

Only In Alaska.....

Nowhere else in the world is like Alaska, and nowhere else could you find grand adventures of Alaska's bush pilots, the beauty of Mount Denali and the awesome grandeur of the Aleutian chain. These and other topics are all part of the latest edition of the Alaska Jour-

nal. In this edition, former Tundra Times staffer Lael Morgon, roving editor for Alaska Magazine, demonstrates her knowledge of the unique side of Alaska.

Morgon, who had enjoyed her extensive travels in the Aleut region and extended stays in Atka village,

explores the Aleutian Islands through the art and experiences of Navy Lt. William F. Draper. Draper was in the Aleutians during the World War II campaign, entering combat and at the same time painting vivid portraits of what he saw.

The Summer Edition of the Alaska Journal also features a story about pilots who recently gathered in Anchorage for a reunion, sponsored in large part by

valuation of wind-power potential and windmill application throughout Alaska.

"It's written for the layman," Wentink said. "The relatively few mathematical



the Alaska Humanities Forum. The gathering, and the tales the pilots shared about this unique segment of aviation history, are presented in this issue.

Charlie Ott, prominent Alaskan conservationists and photographer, is also featured in this issue. Mr. Ott is renowned for his intimate knowledge of Denali, the great one, formerly known as Mount McKinley.

Alaska Journal is now on sale on newsstands throughout Alaska.

"Alaska Wind Power: An Introductory User's Manual," has been published and released by the Geophysical Institute of the University of Alaska - Fairbanks.

Written by Professor Tunis Wentink, Jr., the 95-page book is an introductory e-

terms are explained and graphs and figures have been included, so that anyone can use it. It is not a step-by-step 'cookbook,' but practical application pitfalls are discussed."

"The major purpose is to guide the reader toward appropriate further questions enabling him to properly select a windmill from a reliable source that will operate at his location within his estimated, not guessed, expectations."

The initial press run will be distributed free on a first-come first-served basis.

"If there is enough interest, we will have a second printing which will be sold at cost," Wentink said.

Professor Wentink has been a long-time advocate of wind-powered generation for rural Alaska.