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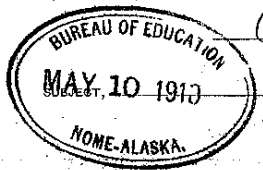
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Apr. 21, 1910.

your handwriting home W.S.

Mr. Evans-

Mr. Magids from the store has been here and says that his store as yet has no pay for the coal oil. We gave them a voucher when it was bought. When you were here you said you were going to settle for it and I knew nothing more of it. He also spoke of voucher given in 1908 which he said you were going to explain to me but I do not think you spoke of it to me. You may have to Dr. Newsom but he is at the Selawik now.

The chimney here is defective and the timbers caught fire - some lay directly on the cracked fireclay pipe so we have had to get pulpashator to stop up the places & cover the pipe. We also had to hire Mr. Wentworth to do some work on that as Dr. Newsom was away at the time. If it had not during school & we happened to see the smoke the building would
Evans ordered Newsom to buy pipe cement

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probably gone as there was a high-
wind that day. Under what head would
the voucher for that expense come?

I wish we might have the chimneys here
replaced by safer ones. Mr. Wentworth
says every pipe was cracked before placed
in the chimney and he has always
said that sooner or later the building
would burn. A part of the chimney in
the attic has been closed-boxed in so
we do not know whether or not that has
timbers that would ignite. It would render
it much safer if something different could
be substituted for the pipe in here now.

Sincerely yours

Fannie L. Newsom.