



NEW LOCATION — The staff of Vito's Apparel wears smiles Tuesday, obviously happy with the store's new location on Lincoln Street. From left are Ellen Reeder, Ruth Lorne, Carole Helms, Hilda Reeder, Joanne Reeder and Debra Cross. A few doors down from its old location, the new store

has allowed Vito's to expand its inventory. Besides women's clothes, the store will also offer perfume, hats, more jewelry and dolls, as well as new clothing lines and six dressing rooms. In the near future, the store will also introduce a new line — the Sitka line. Both the former location and the new one are owned by Hansen Corp. (Sentinel photo)

GOP Scores Key Legislative Wins

JUNEAU (AP) — Republicans snatched key victories in the battle for control of the Alaska Legislature, as three veteran Democrats were defeated in Tuesday's election. House Minority Leader Fred Brown of Fairbanks led the 10 of four-term Democratic incumbents dumped from office. Theresa Buchholtz of Anchorage and Sam Coffey of Eagle River also lost in an urban

GOP landslide, giving Republicans a shot at the 21 seats needed for a majority. In the Senate, where coalition politics have prevailed for six years, more of the same appeared to be in store. Tuesday's voting produced no surprises with Democrats and Republicans apparently splitting the 20 seats and all incumbents returning to power. In general, Alaska's voters

the same trends in legislative voting as they did in electing Democrat Bill Sheffield as governor. Voters everywhere but Anchorage favored Sheffield and Democratic legislators, while in Anchorage they went for Tom Fink and fellow Republicans for the House and Senate.

Just as Libertarian Dick Randolph lost his bid for governor, so did the only other member of his party to hold a state office. Ken Fleming of Fairbanks, planning, one of seven incumbents defeated Tuesday, was dumped handily by Democrat Nils Koponen in District 21. Two important races on the Kenai Peninsula pitting conservatives versus liberals remained tight early Wednesday. Former House Speaker Hugh Mahoney, a Democrat, was leading Republican Merrill Skamberg 3,641 to 3,339 with 18 of 39 precincts reporting. Democrat Philip Smith was leading Republican Paul Finkbeiner 7,881 to 7,801 for the peninsula's Senate seat. If Finkbeiner prevails in District 12, Republicans would have an 11-4 edge. House Speaker Joe Hayes of Anchorage credited to his easy victory and a fourth term. Joining him were 21 other Republicans from Anchorage, three from Fairbanks and one from the interior. With the GOP leading 15 of 26 seats, other

Reward Offered In Alaska Murder Case

SEATTLE (AP) — A reward fund has grown to \$15,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the killer of a 21-year-old woman on board a Sitka, Wash.-based fishing vessel in Alaska. Donations of \$1,000 were reported by Alaska fishermen only one week after the slayings aboard the investor near Craig, Alaska, on Sept. 7. The fund has grown to \$15,000, with donations from other fishermen, friends of the victims, fish processors and carriers. Sgt. Chuck Miller, of the Alaska Criminal Investigation Bureau in Anchorage, said this case has been no significant developments in the probe since the victims were slain and the seiner was burned white at anchor.

Lutherans to Meet

Sitka Lutheran Church Women will meet 7:30 p.m. tonight in the church's Upper Room. A discussion of 1 Peter 3:13-14, led by Shirley Anderson, will take place. Experience at the biennial convention of the Pacific Northwest Synod Lutheran Church Women held recently in Olympia, Wash. All interested women are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

United Way Explained

Persons interested in forming a United Way program in Sitka are invited to attend an organizational meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday in Room 115 of Hanchey Junior High. For more information, contact Roger Higney at 747-6647.

Dancers Gather

Now Teen Dancers will hold a potluck dinner 6 p.m. Thursday at the ANS Hall. A practice session will be held afterwards.

To Drill

Sitka Volunteer Fire Department will hold a fire drill 7 p.m. Wednesday at the fire hall.

Thank you for your strong vote of confidence on Election Day. We look forward to serving you in the 98th Congress.

Best Wishes,
Don & Lu
Young



Paid for by Alaska for Don Young, Senate Johnson, Treasurer, P.O. Box 208, Anchorage, AK 99510



To the Voters of District III:
THANK YOU!

- for turning out in record numbers
- for your overwhelming support of our neighbor, Juneau
- for re-electing me to represent you in the Alaska State Legislature

I am looking forward to a productive session in Juneau. However, in order to represent you, I must be aware of your thoughts and concerns. Please do not hesitate to write me at Box 928, Sitka, or call me at 747-8458 or 747-6276.

Respectfully yours,
Ben Grussendorf
Rep. Ben Grussendorf

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Sitkans' Kin Dies in Juneau

Funeral services for Jerry Williams, 36, the nephew of three Sitka residents, will be held 2 p.m. Friday at the Juneau Presbyterian Church. Burial will be in the Juneau cemetery. Williams was found Sunday night in Gold River in Juneau, apparently a drowning victim. He is the son of Richard R. Williams, Hannah, and Mrs. John (Mary) Williams of Juneau. His uncle Frank O. Williams of and two of his sons, Adeline Burton and Allen T. Williams, all live in Sitka.

No Informer?

TACOMA, Wash. (AP) — Alexander Haig, wasn't close enough to the White House in the early 1970s to be the "Deep Throat" informer in the Watergate scandal, says a former administration official, William Buckelbaum. Buckelbaum said Tuesday that Haig "still was working for (Undersecretary of State Henry) Kissinger as No. 2 guy in the Security Council at the time 'Deep Throat' was talking to (President Richard) Nixon." "I don't think he was close enough to the White House to have the information," said Buckelbaum, now a senior vice president at Weyerhaeuser. Buckelbaum was Deputy Attorney General under Elliot Richardson until both quit in protest over President Nixon's firing of special prosecutor Archibald Cox. Former White House Counsel John Dean, in a new book, said Haig had to be the "Deep Throat" who leaked information to the Washington Post because he was among the few people who knew enough about the inner workings of the Nixon administration. On Monday, Haig dismissed the Dean conclusion as "absurd."