

N. Toots Appointed Manager of Alaska Consumer Federation

Mr. Nathan Toots has been appointed to the position of Manager of the Alaska Consumer Federation. Mr. David O. David, Chairman of the Board of Directors announced recently.

Mr. Toots is being trained by Mr. Will Rutherford, current General Manager of Alaska Consumer Federation, to assume the management of the Federation's activities.

His duties will include the operations of the wholesale grocery operations, technical assistance programs, and other services that are related to the village consumer cooperatives.

The Alaska Consumer Federation is an association of rural

consumer cooperatives with general offices located in Anchorage for the purpose of providing a central purchasing service for its members.

It is currently composed of thirteen village cooperatives throughout the state.

Prior to this position, Toots was employed at the Bethel Broadcasting Corporation. Toots, who is originally from Mekoryuk, has been its city manager.

He has served as chairman of the school board and general manager of the Bering Sea Reindeer Company in Mekoryuk. He has also been on the Executive Committee of the Community



NATHAN TOOTS

Enterprise Development Corporation of Alaska.

He is a 1956 graduate of Mt. Edgumbe High School, and attended Western Washington College of Education in Bellingham for a year. He is a former member of the National Guard where he served as first lieutenant.