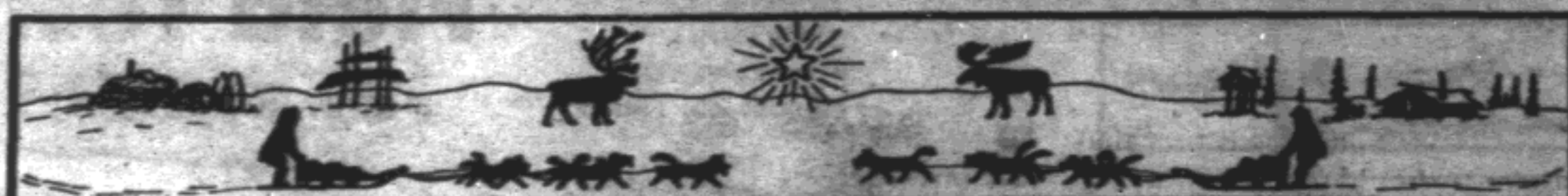


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KING CRAB BANQUET IN BAG



KANA's Harry Carter Confirms Shipment of 500 Lbs. of King Crab

Harry Carter, past president of the Kodiak Area Native Association, now vice president, called the Tundra Times from Kodiak this week and confirmed that organization's offer to send up 500 pounds of king crab for the October banquet of the Tundra Times.

"The crab will be there and all you have to tell us is when to send it up," said Carter.

Carter thought that the time to send up the succulent crustaceans would be a day or two before the banquet after making

sure that there would be refrigeration before the shipment arrives.

The banquet committee will be checking into this and consult with the management of the supper club Switzerland where the banquet is to be held starting at 6:30 p.m. Saturday October 5.

Banquet committee members thought that one-hour no host cocktail period would be appropriate before the dinner is served around 7:30 p.m. Switzerland management told the banquet committee that the lower floor of the restaurant will hold 500 persons. The committee expects to attract that many people.

Lining up the banquet key-note has not been affected as yet but a continuing effort is being made by the editor of Tundra Times Howard Rock. Due to unexpected delays, Rock said, the selection of the key-note has not been made but when things fall in line, the speaker will be picked and announced. The person is expected to be a nationally known figure.

The board of directors of the Tundra Times will also discuss the selection of a master of ceremonies and the person to take the slot is expected to be a native person. This will be on the agenda at the board meeting

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Tanana Chiefs To Meet Oct. 1-3 In Fairbanks

Tanana Chiefs, Interior Alaska Athabascan Indian organization, has set a tentative date for its meeting on October 1-2-3 in Fairbanks, John Sackett, president of the group disclosed last week.

The Chiefs' conference was coincided with the Alaska Federation of Natives' annual statewide conference that will be held on October 5-6, also in Fairbanks. Both meetings were dated so the conferees will be able to attend the 6th Anniversary Banquet of the Tundra Times on October 5.

The Tanana Chiefs conference expects to have 27 or 30 representatives from the Interior villages.

KING CRAB—Banquet attendants of the Tundra Times Sixth Anniversary Banquet on Saturday, October 5 at the Switzerland will be feasting on succulent crustaceans, better known as king crab, such as the ones pictured. Taking of king crab in northern Pacific around Kodiak area is one of the greatest industries of Alaska. Harry

Carter of Kodiak has confirmed his offer to ship 500 pounds of popular marine delicacies to the banquet. The banquet committee of the Tundra Times is confident that the October gala affair will draw 500 people. Reservations for the big feast have been received from different areas of the state.

—Photo by KAY W. GUTHRIE

Budget Bureau Opposes Pollock's Bill for State Land Take Extension

Congressman Howard W. Pollock introduced HR 17874 in the U.S. House to extend the time for land selection by the state, which would mean an additional 15 years to the original 25 given, the state within which to select 103 million acres.

The administration however, through the Bureau of the Budget, opposes Pollock's bill and has recommended an extension of only six months.

The state of Alaska has ten years to select 103 million acres of which 20 million acres have been withdrawn to date. Pollock said that it has taken the state almost ten years to select 20 million acres and that this ten years will expire on January 3, 1969, just four months away.

Hearing on the bill was held yesterday morning before the Public Land Subcommittee and the subcommittee reported the bill to full Interior Committee where it will be considered next Monday.

"Obviously," said Frank Albert, administrative assistant to Pollock, "in view of the major oil and mineral discoveries in northern Alaska, the Bureau of the Budget and the administration now want to review the 90 per cent-10 per cent state-federal revenue sharing formula and apply the 60-40 formula as in other states."

"Congressman Pollock," he continued, "said this would be

very detrimental to the orderly development of Alaska's natural resources and we are hopeful that we can prevail on the committee Monday to reject the administration's six months ex-

tension and accept a longer selection period."

Albert said that it was difficult for Pollock at this time because he is by himself now

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Welfare Asks Foster Homes For Children Including Native

By DARCY LEWIS

I was talking with Mr. Harley Peterson and I am aghast to learn that "man's inhumanity to man" is on the rampage; take note our city of Fairbanks.

Mr. Peterson is the District Representative who oversees the Child Welfare Program of the Alaska Division of Welfare.

He informed me that there are hordes of CHILDREN, CHILDREN, and more CHILDREN coming in from the "bush" area and the neighboring villages; children of all races, children of all denominations, children with parents and children without.

They are the innocent (they surely did not ask to be born) victims of parental neglect,

abuse, and sundried oversights; these are the ones whose parents should "praise them instead of burying them."

They are the unfortunate parent-less youngsters who, certainly not of their own volition, are likewise victims of improper care and the like.

The children range in age from "newborns" up and through the tender age of sixteen.

The Fairbanks District office is faced with a tremendous problem... THEY NEED, NEED, NEED GOOD FOSTER HOMES FOR THESE CHILDREN.

On behalf of children, I ask you readers and your friends and neighbors, to PLEASE help Mr. Peterson find proper foster homes, preferably those with LOVE, and give these children a chance in life.

He is especially desirous of cultivating more Eskimo, Indian and Aleut foster parents' interest

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Editorial—Sen. Ernest Gruening—The Proud Old Man

The proud old man, 81-year-old Sen. Ernest Gruening, finally bowed to defeat in the August 27 primary election beginning the end of a distinguished career in public service for Alaska and its citizens. His stunning loss, and equally stunning and sparkling victory

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BLA Transfers Mt. Edgecumbe Head Kenneth Crites

Bureau of Indian Affairs Area Director Charles Richmond has announced the transfer of Mr. Kenneth Crites, Mt. Edgecumbe School Superintendent to a new position with the BIA's central office.

Mr. Crites will be working in the Bureau's newest Branch of Instructional Services at Brigham City, Utah.

Mr. Crites has been Mt. Edgecumbe Superintendent since 1964. Prior to that he was Deputy Assistant Area Director of schools in the Juneau Area Office.

He began with the Bureau in 1938, working as a teacher, advisor, and school principal among the Navajo before he came to Alaska in 1952.

His transfer represents a continuation of many years of study and research in education of bilingual groups. The Brigham City Instructional Services Center is directly under the BIA's Washington Office, and is located on the campus of Intermountain Indian School, the largest BIA boarding school.