



LYNDA HADLEY

## *Hadley receives scholarship*

Twenty-four year old Lynda Hadley, a graduate of Nome High School was recipient of a \$1,000 Alaska of the Year Scholarship at the annual Alaskan of the Year Banquet held this month.

A sophomore at the University of Alaska, Anchorage, Hadley is majoring in elementary education with plans to teach in Alaska.

This past semester she worked with teenagers at the Alaska Children's Services Emergency

Shelter. From this experience she learned that "insecurities come from being young.

"I feel I could instill security at a young age so that is the age I would like to teach," she said.

Hadley also said, "I hope to get into something more positive this summer such as travel" after reflecting on her recent work with the teenagers and their problems.

The pert coed has applied for a job with the University Year for Action program at the UAA. The position would entail traveling to various rural communities in Alaska to find out why young people drop out of school.

"I've dropped out myself," she said, in explaining why she would be effective in that type of work.

When not attending school Hadley served as receptionist for Senator Mike Gravel both in Washington, D.C., and in Anchorage. She then returned to school to resume her teaching objective.

The daughter of Mrs. Sarah Kell of Anchorage, Hadley was graduated from Nome High School. In addition to the UAA she has attended Seattle Pacific University and Alaska Methodist University.