet and to the school at Copper Center and some will be retained for the Society's Welfare program.

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ATTEND THE CHURCH  
OF YOUR  
CHOICE THIS SUNDAY !

### CHUGIAK CHAPEL

(Assemblies of God)

Mile 21 Old Chugiak  
Rev. Bernard Tewell PASTOR  
Sunday School.....10:00am  
Morning Worship.....11:00am  
Evangelistic Serv..... 7:30pm  
Bible Study & Prayer Meeting  
Weds..... 7:30pm  
Christ's Ambassadors (Young  
People) Sunday 6:30pm

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### CHUGIAK ST. ANTHONY'S

CATECHETICAL CLASSES, ..8:00pm  
Mondays, Harry's Auto Parts

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### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Mile 14 EAGLE RIVER  
James Henderson PASTOR  
Sunday School.....9:45am  
Morning Worship.....11:00am  
B.T.U.....6:30pm  
Evening Worship.....7:30pm  
Wed. Prayer Meeting.....7:30pm  
The 4<sup>th</sup> Wed. of each Month the  
following groups meet at  
...7:30pm

GIRLS AUXILIARY

SUNBEAMS

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION

MEN'S BROTHERHOOD

Nursery open during services.

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### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Mile 21 BIRCHWOOD  
REV. Ed. Stites PASTOR  
Sunday School.....10:00am  
Morning Worship.....11:00am  
Prayer Meeting, Wed.....7:30pm

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ATTEND YOUR CHURCH THIS SUNDAY

### LATTER DAY SAINTS

Mile 20 1/2 OLD CHUGIAK  
Alfred Weger BRANCH PRES.  
Priesthood meeting.....9:00am  
Sunday School.....10:00am  
Sacrament meeting ..... 6:00pm  
Primary ..Saturdays, Robinson  
home 1:30-11:30am  
MIA, Tues, 11<sup>th</sup> & Est. in  
Anchorage.....7:15pm  
Relief Soc. Mondays....7:30pm

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### COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Birchwood Loop Rd BIRCHWOOD  
Rev. Paul Hughes PASTOR  
Sunday School.....10:00am  
Morning Worship.....11:00am  
Young People..... 6:30pm  
Evening Worship..... 7:30pm  
Wed. Prayer Meeting....7:30pm  
Crusaders, Thurs.....4:00pm

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### CHUGIAK METHODIST CHURCH

Mile 18 OLD CHUGIAK  
Rev. Wayne Hull PASTOR  
Sunday School.....9:45am  
Worship Service.....11:00am  
Jr. Hi. MYF Sun.....3:00pm  
Sr. MYF Sun.....7:00pm  
Jr. Choir Wed.....3:45pm  
Sr. Choir..Thurs.....7:30pm  
WCS 1st Wed.....7:30pm  
Circle...3rd. Weds.....7:30pm

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### LUTHERAN CHURCH OF CHUGIAK

Mile 19 OLD CHUGIAK  
Rev. Roland Fritz PASTOR  
Worship Service.....9:00am  
Sunday School.....10:00am

EVERYONE WELCOME

Allen's Grocery

MILE 23 and GLENN Highway



DRY GOODS GAS LIQUOR

Maud's  
FLOWERS

MILE 14 1/2

PI-5-4056



MANY LOVELY PLANTS AND  
GIFTS FOR XMAS





NEWS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE EAGLE RIVER SCHOOL

STAFF:

EDITOR: Paul Doyle
Asst. Editor: Toby Riddell
Sports Editor: Steve Hull
Society Editor: Mary Ann Donnelly
News Editor: Tommy Thomas

DOG PROBLEM

It seems that the dogs around the school are becoming quite a nuisance.

They have frightened several of the smaller children before school opens in the morning.

When some of them get inside, it causes quite a lot of confusion trying to get them back outside.

If they continue to follow the children to school drastic measures will have to be taken to keep the dogs away. So, please see that they remain away from the school zone.

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DANCE PLANNED

Mrs. Pettit's 7th Grade is going to have a dance, Friday, December 8th. It will be held at the new Eagle River School.

Refreshments will be served. Chugiak 7th and 8th grades are welcome. 25¢ a person.

The money will go for the improvement of the Eagle River School. The time is 8:00pm to 10:30pm,

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GIRLS SPORTS

The 7th grade girls are hoping to organize a basketball team.

If they organize one, they hope to get some competition!

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CLASSROOM REPORTS

3A: Our parakeet doesn't like our singing. We had a fire drill due to smoke baking up in the incinerators. Mrs Knights class is waiting for her to come back so they can name their bird.

(next col.)

(classroom reports)

Grade 4: We have our room decorated for Thanksgiving with Pilgrims and Turkeys.

Debbie Wessel is back in school. She had been absent because of measles.

The fourth grade is thankful for their lovely school room.

For language we memorized "The Landing of the Pilgrims"

Grade 7: The seventh grade boys have been practicing basket ball after school until about one haour after school is let out.

I can truly say we have had some fine practice both with Mr. Sanders (eagle River eighth grads) and Mr. Ryon (Eagle River Principal)

I would like to thank them and I think the other boys would too.

SPORTS REPORTER

Gary Hoag.

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JOKE OF THE WEEK

TEACHER: This is the fifth day of the week you had to stay after school, what do you have to say for yourself?

KARL: I am glad it is Friday.

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NEW TEACHER AT EAGLE RIVER

EAGLE RIVER: Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, of Anchorage will be teaching full time at the Eagle River School.

Mrs. Thompson will be teaching the sixth grade formerly taught by Mr. Howard D'Spain who recently resigned.

Mrs. Thompson had been substitute teaching in Anchorage prior to coming to Chugiak.

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MOVIE REMINDER

EAGLE RIVER: Mrs. Ralph Long, chairman of the school movie committee asked that all be reminded that this Friday the school movie will be held in the multi-purpose room of the Eagle River School.

This is the first movie to be shown in the new building.

In the future the movies will be held alternately at the Chugiak and Eagle River Schools.

This week's movie is "The Court Jester", with Danny Kaye.

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WEIGHTS AND MEASURES AT EAGLE RIVER SCHOOL

EAGLE RIVER: Members of the Chugiak Health Council are taking the annual weights and measurement of the children at the Eagle River School this week.

This is in process today (Wednesday) and Thursday and possibly Friday. Eye tests are given at this time also, and parents will be informed if there is any indication that a child may have defective vision.

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SCHOOL MOVIE SCHEDULE

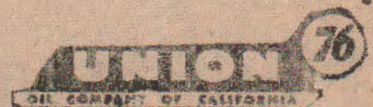
FRIDAY, DEC. 1st. 7:30-9:30pm



THE COURT JESTER with DANNY KAYE in color

EAGLE RIVER SCHOOL !!!

FIRE LAKE SERVICE



MLE 16 1/2 HO-2-5675



GENERAL TIRES & TUBES...LUBRICATION...REPAIRS TUNE-UPS

WRECKER SERVICE



(highway building, cont page 3 col 3)

than 12 other states, T.D. Sherard, director of the Alaska Division of Highways said today.

Sherard said that according to the Commerce Department, projects now underway or authorized in Alaska total 168.3 miles.

This figure is greater than the comparative highway mileage underway or authorized in Connecticut, Delaware, Hawaii, Maine, Massachusetts, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, Rhode Island, Vermont or West Virginia.

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EAGLE RIVER MAN REPORTS ASSAULT

EAGLE RIVER: Gordon W. McCrary of Eagle River, reported to State Police that on November 24th he was assaulted while sitting in his car in front of Tips Bar at mile 14 1/2.

McCrary identified his assailant and the matter was referred to the proper authorities.

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CASTING FOR "HOMICIDE" CONTINUES

CHUGIAK: President of the Chugiak Players, Billie Moore announced that there are several roles for both adult men and women to be cast in "HOME SWEET HOMICIDE" a comedy-mystery which the players plans to produce sometime after the first of the year.

Further try-outs will be held on Wednesday, December 6th in the multi-purpose room of the Chugiak School, at 7:30pm.

Mrs. Moore asks that all members of the cast be present, as well as anyone interested in trying out for the remaining roles.

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PALMER PLANS ROLLER SKATING RINK

PALMER: Loyd Watts and Floyd Ehmann of Palmer are planning to install a roller skating rink in the educational building located at the Palmer Fairgrounds it has been announced.

A lease with the Alaska State Fair Inc is being drawn up, and it is expected that the (next col.)



Mr. and Mrs. E.C. (Chuck) Smith and their three children have moved to the Shady Lane Subdivision near Anchorage. The Smiths formerly lived at the Chugiak School, where he is superintendent.

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Kemper Johnston, of Birchwood Loop has gone to Spokane Washington on family business.

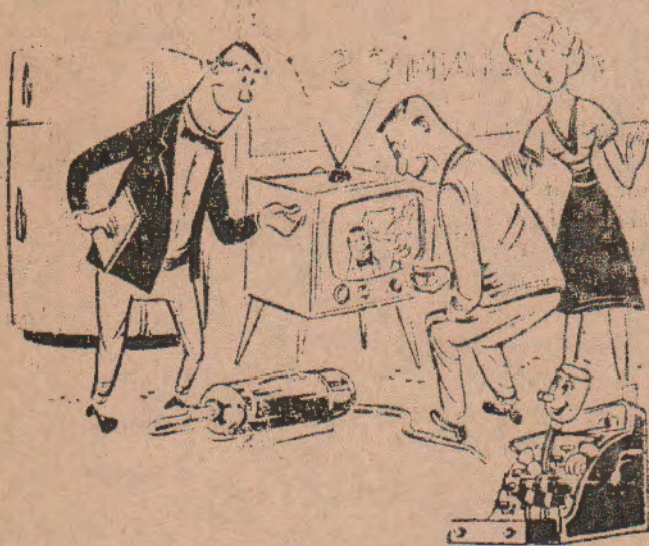
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(roller rink)

rink will be open in time for the Holiday season.

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GOOD FOR BUSINESS



Matanuska Electric Association

As most of us recognize the tremendous uplift electricity has given the working and living conditions of the farmer and his wife, we often forget that rural electrification has also had a gigantic impact on other walks of life, too.

The most immediate effect has been on the local merchants, like those here in our town. In the past 18 years, they have profited to the tune of billions of dollars in sales or wiring and electrical appliances and equipment. Except for electricity, they would not have had those sales, because without electricity, the farm families could not have used that merchandise.

Actual studies indicate that the individual farm family spends about \$4 for every \$1 invested by the rural electric system in its facilities. Since the rural electric systems have invested almost \$2 1/2-billion in their facilities, it's not hard to figure out that they have helped to create a \$10-billion rural market for electrical goods.

Practically all of that \$10-billion is spent locally, but much of it will pass back along the line of dealer to distributor to manufacturer. And all along the line, locally, regionally, nationally, it will be injected into the economy as salaries and wages and taxes and payments for goods and services. \$10-billion is a real shot in the arm for the economy of any country. We are proud that the rural electric systems of America have played such an important role in administering that shot.



# Scouting in Chugiak



### DEN DOIN'S

DEN #3. Friday, 7pm,  
Mrs. Towne

DEN #5: Wednesday 4 pm  
Mrs. Robinson

DEN # 6: Thursday, 5:15pm  
Mrs. Beatty & Mrs. John

Den # 8 Thursday, 4pm  
Mrs. Steeby & Mrs.  
Boroughs.

### BROWNIES MAKE GIFTS FOR HOSPITAL

PETERS CREEK: Girls of Patrol #1 of Brownie Troop #56 worked on the place mats and drum-shaped paper candy cups which will be presented for birthday parties at the Alaska Native Service Hospital.

Each month one Brownie troop in the area prepares birthday party favors for the children in the hospital.

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### TROOP #123 HOLDS FIRST MEETING AT SCHOOL

EAGLE RIVER: Troop #123; we had (next col.)

(brownie troop #123)

our first meeting in the new school Wednesday, November 22nd.

With the help of our leaders Mrs. Frankfourth we started and finished our Thanksgiving project and some began work on their Christmas project.

We will meet each Wednesday at 3:30 at the school for our scout meeting.

REPORTER: Nancy Long

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### MEMBERSHIP CLOSED IN BROWNIE TROOP

PETERS CREEK: Mrs. Cleda Stephens, leader for patrol #1 of Brownie Troop #56, stated that enrollment for the troop is now at the maximum, and that she regrets that she will be unable to accept any new members until next spring.

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(shopping in Chugiak, cont page 2 col 3)

ing a variety department where an excellent variety of gift wrap and tie and christmas cards as well as some gift items may be found.

People in Chugiak, as well as throughout the nation will be doing a great volume of shopping this next month; therefore we would like to proclaim the Month of December as "SHOP IN CHUGIAK MONTH" and (next col.)

(pistol shooting, cont page 4 col 2)

Pistols of .22, .38 and .45 caliber will be fired.

The club also holds indoor target shooting for .22 caliber rifles on Tuesdays and Fridays at the range.

Anyone interested in taking part in either the pistol or rifle shooting are invited to contact Dan Contini in the sporting foods department of Koslosky's Department Store in Palmer.

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(shopping)

wish to urge all residents of the area to support the merchants in our Community.

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### BOARD OF FISH AND GAME TO CONVENE

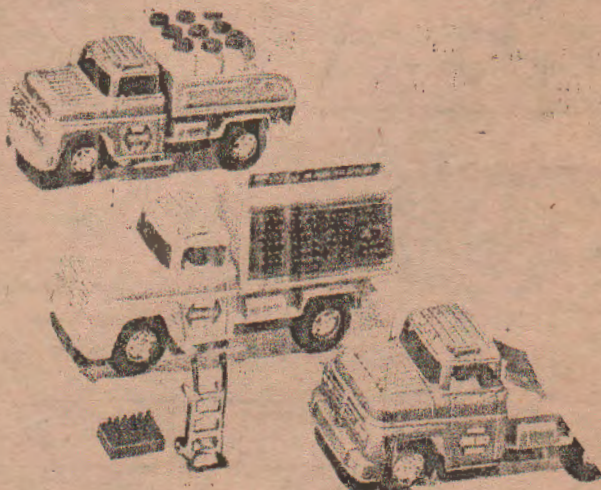
ANCHORAGE: The annual fall meeting of the Alaska Board of Fish and Game will be held at Anchorage from December 1 to December 9th to consider changes in the fish and game regulations, Walter Kirkness, Secretary of the Board has announced. Arrangements have been made to hold the meetings at the Loussac Library.

A public hearing will be held December 2nd at which oral testimony or written briefs may be presented by those interested in doing so. (cont page 12 col 2)

## Headquarters for Santas Helpers

LARGE TOY SELECTION

SHOP EARLY



# EAGLE RIVER HARDWARE





TALES

OCCHS WORKSHOP PREPARES FOR BIG MEETING

EAGLE RIVER: The Executive Committee of Operation Chugiak High School met at the home of Mrs. Ralph Long Secretary-Treasurer of OCCHS in a workshop session.

This was in preparation for a Wednesday night meeting with the Legislators from the South Central District.

This meeting was proposed by Representative Bruce Kendall at a recent meeting with the OCCHS executive committee.

The entire Operation Chugiak High School activity from the beginning to date will be presented to the solons at this time.

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PAIR UNINJURED IN ACCIDENT

EAGLE RIVER: Neither Jesse Straight nor his passenger, Bill Stadie were injured when Straights car was struck by a '59 Ford pickup driven by Charles H. Thomas of mile 20 1/2.

Straight was driving north on the Glenn Highway when (cont col 3)

(Game Board meeting cont page 11 col 3)

Notices of the meeting have been mailed to fish and game advisory committees, commercial fishery and sportsmen's organizations and to newspapers and radio stations to inform the general public.

All proposals for the Board's consideration were sent to the Commissioner of Fish and Game at Juneau. The deadline for receiving these proposals was November 25th. Any proposals received after this date cannot be considered at the fall meeting.

After the proposals were received, they were consolidated by the Commissioner and mailed to the Board members for their consideration.

With the exception of those rejected by the Board, all proposals received will be considered at the coming Anchorage Board meeting.

As required by law, a public notice of the proposed meeting was published in newspapers of October 19th, outlining the general changes that had been proposed.

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SHOP IN CHUGIAK

(Pair uninjured cont col 1)

the Thomas car pulled out of Dee's Texico Service and collided with the side of his 1953 Plymouth.

Damage to the Thomas vehicle was estimated at only \$25, Straight's car was damaged at an estimated \$200.

Thomas was not injured either.

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(baby shower, cont page 7)

resident of the Chugiak community after January 1st, 1962.

The following Businesses have already pledged gifts:

- THE KNIK ARM COURIER ...\$25 savings bond
LORRAINES DEPT STORE ...\$ 5 gift certificate
BESSE'S BEAUTY SHOP ...\$5 gift certificate
ALLEN'S STORE ...\$5 gift certificate

Any merchants wishing to be included may sign up by calling the Knik Arm Courier at HO-2-5275.

A list will be published each week itemizing the gifts which the lucky parents will receive.

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# COMING EVENTS

# CLASSIFIED

WEDNESDAY, November 29th, 1961

CHUGIAK Ladies Club,  
Stewart Res. 7:30pm  
OCHS Executive Committee  
Weights & measures at  
Eagle River School

THURSDAY, November 30th, 1961

Library Open, 7pm-8:30pm  
Ground School, Chugiak  
School, Qucnsset Hut #2

FRIDAY, November 1st, 1961

MOVIE, Eagle River School  
7:30pm. "THE COURT JESTER"  
Obedience Training, 7:30pm  
Carnival Hall

BOWLING: BAGS & BALLS 6:30  
FRIDY NINERS.. 9:00

SATURDAY, November 2nd

SUNDAY, December 3rd, 1961  
CHURCH SERVICES

MONDAY, December 4th, 1961

TUESDAY, December 5th, 1961

WEDNESDAY, December 6, 1961

CHUGIAK PLAYERS TRY-OUTS  
7:30pm, Chugiak School.

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(Phone deposit cont page  
3 col 2)

the area be reminded that dur-  
ing the current subscription  
campaign, the full fifty dol-  
lar deposit is not required  
for the installation of a  
telephone.

Zib stated that a ten dol-  
lar deposit at the time of  
application and a ten dollars  
added to each monthly phone  
bill until the fifty dollar  
deposit is fully paid is all  
that is being required at  
this time.

Zib also asked that it be  
clarified that this money is  
refunded when phone service  
is discontinued.

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FOR SALE: Hay and Silage, See  
Russell Oberg, Mile 21½  
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FOR SALE:: KENMORE deluxe mangle  
(ironer) in excellent condition  
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362 Chugiak, or Phone HO-2-5293  
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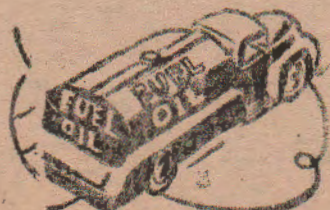
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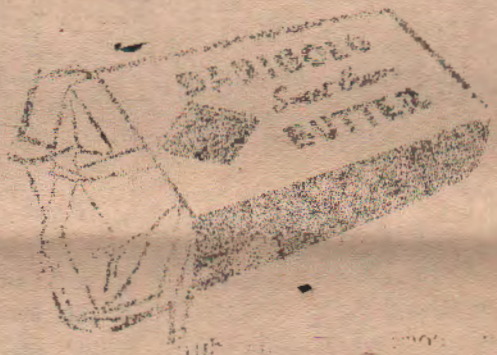
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