

Artifacts from Tlingits, Haidas To Be Shown

"Preparations are now underway for a unique Centennial showing of Tlingit and Haida artifacts, most of which have never been exhibited before," Mrs. Jane Wallen, Acting Director of the Alaska State Museum, stated in Juneau last week.

The showing, sponsored by the Tlingit and Haida Group at Large of the Juneau area, will occur April 8 and 9 at the National Guard Armory in Juneau.

"Many families throughout southeastern Alaska will be represented at this show. John Borbridge, Jr., president of the sponsoring organization, has told me that artifacts from Klukwan, Kake, Angoon, as well as Juneau, are now being catalogued in preparation for the exhibit. Thus this exhibit will not

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only give the people of Alaska an opportunity to become better acquainted with the traditional culture of the peoples of Southeast Alaska; it also has brought about the creation of a permanent history of this material," Mrs. Wallen said.

"Parties interested in learning more about this unusual exhibit may contact John Borbridge Jr., 723 West 10th, Juneau, or Mrs. Albert Wallace, 1010 West 8th Street, Juneau," Mrs. Wallen concluded.