Archives extends hours to one Saturday each month

The National Archives-Alaska Region will be extending its hours to the first Saturday of each month, except when in conflict with a federal holiday.

The Saturday hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. During 1990-'91, the National Archives-Alaska Region will be open on the following Saturdays: Oct. 13, Nov. 3, Dec. 1, Jan. 5, Feb. 2, March 2, April 2, May 4, June 1, July 13, Aug. 3, Sept. 7, Oct. 5, Nov. 2, and Dec. 7.

During the week, it is open to researchers from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., except for holidays. The National Archives-Alaska Region is located behind the Old Federal Building at 654 W. Third Ave. in Anchorage.

Those who want more information may call 271-2441.

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Region has almost 50,000 rolls of microfilm of selected federal records, including federal population censuses for all states, 1790-1910; ships' passenger lists from many ports; and other film of genealogical interest.

The region also holds much film relating to Alaska's history including records of Alaskan Customhouses, 1867-1939; correspondence of the Territorial Governor, 1909-1958; and the Interior Department Territorial Papers, 1869-1911. The Alaska Region also has microfilm on many other subjects.