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ALASKA SCHOOL SERVICE

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SUBJECT. Kotzebue, Alaska.

Mr. Walter C. Shields,
Supt. Northwestern District,
Nome, Alaska.

Dear Mr. Shields:-

Here is a matter that demands an investigation. It should develop into a prosecution for petty larceny. The evidence I could give would be convincing with just one more fact to establish fact proof.

You were in Kotzebue when the freight for Noatak, Selawik & Shungnak schools was put into Brunburg's warehouse.

Mr. Samson removed the Selawik freight soon after. The Shungnak freight remained there for several weeks. The Noatak freight still longer.

Mr. Replogle of Deering checked off the Noatak freight as it was put in ^{from this letter}. He said that the bill of lading checked off complete.

I noticed the presence of a jumbo stove just outside the warehouse door for several

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