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CHUGIAK - 10¢

FLOOD WATERS WASH OUT ROADS AND BRIDGES HERE

CHILD DAY CARE CENTER TO OPEN

OLD CHUGIAK: A Day Care Center for children ages 5 months to 8 years will open in the Chugiak Area in September.

The "Chugiak Parent-Child Center" will be located at the United Methodist Church of Chugiak at Mile 18 on the Old Glenn Highway, and is sponsored by the Chugiak Children's Services, a new local non-profit cooperation.

The Center will be open from 7:00am until 6:00pm Monday through Friday, 12 months of the year and hopes to offer a quality child care and early childhood education program.

The Chugiak Parent-Child Center has 4 types of services full day care at the Center for 2 1/2 to 5 year olds; half day care for 5 to 8 year olds (who attend public school classes), a morning enrichment program for 2 1/2 to 5 year olds

ANTI-CHARTER GROUP TO MEET TONIGHT

EAGLE RIVER: Anti-Charter forces in the Greater Chugiak Area held an organizational meeting last Wednesday at the Eagle River Theater.

Approximately 30 persons attended, and re-organized under the name of Committee for the Preservation of The Second Class Borough, the group which spearheaded the successful campaign to defeat the Charter last year.

The CFPSCB is co-chaired by Bill Lowe and Ed Willis, with William Armstrong elected Treasurer.

While it was agreed that the



CHUGIAK: Torrential rains which fell last weekend were responsible for the numerous washouts of roads and bridges throughout the local area leaving many families stranded and threatening homes.

Both Big and Little Peters Creek, swollen by the rains have overflowed their banks and caused serious damage.

Little Peters Creek bridge, which spanned the creek at the convergence with Big Peters was washed away isolating three homes upstream.

The creek, normally a clear mountain stream, no wider at most points than 15 feet became a raging torrent of over 150 feet in width with falls in places of around 15 feet high.

Large sections of road were also washed away. Cut off on the far side of the creek are the homes of the Hickling, Tyler and one other family.

Water was said to have entered the Tyler living room and flooded the Hickling basement.

Appeals for help to the State Disaster office were turned down. They were told that

who have a non-working parent who can volunteer one day per week in the program and infant private home care for 6 months to 2 1/2 year olds.

The cost for this program is \$100.00 per month for full day care, \$60 per month for half day care, with the cost for non-working mothers participating in the morning enrichment program at \$5.00. The monthly charge includes a hot lunch. Bus service is available at 50¢ per day.

This program will start on September 7th.

Also located at the United Methodist Church of Chugiak is the Chugiak-Eagle River Head Start program.

This program is from 9:00am until 12:30pm, and is available at no cost for children from families who meet the Office of Economic Opportunity's Income Guidelines.

This program will enroll 3 year olds as well as 4 year olds this year, from September to May.

Anyone interested in further information about any of these services may call 688-2600 from 10am to 2pm, or may write box 233, Chugiak.



main objective of the Committee will be to get out the vote, it will also have to fight against the massive pro-charter campaign that monied Anchorage individuals are promoting.

A second public meeting is scheduled for tonight, Wednesday, August 11th, this mainly to gather ideas for Campaign strategy, as well as lining up workers.

Any persons interested in helping to defeat the Charter are urged to come to this meeting and bring their ideas and suggestions.

Approximately \$650 has been donated by local individuals and organizations to be used in the campaign. More funds will be needed according to Co-chairman Ed Willis, and pledges and donations may be mailed to Treasurer Bill Armstrong at Box 216, Eagle River.

Checks should be made payable to the "Committee For the Preservation of the Second Class Borough."

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR DROWNED BOY

ANCHORAGE: Funeral services for David A. Kuntz, 15 are being handled locally by Evergreen Memorial Chapel, with burial to be at Olive Branch Miss.

The youth was drowned last Wednesday in Peters Creek, after he had wandered away from the trailer in which his family was living at the Peters Creek campground.

The boy, who was severely

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BUCKY LACE OF LITTLE PETERS CREEK AREA APPEARS TO BE LOOKING AT A STREAM. ACTUALLY IT IS THE ROAD TO HIS HOME, FLOODED BY THE CREEK OVERFLOW.

CHS ADDITION TO BE COMPLETED ON SCHEDULE

DIRECT DIALING PROMISED TO MTA SUBSCRIBERS

BIRCHWOOD: The addition to Chugiak High School is progressing according to plan, and should be ready for occupancy on the scheduled date of October 15th, according to Elden King, Principal.

All seventh grade students will attend classes in the Chugiak High building.

King stated that there are six relocatable classrooms now installed at Chugiak High, which, plus the use of five rooms at Birchwood Elementary should enable them to house all classes. The classrooms at Birchwood will be used on a half-day basis for selected eight grade classes until the new addition is open on October 15th. Bus service to transport these students between the two schools will be provided.

All students, grades 7 to 12 will attend at least one-half day in the high school building.

PALMER: Matanuska Telephone Association subscribers will have Direct Distance Dialing along with toll free service between Palmer and the Greater Chugiak Area as a result of a major improvement program to be financed by a \$990,000 loan from the Rural Electrification Administration.

This loan was approved on August 5th, 1971, according to Senator Ted Stevens.

Coupled with FCC partial approval of the Eagle River to Anchorage micro-wave link and the earlier approval of ITT's low bid on Automatic Numbering Identification equipment to provide Direct-Distance-Dialing, Matanuska Telephone Association hopes to complete a major portion of its improvement program this year.

Five exchanges, Chugiak, Eagle River, Big Lake, Palmer and Wasilla will be equipped with ANI equipment to provide Direct-Distance-Dialing. The microwave unit will

provide improved EAS (toll free) service between the Greater Chugiak Area and Palmer.

Besides the microwave facility, the Greater Chugiak Area will receive emergency backup generators to provide service during primary power outages. Large amounts of new telephone cable will also be laid to upgrade service in the area.

Wasilla and Healy will have central dial systems financed by the REA funds. MTA service in Healy will be extended from 69 consumers to 696 consumers.

Both exchanges will have an extensive upgrading in service due to the REA loan. An emergency backup generator will be installed in the Wasilla exchange.

Originally, the REA loan application called for funds totalling \$1,500,000. REA requested that MTA reduce its loan application by over one third to \$990,000. Due to this

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down. They were told that since this was an abandoned road, the State bore no responsibility in repairing the damage.

Big Peters Creek also was responsible for its share of damage, as it tore at the banks at the Lower Peters Creek bridge, rendering that structure unsafe for vehicles to cross. This bridge had been built as a joint effort by the residents of the Lower Peters Creek area, and was a one lane structure of wood and steel.

Residents of the area worked for many hours trying to shore up the banks of the bridge to prevent it from washing away, but to no avail.

At the last report, one end of the bridge had dropped several feet, and the entire structure had twisted. Most of the residents had managed to get their cars across the bridge before it became unsafe. If further damage makes the bridge unsafe for foot traffic they will be forced to use the railroad bridge further up stream.

Eleven families live on the North side of Peters Creek at this point, and the bridge was their only access to their homes.

Another homemade bridge across Big Peters Creek, located at the end of Aurora Road was also damaged by the waters. The pilings under Starner's bridge had been washed away, however the residents here have an alternate route, along the north side of Peters Creek and to the Old Glenn Highway.

Meadow Creek, in Eagle River has also caused considerable damage to the property of Ralph Shipman. Mrs. Shipman said that about one third of their property has been

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Out of the Past

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DOUBLE SHIFTS SLATED
FOR SCHOOL OPENING: E. C. Smith, Superintendent of Chuglak Schools, announced today double shift would be held this fall until the completion of the school at Eagle River.

CHUGIAK MAN ELECTED
TO PHONE BOARD: Russell Oberg, a Peters Creek Farmer was elected to the board of directors of the Matanuska Telephone Association at the annual meeting last Saturday.

CIVIL DEFENSE TEAM BEING RECRUITED: Ray Henriches, Civil Defense Director for the Chuglak Area, has asked for volunteers to head up a team of Civil Defense workers for this area.



NEW CHS STUDENTS TO REGISTER

BIRCHWOOD: All new High School Students in the Greater Chuglak Area, or returning students who did not pre-register last spring have been informed of the following times when they may register. Registration dates are Monday, August 16th from 8am to 4pm, and Tuesday, August 17, from 8am to 4pm and from 7pm to 9pm.

All students may pick-up their class schedules on August 24, 25 or 26 from 9am to 4pm. In addition, schedules may be picked up in the evening of August 25 from 7pm to 9pm.

Fees may be paid from August 16th through August 30 as follows: Shop or Arts and Crafts Fee-\$5.00; Towel Fee \$5.00; Activity Card, \$10.00; Yearbook, (1971-72) \$7.00; Student Insurance School time (Aug. 31-June 1) \$5.00; 24 hr. full year (Aug. 31 1971 to the beginning of the 1972/73 school year)-\$18.00; Football insurance (student must have one of the two above listed insurance coverages) Grades 7-9, \$18.00; grades 10-12 \$25.

Fifty percent of the football insurance premium may be refunded in the event the player drops football prior to the first scheduled game on August 28th.

CHS A COUNTRY PRACTICE TO BEGIN

BIRCHWOOD: Chuglak High School Cross-Country practice will start next Wednesday, August 18th, according to Andy Kirk, CHS Track Coach.

Practice will begin at 9:00 am at the High School, and sweat suits will be issued at that time.

Suits will not be issued to anyone who has not had their physical.

Anyone with questions is asked to call Coach Kirk at his home at 688-2548.

SCOUT PACK TO HAVE PICNIC

EKLUTNA: Members of Cub Scout Pack 228 will have a pot-luck picnic on Thursday, August 19th at the National Bank of Alaska picnic grounds at Eklutna.

The picnic will start at 6pm and campfire singing and the presentation of awards earned by Cubs this past summer are planned.

Each family is to bring their favorite dish, and table service for their family.

The pack will provide drinks and marshmallows.

If you need more hot water for less money

PETERS CREEK FUEL



WILL SELL YOU A CHEVRON OIL FIRED WATER HEATER WE ALSO INSTALL THEM

694-2191 SATISFACTION

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retarded was the object of a massive search by civilian and military persons after his parents reported him missing last Wednesday.

His body was found the following day downstream from the campground in the Creek.

The youth was born on January 25th, 1956 in Memphis Tenn. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kuntz, of Amhurst Ohio. His father, a construction worker, was employed on an Anchorage school construction project.

Other survivors are a sister Phyllis, paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kuntz of Vermillion Ohio, maternal grandmother Mrs. Mary Stahl of Memphis.

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cutback in funds, MTA had to reduce it's improvement program from 5 years to 3 years.

Extensive additions to the Palmer Central Office for both office space and garage facilities also had to be deferred by MTA.

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washed away by the creek. Last winter the Shipman property was also threatened by Meadowcreek when the stream glaciated.

The Shipmans have been trying to contain the water with sandbags.

A small stream, normally only a trickle at around mile 18 on the Old Glenn Highway swelled by the rain, washed out a culvert and stranded three families living on the road.

More fortunate than some of the area residents in getting help during the flood was Sgt. Walter Fergus, of Birchwood.

Sgt. Fergus, who lives on Aurora Road near Big Peters Creek, was in danger of having his trailer home washed away by the flooding Creek. When appeals to the Disaster Office were turned down, he went to his Commanding Officer at USARAL.

The Colonel contacted someone high in the Borough and the Borough in turn hired a local contractor Jack Brittain to bring in his equipment and throw up earthen barriers and remove log jams from the creek.



Recipes For the Lazy Cook

PUDDING COOKIES

3/4 cup biscuit mix
1/4 cup salad oil

One egg
One 3 oz. pkg. instant pudding (favorite flavor).

COMBINE all ingredients in mixing bowl.
MIX until mixture forms a ball
DROP by teaspoonfuls on ungreased cookie sheet
FLATTEN with teaspoon
TOP with nuts, candied cherries or raisins
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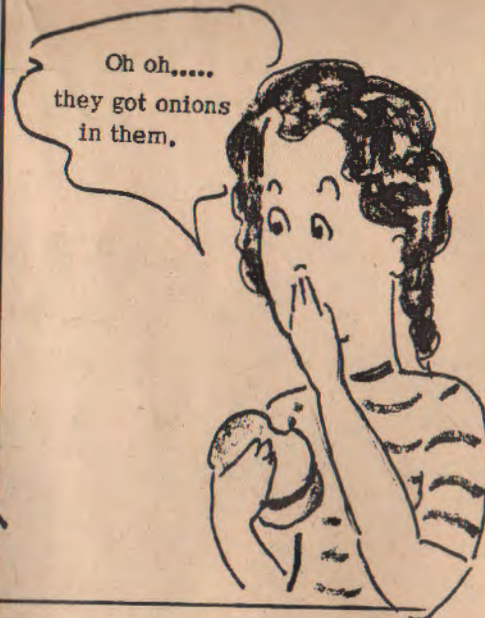
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Daily except Thursday
Thursday: 10:00am - 6:00PM

Little Midge

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in them.



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with that, I
thought you liked
onions?



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to babysit
tonight and I
don't want
bad breath.



Don't worry, just
eat one of
these candies



They got chloroform
in them and you don't get
bad breath.



After Hours, Call
688-2121

**SATISFACTION
GUARANTEED**



NEW PHONES

The following new phones have been added to the local exchanges during the month of July:

- Kankoff, Andy. . . 688-2305
- McGrane, Clarence F 688-2590
- Olson, Gerald E. . . 638-2712
- Sampson, Robert G. 688-2442
- Werre, Calvine J. . 688-2295
- Wright, Dennis C. . 88-2207
- AMERICAN BEEF COMPANY
694-2655 or 694-2366
- Arnold, Clifton W. . 694-9276
- Bashore, James. . . 694-9273
- Brown, Charles M. . 694-9284
- Carroll, Clifford O. 694-9114
- Fisher, Kenneth W. . 694-9281
- Grohol, John B. . . 694-9267
- Gullard, Nancy Ann 694-9269
- Jackson, A.Z. . . . 694-9271
- KALJENCO INC. . . . 694-9235
- LaShare, Sterling D. 694-9261
- Long, Trent. 694-9238
- O'Conner, Gerry. . . 694-9274
- Paulus, David H. . . 694-9272
- Ross, Ronald E. . . . 694-9278
- Taylor, Ronald W. . . 694-9287
- Warren, Mark J. . . 694-9277

The above list has been published for your convenience. Clip it out and place it with your Matanuska Telephone Directory.

LOOPERS TO HOLD FLEA MARKET

OLD CHUGIAK: The Birch-

CHAMBER TO ADVERTISE AGAINST CHARTER

EAGLE RIVER: The local Chamber of Commerce voted to purchase advertising in local and Anchorage newspapers urging voters to vote "No" on the proposed charter.

The Chamber will hold a special meeting next Monday August 16th to formulate the advertising copy.

The meeting will be held at 3:00pm in the Sportsman's Game Preservation Association Hall at mile 15 on the Old Glenn Highway.

REGISTRATION FOR CHARTER ELECTION

EAGLE RIVER: Residents of the Greater Chugiak Area who are not registered to vote in the August 31st Charter election, will be offered the opportunity to do so within the next week.

A special registration booth will be set up at the Alaska Cleaners in the Eagle River Shopping Center on Friday and Saturday, August 7th and 8th and again on Friday and Saturday, August 13th and 14th. Registrars will man the booth from 9am until 6pm on those days.

To be eligible to vote in the election, one must be a citizen of the United States, age 18 or over, and a resident of the state for one

CITY COUNCIL WON'T OPPOSE GAS SERVICE HERE

ANCHORAGE: A plan by some members of the Anchorage City Council to oppose the proposed Natural Gas Service to the Greater Chugiak Area was abandoned.

A local resident, who attended the Tuesday meeting of the Council, reported that several Councilmen had opposed the offering of Natural Gas service to this area at the same price as it was sold in Anchorage.

Their reasons for opposing this service were not clear, however the plan was dropped when the remaining Councilmen declined to go along with it, it was reported.

Mrs. Lois Stickney Dies

EAGLE RIVER: An Eagle River woman died in Providence Hospital after being transported there by the Eagle River Volunteer Fire Company Ambulance.

Mrs. Lois Stickney, of the Debora Subdivision was found in her bedroom in a deep coma when the ambulance arrived at her home.

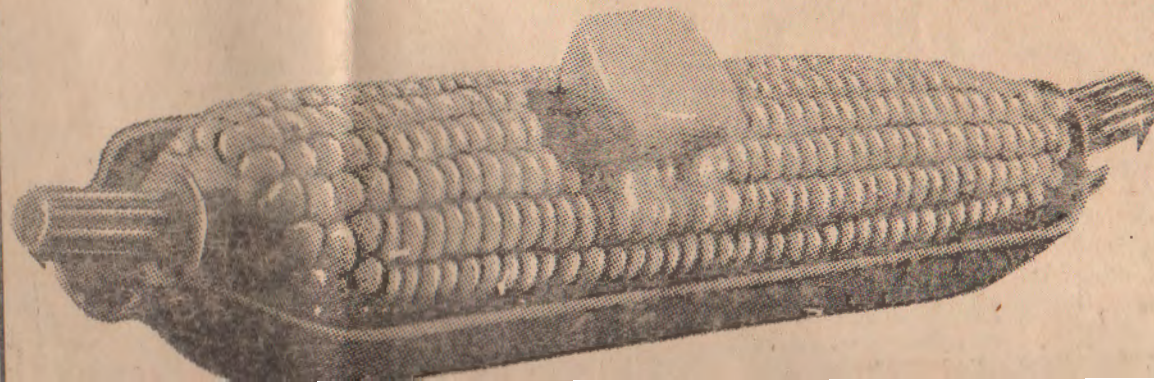


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9am-11pm

GROCERY

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Local-
LETTUCE

25¢

Rose-Dale
CORN

Can or Whole Kernel

OLD CHUGIAK: The Birchwood Loopers Homemakers Club will hold a Flea Market at the Chuglak Carnival Grounds on September 10, 11 and 12th.

Booth rental will sell for \$15 for the three day event.

Set up will be on Friday from 6pm to 9pm, with booth sales open to the public at that time.

Hours on Saturday will be 9am until 9pm and on Sunday from 12 noon until 7

Individuals and organizations interested in renting booth space may call either Willine Gidcumb at 688-2482 or Daphne Monroe at 688-2539 or Orphie Bergstrom at 688-2628.

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Persons who may have moved since their last registration are asked to come down to the registration booth and have their address changed on their record.

**Parent Advisory
Committee To
Be Formed**

BIRCHWOOD: Elden King, Chuglak High Principal is asking for volunteers to serve as members of a parent advisory committee.

Mr. King has asked any parents interested is serving on such a committee to please call him at the school, 688-2141.

**NONE HURT
WHEN CAR
HITS BRIDGE**

KNIK RIVER: The driver of a 1970 Ford Mustang was uninjured when his car failed to make the curve at the Knik River Bridge and struck the Southeast side of the structure.

The accident took place on August 7th, at 12:30pm.

The vehicle sustained an estimated \$800 damage.

The driver, James A. Clark of Palmer was cited for driving without a license.

CORN ON THE COB

6 EARS / \$1

BANANAS _____ **4 LBS. \$1.00**

**HOT HOUSE
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PLUMS _____ **4 LBS. \$1.00**

Tomatoes _____ **LE. 39¢**

**OUTSIDE
Potatoes** _____ **10 LB. BAG 98¢**

SIGNET
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Cream or Whole Kernel
16 oz.
5 for \$1

Rose-Dale
PEAS
16 oz.
5 for \$1

ROSEDALE 303 size
CUT GREEN BEANS

5 FOR \$1

CRISCO
Shortening
Pure Vegetable for Cooking
\$2.09
6 Lb. can

Libby
**UNSWEETENED
GRAPEFRUIT
JUICE**
46 oz. Tin
69¢

Church News



SENIOR CENTER

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& OPAG NEWS

By Juanita Brunson OPAG Aide

This Friday, August 13 will be the regular OPAG meeting in Anchorage.

It will be pot-luck and start at 6:30. It will be held at the Bancroft Memorial Hall at 3rd and Eagle.

There will be a man from the Bureau of Land Management there who will speak on the pipeline and have illustrations on how it will work.

This should be an interesting meeting. They will send a bus out from Anchorage to take us in if we need it.

Please call the Center at 688-2677 or my home at 688-2303 if you are interested in going and wanting a ride.

We had a good meeting last Friday night. It was decided by the Lions Club and those present at the meeting as to how the new ceiling would be done. Work should be started on this very soon. The lovely birthday cake was donated by Carr's Food Center. We want to thank them. It was enjoyed by all present.

Our ceramics class is growing. It is not only for Sr. Citizens. We also invited teenagers and parents to join. It is held each Wednesday afternoon at 1:00.

We invite new members to come and join. Anyone over 55 may belong to the Sr. Citizens. You are always welcome.

7 DOGS GRADUATE OBEDIENCE SCHOOL

EAGLE RIVER: Seven dogs graduated from Obedience Training School at the exercises held by the Obedience Training Club of Chugiak on Tuesday, August 3rd.

The exercises were held at the rear of the Eagle River Elementary School, with Christa Burg of the Chugiak Club acting as judge.

First Place went to a standard poodle named "Phoenicia" owned by Phoebe Crosby of Anchorage, with a score of 194 points out of a possible 200.

Second place went to "Duke"

a huskey-collie mix owned by Kenneth Pugh of Chugiak.

Third place went to a Great Dane, named "Procade", owned by Joedy Peik, of Eagle River with 180 points.

Fourth place went to "Rudy" a Daschund, owned by Annette Cancellmi of Elmendorf with 179 points.

The highest scoring Junior Handler was Kenny Pugh with Duke, and the most improved dog was "Apache Prince" a Malamute, owned by Kay Breen, of Eagle River.



CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS:

1. Parcel of ground
5. To pitch
8. Anger
9. Egg shaped
11. Asian province
12. Planet
14. _____ Maria
15. To bring about
17. Faint
18. Rodent
19. Southern General
20. Man's name
22. Golf term
24. Doctrine
26. Outdoor sun deck
30. Norse God
32. Hornet made of

DOWN:

1. To give
2. Electrical worker
3. Leaf of palm
4. Male singing voice
5. Playful blow
6. Atop
7. Ordinary
10. Musical instrument
11. Worked over (slang)
13. Look at
16. Mush
21. Opera house
23. Robert (dimitave)
25. Of that type
27. Extra time
28. Meat ax

CHUGIAK CHAPEL
(Assembly of God)
Mile 20 1/2 Old Glenn Highway
Rev. E.H. Pahl Pastor
Sunday School 9:45am
Morning Worship . . . 11:00am
Christ Ambassadors 5:45pm
(Youth Service)
Evangelists Service 7:00pm
Mid-week Service and Bible Study (Weds.) . . . 7:00pm
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CHUGIAK GRACE & TRUTH CHAPEL
E.J. Best Res. Birchwood
Sunday School 11:00am
Weds. Prayer Meeting 7:30pm

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Norris Caraway Minister
Ptarmigan Valley Road
Caraway Res. Old Chugiak
SUNDAY:
Bible Study . . . 10:00 - 11:00am
Worship 11:00 - 12:00
Evening 7:00 - 8:00pm
WEDS: 7:00 - 8:00pm
Phone: 688-8780

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
(Chugiak Branch)
Ski Road Peters Creek
Ray McCubbin, 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

NORTHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. John Bigelow Pastor
Sportsman's Hall Eagle River
Sunday School 10:00am
Morning Worship . . . 11:00am
Evening Family Hour 6:30pm

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall Klondike St.
Birchwood
Meetings, Tues. . . 7:30pm
Friday Ministry Sch. 7:25pm
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 6:00pm
Evening Worship . . . 7:00pm
Weds. Bible Study . . . 7:00pm

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF BIRCHWOOD
Top of Peters Creek Hill
In Old Chugiak
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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Mile 21 1/2 Peters Creek
Frank Maus Pastor
Worship 11:00am

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Mile 19 1/2 Old Chugiak
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. 8:30pm
W.S.C.S. 3rd Weds. . . 8:00pm
Bible Study & Prayer Service
Thursday 7:30pm

BEAUTY SALON
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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 Rd. Box 155 Eagle Riv
 Bill Lance Minister
 Sunday School. 9:30am
 Morning Worship. . . 10:30am
 Evening Worship. . . . 6:30pm
 Bible Study, Weds. . . 8:00pm

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 Pastor Rev. John L. Vaughn
 Sunday Services, Eagle River
 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

**ST. ANDREW'S CATHOLIC
 CHURCH**
 Artillery Road & Glenn Hwy
 Rev. Joseph E. Shirey SJ
 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 Chugiak
 High School, grades 1 & inc.
 Grades 1-3 Sat. 10:00am at the
 Church.

Evening Services. . . . 7:00pm
 Wednesday eve. . . . 7:30pm
 Phone: 688-2242

**FREE WILL BAPTIST
 CHURCH**
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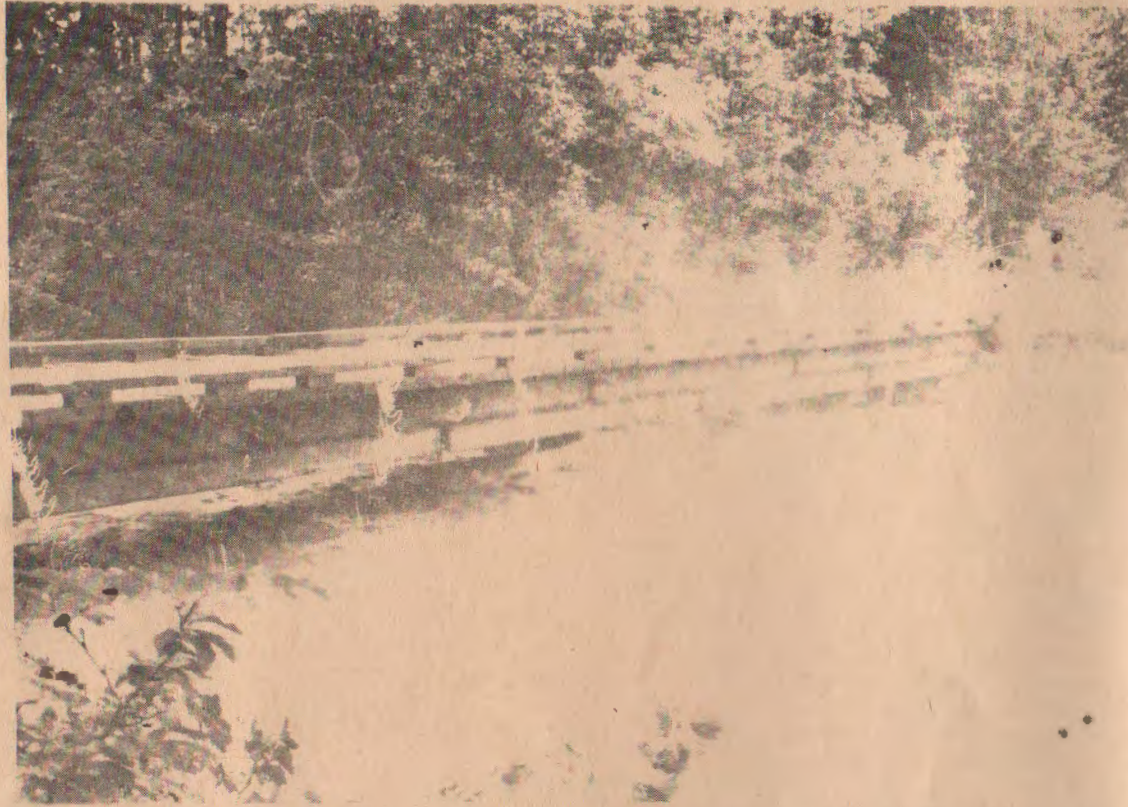
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- 33. Small island
- 36. Animal friend
- 38. Serum (comb form)
- 39. Sit over
- 41. Gir's name
- 42. Subject for discussion
- 43. Not dead
- 45. One of Columbus' ships
- 46. Apease
- 47. Eastern State (ab)
- 48. Urn
- 29. Western Author
- 31. Color
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- 34. Metal
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PANTHERS WIN FIRST TOURNAMENT GAME

BIRCHWOOD: The first game of the Girls Softball All Star Tournament was played last night Tuesday, with the Eagle River Pink Panthers beating the Chugiak Ding-a-lings 5 to 3.

Pitching for the winning team was Becky Legg. Shirley Wallis pitched 3 innings for the Chugiak team and was spelled off by Janice Monroe, who

CONTRACTOR TO BLAME FOR OUTAGE

EAGLE RIVER: A phone outage, which affected most of the Greater Chugiak Area last Monday night was caused by contractor for a sewage line who had cut through the buried cable with his equipment.


Many phones in Eagle River were completely dead, while phones elsewhere in the Chugiak area were affected only in that they couldn't call out-

WOMEN PLAY FIRST SOFTBALL GAME

BIRCHWOOD: The first game in the Chugiak Area Women's Softball League was played last Thursday, with the Eagle River Team winning over the Birchwood - Chugiak crew 19 to 18.

Additional games have been scheduled for August 12th, 16 and 19th.

All games are played at the Birchwood Elementary School ballpark and start at 6:30pm,



Water Wells

The All-Stars will play again on Friday, August 13th at 6:30pm at Birchwood.

The final game of the Tournament will be played on August 17th at Eagle River.

The All Stars will also play an exhibition game at the Flea Market at the Chugiak Carnival Grounds on September 12th.

CHS SCHEDULE OF EVENTS PUBLISHED

BIRCHWOOD: The first schedule of scholastic events at Chugiak High School was published this week.

August, 28th, football Diamond vs. Chugiak at Anchorage Stadium at 8pm.

August 31st, School opens, Classes begin at 7:45am and end at 2:25pm.

September 2nd: Cross Country race with West at Chugiak at 3:00pm.

September 7th: Cross Country race with Palmer at Chugiak at 3pm.



September 11th: Cross country steeplechase at Chugiak with East and Kenai at 1pm.

September 11th; Football, East vs. Chugiak at Anchorage Stadium at 8pm.

Anchorage.
The break took place around 3pm on Monday, and was repaired with most phones back into service by 11pm.

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MTA INCUMBENT RE-ELECTED

PALMER: John Somerville and Jack Worledge were both re-elected to Matanuska Telephone Association's Board of Directors at the Association's Annual Membership Meeting Friday night, August 6, 1971.

Worledge gained the three-year term with a vote of 96, while Somerville picked up 81 votes to gain a two-year term.

Others receiving votes were Mrs. Madeline Mackey (32) and Mr. Gerald O'Connor (34) both from Chugiak, Mr. Walter Williams (31) and Mr. Howard O. Thornburg.

A side issue arose in the election of officers when Mr. O'Connor presented 90 proxies. He wanted the proxies to be allowed to stand as valid ballots. Paul Huppert, MTA President, stated that Matanuska Telephone Association due to State Law, "Electric and Telephone Cooperative Act" (1959) could not accept the proxies. Mr. Huppert said however, that the proxies would be held until such time as the validity of using proxies for balloting purposes could be determined.

Max Clements, MTA Manager, had earlier in the week sought legal advice from the law firm of Robinson, McCaskey, Strachen and Hoge. According to Mr. Clements, the legal firm had advised him that the proxies could not legally be accepted for balloting purposes.

Mr. O'Connor had also researched the legality of the proxies. While he recognized that under the 1959 law proxies are forbidden in tel-

ephone cooperatives, Mr. O'Connor stated that since MTA had not been re-incorporated the Association was not restricted by the 1959 law.

Fred Chiei, Executive Vice President of RCA, was the guest speaker of the meeting. Mr. Chiei explained the various long distance problems that RCA faces. Three major problem areas he listed were: (1) ACS lack of investment prior to RCA acquisition of the long lines in Alaska (2) interlace difficulties between RCA's equipment and

local utilities' equipment (3) the large capital investments needed in a rapidly changing communication's system.

Mr. Chiei complimented MTA on it's progressive approach to communications.

He especially noted the Association's proposed microwave installation and cooperative partnership with RCA. The Matanuska Telephone Ass. near \$1,000,000 REA loan was cited by Mr. Chiei as an example of the Association's commitment to better service.

A surprise speaker at the meeting was Jalmar Kertulla, State Representative. Mr. Kertulla discussed proposed state funding to aid Alaska's Communications. He also noted both RCA & MTA's accomplishments and problems in providing adequate telephone service.

Paul Huppert, MTA President, gave a talk on the Association's financial and staff ability to meet future needs. He said the near \$1,000,000 REA loan would be used to upgrade the Telephone system as a whole. Noting the backlog of REA loan applicants, REA's funding shortage and REA's request for the Association's application to be cut from \$1,500,000 to \$990,000. Huppert said

should allow the association to solve it's growth problem. With such a rapid growth rate however, problems will continue to arise, Mr. Clements stated. He then extended an invitation to all members to attend the regularly scheduled Board of Directors meetings.

A free chicken dinner was served before the meeting began. Also gift certificates totaling \$100.00 were given out during the meeting.

Members serving on the Tellers Committee to count ballots were: Jennie Wasey, F.S. Lee and Merritt Long.

CHS PTA MEMBERSHIP OPEN TO STUDENTS

BIRCHWOOD: The Parents and Teachers Association at Chugiak High undergoes a change this year with the opening of membership to students.

The name of the organization has been changed to the "Chugiak Jr/Sr High School Parent-Teacher-Student Association."

The first meeting for this year will be held September 13 at 7:30pm in the multi-purpose room at which time new staff members will be introduced.

MAN HURT

MAN CITED FOR NOT YIELDING

BIRCHWOOD: The Alaska State Troopers issued a citation for failure to yield after stopping to George Van Duren of Peters Creek, following a two car accident on Saturday, August 7th.

According to the Troopers, the 1965 Ford pick-up driven by Van Duren stopped on the North Birchwood Loop, and then turned on the the Glenn Highway into the path of a 1971 Ford pick-up driven by Roman Lenz of Anchorage.

Damage to the Van Duren car was estimated at \$800.

The Lenz vehicle sustained an estimated \$1,000 damage.

LADIES CLUB TO ATTEND BANQUET

EAGLE RIVER: The Chugiak Ladies Club, meeting at the home of Phyllis Smith in Eagle River, made plans to attend their Anniversary Dinner later this month.

The event will be held on Thursday, August 19th, at Nikko Garden in Anchorage.

Dinner will be served at 7:30pm in the Japanese Dining Room.

Also discussed at the meeting was the dinner the Club will hold to host the State Delegates to the Regional Conference in September.

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that the Rural Telephone Bank will become a future source of funding for the association. He also explained that while the Board of Directors made broad policy decisions for the Association, that the manager was responsible for the everyday administration of the Association.

Max Clements, MTA manager in his report commented upon the Association's growth and resulting problems.

Clements stated that the growth had remained rather stable until sixteen to eighteen months ago when a 25% growth rate began.

The Greater Chugiak Area was singled out as suffering the worst effects of this 25% growth rate. Mr. Clements stated that the REA loan

IN WRECK

PETERS CREEK: A Palmer man suffered lacerations to the head following two car accident at the Halfway House at Mile 23 on the Glenn Highway.

According to the Alaska State Troopers, Claude Harter Jr. of Palmer was proceeding on the Glenn Highway, when a 1969 Wagoner Station Wagon driven by Joe Armstrong of Anchorage turned left into his path.

Damage to the Armstrong car was estimated at \$1,500. The 1968 Mercury Harter was driving also sustained an estimated \$1,500 damage.

Armstrong was cited for failure to yield.

The accident took place last Wednesday, August 4th at 8:00pm.

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22. Par
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26. Porch
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43. Alive
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