

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

BUREAU OF EDUCATION

ALASKA DIVISION

SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

January 27, 1914.

Supt. W. C. Shields,
Nome, Alaska.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed find half a voucher for \$59.94 in favor
Leo Augrook for lightering supplies at Deering.

There was no contract with the Western Alaska S.
S. Co., in regard to this shipment. They being the only
boat to sail took our supplies at regular rates, ship's
tackle Deering. Their entire freight for Deering, including
Government goods and private shipments, were all loaded at
one time on the lighters of a local company who as usual
delivered all at the Deering store.

As they were to do the lightering of the S. S.
"Navajo" at Kotzebue, they could not, or would not, segre-
gate the Government goods from the private shipments and
make a separate and special delivery at the Deering school
for the reason that they had to sail with the steamship to
Kotzebue. This is a legitimate charge and I think should
be paid, and I trust you will be able to find funds with
which to meet this bill, inasmuch as I have practically
nothing left in any of my authorizations.

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You will note that only one half of a voucher
is attached. This is all that we received at this office.

Very truly yours,

H. C. Trueman

Supply Agent.

Enc.
H/S.

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