

# Japanese Fishing Vessels Ships Reportedly in Alaskan Waters

JUNEAU — Governor William A. Egan said today he has received complaints of Japanese fishing vessels entering Alaskan waters in the Bering Sea near Nelson Island and warned the state is taking action for apprehension of any vessel caught inside the 12-mile contiguous zone.

Egan said he had received complaints from three villages in the area during the past week that Japanese vessels were entering Alaskan waters, apparently to fish herring.

"The state," he said, "will not stand idly by and permit foreign fishing vessels to encroach on the fishery resources of our northern waters or anywhere else."

"Both state and federal officials are taking steps for the apprehension of any foreign vessel caught in Alaskan waters."

Egan said he received telegrams and letters regarding the alleged encroachment from Tununak, Ukmumute, and the city of Tooksook Bay.

Nelson Island is across Etolin Strait and Nunivak Island on the west coast of Alaska.

## Siuoux Art Show

FAIRBANKS — An exhibit of contemporary paintings by Sioux Indians opened this week at the University of Alaska in the Fine Arts Gallery.

The exhibit will be on display at the university for two weeks, and the gallery is open daily from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Indian artists have contributed water colors, oils, collages and acrylics for the exhibit.

Organized by the Indian Arts and Crafts Board of the U.S. Department of Interior, it has been displayed in a number of cities throughout the nation, and is sponsored here by the University's Art Department and the Alaska Association for the Arts.

The paintings range from graphic depictions of western scenes and Indian activities, to modern collages and abstracts. Most are done in vivid colors, with meticulous attention to detail.

An illustrated catalog of the exhibit is available, at \$2.50 each.

The exhibit was released through the Sioux Indian Museum and Crafts Center of Rapid City, South Dakota, and is co-sponsored by the South Dakota Arts Council.

## INTERNS Fairbanks Carpentry Apprenticeship

Senator Ted Stevens announced today the selection of the first group of interns that will be coming from Alaska to work in his Washington, D.C. office.

Scheduled to be in Washington from June 12 to July 14 are: Andrew Abraham, Bethel; Karen Perdue, Fairbanks; Joanne Fleetwood, Fairbanks; Helen Conwell, Kotzebue; and Mike Moran, Ket-chikan.

This is the fourth consecutive year of Stevens' intern program where high school graduates answer telephones, file, type, carry messages and do research for speeches and for answering constituents mail.

Through June 30th, 1972, the Fairbanks Carpentry Apprenticeship Program will be receiving applications for schooling in their Program.

Apprentices must be between the ages of 17 through 27 with credit given for military service to age 32.

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