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THIS WEEK IN THE COURIER - READ ABOUT

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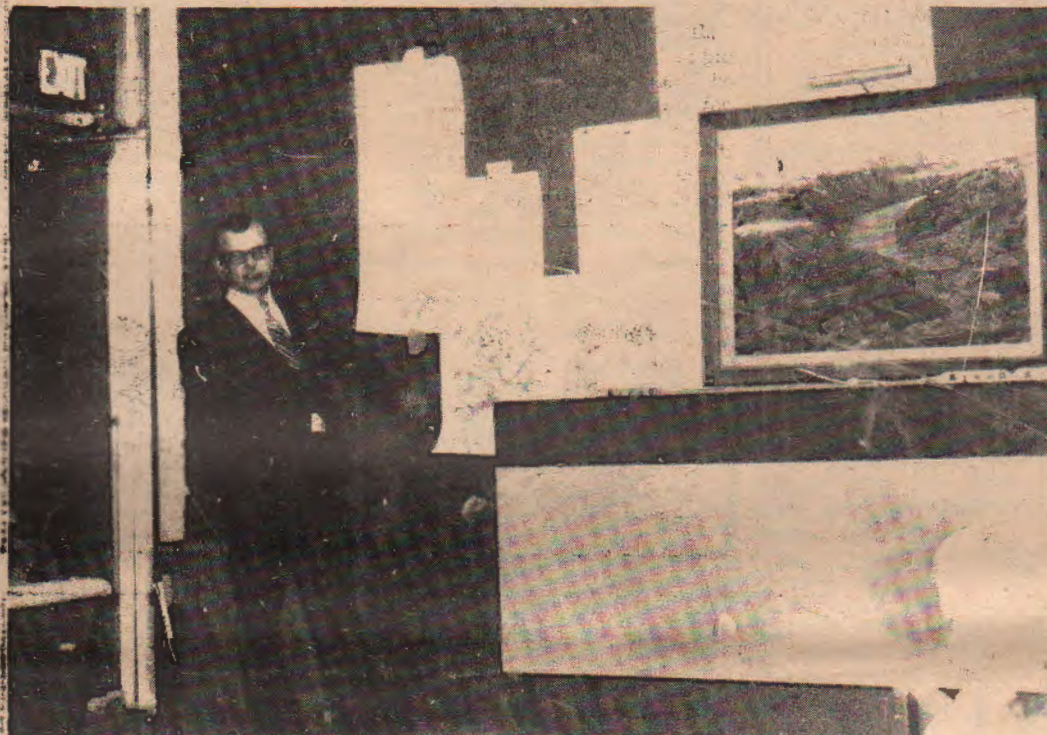


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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1971

CHUGIAK - 10¢

CHAMBER TO PRESS FOR GIRDWOOD LINK



EAGLE RIVER: A road which would connect the Eagle River Valley with Girdwood over the 3800 foot Crow Pass, is the goal of the local Chamber of Commerce.

The Chamber voted to try to get the current legislature to approve funds for the road as a line item in the budget after learning the details of the project at their Monday night meeting.

Guest speaker at the Chamber meeting was Roger Riddell, himself a former longtime resident of the Chugiak area, and presently Chairman for Roads for the Anchorage Chamber of Commerce.

Riddell showed maps of the area and pointed out that this would link two tremendous recreation areas, with some of the best skiing mountains in the state, as well as being valuable as a scenic route.

He said that he felt a good secondary road could be constructed for around \$650,000.

He said this would be a year round all weather road, with some limitations, comparable with the road through Thompson Pass on the way to Valdez.

Riddell said that by having the road built with State funds it could be completed within three years. As a Federal Aid project, he said, it would very likely take 7 to 8 years to be completed.

This road would not only offer an alternate route to Seward and the Kenai Peninsula, but would make it possible for the motorist to pass close to glaciers, mountain lakes and other scenic wonders. He said he envisioned a wildlife refuge, where tourists would be able to see moose, sheep and other game at close range.

Riddell also gave some background on the proposed hydro electric dam at Eagle River.

He introduced Robert Rutherford, head of Rutherford and Associates, engineering firm.

Mr. Rutherford referred to a painting on display which depicted the proposed dam site. This painting was the work of Kay Love, an Eagle River artist. The painting had been commissioned by "Cap" Faroe, and had been on display in Juneau during the last legislature. It had been instrumental in getting the approval of the Chugach State Park.

Rutherford pointed out the

ROGER RIDDELL POINTS OUT ROUTE OF PROPOSED GIRDWOOD ROAD TO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. THE PAINTING AT RIGHT OF EAGLE RIVER DAMSITE IS NOW ON DISPLAY AT EAGLE RIVER BRANCH OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

CHUGIAK BOY WAS MISSING YOUTH

ANCHORAGE: A twelve year old boy, who had been missing for three and one half days from his home near Anchorage, is the son of a former Peters Creek family.

Wesley Bedford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Bedford, who still own their home at Mile 23.

The Bedfords had been living at the Glacier Terrace Trailer Court, and Wesley was a student at Wendler Jr. High School at the time of his disappearance.

Mrs. Bedford told the Knik Arm Courier that there had been no trouble at home, and that there was no reason for the boy to have stayed away.

She said he had left for school last Wednesday morning but had never even boarded the school bus.

The state troopers were al-

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STUDENT PAPER SHAKES UP COMMUNITY

BIRCHWOOD: A one page student newspaper has created more of a stir among Chugiak High School parents than any other publication to come out of this community.

Adult reaction to "Voices" has ranged from "...in poor taste", to "a direct quote from the Communist propaganda text". One local citizen is convinced that the SDS is behind it.

Voices was published by a group of students as a school approved project.

Mr. Eldon King, CHS Principal, stated that when the students approached him for permission to publish Voices as a journalism project, he was told it was to offer students an opportunity to publish creative writing, such as poetry, and other means of expression.

What actually came off the

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DIME A-DISH TO BENEFIT MARCH OF DIMES

CHUGIAK: Local residents are reminded that a Dime A Dish Dinner will be taking the place of the Mothers March as the fund raising project for the March of Dimes in the Greater Chugiak Area.

This event will be held on Sunday, January 31st, in the multi-purpose room at Chugiak High School, starting at 1:00pm.

Those planning to attend are asked to please bring a food contribution, along with their appetites. While a large attendance is vital to the success of the event, enough food to go around is even more important.

It was pointed out that similar dinners held in the area this year ran out of food long before many of those who attended arrived at the food tables.

Main dishes (meats, casser-

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natural reservoir which could be formed by a small dam. He said the City of Anchorage had made geological and seismic tests of the area, and these had pointed to a good damsite. A water guaging station showed an excellent water supply. He said there is also an area for a potential power development on the South Fork. He said that in his opinion, this type of development would not deteriorate the beauty of the area. He said the lake which would be created by the dam could be used for recreational purposes as well as for a water and power supply.

Riddell also spoke to the Chamber about local highway construction. He recommended that the Chamber seek to have the proposed 4 lane highway be continued to mile 15, and not stop at Gate 1 as is presently planned. He re-

commended to eliminate on-grade crossings at Gate 1 and at Artillery Road and to ask for separate grade crossings at both these points.

He also touched briefly on the proposed Ship Creek Thruway which would carry traffic to downtown Anchorage, Elmendorf and Government Hill.

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oles) and desserts seem to be the most in demand.

Anyone wishing more information, is asked to call Co-Chairmen, Mrs. Bertha Herрман, at 694-2365, or Mrs. Rosie Selk at 688-2920.

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erted, and the boys description published in the Anchorage papers along with a photograph.

Mrs. Bedford said that on Saturday, at around 5pm, she received a call from a woman who had seen the boy and recognized him from the picture in the paper. He was approximately ten blocks from home at the time, was tired and confused, but appeared to otherwise unhurt.

The boy's mother said that he was told them very little about his experience, or why he had failed to return home. She said that they have reason to believe that he had been staying with some people part of the time that he was gone.

Mr. Bedford has been working at St. Mary's and was called home when it was apparent that the boy was missing.

The Bedfords had leased their home in Peters Creek when they believed that they would be in Georgia for two

years. They had been living in Anchorage on a temporary basis, and Mrs. Bedford said they plan to move their trailer on to their property in Chugiak in the spring.

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Then why don't they put an "F" on it?



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press was an editorial studded with four letter words, an announcement of how to obtain draft and abortion counseling and pregnancy tests, and a letter to the editor containing a thinly veiled threat to the administration as to what might happen to them if the open lunch program was discontinued.

King stated that the member of the faculty who was sponsoring Voices had attempted to talk the student out of this type of expression, but when they did not appear to be convinced had decided to permit it to be published as written, so that they would learn for themselves just how the public would react to their efforts.

King said that he has since talked to the members of the staff of "Voices", and they now apparently realize their mistake. He feels sure that future issues of the publication will be more acceptable to the public.

A reference to the Eagle River Public Library in the paper led some parents to believe that the Library was in some way sponsoring it. This was a misunderstanding on the part of a student who had gone to the library for a donation to be used toward publishing "Voices". A member of the library staff had given a personal donation, without knowing the exact context of the paper. The library does not sponsor any such projects.

The paper had been printed on an offset press which had been made available to the school, but was not school property, King stated.

WORK SESSION ON BUILDING CODE IS PLANNED

ANCHORAGE: There will be a work session on the Borough Building Code on Thursday, January 28th at 8pm, at the School Administration Building on Fireweed Lane in Anchorage.

This work session is open to the public, and anyone with questions or suggestions is welcome to be heard.

It was pointed out that anyone wishing to be heard during the work session call the borough office in advance and ask that their name be placed on the agenda.

Those who do not make prior arrangements to be heard will be permitted to speak only if time allows.

FORMER PETERS CREEK RESIDENT SURVIVES ORDEAL

NORTHWAY: Word was received of an ordeal recently experienced by a former resident of Lower Peters Creek.

Terry Overly, who operates Pioneer Outfitters, along with a companion was attempting to move a string of pack horses from Chisana where they had been wintering. The snow had gotten too deep for the animals to find forage.

According to the report the temperature at the time they started the trek was around 20 degrees below zero.

The trip was expected to take two days, and when they failed to show up, residents of the area became concerned and a search was started.

The pair finally arrived at Scottie Creek four days later they had started. They said that the temperature had dropped to around 40 degrees, and 18 of their horses had died along the trail.

The distance they had to travel was around 34 miles.

Overly is the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Hickathier, who recently lost her trailer home in Lower Peters Creek in a fire.

CFPSCB AUDIT IS PUBLISHED

CHUGIAK: The treasurer for the Committee for the Preservation of the Second Class Borough, reported that the books for that organization have been audited.

CFPSCB, which was formed last summer for the express purpose of developing the proposed Charter for the unification of the City of Anchorage and the Greater Anchorage Area Borough, had failed to remain organized in order to be able to take action deemed appropriate when the revised Charter was brought up for

ratification.

Nichols stated that a total of \$1,143.80 had been contributed to CFPSCB by area residents, and the audit showed the records to be in order, with the entire \$1,143.80 expended.

Members of the auditing committee were Marianna Koehler and Joyce Willis.

TOASTMISTRESS CLUB PLANS SPEECH CONTEST

OLD CHUGIAK: Next to bargains, ladies love contests... and lady Toastmistresses are no exception!

Knik Toastmistress club will be participating in the Annual speech contest again this year, and the January 28th meeting will feature a speech contest workshop conducted by Ruth Antosh and Evelyn Hite.

Kathy Cummings, former speech contest winner will demonstrate how to give a contest speech.

The speech contest at club level will take place February 4th and 18th, the winner then being eligible for the Council Speak-Off in April.

So...if you love a bargain... a contest is the next thing to it, and Knik Toastmistresses will enjoy Club Thursday night January 28th at 7:30pm at the United Methodist Church in Chugiak.

EAGLE RIVER THEATER MOVIES REVIEWED

EAGLE RIVER: Four excellent movies have been scheduled for showing at the Eagle River Theater this weekend.

On Friday night it will be a science fiction horror thriller "Children of the Damned". Six children with astonishing intellects pose a grave threat to the world.

The Saturday Kiddy matinee features Part III of the "Mysterious Dr. Satan" and a full length animated cartoon feature, "The Man Called Flintstone". All Chief Boulder of SASS (Stone Age Secret Service) prevails on Fred Flintstone who is famed secret agent Rock Slag's double, to contact agent Tanya in Paris and find the sinister Green Goose head of SMIRK.

On Saturday evening, it is "Winter A-Go-Go", starring James Stacy, William, Wellman Jr. and Beverly Adams.

A skidodge is inherited by Wellman, who with beautiful girls and athletic young men sets out to make it a popular ski resort. This is a good comedy drama with music.

On Sunday, a true life adventure by Walt Disney.

"Sancho, the Homing Steer" A lonely longhorn calf is presented by a Texan father to his pretty wife, Sancho, who to a cattle driver, and a year later is 1500 miles from home.

Homesick for Maria, He breaks free and heads for the ranch, causing havoc along the way.

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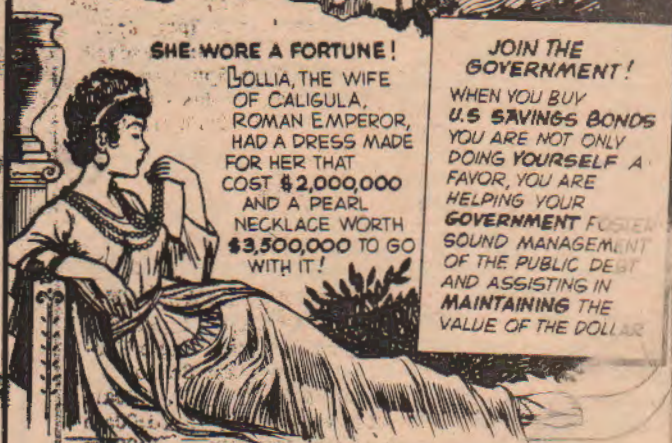


SHE WORE A FORTUNE!

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Morning Worship. . . 11:00am
Christ Ambassadors 5:45pm
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Evangelists Service 7:00pm
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E.J. Best Res. Birchwood
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Norris Caraway Minister
Ptarmigan Valley Road
Caraway Res. Old Chuglak
SUNDAY:
Bible Study. . . 10:00 - 11:00am
Worship. 11:00 - 12:00
Evening. 7:00-8:00pm
WEDS: 7:00-8:00pm
Phone: 688-9760

CHURCH IN THE WILDWOOD
Community Church
Anton J. Becker Pastor
Mile 14 1/2 Eagle River
Sunday School. . . . 9:45am
Morning Worship. . . 11:00am
Evening Service. . . 7:00pm
Prayer Meeting & Bible Study
Wednesday. 7:00pm

**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST
OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**
(Chuglak Branch)
Ski Road Peters Creek
Ray McCubbins, Branch Pres.
Ph: 688-2492
Priesthood, Sunday. . 9:00am
Sunday School. . . . 11:00am
Sacrament Meeting. . 5:30pm
Primary, Tues. . . . 3:45pm
M.I.A., Weds. 7:00pm
Relief Society, Thurs. 10:00am

CHURCH OF GOD
(Pentecostal in doctrine)
Two blocks behind United
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Sunday School. . . . 10:00am
Morning Worship. . . 11:00am
Y.P.E. 7:00pm
Evening Worship. . . 8:00pm
Paul McLaughlin Pastor
Phone: 333-5485

THE CHURCH ON CORNADO
"Church of Christ"
Cornado Pk., Box 155 Eagle Riv.
Bill Lance Minister
Sunday School. . . . 9:30am
Morning Worship. . . 10:30am
Evening Worship. . . 6:30pm
Bible Study, Weds. . . 8:00pm

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall Klondike St.
Birchwood
Meetings, Tues. . . 7:30p.m.
Friday Ministry Sch. 7:25p.m.
Sunday, Public Talk 10:00am
Watch Tower. . . . 11:15am
Phone: 688 2873

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF
EAGLE RIVER**
Rawls Pierce Pastor
Sunday School. . . . 9:45am
Morning Worship. . . 11:00am
Training Union. . . . 8:00pm
Evening Worship. . . 7:00pm
Weds. Bible Study . . 7:00pm

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF
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Robert L. Chadwick Pastor
Sunday School. . . . 10:00am
Sun, Morn. Worship. . 11:00am
Sun, Eve. Worship. . . 7:00pm
Sun, Training Union. . 6:00pm
Weds, Eve. Bible Study 7:00pm
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Wednesday eve. . . . 7:30pm
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W.F. Bell Pastor
Mile 19 1/2 Old Chuglak
Morning Worship. . . 9:00am
Sunday School. . . . 10:00am
Ladies Aid, 3rd Wed. 7:30pm

**UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH OF CHUGIAK**
L. Eugene Groves Pastor
Mile 18 Old Glenn Highway
Church School. . . . 9:45am
Morning Worship. . . 11:00am
(Nursery Provided)
U.M.Y.F. Sunday. . . 6:30pm
Adult Study group. . . 6:30pm
Meth. Men, 3rd Tues. 6:30pm
W.S.C.S. 3rd Weds. . 8:00pm
Bible Study & Prayer Service
Thursday. 7:30pm

**ST. ANDREW'S CATHOLIC
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PASTOR
Masses: Sunday, 9:00am, 11am
6:00pm
Daily Mass: 8:30am except on
Thursday, Friday. . . 5:30pm
Confessions: Sat. - 7pm - 8pm
Catechism Classes: Tuesday
evenings 7pm 8pm Chuglak
High School, Grades 1 8 inc.
Grades 1 3 Sat. 10:00am at the
Church.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Pastor Rev. John L. Vaughn
Sunday Services, Eagle Riv-
er Elementary School
Sunday School. . . . 10:00am
Morning Worship. . . 11:00am
Sun, eve. worship. . . 7:00pm
Thursday Prayer Meeting
Parsonage, on Al Cross Dr.
off Artillery Rd. . . 7:30pm

FIRE CO. TAKES WOMAN TO HOSPITAL

PETERS CREEK: The Chug-
lak Volunteer Fire Compan.
Ambulance reported only one
run during the last week.
On Sunday, January 24th, at
3:00am, they answered a call
to the Mullens residence in
Peters Creek.
They transported Dorothy
Barrow from that address
to the ANS Hospital.

EAGLE RIVER AMBULANCE RUN REPORTED

EAGLE RIVER: The Eagle
River Volunteer Fire Comp-
any reported one ambulance
run during the past week.
On January 24th, at 4:30pm
they responded to a two car
accident at mile 15 1/2.
Linda Lantz, of Anchorage
was transported to Providence
Hospital where she was found
to be suffering from minor
whiplash.

LADIES CLUB TO PLAN ART SHOW

EAGLE RIVER: The Annual
Spring Art Show will the main
item for discussion at the next
meeting of the Chuglak Ladies
Club.
The meeting is to be held on
Thursday, January 28th, at
the home of Phyllis Smith in
Eagle River.
The theme for the show, and
the date are the items to be
determined at this time.
The newly elected officers
will preside at this meeting.
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ANSWER: Would you believe you are both right?

The present post office was originally built by Paul Swanson, and was a small neighborhood grocery store. He later sold it to the Methodist Church, who held their services there until the new building was completed at Mile 18.

It was then rented to the LDS Church and as a Community Health Center until the time it was remodeled and leased to the Post Office Department.

SEMINAR ON COUNSELING IS OFFERED

Counseling the Alcoholic, a graduate seminar, is being offered by the University of Alaska-Anchorage beginning Feb. 12.

Registration for the seminar will be from 6 to 7 p.m., Jan. 28, Building A, at the Anchorage Community College.

Team-teaching the course will be Dr. Jean Rossi and James McInerney, from the Chicago Lutheran Hospital Alcohol Rehabilitation Center. Student tuition is \$81.

The seminar will provide persons with specific counseling knowledge and skills in providing face-to-face assistance to persons afflicted with alcoholism. Three graduate credits will be granted to individuals completing the course.

SCHOOL BOARD ASKS FOR BIDS

The Anchorage Borough School Board will be receiving bids for liability and auto physical damage insurance at a regular meeting this evening at 8 o'clock in the Administration Building at 670 Fireweed Lane. The Board is also scheduled to consider bids on equipment for the Service-Hanshaw High School complex due to be completed this coming fall. The formation of the Citizens Budget Review Committee is another item on this evening's agenda.

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1 No. 2 can of Tomato Puree
1 cup water
2 envelopes dry Onion Soup
Chili Powder to taste

CRUMBLE hamburger and brown in large skillet
ADD all remaining ingredients, SIMMER for 15 minutes

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND WELFARE UNDER AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME BY AS 47.05.010(14) WILL HOLD PUBLIC MEETINGS CONCERNING FOSTER HOME, INSTITUTIONAL AND NURSING HOME CARE TO REVIEW, STUDY AND PROPOSE, THE NECESSARY LEVELS OF CARE AND THE RATES IT WILL PAY TO ANYONE FOR THE SERVICES REQUIRED DURING THE SUCCEEDING YEAR.

HEARINGS WILL BE HELD IN THREE LOCATIONS (ONLY FOSTER CARE AND GROUP FOSTER CARE TO BE COVERED IN FAIRBANKS AND ANCHORAGE) AS FOLLOWS:

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338 DENALI ST. ANCHORAGE 99501
- (B) WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1971, FAIRBANKS, AK
9:00A.M. TO 12:00 NOON
ROOM 341 STATE COURT & OFFICE BUILDING
604 BARNETTE ST. FAIRBANKS 99701

II FOSTER HOME, GROUP FOSTER HOME, INSTITUTIONAL AND NURSING HOME CARE.
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- (A) WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1971

CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS
9:00A.M. TO 4:30P.M.

- (B) THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1971

1. **FOSTER CARE and GROUP FOSTER CARE**
9:00A.M. to 12:00 NOON

2. **NURSING HOME CARE**
1:00P.M. to 4:00P.M.

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS WILL BE GIVEN AN OPPORTUNITY TO PRESENT STATEMENTS, ARGUMENTS, OR CONTENTIONS IN WRITING AND AN OPPORTUNITY TO PRESENT THE SAME ORALLY.

ROBERT A. (BERT) HALL, COMMISSIONER
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND WELFARE

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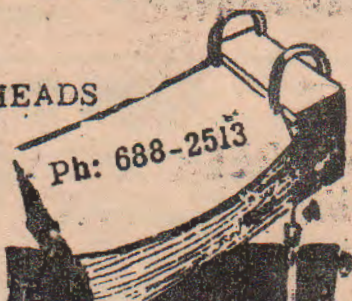
GOAL COUNCIL TO MEET ON TUESDAY

EAGLE RIVER: The regular monthly meeting of the GOAL Council will be held on Tuesday, February 9th, at 7:30pm.

The meeting is held in the GOAL Center in Eagle River. The general public is invited and urged to attend.

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WADE CHARLES OF EAGLE RIVER, 1970 WINNER OF THE MIDNIGHT SUN 600, SHOWN HERE AFTER LAST YEARS RACE.

FRONTIER RIDERS TO ELECT OFFICERS

FIRE LAKE: The Frontier Riders saddle club held a short business meeting at the Heisey residence in Fire Lake last Friday night.

It was decided to schedule an organizational meeting on February 19th, at which time officers will be elected, and the membership will vote on the amount of dues to be charged.

The scheduled guest speaker, Dr. Gore, veterinarian, from Palmer, was unable to attend, and will be re-scheduled at a later time.

FT. RICH MAN GETS CITATION

FT. RICH: A Fort Richardson driver received a citation following a two car accident at the intersection of the Glenn Highway and Arctic Valley Road.

William D. Tullgren, turned onto the highway from Arctic Valley Road, and struck a 1965 Mercedes Benz, Driven by William R. Young Jr. of Anchorage.

Damage to Tullgren's 1970 Volkswagon was estimated at \$200. The Mercedes sustained an estimated \$300 damage.

Tullgren was cited for failure to yield after stopping.

PARK PLAN NOT FOR ALASKA

program called "Volunteers in Parks" has begun nationally, but Alaskan participation has not been planned.

The National Park Service program calls for unsalaried volunteer workers to demonstrate arts and crafts for visitors, serve as deputy park rangers and act as interpreters and guides.

Tom Ritter, staff naturalist with the service in Anchorage, said that because of the location of Mt. McKinley National Park, the state's biggest operation and the lack of people in the area to volunteer, no plans have been made for next summer.

EAGLE RIVER THEATER

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EAGLE RIVER ROAD
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FRIDAY, JANUARY 29th
7:00pm and 9:30pm

SCIENCE FICTION THRILLER

Children of the Damned

with Ian Hendry, Alan Badel
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WALT DISNEY

Sancho, The Homing Steer

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1 hour 36 minutes

WADE CHARLES TO DEFEND "600" CROWN

ANCHORAGE: A chilly Mid-night Sun 600 gets underway this morning, with Eagle River's own Wade Charles in there to defend his title.

Charles was the overall winner of last year's "600", and is once again racing as a member of the Skidoo Blizzard team, sponsored by the Craig Taylor Equipment Co. The three day race will end in Fairbanks on Friday. Of the 303 who entered the race, it has been predicted that only 90 will finish.

OLD SPELL RINGS FROZEN WATER PIPES

CHUGIAK: The long spell of sub-zero weather the area is currently experiencing has caused an unusual amount of frozen sewer lines and water systems.

A local contractor who operates a thawing service said that he is being kept busy day and night answering calls. He stated that he believes that there are very few homes in the community which have not experienced some freezing problems.

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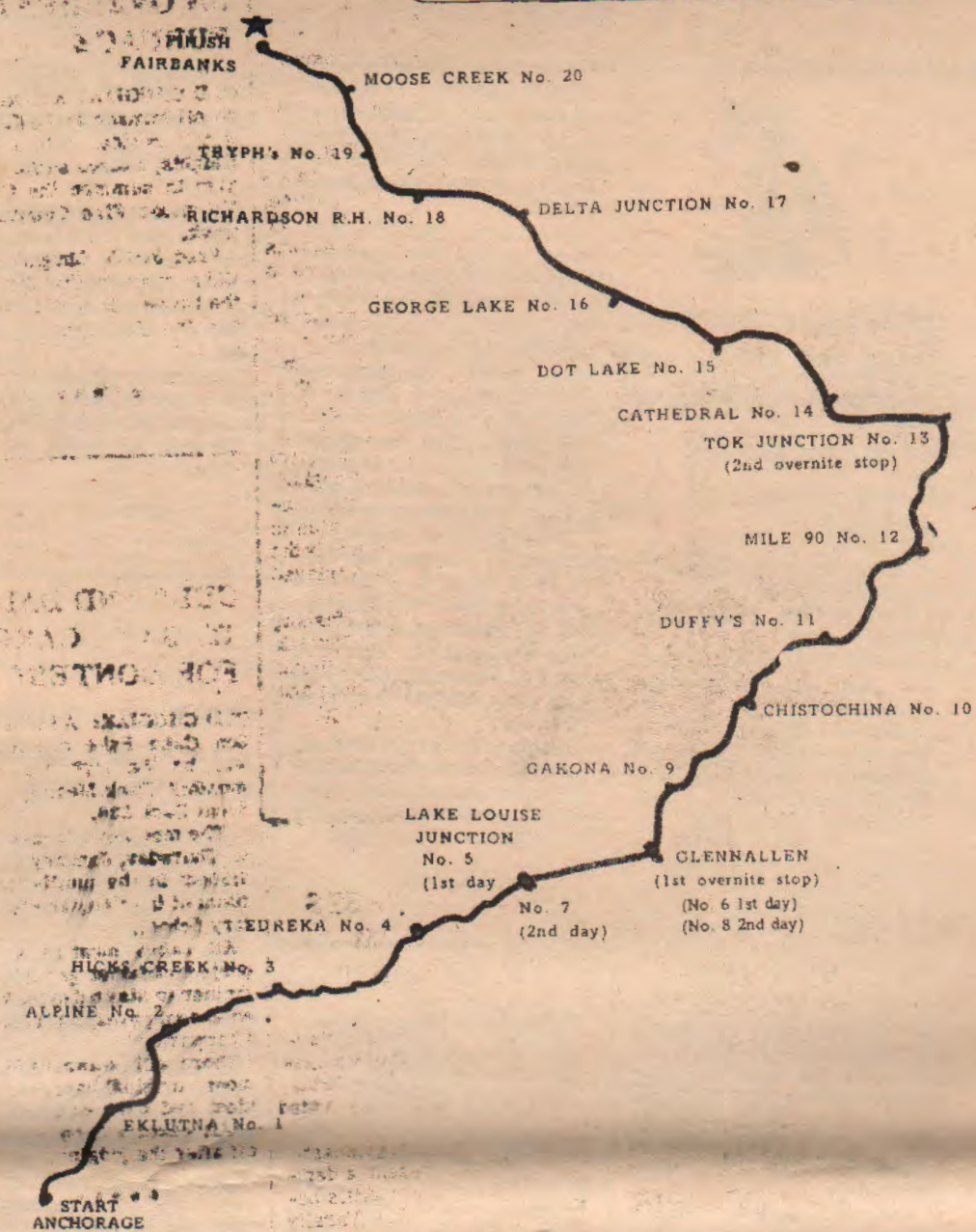
TEEN AGERS TO MANROAD BLOCK: Chugiak teen agers will do their bit for the March of Dimes Saturday, when they will (weather permitting) conduct a road block on the Glenn Highway in front of the Eagle River Shopping Center.

Cars will be stopped and the drivers presented with "litter-bags" and at this time they will be offered an opportunity to contribute to the March of Dimes.

POTATO TRUCK OVERTURNS A combination of high winds and icy road caused a truckload of potatoes to overturn at mile 22 last Thursday.

Noel Woods, of Palmer, said that he had been enroute to Anchorage with his load when the wind made it impossible to keep the truck on the icy road.

POWER OUTAGE BLACKS OUT LARGE AREA: An electric power outage which effected the entire area served by the Eklutna Hydroelectric Plant lasted for forty minutes yesterday morning.



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MUSTANG EXPRESS News and Activities Chugiak High School

EDITOR: Max Bellringer

FULL WEEK FOR CHS
ATHLETES

This is a full week for Chugiak High Athletes.

Tuesday was Junior Hockey.

On Friday there will be Junior High Girls Interschool Volleyball at Clark.

Also on Friday is JV wrestling with Wasilla at 2:30. The Mustangs JV and Varsity basketball teams play Kodiak at Chugiak on Friday and on Saturday.

On Saturday, there will be JV and Varsity Wrestling at Palmer, and a Jr. High Hockey Jamboree at Romin at 9:00am

MARATHON CONTEST ENDS IN DRAW

The eight hour marathon dance contest held at the end of Semester Bash, ended in a draw, with all the couples who entered still on their feet at 10:00pm.

Only one couple was disqualified for having taken too long for their break.

CHUGIAK SPLITS WITH MONROE'S RAMS

By: Phil Best

The Chugiak Mustangs traveled to Monroe of Fairbanks last Friday and Saturday and both teams won - Monroe by 21 on Friday, 86-65, and the Mustangs by 9 on Saturday, 48 to 39.

Monroe has a big team. Their starting 5 averages over 6 foot, with Mike Riber the tallest at 6' 4".

The starter Mustangs tried to run with the Rams and did so successfully for the most part, trailing by only 3 points at the 3 quarter mark. But the

class B Champion Rams, with a season mark of 21-5, came on strong in the 4th quarter to do what everybody said they would - they beat the Mustangs quite badly.

On Saturday night, the Mustangs played the game they play best and a game that completely puzzled the Rams - they played a control game.

Starting off with a full-court zone press, the Mustangs made a few quick baskets to lead 7-2 with barely 4 minutes gone. Then they played keep-away. At one time they passed the ball for 2 1/2 minutes without attempting a shot.

The first quarter ended 11-5 Chugiak. The first half ended 21-12 Chugiak. The third quarter ended 39-29, Chugiak. And the game ended with Chugiak ahead, 48-39. Suffice to say that this was probably the best game Chugiak has played this year.

Come and see the Mustang brand of basketball as Chugiak hosts the currently high riding Kodiak Bears this Friday and Saturday at Chugiak High.

GIRL GYMNASTS TO PERFORM FRIDAY NIGHT

BIRCHWOOD: Persons planning to attend the Chugiak Kodiak game at CHS Friday night, are in for an added treat.

The Chugiak girls gymnastic team will present a demonstration of their skills between the JV and Varsity games.

This is the team which will be representing Chugiak at the State Gymnastic meet next month.

DANIEL WEBSTER

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NO FIRE - JUST AN OVERHEATED FURNACE

OLD CHUGIAK: An overheated oil furnace at the Karen L. Schutt residence in McKinley Heights, caused sufficient alarm to summon the Chugiak Volunteer Fire Company last week.

Fred Smith, Chugiak Fire Chief reported that they found the house full of oil fumes, but a thorough inspection reveal no fire.

CUBS AND DADS TO BAKE CAKES FOR CONTEST

OLD CHUGIAK: A Father and Son Cake Bake and Auction will be the highlight of the monthly Pack Meeting of Cub Scout Pack 228.

The meeting will take place on Thursday, January 28th at 7:30pm in the multi-purpose room of the Chugiak Elementary School.

All cakes must be a joint project of father and cub, with mother to stay out of the kitchen except to help clean up afterward.

There will be awards for the most original cake, the funniest and the best decorated.

All cakes will be auctioned off after the judging.

NONE HURT IN CAR MOOSE COLLISIONS

CHUGIAK: There were no injuries to drivers or passengers in two car-moose accidents which took place in the Greater Chugiak Area last Wednesday, January 20th.

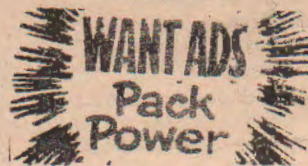
At 6:25am on that day, Joyce C. Conley, of Chugiak struck a moose at mile 19.5 on the Old Glenn Highway.

Damage to her 1970 Ford pick-up was estimated at \$600.

At 7:30am that same morning, Waldo K. Johnson of Birchwood hit a moose on the South Birchwood Loop.

His 1969 Ford was damaged an estimated \$650.

In both instances the moose were killed.



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Tell it to Martha

BY: MARTHA COUNCIL

Dear Martha,

My problem is my young brother in law who has come to live with us. He is a doll, and we all love, especially the children.

Where's the problem, you say? Well Joe is the world's fisstest eater. He will not eat any vegetables and is very suspicious of casseroles.

My children used to be very good eaters, but now if "Uncle Joe" won't eat it, they turn up their noses.

How can I handle this, Joe is very welcome at our home, but he is ruining my children's eating habits.

Frantic

Dear Frantic,

Unless Joe is a juvenile himself and beyond reason, take him aside and point out how the children are picking up his food habits. Ask him, that even if he is unable to bring himself to eat any of the food he is turning down, to at least refrain from making any remarks the children may hear, and to take some of each food, if only a spoonful on his plate.

If he won't cooperate, then feed the children earlier than the rest of the family.

Sincerely,

Martha Council

BUDGETING CLASS SCHEDULED AT GOAL CENTER

EAGLE RIVER: Classes in fundamentals of Household Budgeting will begin on Thursday, February 4th, at the GOAL Center in Eagle River.

These classes will be held once a week on Thursday, at 7:30pm.

Instructor for the series will be Gerry O'Conner.

Mr. O'Conner is a graduate of Notre Dame University in 1962, and has worked as bookkeeper for major Wall Street brokerage houses.

These classes are being offered free of charge. Anyone wishing more information is asked to call Kathy Walker at the GOAL Center, 694-2200, or to stop by the Center in Eagle River.

WOMAN HURT IN REAR END SMASH

EAGLE RIVER: A rear end collision at mile 16 on the Old Glenn Highway, sent a woman to Providence Hospital with a neck injury.

The accident took place when Dianne Lewellen, of Anchorage, driving a 1960 Ford Thunderbird, stopped to pick up a pedestrian.

Johnnie Lee Lantz, of Anchorage, who was following in a 1966 Chevrolet sedan, managed to get stopped in time. However, a third car, a 1964 Volvo station wagon driven by Kenneth D. Brinck of Chugiak who was following the Chevrolet, was unable to stop in time and crashed into the rear of the vehicle.

Injured was Linda D. Lantz, a passenger.

Brinck was cited for failure to keep a safe distance.

WHAT TO DO WHEN YOU FIND A GREEN BOTTLE

SITKA: Every fisherman, boater and beach comber who has stumbled upon a bottle in the water or on the beach, must have contemplated at one time or another the possibility of finding a message from some individual on a foreign shore.

Sheldon Jackson College in Sitka this week increased the likelihood of finding a bottle with a message in it by launching 400 bottles in the Sitka Sound area to study surface currents locally.

Eugene H. Buck, head of the Department of Fishery and Wildlife Management at the college has made the survey as part of his interim course in oceanography.

Buck said that those who find the bottles are requested to fill in the information on a form contained therein and return it to the college.

All of the bottles are green "Quench" bottles, weighted with sand so that only an inch or so of the neck rises above the surface of the water. This is to provide for the smallest surface area exposed to the wind, so that it is water currents, rather than wind currents that move the bottles.

The bottles are sealed with a paraffin-coated cork.

Initial bottle releases have been made in Silver Bay, Nakwasna, and Krestof Sound.

The study is aimed at determining tidal currents, primarily, and a plot will be made of the exact locations of each bottle found to determine the speed and course of the currents.

Each of the bottles contains a numbered questionnaire asking for the date the bottle was found, the nearest landmark, whether it was found on the beach or in the water and the founder's name and address.

Buck has requested that anyone finding any of these bottles please return the questionnaires as soon as possible to Eugene H. Buck, Sheldon Jackson College, Box 479, Sitka Alaska 99835, USA.

SENIOR CENTER AND OPAG NEWS

By: Bessie Miller, Director

Mr. Sharon Hatch, Coordinator of Health, Education and Welfare from the regional office in Seattle, and Mr. Henry Harmon, coordinator of Office of Aging in Juneau, were honored guests at a "Pot Luck" dinner given for them at the Chugiak Senior Center Tuesday evening.

After the delicious dinner, Mrs. enenvieve Blavka, of Chugiak, entertained everyone with her guitar. In spite of the weather, the evening was pleasant and the program excellent.

Mr. Benjamin Blair, of Birchwood Loop, had a heart attack last week and has been in intensive care in the Providence Hospital. He is a little improved now. Any cards should be sent to room 515.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Preg are welcomed as new members of our community and also as new S.C. members. Everyone wishes them a happy stay in Alaska.

Mr. Preg has been ill since he arrived here and has been confined to his home. It is hoped that he will regain his strength and be able to get out and enjoy the pleasures of his new state.

Beautiful Hallmark Valentines are now on sale at the Center. These will all sell for half price. The public is welcome to drop in and make their selection.

The Center is open every Monday, Wednesday and Friday and the cards will be on display on those days.



FIRE CO. SAVES BIRCHWOOD HOME

BIRCHWOOD: Prompt response on the part of the Chugiak Volunteer Fire Company kept fire damage at a minimum at the Pete Swan residence on Cranberry Road in Birchwood.

The fire, which broke out on Saturday, January 23rd, was apparently electrical in origin, according to a spokesman for the Fire Company.

Damage was limited to under the house and inside of the walls.

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