



POINTING to their hometowns on a map of Alaska are a class of Alaskan Natives training in surveying for Alaskan pipeline work. (left to right) Jim Whittaker, Nome; Inoch Oktollik (hidden) Pt. Hope; Russ Nelson and Kenny Wilson, Dillingham; Al Kincheloe, Anchorage; Mike Sacaloff, Kenai; Ramona Justin, Twin Lake; and Lief Jensen, Klawock. The entire class passed the Technical Engineers Union exam January 29.



INOCH OKTOLLIK, 24, an Eskimo from Pt. Hope, sites through a transit during a field course in surveying designed to train Alaskan Natives for pipeline related skills.

## Inoch Oktollik Trains to Survey

(SPECIAL TO THE TUNDRA TIMES) Inoch Oktollik, 24, of Point Hope is one of a group of Alaskan Natives who are training as surveyors and chainmen in anticipation of being hired for Trans-Alaska Pipeline work.

The course, offered by the engineering firm of Hewitt V. Lounsbury and Associates of Anchorage in conjunction with the State Department of Labor, is the forerunner of a program to be offered by a new company that will specialize in training Alaskan Natives for Arctic and sub-arctic construction.

The company, International Technology Limited or I TECH for short, is a minority corporation with the stock held entirely by DOYON LIMITED and Hewitt V. Lounsbury & Associates.

Inoch, whose first love is whaling alongside his father, John Oktollik, has taken quickly to the skills of surveying and has just taken and passed the Technical Engineer's exam for rear chainman.

He considers surveying to be "fun" as it allows him to work out-of-doors and the technical aspects come easy. He's also looking forward to pipeline scale wages. His first goal is a new snow machine.

Inoch and his classmates, who come from nearly every Native

region in the state, spent eight hours a day for some thirty-five days surveying the Anchorage Park Strip and several suburbs as they learned the surveying skills.

### IPHC Charters

The International Pacific Halibut Commission plans to charter a trawl vessel for halibut research fishing and other field studies in 1975.

The vessel will be chartered for approximately 90 days beginning about May 19. The vessel will fish for young halibut with trawl gear on a predetermined pattern of stations in the southeastern Bering Sea and the Gulf of Alaska. The vessel must be fully equipped for trawl fishing, exclusive of nets. The vessel must have sanitary living quarters and adequate accommodations for 6 men.

The vessel must have adequate deck space for tagging halibut and 15 cubic feet of freezer space for the storage of scientific specimens.

Vessel owners interested in this charter should contact the International Pacific Halibut Commission for further information regarding charter terms and bid forms. Sealed tenders for this charter will be accepted until March 14.

With transits, levels, range poles and rods, the students hiked through and worked in snow that often was waist deep.

The only problem Inoch recalls is when their survey line came too close to a moose call bedded down in the swamp spruce. "Mother Moose" was less than friendly and sent the fledgling surveyors scattering in all directions.

Loren Lounsbury, partner in Hewitt V. Lounsbury & Associates and president of I TECH, envisions the scope of the company to go far beyond the pipeline and the state itself.

"The Arctic demands special skills and training," he says, "and we can see Alaskans involved in Arctic and sub-Arctic development and conservation projects in other nations as well as our own."

### ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Bering Straits Native Corporation Annual Stockholders meeting will be held April 5, 1975 at the National Guard Armory, Nome Alaska. Anyone planning on running for the Board of Directors should send your name and resume to the Bering Straits Native Corporation office, Attention: George Walters on or before the 15TH OF FEBRUARY 1975, so your name will be included in the mailing list when the proxies are mailed out.

Fifteen (15) Board of Directors will be elected again this year, but the terms of office will be for 1 and 2 years. The seven (7) Directors who receive the highest number of votes will be elected for two (2) years. The next eight (8) Directors with the higher number of votes will serve a one (1) year term.



In India, ape weddings are occasionally performed by the clergy.

### TUNDRA TIMES CLASSIFIED ADS GET RESULTS

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### HELP WANTED

TITLE: Chief accountant  
WHERE: Alaska Federation of Natives, Inc.  
RESPONSIBILITIES: A. Supervise all accounting office employees.  
B. Reviews all financial statements and all internal and external reports prepared in accounting.  
C. Approves all voucher codings and signs all checks.  
D. Coordinates budgets and grant requests with program directors.  
E. Coordinates other accounting related procedures with management and program directors as required.  
F. Verifies letter of credit draw requests and reimbursement contract billings.  
G. Travels as required.  
Salary and Fringe Benefits: DOE  
Contact: John Shively, Executive Vice President, Alaska Federation of Natives, Inc., 1675 "C" Street, Anchorage, Alaska 99501  
Application Deadline: February 12, 1975

### HELP WANTED

The Fairbanks Native Community Center (FNCC) is accepting applications for Executive Secretary. Qualifications: High school or GED diploma with 2-3 years secretarial experience. Minimum 60 WPM typing, shorthand optional. Well groomed and ability to meet public. Responsibilities: Office assistant to Executive Director for daily office and administrative duties. Central filing. Supervises clerical and NYC personnel. Keeps personnel records. Salary \$900. month starting. Applicants apply at FNCC employment section, 102 Lacey Street, 452-1648, ext. 35.

### HELP WANTED

Matanuska Telephone Association, Inc. has an immediate position opening for an INSTALLER-REPAIRMAN in the Eagle River area. This position entails the installation, maintenance, and repair of station equipment, connections, and related facilities. At least two years of telephone installation and repair experience is required. Qualified individuals should contact: Skip Coleman, Administrative Assistant, MATANUSKA TELEPHONE ASSOCIATION, INC., Box 859, Palmer, Alaska 99645. AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER/M/F

### HELP WANTED

EDUCATION SPECIALIST I (Vocational Education Option) \$1,613 in Juneau  
Eligible for Alaska Teaching Certificate plus BA and either 3 years professional experience in education including one year in vocational education or 3 years experience in vocational education including 1 year in an administrative, supervisory or consultative capacity. Graduate study may substitute up to one year of non-specialized experience.  
For details contact Peggy Zufelt, Division of Personnel, Pouch C, Juneau, Alaska 99801.  
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### HELP WANTED

Please be advised that applications for Construction Boilermaker Apprentices will be opened January 6, 1975 and closed March 7, 1975.

Application forms may be obtained from Mr. Robert Aldo, Business Representative; 5525 Cope, Apt. B; Anchorage, Alaska 99502; between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Applicants must meet the following basic minimum requirements:

- 1) at least eighteen (18) and not over thirty-one (31) years of age.
- 2) must have high school diploma or GED Equivalency Certificate.
- 3) must have no physical handicaps that would prevent performance of work covered by Boilermaker Trade.

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NORTHERN COMMERCIAL COMPANY  
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH  
PLANNING COMMISSION

FILE NO.: GA-2-75  
DATE OF HEARING: March 31, 1975; 7:30 p.m.  
PLACE OF HEARING: Old Elementary School; Barrow, Alaska 99723  
SUBJECT: Consideration by the Planning Commission of the North Slope Borough of the need for an interim zoning ordinance within the Prudhoe Bay Industrial Area, North Slope Borough, Alaska.  
All persons having an interest in the subject matter of this hearing are invited to attend the hearing and to present their views to the Planning Commission.  
DATED at Barrow, Alaska this 4th day of February, 1975.  
Pub: Feb. 12, 19, & 26, 1975.

### FOR SALE

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### HELP WANTED

City of Galena, first class incorporated municipality, has an immediate opening for the position of police chief/patrolman. Requires experience in police patrol and crime prevention. Graduation from accredited Police Academy is also required. Salary is negotiable DOE. Please make inquiries to City Manager, P.O. Box 12, Galena, Alaska 99741, or call 656-1281.

### HELP WANTED

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR: The Norton Sound Health Corporation is the administrator of the Norton Sound Service unit serves 6,200 residents in a 25,000 square mile area. A consumer controlled corporation is seeking to bring health care to the Norton Sound Service Unit area through the services of physicians, Village Health Aides, Eye Care Assistants, Family Service Representatives and Community Health Representatives. An Executive Director is needed to provide administrative support to the medical and non-medical staff of the corporation through contact with the NSHC Board of Directors, Indian Health Service and other health related agencies for overall planning, communicating objectives of the corporation and evaluation of objectives as directed by the Board. The Executive Director will be directly responsible to the Board of Directors. Salary negotiable. Will be established by the Board of Directors. If interested contact Caleb Pungowiyi, Executive Director, Norton Sound Health Corporation, Box 963, Nome, Alaska 99762 or call 443-2261. Closing date June 15, 1975.

### HELP WANTED

Matanuska Telephone Association, Inc. has an immediate position opening for a FIELD ENGINEER. Basic duties are staking routes, making field checks, recording field information, and performing some easement work. Applicants must have a valid Alaska Driver's License and two years of field engineering experience in telecommunications or a related field. Qualified individuals should contact: Skip Coleman, Administrative Assistant, MATANUSKA TELEPHONE ASSOCIATION, INC., Box 859, Palmer, Alaska 99645. AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER/M/F