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ALASKA GAME COMMISSIONER

Andrew A. Simons, of Lakeview, Alaska, has been appointed Alaska Game Commissioner from the Third Judicial Division to succeed Dr. William H. Chase, whose 4-year term will expire June 30, the Bureau of Biological Survey, U. S. Department of Agriculture, announced to-day.

The appointment, recently made by Secretary Hyde, is to become effective July 1. The chairmanship of the Commission, held by Doctor Chase, will be filled through election by the five members of the commission, which consists of one member from each of the four judicial divisions and a fifth member, who is the chief resident representative of the Biological Survey in Alaska.

Mr. Simons is a naturalized citizen of Alaska, and for several years has been a registered guide in the Territory.. He has been well known for his success as a guide, for his wide acquaintance with prospectors and trappers in the Territory, and for his knowledge of wild-life conditions in Alaska, particularly in the Third Judicial Division.

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