

Legal Services Opens Office in Fairbanks

The Alaska Legal Services Program opened a regional office here yesterday. The office is in the Chena Bldg. 510 Second Avenue, Room 226. Telephone will be installed and the number will be 456-5401.

James Scurlock is in charge of the Fairbanks office. He will be assisted by Marshall Coryell, staff attorney.

The office expects to handle many different cases for any person in Alaska who cannot afford attorneys. Many of them are expected to be native people in urban areas and from outlying areas.

The attorneys will handle adoption cases, divorces, cases involving attached or

garnished wages, evictions, claims for unpaid wages, claims of failure to pay for fish, claims of discrimination in employment or housing, unsafe or unsanitary rented housing, and other cases.

William Jacobs, executive director of the legal services with offices in Anchorage, urged that people who can't come to Fairbanks should write letters to Scurlock.

Scurlock and Coryell are prepared to talk to anyone who comes to the office and thinks he has a problem that a lawyer can help him with.