

MY POOR WORLD...

My poor world, earth. Poverty stricken. Ill.
A junkyard — even our animals eat our litter.
Damaged — in and out. Sore. How long will it hold
together?

I hear its cry — what can I do? What can we do?

We "Natives" had lived on our land — America, Alaska.
We did not damage it. We were and are so natural.
Then our land was taken over. Industry, choked our
skies, choked our rivers, killed our birds, killed, damaged,
crippled on and on. The naturals... the land was
destroyed, must I say more? We first in history showed
the newcomers, how to plant corn, they in return sold
our fish, our whales.

Our land is our provider for our families.
We respect, love and gave thanks for our beautiful land.
To the money-hungry outsiders — it was for their own
pockets, how selfish.

How crude, and to leave us "Natives" in confusion.
Our animals left also in confusion, the freedom was
taken for money. The Pain. The Pain.

Everything's slowly dying — the sea draws nearer.
My Poor World, Mother Earth, misses her natural people,
the natural natives of the land, we loved and treated
our Mother Earth as our temple of life. My poor world,
misses her natives, and their respect.

Be patient my people, think of the future.
How long can our World take the tortures it so long
endured? Patience, time, peace can give us the answer,
what's your solution?

— Mary Jane Brower

THEATA is now available

The fourth volume of THEATA is now available. This year, Native students at the University of Alaska, Fairbanks have based their articles on a central theme: Yesterday and Today.

The articles examine changing Alaska from many and various viewpoints, focusing not only on what aspects of the Native culture are being lost, but also on what is being gained.

Through the eyes of Native Alaskans, we see the culture of the Eskimo, Indian and Aleut in a state of transition. Some of the writers describe past customs which are now largely supplanted by modern trends, such as Kutchin puberty rites or the use of dogsleds for transportation. Other ancient practices, such as the potlatch festivities in Southwest Alaska, the carving of totem poles, or the art of skin sewing, still survive; and through them, the unique qualities of Alaska Native life are preserved.

Several articles focus on modern changes which are a boon to rural Alaskans—improved educational and communication systems, for example, or the recently passed Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act.

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HELP WANTED

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administration and over-all coordi-
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Program. Specific job tasks in-
clude: manpower planning and de-
velopment; monitoring of sub-
contracts; writing quarterly reports
as required by U.S. Department of
Labor; assisting staff in job develop-
ment and placement.
QUALIFICATIONS: Person must
have three years of experience in
program development, planning, and
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Familiarity with social economic
conditions in rural Alaska required.
SALARY: \$2,000-\$2,500 a month.
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WHERE: Yukon-Kuskokwim Health
Corporation
P.O. Box 528
Bethel, Alaska 99559
QUALIFICATIONS: High school edu-
cation, typing and filing skills,
minimum of 3 month's working expe-
rience, Yupik speaking desired but
not mandatory
DUTIES: General office and clerical
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phones, taking messages, reception-
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SALARY: Depending upon qualifica-
tions
CONTACT: Jay Livey at 543-2506,
2508 or 2818 Monday through
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HELP WANTED

The University of Alaska's
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Development Program is seeking
candidates for a field coordinator
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instruction of field-centered
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this position should be addressed to
Ray Barnhardt, Cross-Cultural
Education Development Program,
School of Education, University of
Alaska, Fairbanks, Alaska 99701.
Deadline for applications is May 15,
1976.

HELP WANTED

Position opening with the Yukon-
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The Emergency Services Coordinator
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Care Plan for the Bethel Service
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cal care desirable. Application dead-
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with officials of FNA, FNSB School
District and related agencies, and
maintain good working relationship
with Native students.
QUALIFICATIONS: BA or equiva-
lent experience relating to commu-
nication arts, management or public
administration. Familiar with con-
tractual business and with education-
al program affecting Native students.
Applications will be accepted at Em-
ployment, Fairbanks Native Associa-
tion, 102 Lacey St., Fairbanks,
Alaska 99701 until May 14, 1976.

HELP WANTED

The Tanana Chiefs Conference is
seeking a Social Worker with the
following qualifications: (1) A
Master's Degree in Social Work, (2)
Two years' post-graduate experience
in social work, (3) At least 10 years'
experience in working with special
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for contract negotiations, for de-
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programs for grant proposals, for
over-all coordination of existing
FNA programs, for identifying fund-
ing sources for new programs, and
for the over-all maintenance of build-
ing and vehicles.
QUALIFICATIONS: Four years of
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tion, humanities or a related field.
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HELP WANTED

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