

Fred Stickman Says He's Running for Political Office

The inimitable Fred Stickman, Sr. of Nulato is throwing his hat into the "Democratic Bucket," as he calls it, to run for office. Fred in his letter didn't say whether he was running for state-

wide office or for state legislature.

"I want to let you know," Stickman writes, "that I am forced to throw my hat and my gray hair into the Democratic

Bucket in the primary in August."

Fred said his reason for deciding to run was that "Last fall they froze our land in our backyard."

He said that a bridge across

Mukluk Slough was supposed to be built. He said the road goes to the airport and the Nulato folks can't get the grader across to clear the runway this spring.

Fred Stickman has gained con-

siderable fame in northern Alaska at least for his free-wheeling and frankly written letters to editors of Alaska interior newspapers including Tundra Times.

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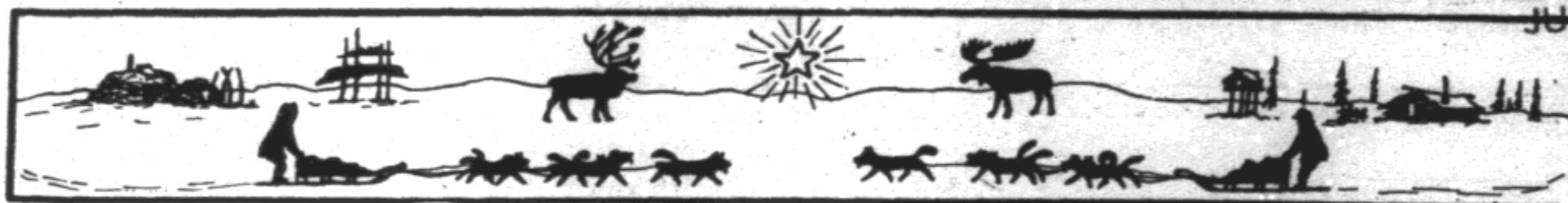
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CARR WARMING UP FOR RACE



PROUD ESKIMO BOY SCOUT—Luther Leavitt, Jr., 15, center, is being congratulated by his fellow Boy Scouts in Barrow after being chosen recently as one of the top 17 Boy Scouts and Explorers in the nation. Luther, along with the other 16 boys will report to President Richard Nixon next Thursday, Feb. 5 at the nation's

capitol. The boys will also appear on Ed Sullivan's national television show and tour the New York Stock Exchange among other important appearances before seeing the President. About 35 fingers of his Boy Scout fellows at Barrow are pawing happily over Luther paying tribute to his good fortune. —D. GULLICKSON Photograph

Young Barrow Eskimo Boy Scout To Report to President Nixon

NORTH BRUNSWICK, N.J.—To celebrate its 60th anniversary, the nation's largest youth organization, the Boy Scouts of America, has selected a Barrow, Alaska youth to report to President Richard Nixon and other top government officials in observance of Boy Scout Week, Feb. 7-13.

Luther Leavitt, Jr., 15, son of Luther Leavitt, Barrow, is one of 17 top Boy Scouts and Explorers chosen to represent the 6-million boy and adult members of the BSA on a special Report to the Nation team.

Members were selected on the basis of outstanding records in Scouting, school, church, and community services.

Luther will join the other team members in New York City, Saturday, (tomorrow) Jan. 31, to begin their week-long itinerary that will take them from New York to Washington.

The trip's highlight and at the request of the White House, the Scouts will visit President Nixon on Thursday, February 5 at 10:30 a.m.

Final details have not been

worked out, but the boy's 2 days in New York will include a meeting with leaders of the United Nations, church attendance, a tour with the president of the New York Stock Exchange, a visit to the Ed Sullivan television show, and other sight-seeing.

Tuesday the group will be in North Brunswick, N.J., at the national BSA headquarters to consult with top executives and visit the Johnston Historical Museum, the national Boy Scout museum.

On the way to Washington each boy will tour the U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., and have dinner with midshipmen from his state.

Wednesday, Feb. 4 will begin with a breakfast on Capitol Hill with members of Congress—many of whom were Scouts themselves.

Other Washington stops include the Supreme Court and lunch with one of the Justices; a visit with Health Education and Welfare Secretary Robert Finch; George Romney, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Herb Klein, the Pres-

ident's Director of Communications, and several agency directors.

At each visit the young men (Continued on page 6)

3 Eskimo Hunters Slain Near Kiana

The murder of three Eskimo caribou hunters, the worst in recent history of the native people, took place in a hunting camp near the village of Kiana a week ago.

Dead are Oscar Henry, 64, Freddy Jackson, Sr., 45, both of Kiana, and Clarence Arnold, 45, of Kotzebue. The latter is the uncle of the state legislator William L. (Willie) Hensley.

Latest word yesterday has it that the weapons of the three hunters, thought to be taken by the murderer, were recovered near the scene of the murder last Wednesday by the Alaska State Troopers.

The day before the murder

Larry Carr Also Says Pollock Will Not Run For Governor of Alaska

By SUSAN TAYLOR
Staff Writer

"The fastest moving Carr in Alaska" appears to be warming up for one of the state's biggest races even though he has not yet signed the official list of entries.

The "Carr" referred to is Larry Carr of Anchorage and the race he seems to have unofficially entered for is the governorship of Alaska.

The "candidate" is known to people in Eagle River, Anchorage, Kenai, and Fairbanks, not as a politician, but as the owner of the largest chain of supermarkets in the state.

Having started in a quonset hut 19 years ago and building a chain of seven stores, the businessman has used the slogan "the

fastest moving Carr in Alaska" in his advertisements.

Visiting in Fairbanks last week, the soft-spoken six-footer said that his political plans would be officially announced statewide in about three weeks.

However, already sounding like a contender for the seat, the Democrat talked about the primary in August and the later gubernatorial race.

The toughest battle, he said, will not come in the general election but rather will be in the primary against the former Gov. William Egan.

Contrary to the speculations of many, Carr does not think that Howard Pollock, U.S. Representative for Alaska, will enter the race for governor.

Therefore, if he wins the primary, the Anchorage businessman expects his opponent in the general election to be Gov. Keith Miller.

And, if such is the case, he contends that victory for the Democrats will come easily.

"Miller's attitude toward rural Alaska," he said, "has been that

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LARRY CARR

ASNA Poses North's Needs To Legislature

The Arctic Slope Native Association feels that it has "the same right as other communities in Alaska to share in the distribution of the great wealth of the state for needed improvements" and it plans to make its position known to the state legislature.

At a board meeting Jan. 15 at Barrow, the association adopted a resolution urging the legislature to consider recommendations for several improvements and to provide the necessary funding for them.

The recommendations were aimed at statewide needs and the local needs of Barrow, Wainwright, Kaktovik (Barter Island), Pt. Hope, and Anaktuvuk Pass—the villages comprising the asso-

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