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TUNDRA TIMES BENEFACTOR DR. HENRY S. FORBES PASSES



DR. AND MRS. FORBES—Dr. Henry S. Forbes, right, is enjoying a conversation with his wife Hildegard, left. Dr. Forbes passed away on August 15 after a short illness at Falmouth, Mass. He was a generous helper of the Tundra

Times ever since the newspaper started publishing on October 1, 1962 up to the time of his death. He had great concern for the native people of Alaska.

Paper's Backer Dies After Short Illness at Falmouth, Mass. Hosp.

Dr. Henry S. Forbes, the man who had been of great assistance in the publication of the Tundra Times for the past six years, died at Falmouth hospital in Falmouth, Mass. on August 15.

The doctor succumbed to the complications of peritonitis after becoming ill on Sunday, August 11.

Dr. Forbes was 86 years old. At the time he was stricken, he and his wife, Hildegard, had been living in their summer home on Naushon Island near Woods Hole, Mass.

Mrs. Forbes, assisted by friends, took the doctor to the Falmouth hospital by boat.

The day before Dr. Forbes died, his wife said he seemed a little better and his temperature had come down. The doctor suffered a relapse, however, and died the next day.

Dr. Henry S. Forbes for many years had shown great concern for the native people of Alaska. His interest crystallized in the Alaska native problems when the Association on American Indian Affairs, Inc., a citizens national organization with headquarters in New York, picked him chairman of its Alaska Policy Committee in 1961.

Wasting little time, Dr. Forbes, along with the late LaVerne Madigan, came to Alaska in June of 1961 on a

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THE GOLDEN HEART?? - CITY

By DARCY LEWIS

Panning for gold was the claim to fame in the early 1900's according to the heritage of Alaska. I allowed myself to daydream, and as I entered the portals of Alaska during that era, the spirit of adventure and

the enchantment of romanticism enveloped me and I was, at once, transported to those OLDEN AND GOLDEN days. When I returned to now, the year of our Lord 1968, my subconscious mind unleashed the hidden reality and there it

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Editorial—

Dr. Henry S. Forbes - The Great Benefactor

The man—Dr. Henry S. Forbes—who, perhaps, has done singularly great service on behalf of the native people of Alaska, has passed on. His death, without doubt, will leave a great void. As far as the staff of the Tundra Times is concerned, the doctor's passing has left a chasm so vast that it seems that we must reach for a straw and claw for every conceivable handhold to survive. This is the real feeling among us in the Tundra Times. We will miss his constant encouragement to keep on. We will miss his great generosity that had made it possible for us to keep publishing the native newspaper for the benefit of our people.

Dr. Forbes' generosity in backing this newspaper has had a great impact on the state level as well as on the national level. We want to point out, without reservations, what he has done for the native people of Alaska. We are not going to be very modest in doing it. If we are wrong, you tell us in good clear language.

Within the span of a mere decade—less than six years to be more specific—the many deep-seated native

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Stringer Finds 'Intriguing' Facts In Probing of ANICA Stores

"The more we got into it, the more intriguing it became," said John Stringer of the Wage and Hours Division of the State Department of Labor.

John Stringer, along with Leo Brown of the Labor Department, for the past month have been probing into the operation of the Alaska Native Industries Cooperative Association.

"We have investigated the situation extensively," said

Stringer. "We found that the ANICA village store managers are not being paid the Alaska minimum wage."

Stringer was reluctant to disclose what he had found on his investigating tour of the villages until the Wage and Hours Department submit its report to the executive committee of the ANICA.

"We are preparing an extensive report for the ANICA

executive committee and I'm recommending that a meeting be called of the executive committee and ANICA store managers to review my report and recommendations.

"We've toured all the village stores collecting facts and figures that will be contained in the report in the near future."

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Perdue and Sundborg Differ On Ft. Yukon Dike Funding

SUNDBORG

227 Federal Bldg.
Anchorage, Alaska
August 21, 1968

Dear Howard:

I am greatly surprised to read in the Tundra Times of the statement by Ralph Perdue saying that Senator Gruening, during a visit to Ft. Yukon in 1964, refused to discuss Yukon River Bank erosion which was then threatening to carry away part of the land on which Ft. Yukon is located.

If Ralph Perdue was present that day I was not aware of it. I was then with Senator Gruening

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PERDUE

August 21, 1968

Dear Howard:

Mr. George Sundborg's answering my allegations against Senator Gruening indicates that the good Senator really has not taken time to listen to the native peoples problems.

Just like the time of the hearing at Fort Yukon, the Senator stated that he didn't have time to meet with the native council of Fort Yukon. He did however have time to meet with some of the people who were pushing for the Rampart Dam.

To set the record straight the

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CINA Purchases \$1,000 Worth Of Times Stock

The Cook Inlet Native Association's Board of Directors, Anchorage, recently voted to buy \$1,000 worth of Eskimo, Indian, Aleut Publishing Co. stock, the corporation that publishes the Tundra Times.

Late last week, Don Wright, president of the CINA, handed the editor of Tundra Times, Howard Rock, the check for \$1,000.

"I hope this will encourage others, the native organizations, and private persons, to do the same," said Don Wright.

Wright said that the amount was agreed upon about three months ago but that his board

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