

By the People:

100 Years of Representative Government in Alaska

A Symposium at The University of Alaska Fairbanks

Thursday, March 21 - Schaible Auditorium

7:00-9:00 p.m.

Juneau Journalism: From the CopperKings to the "Corrupt Bastards"

Mike Carey, Dermot Cole, Mike Doogan

Friday, March 22 - Schaible Auditorium

5:00-6:00 p.m.

White House of the North: Stories from the Alaska Governor's Mansion

By Carol Sturgulewski

Keynote Address:

7pm Wood Center, Multi-Level Lounge

Rights and Wrongs: The Evolution of Representative Government in Alaska

By Rep. Willie Hensley

Saturday, March 23 - UAF Geophysical Institute, Elvey Auditorium

10:00-10:30 p.m.

Gamblers and Saloon Bums:

Why President Taft believed Alaskans did not deserve self-government- and how the Alaska Legislature was created in spite of him

By Dr. Terrence Cole, UAF Professor of History

10:45-12:15 p.m.

Serving in the Sausage Factory:

Personal Reflections on the Triumphs and Travails of Representing Alaskans

Rep. Terry Gardiner, Rep. Gail Phillips, Rep. Brian Rogers, Sen. Gary Stevens, Rep. Sally Smith, Rep. Bill Stoltze

2:00-3:30 p.m.

"We don't give a damn how they do it Outside":

Improvisation, Innovation and Experimentation in Alaska

Sen. Victor Fischer, Rep. Terry Gardiner, Rep. Willie Hensley, Rep. Jonathan Kreiss-Tomkins, Sen. Gary Stevens, Sen. Arliss Sturgulewski

3:45-5:00 p.m.

Strength Against Strength:

The Balance of Power Between the Governor and the Legislature

Lieut. Governor Jack Coghill, Sen. Victor Fischer, Rep. Katie Hurley, Dr. Claus-M. Naske, Rep. Sally Smith, Carol Sturgulewski



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