

Nome, Alaska. June 16, 1914

Mr. Chas. Replegle,

DeerSag, Alaska.

My dear Mr. Replegle :

Your letter dated early in June was received a few days ago and forwarded to Mr. Lopp so that the check for the salary you requested should come in on the next boat which will be time enough for you to receive it when navigation opens. Mr. Johnson has written you about it.

I can assure you that I will be very glad to do all I can for your son when he arrives. We will be able to give him a good room above the office so that it will not be necessary for him to go elsewhere. I look forward to seeing him.

Things look bad for an increased appropriation so we will not have very much to spend on the Kobuk move but I am sure we will have something. Mr. Lopp is very strongly in favor of it. He believes we can make a second, but improved Metlakatla, on the Kobuk and possibly still keep Deering for a summer school. I hope to have more to tell you when I come up later on. Be sure to keep after your people so that they stick to the Kobuk move. If you carry it through successfully, as you will, it will be a real forward step in our work and to you will go the credit. With best wishes to you both and expecting to be with you soon,

Very truly yours,



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