

Noah Jack Academic Affairs Head

COLLEGE--Noah Jack of Bethel was chosen as Academic Affairs Department Head in elections for officers of the Associ-

ated Students of the University of Alaska (ASUA) on the College campus last week.

A record number of students turned out for the elections to the representative student government, with Jack handily capturing the winning votes. He is a sophomore with an undetermined major.

Noah's parents are Eddie and

Sophie Jack of Bethel. He is a 1969 graduate of Bethel High School.

Other elected officers are Norman "Chip" Wagoner, President, of Stafford Springs, Connecticut; Mike Heimbuch, Student Services Department Head, of Anchorage, and Martin Walther, Senate Affairs Department Head, of Baltimore, Maryland.

Haven't Changed Much in 80 Years

A couple of days ago, a friend of Tundra Times' editor brought in a copy of the Park County Republican and Fairplay Flume, official paper of Park County, Colorado.

On the first page, a column lists notable events 80 years ago, from the January 15, 1885 issue

of the paper. Among the events listed - A delegation of Kiowa and Gomanche Indians is in Washington protesting against the lease of their lands to the cattle men. Things haven't changed too much in 80 years, have they?

Walk for Hope This Saturday

On Saturday, May 1, Alaskans will once again Walk for Hope.

As of last week, according to Bob Halero of the Council for Alaska's children, over 7,000 people had registered for the Walk. Besides Anchorage, walks are planned in Kenai, Soldotna and Fairbanks.

Other communities are sponsoring carnivals, fairs and food sales to support Hope Cottage and other institutions throughout the state which care for handicapped, mentally retarded and orphaned children.

On April 20, Governor William A. Egan officially proclaimed May 1 a DAY OF HOPE throughout Alaska and urges all citizens to participate in the Walk for Hope.

Last year, less than 4,000 Alaskans registered for the Walk to raise money to support Hope Cottage, Alaska's only facility for the treatment of mentally retarded and multi-handicapped children. It is estimated that another thousand Alaskans walked without registering.

As of a week before the Walk, organizers predict that more than double the number of walkers who participated last year will join this year's 31 mile walk in Anchorage, the "mini-walk" for children in Anchorage, or walks planned in Fairbanks and other cities.

Bethel Heights Road

The Board of the Alaska State Housing Authority has announced that it is providing interim funds for road construction in the Bethel Heights subdivision.

The funds being made available are to keep the road in

passable condition during the break-up period.

It is anticipated that an all-weather road will be constructed this summer and this current step by ASHA is a preliminary one in preparation for the permanent road construction.

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