

## Tundra Times Editor Invited To Indian Newspaper Workshop

TUNDRA TIMES editor Howard Rock has been invited to speak at a workshop for editors of Indian newspapers at Billings, Montana, March 22-24.

Will Clegg of the Bureau of Indian Services at the University of Utah said the workshop would include re-

presentatives from newspapers on 14 reservations in Idaho, Wyoming, and Montana.

The editors at the meeting will discuss both their common problems and individual problems to find ways to improve their papers.

Clegg said he was inviting Rock to talk about the special problems of publishing in Alaska and to discuss the methods used to obtain the high quality of the TUNDRA TIMES.

### Proxy Hunters

A "proxy hunter" bill was signed into law this week by Governor Hickel. It allows a resident hunter to take game for a blind resident, provided that both have valid hunting licenses.

### Native Affairs

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of hearings by the Legislative Council.

It has since been found, however, that Legislative Council hearings can only be held on pending legislation.

Most of the protests to the creation of a Native Affairs Department were that it would be discriminatory and set up a bureaucracy, similar to the Bureau of Indian Affairs, within the state government.

The bill will be presented through the rules committees of the two houses of the legislature at the request of the Governor.

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He adds that he is short-handed at the present time, and is not able to conduct an intensive search.

The race will be held March 17-19.

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Government.

Several Natives commented that the meeting was a first step rather than a solution. Hugh Nichols of ASNA said "while progress was made, it fell far short of a definite solution of the problem." Sam Taalak said "the only thing we did was to feel each other out."

AFNA director Flore Lekano reported that the Natives had not given up anything at the meeting, and that some progress may have been made towards joint action between the State and the Natives on the claims.

He stressed that the governor's proposed legislation would have to be studied by AFNA's land committee before the full results of the meeting could be known.

One other proposal was that the State would sponsor a "summit conference" in Washington among Native Association Board Members, the Governor, and Federal officials to negotiate an agreement acceptable to all parties.

Supporting this idea, Rep. Howard Pollock warned "if we put something forward that only the people in this room accept, we will get no place."

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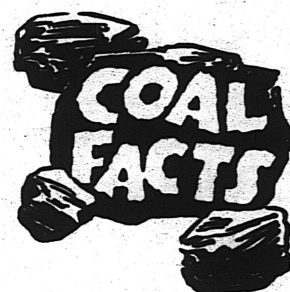
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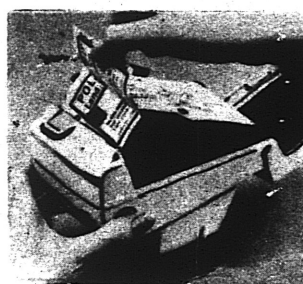
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