

Kennedy Director of State Museum

Michael Kennedy, director of the Anchorage Historical and Fine Arts Museum, has been appointed director of the Alaska State Museum, Governor William A. Egan announced.

Kennedy will assume the post in late July. He succeeds Mrs. Jane Wallen, who recently resigned.

"We are very fortunate to be able to fill this post with such a highly qualified person from within Alaska," Governor Egan said. "I am highly pleased in appointing Mr. Kennedy."

Kennedy has been director of the Anchorage museum since June, 1968. Before that, he had been director of the Montana State Museum and Historical Society and of the North

Wyoming Center for Arts and Sciences.