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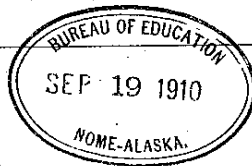
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Sept 18, _____, 191*2*

SUBJECT, _____



Mr. W. C. Shield

Dear Sir,

The Five dollars, for board & lodging was on a check book I left at Delawich last spring (by mistake) the fare to Kotzebue & return I know, was not for myself alone but we were informed at Seattle we would be expected to go to Kotzebue in the summer & with the other teachers the fare for all were paid from Seattle, so I feel it only what others have received so I put in the account as you have it I trust I have done nothing amiss:

I am surprised the Bureau have cut on my transportation expenses, I will do the best I can, nevertheless:

I have received no instructions regarding my next years work if none are received I will go on making as many trips as possible call on all the people & render every aid I can. (I refer to blanks I filled out last year.

You spoke in your letter on last mail of experiences, we have had during the last year. I suppose you as well as we never had seen such cold weather, we traveled the very coldest day of the winter but we will not next winter I hope, we did not freeze but we don't want to, I do not dread the severe cold so much, the severe wind, storms, drifting snow & dark days make life most miserable. Kind regards from all of us very respecfully.

The instructions regarding the claiming were not received by me until
 11/11/1911. I do not know what to do. We did not get word until