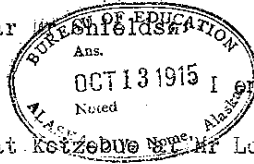


Dear



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I enclose herewith a list of the books which were condemned at Kotzebue ^{at} Mr. Lopp's suggestion, at least he suggested that some of the books be condemned and then given out to the children for use in the winter camps. Perhaps I have been very lavish but I tried to be reasonable in the matter. I have a very strong feeling that this is a wise use, ^{one} an extremely wise ^{to} which to put these books. However I should feel very badly if the ^{school} ~~school~~ projected for next Summer should in any way be hampered because I have been liberal to my Kotzebue friends in the distribution of these books. Will you not make it an especial extra, ^o important duty of your ~~to~~ to see that there is no scarcity of books at the Summer school in Kotzebue next year?

The village library I did not condemn altho I ^{divided} ~~divided~~ it into three sections, one for each of the two reindeer camps and one for the village at Kotzebue. Lists of the books taken are kept by someone at each of these places and later ⁿ ~~a~~ exchange will be made so each of these camps will have three different sets of books.

Trusting that my action in this matter will not meet with your disapproval,

Very cordially yours,

James M. Nichols

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Kotzebue, Alaska.

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Sept. 18th 1915.

List of books condemned at Kotzebue., at Mr Lopp's order.

- 3 Heath's First Readers.
- 3 Heath's Second Readers.
- 2 DeGarmo's Lesson's in English.
- 3 Long's Lessons in English.
- 9 Wade and Silvester Primers.
- 8 Wade and Silvester's First Readers.
- 3 Wade and Silvester Second Readers.
- 3 Jingle Primers.
- 9 Practical Lessons in Arithmetic.
- 3 Ourdoor Primers.
- 5 New Elementary Arithmetics.
- 6 Fishing and Hunting.
- 8 First book for NonEnglish Speaking People.
- 9 Eskimo Stories, ~~Howies.~~
- 8 Action Primers.
- 7 Jones Reader, Book One.
- 3 Ear and Eye Spelling Books.
- Barnes Elementary Histories.
- 3 Youths Temperance Manuals.

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List of condemned books continued, Kotzebue.

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5 Webster Common School Dictionaries.

5 Normal Course in Spelling.

3 Primer of Sanitation.

10 Eskimo Stories, Hawkes.

3 Serl Primary Language Lessons.

2 Mother Goose Village ~~and~~ Stories.

3 Songs of the Child World, Riley and Gaynor.

3 Overall Boys Primer.

3 Sunbonnet Babies Primer.

2 Around the World, Book One.

6 Songs We Like to Sing.

3 Baldwin Second Readers.

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