

# Over 600 Alaskans Fight Kenai Fire

**JUNEAU**—Over 600 Alaskans helped fight the Island Lake fire near Kenai, according to the Bureau of Land Management, the Office of Governor Keith H. Miller today.

Miller's Office said the breakdown by village was as follows: Tetlin Junction, 41; Kenai 12; Hooper Bay, 30; Scammon Bay 17; Nikolai, 26; Aniak, 25; Emmonak, 25; Pilot Station, 25; Northway, 27; Soldotna, 20; Kaltag, 24; Selawik, 43.

Tanana, 31; Huslia, 24; Kiana, 11; Noorvik, 58; Russian Mission and Marshall, 23; Chevak, 30; Tanacross, 42; Saint Mary's, 15; Alakanuk, 23; Akiak and Kweth-

luk, 25; and Akiachak, 21.

"These Alaskan crews were well trained, and their value is readily apparent in the effective manner in which they controlled the fire," Governor Miller said.

He added that the BLM had praised the men for doing a noteworthy job in controlling a potentially disastrous fire.