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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Office of the Secretary

November 24, 1914.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESS:

The President, upon the recommendation of Secretary Lane, has withdrawn a tract of land 15 miles square in Alaska about three miles above the source of the Riley Channel of the Kobuk River for the use of the Bureau of Education in connection with its work among the natives of Alaska. It is the policy of the Bureau of Education to attract indigenous natives to such reservation from which undesirables may be excluded, and within which the funds of the Bureau can be more economically and effectively expended than in small and widely separated villages.

Mr. Refflye: -

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