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INTRODUCTION

SOME BOOKS ABOUT ALASKA is an annual annotated listing of Alaska-Arctic related publications received by the Alaska Division of State Libraries. Most of the material is current or published in recent years.

Government publications are generally not included. A few Alaska state (designated Alaska State Depository program) and Canadian documents of general interest may be noted for special emphasis or to alert users of this guide to titles which might be of interest.

Some Alaska materials are quite elusive, being published in limited quantity with little publicity. We would appreciate receiving information (author, title, publisher, price and source) for current titles not included here.

Publications are available from the publisher of the work or other indicated source. The Alaska State Library does not offer these for sale, so please contact the publishers or sources directly.

Also please remember that all prices are subject to change and that those listed here may no longer be accurate. In some cases, we have received the book as a gift and do not know the price.

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JUVENILE


Lethcoe, Athena. VALIANT LANCER OF PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND. Valdez, AK: Prince William Sound Books (P.O. Box 1313, Valdez 99686), c1987. 91 p. $6.95. A pair of collies marooned on an island in Prince William Sound battle for survival in this young adult story. ISBN 0961315672. w1n88-0507492.


Rogers, Jean. RUNAWAY MITTENS / pictures by Rie Munoz. New York: Greenwillow Books, c1988. [24] p. $11.95. "Pica's mittens are always turning up in strange places, but when he finds them keeping the newborn puppies warm in their box, he decides to leave them where they are until spring." ISBN 0688070531 ($11.95). ISBN 068807054X (lib. bdg.).

Steiner, Barbara A. WHALE BROTHER. Illustrated by Gretchen Will Mayo. New York: Walker, c1988. 24 p. "Omu longs to find the magic he needs to create great whalebone carvings and inspired music, but he does not discover the inspiration until he stands watch beside a dying killer whale." ISBN 0802768040. LC 88-005565.


ADULT NON-FICTION


ALASKA'S SEWARD PENINSULA. Anchorage: Alaska Geographic Society, 1987. 109 p. (ALASKA GEOGRAPHIC: v. 14, no. 3) $14.95. A geographic and historical look at the area, including a story of growing up in a gold mining town, an overview of the reindeer industry, a visit to St. Lawrence, St. Matthew and Hall Islands. wln88-024386.


Aspen, Jean. ARCTIC DAUGHTER: A WILDERNESS JOURNEY. Minneapolis, MN: Bergamot Books (P.O. Box 7413, Minneapolis 55407), c1988. $8.95. The author and a companion paddle up an unknown river in Alaska to build a cabin in the Brooks Range and stay four years. ISBN 0943127017.


Clary, David A. TIMBER AND THE FOREST SERVICE. Lawrence, KS: University Press of Kansas, c1986. 252 p. $29.95. A former historian with the Forest Service critiques its timber management policies in general; Alaska is mentioned in several contexts but is not a major focus. ISBN 070060314X. LC 86-015762.


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Montgomery, Myles. YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO THE BEST CHOICES IN ALASKA. Medford, OR: Gable & Gray, c1988. 396 p. $12.95. Guidebook to restaurants, lodging, etc. in Alaska. ISBN 0944729126 (pbk.). LC 88-027136.


Senungetuk, Vivian. A PLACE FOR WINTER: PAUL TIULANA'S STORY. Anchorage, AK: The CIRI Foundation (P.O. Box 93330, Anchorage 99509-3330), c1987. 125 p. $15.95. A recognised traditional leader of the King Island Eskimo talks about his life on King Island, Nome and Anchorage. ISBN 0938227025. wln88-057510.


Walsh, Charles. FORAGING IN ALASKA FOR FUN AND PROFIT / illustrations by Sandra J. Fongemie. Fairbanks, AK : Plant Press (P.O. Box 73412, Fairbanks 99707), c1986. 151 p. $8.00. Experiences and information on Alaska wild plants, including foraging, harvesting, packaging and storing. wln86-170419.


WILD FURBEARER MANAGEMENT AND CONSERVATION IN NORTH AMERICA / edited by Milan Novak...[et al.]. Toronto : Ontario Trappers Association, 1987. 1150 p. $75.00. History and overview of trapping, the management principles and techniques, the species involved, the fur industry and programs in Canada and the United States, including Alaska. ISBN 0774393653. cn88-093374.

Williams, Peter J. (Peter John). PIPELINES & PERMAFROST : SCIENCE IN A COLD CLIMATE. Ottawa : Carleton University Press, 1986. 129 p. $9.95. Discussion of oil, gas and frozen ground; one chapter on the Trans-Alaska Pipeline which was "the first big pipeline on permafrost." ISBN 0886290562. cn87-090017.


ADULT FICTION


Jenkins, Buck. THE ENDLESS SEARCH. Bend, OR : B. Jenkins, c1985. 303 p. Semi-autobiographical novel of Brett Lake, a boy who loves nature; some of his interaction with nature occurs in Alaska. w1n88-193674.


Arksey, Laura. AMERICAN DIARIES: AN ANNOTATED BIBLIOGRAPHY OF PUBLISHED AMERICAN DIARIES AND JOURNALS. Detroit, MI: Gale Research, c1983-c1987. 2 v. $98.00 (v. 2). V. 2. Diaries written from 1845 to 1980 (library purchased v. 2 only). Arranged chronologically and then by diarist name within each year; references to Alaska diaries. ISBN 0810318016 (v. 2). LC 83-008860.


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