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Nome, Alaska, August 22, 1910

Miss Martha Hunnicutt,

Deering, Alaska.

My dear Miss Hunnicutt:

I have read the Annual report of the Deering school with great interest, and am glad to find so much evidence of progress. I hope that your report will be printed in our annual report next year.

I was very sorry to hear about Mrs. Hudson's sickness. Sorry for her and for the work that must lose her. Her work will show for a long time. I will hope for the best, and trust to see her here with Mr. Hudson soon. I have heard of no one coming for Buckland. It will be a serious blow in the work if that situation is not filled. You will find Mr. and Mrs. White fine people.

Your letter about the work of some of the natives in putting out tundra fires was of especial interest. I would like to thank each one of these on the "Honor Roll" for their good work in putting out the fires. The fire menace to the reindeer grounds is a serious one, and one to which we will have to give much attention.

Very truly yours,

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