



SUBSISTENCE FISHING — One of the most important ways of life in Arctic Alaska is subsistence fishing. Here, an Eskimo woman and her helper are pulling up a net laden with whitefish on the confluence of Ambler/Kobuk Rivers in Northwest Alaska. The net has been set under the ice and the catch of whitefish was good. Subsistence way of life in Native Alaska is an important one and will continue to be into the remote future.

— National Park Service Photograph by ROBERT BELOUS

Oldtime Eskimo Says— MORE SNOW-FAIRBANKS AREA

By GUY OKAKOK
Barrow Correspondent

FAIRBANKS — According to Mr. Harding Katiaroak, Eskimo here in Fairbanks, said yesterday that there is more snow than ever. Harding said he has known people here in Fairbanks for over 20 years and each time after the hunt, they'd tell him about their adventures but this winter the story is quite different, meaning that there are more snow along where they have been outside of area.

Mr. Harding said he believe them because even here in Fairbanks you'd find lots of snow. Some places pretty deep even.

BASKETBALL WINNERS

Ben Nageak, son of Mr. Vincent Nageak came down to visit and he said he'd probably will return to his hometown this coming Sunday.

Ben said the high school students of Barrow has won on basketball game in some places of Alaska. These young men travels here and there and have won games.

Next time Ben says these young players probably will be called to come down where they have never been. I cannot say when they will be called.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

New Year is only two days from today and I do hoping that the year 1975 would be different than 1974.

Readers of the Tundra Times, whoever you are and wherever you may be, happy and New

Year. Let's all thank God who gave us breath to the New Year 1975.

Record Run of Pink Salmon

JUNEAU — A record run of 6,260 pink salmon returned to Auke Creek near Juneau in 1974 in the fourth year of testing of a gravel incubation system at the creek.

The average pink salmon run in Auke Creek in recent years has been about 2,500 fish. Previous known high before the installation of the gravel incubator was 3,800 pinks.

The 1974 return included 644 marked hatchery fish and 71 marked wild fish from the total pink salmon fry release of 627,000 in the spring of 1973.

Of those released, 74,000 fry came from natural spawning in the creek and 553,000 were produced by artificial incubation in the hatchery. Average survival for all fry released in 1973 was one per cent.

The Auke Creek hatchery was built and is being operated under a cooperative agreement involving the National Marine Fisheries Service, the Alaska Department of Fish and Game and the Territorial Sportsmen.

About one million fry were released at the creek in the spring of 1974 and biologists expect about 10,000 adults to return next summer.

AFDC Shows 28,000 Less '73 Recipients

The nation's largest cash assistance welfare program — aid to families with dependent children (AFDC) — had 28,000 fewer recipients in September this year than in September 1973.

Preliminary figures released the end of last month by HEW Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger set the September AFDC total at 10,796,000 compared to 10,824,000 in September 1973.

Secretary Weinberger said that federal/state money payments of \$675.1 million were made to AFDC recipients in September 1974, \$65.0 million more than in September 1973.

James S. Dwight, Jr., administrator of HEW's Social and Rehabilitation Service, noted that the preliminary September figures were 32,000 higher than those for August. He said that a further breakdown of the September 1974 figures would be released, with tables, when available.

Mr. Dwight also said that complete AFDC figures for August 1974, are now available; these show that the August total was 92,000 less than the 10,856,000 persons on the rolls in August 1973 (not 80,000 less as earlier preliminary figures had indicated).

Colorful Songs

Alaska's history has a colorful array of songs reflecting a variety of subjects, such as Alaska living and the Klondike gold rush. The Alaska Historical Library maintains a collection of Alaska songs and music described in its publication, "Musical Reflections on Alaska's History."

Songs in the library's files include "Alaska and the U.S.A.," by Anna E. Snow; "Lights O'Thane Waltz," by Edouard C. Lemieux; and "Billy Pike of Klondike," by W.R. Raness.

The Alaska Historical Library is also interested in obtaining copies of unpublished Alaska songs. In Sitka, a group is presently taping unpublished Alaska songs for the library's files. Others are also making songs and music available for this collection.

The library welcomes information or receipt of material for this Alaska music file. Contact: Phyllis Nottingham, Librarian, Division of State Libraries and Museum, Pouch G, Juneau, Alaska 99811.

TUNDRA TIMES CLASSIFIED ADS GET RESULTS

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ANCHORAGE Hotels - Motels

Roosevelt Hotel
539 H. St. 277-5541
Ave. Sgl. with bath \$15

HELP WANTED

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT
The Tanana Chiefs Conference, Inc. is now recruiting for the position of Nurse Supervisor/Trainer. Duties incumbent upon this position includes but is not limited to the following:

- 1) Supervision of the 21 Health Aides in the Tanana Chiefs Conference in reference to the Public Health Service contract.
- 2) Provide advance training and education to increase the Health Aides knowledge and skills in the medical field.
- 3) Support the Health Aide.
- 4) Work closely with PAC-HA-PA and its effects in a statewide Health Aide Manual.
- 5) Be knowledgeable to the actions and philosophy of the Tanana Chiefs Regional Health Board, Alaska Federation of Natives Health Board or any areas related to the Health status of the village.

Salary dependent upon experience. Please submit your applications or resume to: Chris Anderson, Executive Director, Tanana Chiefs Conference, Inc., 102 Lacey Street, Fairbanks, Alaska 99701. Phone (907) 452-1746.

Deadline for submitting application is January 17, 1974.

HELP WANTED

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT
THE TANANA CHIEFS CONFERENCE is now recruiting for the position of

RECEPTIONIST/TYPIST
Qualifications: to type 60 wph and have experience with dictaphone equipment; to demonstrate excellent spelling and grammar; to have demonstrated neatness and efficiency in work habits; and to preferably have knowledge of the TCC region and its people.
Salary: \$750.00/mo. with fringe benefits.

Closing date for submitting applications is January 17, 1975. Send applications or resumes to: Chris Anderson, Executive Director, Tanana Chiefs Conference, Inc. 102 Lacey Street, Fairbanks, Alaska 99701. Phone (907) 452-1746.

HELP WANTED

Please be advised that applications for Construction Boilermaker Apprentices will be opened January 26, 1975 and closed February 7, 1975. Application forms may be obtained from Mr. Robert Aldo, Business Representative; 5525 Cope, Apt. B; Anchorage, Alaska 99502; between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Applicants must meet the following basic minimum requirements:

- 1) at least eighteen (18) and not over thirty-one (31) years of age.
- 2) must have high school diploma or GED Equivalency Certificate.
- 3) must have no physical handicaps that would prevent performance of work covered by Boilermaker Trade.

HELP WANTED

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR required by Rural Alaska Community Action Program. Requires five years experience in community organization and/or planning with at least three years as an administrator. Familiarity with the socioeconomic conditions in rural Alaska desirable. The position is the chief executive officer of a statewide community action program funded at \$3,000,000. Minimum salary \$19,344 per year. Apply before January 31 to Personnel Committee Chairman, RURAL CAP, Drawer 412ECB, Anchorage, AK 99501. EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER M/F.

HELP WANTED

POSITION: Social Services Representative, Tok, Alaska
DUTIES: Will develop a comprehensive program to assist village councils in areas of Community Development and identification of social problems. Works in the fields of alcohol abuse education, mental health, employment, etc. in a counseling capacity.
SALARY: \$1200.00 per month.
QUALIFICATIONS: High School plus a minimum of two years of college training in Sociology, Psychology or in a related field. Experience may be substituted for college on a year for year basis. Qualifying experience would include full-time paid or volunteer work in a position of direct social services, e.g. state eligibility worker, counselor in an alcoholism program, etc.

SEND RESUME/APPLICATION, PRIOR TO JANUARY 10, 1975 TO:
Elmer Ipalook
President of the United Crow

Band
P.O. Box 131
Tok, Alaska 99780

NOTICE

There is a small inheritance for John Lomeran whose mother was Olive Atkins of Lakeville, Connecticut, and who was born in Providence, Rhode Island. His sister Virginia told me he had moved to Fairbanks two years ago, and that he might have a daughter Patricia in Nome and a son Michael. If any lead regarding his whereabouts, contact John A. Rand, Salisbury, Connecticut 06068.

HELP WANTED

HEALTH CARE RESEARCH ANALYST
To assist the Project Director for the Alaska Native Health Board, Health Care Evaluation Projects. The individual selected must be able to work independently and be willing to develop a working knowledge of health, mental health and alcoholism programs, outline alternatives, monitor results, conduct studies designed to improve the delivery of services and write proposals. Some travel to the bush areas of Alaska will be required.

Position is funded for one year but has the possibility of being funded for several years. The applicant should have a college degree and some work experience in health, administration and/or related services, although less qualified applicants will be considered if they can demonstrate achievement in other areas. A knowledge of Alaska and Alaska cultures would be preferred.

Salary range, \$12-15,000 per year depending upon qualifications. Closing date, January 20, 1975.

Send resumes to: Alaska Native Health Board

Health Care Evaluation Projects
P.O. Box 4-1808
Anchorage, Alaska 99509

HELP WANTED

City Manager, City of Galena. First Class, General Law City in unorganized borough. Is in earliest stages of growth and development. Desire someone with high self-motivation and a willingness to settle in rural Alaska on a permanent basis. Salary negotiable. Contact City Manager, P.O. Box 12, Galena, AK 99741 or phone 656-1281.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

We pay highest prices for antique Indian, Eskimo, Aleut carvings or ceremonial objects. 2320 Dyke Road, Richmond, B.C. Canada.

FCR SALE

Billiard Supplies: Bed Cloth, Spray Glue, Cues, Slip-on Cue Tips, Chalk, etc. Mayfair Sales, 1595 College Rd., Fairbanks, Alaska 456-4651.

HELP WANTED

NORTHERN COMMERCIAL COMPANY
603 D Street, Anchorage
Interviewing for parttime positions Please call or stop by for interview, third floor personnel office. Please mention this advertisement when calling. We are an EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.

HELP WANTED

EYE CARE ASSISTANT
Position available. An Eye Care Assistant examines eyes and prescribes glasses. He or she will need to travel extensively.
Salary: \$9,000 annual
Qualifications: Must be a high school graduate. Must be able to speak Inupiat Eskimo. Must be dependable and able to work independently. Must like to work with and for people.
The successful applicant will have to spend time in training for several months outside of Nome. If interested, obtain an application from Jeanette Morton, Norton Sound Health Corporation, Box 966, Nome, AK 99762. The closing day to submit applications is January 15, 1975.