

To Public Health—

Jund Appointed

Commissioner Frederick McGinnis, Department of Health and Social Services, announced the appointment of Miss Lois M. Jund as assistant director of the Division of Public Health. She succeeds Leif Thorne-Thomsen who retired on Aug. 16.

This represents a return to state employment for Miss Jund who once served as Public Health administrative director for the department during Territorial days from 1948 through 1956.

Prior to 1948, she was a health education consultant for the department. Described by Commissioner McGinnis as being "richly qualified for this position," Miss Jund is a graduate of Wellesley College and holds an MPH degree from Yale Medical School.

She has had unusually broad public health experience with a unique blend of federal and state experience as well as voluntary agency experience.

Serving as a Public Health representative in the U.S. Public Health Service from 1957 to 1958, she had a primary responsibility for grants programs and management consultation.

From 1958 until 1974, she was associated with the Arctic Health Research Center in Fairbanks, functioning as its chief from July 1973 until its recent closure last March.

"We are delighted," reported Commissioner McGinnis, "to fill this important post with an in-

dividual so thoroughly conversant with Alaska and with management techniques in public health."