Joseph Kahklen, Sr. —

Superintendent

Chairman Wally Frank, Sr., of the newly-elected Chatham School District No. 18 School Board, with administrative offices at Angoon, Alaska, has announced the appointment of Joseph Kahklen, Sr., as superintendent of schools.

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In a special Chatham School board meeting held on March 17, the popular Angoon School principal and former superintendent of the Kake Schools, in Kake, Alaska, was chosen after considering several other candidates.

Kahklen is a graduate of Central Washington State College where he majored in history. He received his M.A. degree from Northern Arizona University at Flagstaff in school

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He has been associated with the Bureau of Indian Affairs

for more than 20 years in Alaska and an additional 13 years experience as a principal in the BIA schools of the

Navajo Reservation in Arizona.

In addition Kahklen worked for more than a year in the Model Cities Program in Juneau as director of the Employment Guidance Center.

The Chatham School Board felt that Kahklen was, by far, the best qualified candidate for this important new administrative position, which is one of the 21 new districts created by the dissolution of the Alaska State Operated School System

effective June 30, 1976.