

THE Knik Arm COURIER

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CHUGIAK 10¢

Infant Found Dead

EAGLE RIVER: Four and a half month old Donald Anthony Youngman was found dead by his parents early last Friday morning after the child had apparently become entangled with his bedclothes and died of suffocation.

An ambulance took the child to the 5040th Air Force Hospital, where he was pronounced dead on arrival.

The parents, ALC and Mrs. Russell L. Youngman live at the Eagle River Trailer Court. ALC Youngman is attached to the 5040th Supply Squadron at Elmendorf.

BASKETBALL SEASON TO BEGIN JAN 3rd

CHUGIAK: Superintendent of Schools in Chugiak, Chuck Smith announced that the first game of the basketball season will take place at the Gym of the Eagle River school on Wednesday January 3rd at 7pm.

The Chugiak Huskies will play the Eagle River Rams. Smith stated that spectator seats will be of a limited number, and anyone wishing to attend this first game should be there early, as the doors will be closed as soon as all the seats are sold.

One side of the gym will be reserved for the cheering sections of both schools. Smith added that the cost of admission will be 25¢ for students (High School students included) and 75¢ for adults. The money taken in gate receipts will be used to defray the cost of uniforms for the two teams, the cheer leaders and the hockey teams.

Smith also stated that the (cont page 10 col 2)

PTA VOTE UNANIMOUS FOR RESOLUTION



TEARS OF JOY IN THE EYES OF THIS REFUGEE YOUNGSTER IN EUROPE SHOW HOW MUCH THE CARE FOOD PACKAGE HE CARRIES WAS NEEDED BY HIS FAMILY.

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OPEN HOUSE AT POST OFFICE

SWANEE SLOPES: Postmaster Paul Swanson, of the Chugiak Post Office, wishes to remind everyone of the open house to be held at the Post Office all day on Saturday December 23rd.

Paul will be serving coffee and cake, and wishing Merry Christmas to last minute mailers and friends who (cont page 8 col 1)

EAGLE RIVER: Members of the Chugiak PTA, meeting last night at the Eagle River School, unanimously voted to accept the resolution presented by the committee and will continue to maintain a single PTA group for both schools, at least until next March when the matter will be brought up again. March is the regular month for nomination of officers for the coming year, and at this time the body will definitely decide whether or not to attempt to form another organization. Future PTA meetings will be held alternately at the Chugiak and Eagle River Schools.

The business part of the meeting followed a program of Christmas songs presented by the First Graders of the Eagle River School, directed by Mrs. Larson first grade teacher. This program of unusual Christmas songs was designed to appeal primarily to the small children taking part in it. Following the children's program, the parents were led in a community sing of Christmas Carols by Mr. Albert Watson, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Arthur Braendel.

A report was made by the PTA sponsored IMPACT committee, a group studying the means of constructing fallout shelters for both schools. It was decided that no action should be taken until the District Engineers completes a survey it is conducting on the same subject.

The coming school athletic program was reported upon by Superintendent Chuck Smith, and plans for raising funds to purchase athletic equipment was discussed by Rev. Wayne Hull, Chairman of the Advisory School Board. A committee to work (cont page 8 col 1)

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We would like to step outside the bounds of the area popularly recognized as Chugiak, for our shopping hint this week Maud's Flower Shop, located at mile 44 on the Glenn Highway has long been a favorite spot for Chugiakans to stop for their floral needs.

As usual at this time of year Maud has an excellent selection of plants and Christmas greens to help bring the Holiday spirit to our homes.

When driving toward Palmer, stop and see Maud and look over the lovely plants and blooms she has to offer.

YOU WILL NOT SEE IT
HERE AGAIN

The manager of Fawcett Shopping Sections, advertising department for the national publications of Fawcett Publications Inc., has replied to Gov. Wm. A Egan's protests against misleading Alaska employment advertisements with the flat assertion:

"YOU WILL NOT SEE IT HERE AGAIN."

The assurance came from Mgr. Joseph Sheldon to whom Gov. Egan had written after the misleading advertising appeared in the November issue of FUTURE MAGAZINE and again when a similar advertisement appeared in the December issue of CAVALIER, also a Fawcett Publication.

Sheldon advised the Governor that after appearance of the advertisement in TRUE he had sent a memorandum to the company's Censorship Dept. "telling them that this advertisement was undesirable for Fawcett Publications -- not TRUE alone."

He explained subsequent appearance of the advertisement in CAVALIER by saying the publication has a closing date for advertising two months in advance of the publication and was unable to cancel the advertisement when it received the memorandum. For the same reason, he said, the advertisement will also appear in the January Cavalier, for which the closing date was October 1st.

Egan said he also received a similar letter from CAVALIER's advertising manager, John H. Hickerson, stating that "you may rest assured that this ad or similar ones will not appear again in CAVALIER."

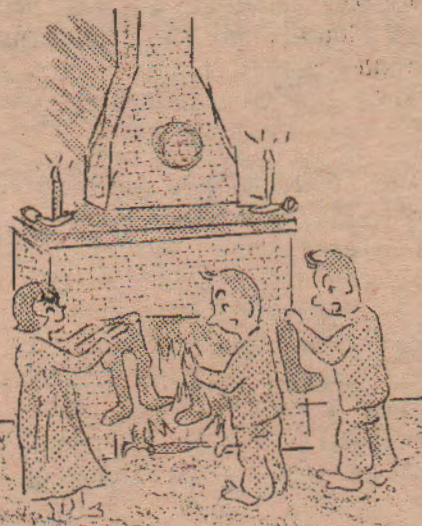
The Governor's letter to the Fawcett publications were among a number he has written (next col.)

(advertising)

to national publications and newspapers, in which the advertisements have appeared, calling attention to instances where persons responding to the advertisements have been induced to come to Alaska and have been left stranded when assured employment failed to materialize.

He also has written to the Attorneys General of New York and New Jersey seeking their assistance in halting future such advertisements.

MERRY CHRISTMAS
TO
YOU ALL



"NOT FAIR!"

FREE SUBSCRIPTION
WINNER

Last weeks winner of a free subscription to the Knik Arm Courier is Rev. Wayne Hull of the Chugiak Methodist Church.

Rev. Hull has been reading the Courier for 2 1/2 years and likes the General news items and announcements the best.

He usually buys the Courier at the Chugiak Post Office.

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2nd. NB of A.....	16	8
3rd FREDDIES.....	15	9
4th ETHELS & ARTIC	13	11
5th B&B CARPETS...	11	13
6th E.R. FUEL.....	10½	13½
7th TEAM #1.....	10½	13½
8th F.L. SERV.....	9	15
9th STEVES PIZZA....	9	15
10th MEADOWCREEK APT	7	17

HIGH TEAM SERIES (w/handicap)

1. Ethel's & Artic...	2145
2. F.L. Serv.....	2137
3. Team #1.....	2120

HIGH TEAM GAME (w/handicap)

1. Ethel's & Artic...	761
2. Steve's Pizza....	760
3. F.L. Serv.....	756

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES (scratch)

women:

1. Marie Zib.....	506
2. Phyllis Stewart.	493
3. Norma Burns....	468

men:

1. Walt Belsey.....	572
2. Jim Rankin.....	520
3. Bob Aubrey.....	488

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME (scratch)

women:

1. Phyllis Stewart...	183
2. Marie Zib.....	170
3. Marie Zib.....	169
Jackie Lowe.....	169

men:

1. Walt Belsey.....	213
2. Q. Burns.....	190
3. Walt Belsey.....	182

SPLITS PICKED UP

Jackie Lowe.....3-7-10

BAGS & BALLS:

(Total Scores to date this Season). won lost

1st. King & King.....	36	12
2nd Minnesota Woolen	34	14
3 d. Skunkers.....	34	14
4 Super 10's.....	34	14
5th FARE & Hare.....	34	14
6th Moonier & Crone...	32	16
7th Sears.....	39	19

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(bags & Balls) won lost

8th If's.....	28	20
9th Knik Arm Courier.	26	22
10th Hahn & Hahn.....	23	25
11th Wilson & Wilson.	23	25
12th Pin Pushers.....	22	26
13th Scott & Scott...	21	27
14th Cotten Pickers...	18	30
15th Tofson & Tofson.	16	32
16th Moyer & Moyer...	14	34
17th McKissek & McK...	14	34
18th Alley Katz.....	14	39
19th Mt. View Washerool	14	26
20th Flubb Dubbs.....	14	26

ATTENTION: Nest Friday, Dec. 22nd, will be POSITION NIGHT.

Also..High series (with handicap) for both men and women will win a turkey.

COMMUNICABLE DISEASE REPROT

Dr. Marshall Simpson has observed the following cases of communicable diseases during the following periods.

Week ending 12/10/61

OTITUS MEDIA.....	3
RINGWORM.....	2
*URI.....	10
TOTAL:.....	15

Week ending 12/17/61

OTITUS MEDIA.....	2
*URI.....	5
TOTAL.....	7

*Upper Respiratory Infcdion

THIS IS SHOPPING IN CHUGIAK MONTH



STORK TALK

A baby girl was born on November 21st to M/Sgt R.J. and Mrs. (Vickie) Koscheski formerly of Birchwood Road and now stationed at the Mt. Home Air Force Base in Idaho. Little Lorie Lorraine weighed 7 pounds 6½ ounces. The Koscheski's have three other children two boys and one girl. The two boys were born in Alaska.

CANADIAN CUSTOMS TO REMAIN OPEN 24 HOURS

SNAG CREEK YT: An announcement that Canadian officials have agreed to maintain round the clock service at the Snag Creek, Yukon Territory, border station has been out a conviction which Governor William A. Egan long has voiced to United States officials. Egan has sought 24-hour service at border stations at Tok and Snag Creek since shortly after becoming Governor in 1959.

Throughout the lengthy correspondence, government officials have contended it would be pointless for the United (cont page 5 col 3)

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ETC.

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Scouting in Chugiak



DEN DOINGS

- DEN #3. Friday, 7pm, Mrs. Towne
- DEN #5. Wednesday 4pm Mrs. Robinson
- DEN # 6: Thursday, 5:15pm Mrs. Beatty & Mrs. Joh
- Den # 8 Thursday, 4pm Mrs. Steeby & Mrs. Boroughs.

TROOP SIX HOLDS COURT OF HONOR

OLD CHUGIAK: A court of Honor was held December 5th at the Chugiak Methodist Church by Boy Scout Troop #6. The following badges were awarded:

- Lester Stephens-Star Hadge
 - Terry Shine.....1st Class
 - Freddie Fretwell-Tenderfoot
- Assistant Scoutmaster, Fred Sawyer, brought hand blinker lights, and worked with the boys on Morse code.
- On Tuesday, December 12, the Arrow Patrol won the knot tying contest and won the prize, ice cream which had been furnished by Mrs. Steeby.

(Court of Honor)

...nished by Sgt. Joe Turner. They generously shared their prize with the rest of the troop. Whenever there are awards to be given out, a Court of Honor will be held the first Tuesday of the month. Parents are urged to attend; especially when their son is to receive an award.

BROWNIES TO SELL CORSAGES

EAGLE RIVER: Brownies of Troop #56 will be selling Christmas corsages on Saturday, December 23rd at the Market Basket in Eagle River.

The regular meeting of the troop will be held on Friday December 22nd, at 2:30pm as soon as school is let out.

Girls who have notes from their parents may ride the school bus 1A to Mrs. Stephens home.

SLEDDING PARTY POSTPONED AGAIN

OLD CHUGIAK: The sledding party scheduled by the MYF for December 21st has been postponed again.

The party will not be rescheduled until the weather improves.

SNO FESTIVAL DATE SET

ANCHOR POINT: The first of six 49th -State winter celebrations will take place in the Alaskan city of Anchor Point, January 19-21.

The Anchor Point Sno-Festival--complete with dog races and weight pulling contests, snow-shoe races, skating contests, Sno Queen beauty pageant and Coronation Ball guarantees Alaskan and visitors alike a lively and memorable weekend.

Anchor Point is located southwest of Anchorage on the Seward Highway, near the tip of the Kenai Peninsula.

Main point of interest at the Festival is probably the dog races, which bring competing mushers from various Alaskan cities and native villages. Additional highlights include weight pulling contests on ice (Last year's winning team of three dogs pulled more than two tons!) and ski-joring. The latter event, being pulled on skis by racing dog or horse teams, is open to any visitor who brings his skis with him to the festival.

Other Alaskan celebrations include the Cordova Ice Worm Festival, February 10-11; the Anchorage Fur Rendevous, February 20-25; the Homer Winter Carnival, March 2-4; the Fairbanks Ice Festival March 17-25; and the Dillingham Beaver Roundup, April 6-8.



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- TOYS.....APPLIANCES.....
- CHINA AND GLASSWARE.....GAMES
- SPORTING GOODS.....ETC.

EAGLE RIVER HARDWARE

(Canadian Customs, cont page 4 col 3)



Tell it to Martha!

By MARTHA COUNCIL

Dear Martha,

I do wish you would set me straight on the customs in this part of the country.

We moved here from another state about two winters ago. As has always been our custom at Christmas time, we sent Christmas cards to members of our family and to a few close friends back in our home state.

I didn't know what to make of it when I received dozens of cards from neighbors and casual acquaintances...people whom I see almost every day.

It had not occurred to me to send them cards as we usually send cards only to those who I mentioned.

All year I have worried for fear I may have committed a social blunder. Now once again I am receiving cards from casual acquaintances, and I wonder if I am obliged to return their greetings, I had not really planned on it, but it embarrasses me to think that they may think I am cheap. ...worried.

Dear Worried,

Stop worrying. It is true that many people here, and in many other rural communities throughout the United States, exchange cards among their neighbors. However, if this has not been your custom, and you do not feel any desire to take part in it, I am sure your neighbors will not think any the less of you. There are many ways of saying Merry Christmas, and sending cards is only one of them.

If you feel like thanking your friends for their cards when you see them, do so; but don't apologize for failing to send one in return.

By the way, I am willing to bet that you came from a fairly large city before moving here....am I right?

Sincerely,

Martha Council

Address all letters to Martha to:

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BOX 1166
Chugiak, Alaska

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

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States to provide 24 hour service at Tok if comparable services were not provided by the Canadians at Snag Creek.

Egan, however, has contended that if the United States initiate such service, Canada would follow suit.

Early last month, the U.S. Bureau of Customs said it would put 24-hour service into effect at Tok next summer. In Washington today, Senator E. L. Bartlett said he had been advised by Commissioner of Customs Philip Nichols Jr. that the Canadian Customs and Excise Administration has agreed to establish round-the-clock service at Snag Creek each summer from May 1 to September 30th each year, beginning in 1962.

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PUPPIES ABANDONED

EAGLE RIVER: Three black puppies of undetermined parentage were abandoned last Monday night on the steps of the Eagle River Bowl.

A home has been found for one of the pups, but the other two are still available for adoption.

Anyone desiring to offer a home to either of the two dogs may see them at the Bowl.

The pups may possibly be Labrador Retrievers or part Lab.

ALASKA DAY DATE MOVED UP

SEATTLE: Seattle World's Fair Officials have advised Governor William A. Egan that July 7th, 1962, has been designated as Alaska Day at the Century 21 Exposition.

The new date represents a change from a previous designation of April 23 which had been tentatively agreed to by the Governor in correspondence with Fair officials and Governor Rosellini of Washington.

Egan said the change was made at the request of Fair officials to coincide with the planned visit to the exposition of a group of King Island Eskimo dancers.

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COOK OF THE MONTH

COOK FOR DECEMBER
FERNE JOHNSTON

Most cooks have found that men prefer chewy fruity cakes, to the lighter fluffy ones that women seem to favor.

This easy to make applesauce cake which Ferne gives us this week is a good old fashioned favorite.

APPLESAUCE CAKE

- 1 1/2 cups sifted flour
- 1 tsp bakingsoda
- 1/2 tsp cinnamon
- 1/2 tsp cloves
- 1/2 tsp salt
- 1/2 cup shortening
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 cup unsweetened tart applesauce
- 1 cup raisins

SIFT flour, soda, spices & salt
CREAM shortening well.

BLEND in sugar gradually.

BEAT in egg

BEAT in applesauce

ADD flour gradually beating after each addition until well blended.

STIR in raisins

TURN into a buttered 8 inch square cake pan lined with waxed paper at the bottom.

BAKE in moderate oven (350°) for 45 minutes....or

POUR in greased muffin cups & BAKE for 25-30 minutes.

COOL before serving

*This cake may also be baked in an angel food pan with a removable bottom, however be sure to grease and flour the pan well.

Applesauce cake improves with age, if kept in a bread box.

PRE CHRISTMAS WEDDING
PLANNED

EAGLE RIVER: Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Flint of Coronado Dr. in Eagle River announce the coming wedding of their daughter Carol Jean to Vernon Robert Burger, formerly of Galesburg Ill, and a resident of Chugiak for the past five years.

The wedding will take place at the New Chugiak Methodist Church at mile 18 at 7pm, Dec. 23rd. A reception will be held at the Flint residence following the ceremony.

The mother of the prospective groom, Mrs. Rose Burger, will be unable to attend.

Mrs. Burger, formerly residing at mile 21 1/2 in Peters Creek now lives in Galesburg Ill.

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BAKE SALE TO FEATURE
HOLIDAY WARES

EAGLE RIVER: Christmas cakes and pies will be the feature of the bake sale to be held at the Market Basket by the WSCS of the Chugiak Methodist Church this Saturday, December 23rd.

The sale will begin at noon, and will offer many unusual items, including decorated Christmas cookies, tea and coffee rings etc.

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LADIES CLUB MEETING
POSTPONED

PETERS CREEK: The meeting of the Chugiak Ladies Club, which was to have been held last Thursday at the home of Rusty Bellringer, was postponed due to bad weather.

The meeting will be held instead, tomorrow (December 21st) at the Bellringer residence, at 7:30pm.

An exchange of gifts between Secret Pals will take place, and definite reservations for the holiday dinner will be taken.

The dinner this year will be held at Fire Lake Lodge, on Thursday, December 28th at 7:30pm. All club members and alumni and their husbands are invited to attend.

The dinner is a no host affair.

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POOR WEATHER BENEFITS
MEN'S MEETING

OLD CHUGIAK: A meeting of the Methodist Men, benefited from the poor weather which prevented the Anchor Park MYF from attending a meeting in Chugiak. The refreshments which had been prepared for the young people, were enjoyed instead, by the thirteen men present at the meeting.

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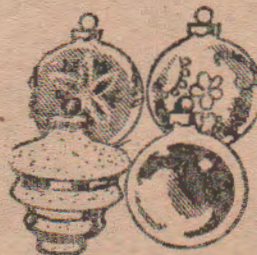
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Merry Christmas



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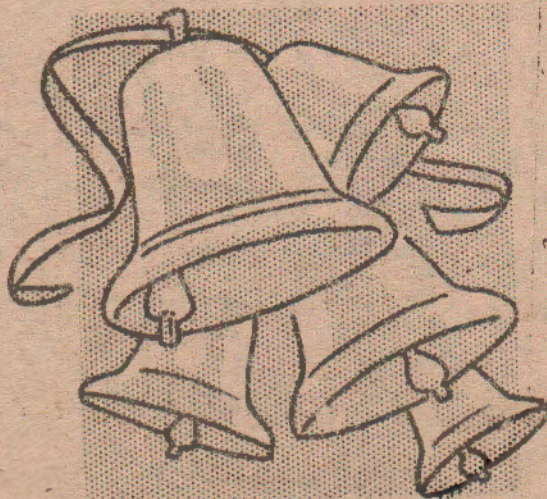
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IT HAS BEEN A GREAT PLEASURE TO DO BUSINESS WITH ALL OF YOU DURING THE PAST YEAR.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR TO YOU ALL.



PEA, cont page 1 col 3)

on this was appointed, consisting of Rev. Hull, Supt. Smith, Mrs. Jack Stewart, Mrs. Wiley Borroughs and Roger Jonrowe.

To start the drive for equipment funds, each family with a child in school will be asked to contribute a donation of one dollar.

Room count was won by Mrs. Larsons first grade class. Refreshments were served by the sixth grade mothers.

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OPEN HOUSE

drop in to exchange seasons greetings.

Swanson also asked that all be reminded of the Christmas Seals on sale in the Post Office lobby.

TEACHER UNINJURED IN CLASH WITH MOOSE

ANCHORAGE: L.J. Morse, teacher at the Chugiak School escaped uninjured when the car which he was driving struck a moose on the By-Pass early last Sunday morning.

Morse was on his way into a National Guard meeting when the animal leaped in front of him.

Damage to the Volkswagen bus was estimated at \$700.

The moose suffered a broken shoulder and had to be shot by the State Trooper at the scene.

GIFTS FOR NEW YEARS BABY MOUNT

CHUGIAK: Gifts which will be presented to the parents of the first baby to be born here after January 1st are now valued at \$85.

The latest merchants to offer gifts are; The Market Basket, \$5 gift certificate, Mrs. Lee's Bake Shop, congratulatory cake, Maud's Flowers, floral arrangement and Eagle River Bowl, 10 lores of bowling for the parents.

Merchants who had previously pledged gifts were, (next col)

(baby)

The Knik Arm Courier, Savings bond, Bessie's Beauty Shop, Lorraines, Homesite Delivery Service, Knik Knak Shop, Zimmermans, Eagle River Hardware, Allen's Store, all gift certificates.

The baby may be born at any of the Anchorage or Palmer hospitals, providing the parents are at the time residents of Chugiak.

SHOP IN CHUGIAK !!!

PETERS CREEK HOMESTEADER TO WED

GLASGOW AFB MONT. M/Sgt William (Buck) Ramsey, one of the first homesteaders in the Peters Creek area, and now stationed at Glasgow AFB Montana has written that he is planning to be married on Christmas Day at Salina Kansas.

Ramsey will retire from the Air Force in May after twenty years in service and plans to return to Chugiak in July.

FACT or FABLE

(Test your current event I.Q.)



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Matanuska Electric Association

Church News



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

CHUGIAK ST. ANTHONY'S
 CATECHETICAL CLASSES, 8:00pm
 Mondays, Harry's Auto Parts

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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

GIRLS AUXILIARY

SUNBEAMS

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION

MEN'S BROTHERHOOD

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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

ATTEND YOUR CHERCH THIS SUNDAY

LATTER DAY SAINTS

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

COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

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

CHUGIAK METHODIST CHURCH

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

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF CHUGIAK

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

EVERYONE WELCOME

CAROLERS TO SERANADE COMMUNITY

OLD CHUGIAK: Carolers from the Chugiak Methodist Church will meet at the Church at 7:45pm on Saturday, December 23rd, and will then select a section of the Community to seranade.

Following the caroling, the MYF will hold a fellowship meeting at the Church.

REMINDER OF CHUGIAK CHAPEL PROGRAM

OLD CHUGIAK: Rev. Bernard Tewell of the Chugiak Chapel has asked that all be reminded of the Chirstmas Program which will be held on Friday, December 22nd at 7:30 pm.

A nursery for small babies will be open during the services.

CATHOLIC RELIGION CLASSES

EAGLE RIVER: Beginning on January 15th at 10am and on every Saturday, Catholic Religion Classes will be held at the home of Miss Alicia Palau. (mile 19 behind the C.C. Call home)

Classes will also resume on January 8th and each Monday at 4pm at the homes of Mrs. Robt Johnson in Eagle River, Mrs. Roht. Robertson in Eagle River and Mrs. Ray Michlig in Peters Creek.

FINAL REHEARSAL FOR LUTHERAN PROGRAM

OLD CHUGIAK: The final rehearsal for the Christmas Program of the Sunday School Class of the Chugiak Lutheran Church will be held on Saturday, December 23rd at 1pm.

CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICES WILL BE HELD

OLD CHUGIAK: Rev. Wayne Hull, of the Chugiak Methodist Church has reminded that there will be services on Christmas morning (Monday, December 25th) at 6am.

CHRISTMAS BLESSINGS TO
YOU ALL

Allen's Grocery

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MANY LOVELY PLANTS AND
GIFTS FOR XMAS

COMING EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, December 20th, 1961
CHRISTMAS PROGRAM, CHUGIAK School, 8pm

THURSDAY, December 21st, 1961
Library Open, 9am-3:30pm
7:pm-8:30pm
7th & 8th Grades CHRISTMAS PROGRAM, Eagle River School 8pm.
CHUGIAK LADIES CLUB, 7:30pm Bellringer Residence.

FRIDAY, December 22nd, 1961
CHRISTMAS PROGRAM, LDS Church, 7pm
CHRISTMAS PROGRAM, Chugiak Chapel, 7:30pm
BROWNIE TROOP #54, 2:30pm Stephens Residence

SATURDAY, December 23rd, 1961
BAKE SALE, Market Basket Noon-?
CORSAGE SALE, Brownie Troop #56, Market Basket, noon-?
Caroling, Chugiak Methodist Church, 7:45pm

SUNDAY, December 24th, 1961
CHRISTMAS EVE
Caroling, Chugiak Chapel
Christmas Services, Lutheran Church, 7:30pm

MONDAY, December 25th, 1961
CHRISTMAS DAY

TUESDAY, December 26th, 1961

WEDNESDAY, December 27th, 1961

THURSDAY, December 28th, 1961
HOLIDAY DINNER, CHUGIAK LADIES CLUB, Fire Lake Lodge 7:30pm.

HOMEMAKERS SNOWED OUT

PETERS CREEK: The meeting of the Chugiak Homemakers, which was to have been held last Thursday at the home of Gleda Stephens was cancelled due to poor weather.

The group will meet again on the second Thursday in January at the home of Mrs. Stephens.

NO LIGHTS ON METAL TREES

JUNEAU: If you are using a metal tree this year, the (cont col 3)

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ATTENTION! Expectant Parents...if you are expecting a new arrival sometime after the first of January 1962, check with the KNIK ARM COURIER.

If you live in Chugiak you may win the Baby Shower of Gifts which the Chugiak merchants are offering the first baby born to this community after the New Year.

(metal trees)

State Department of Public Safety recommends that off-the tree lighting be sued.

"A voltage leakage from faulty Christmas tree lights or wiring on a metallic tree can electrically energize all or part of the tree", warned Robert F. Crouse, State Fire Marshall.

If one were to touch such a "hot" tree, and say a nearby radiator at the same time, a death dealing jolt or a severe burn could result.

This could also occur if one of the two leads on the wiring were to become exposed and come in contact with the tree or one another, Crouse said.


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