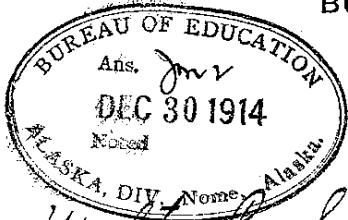


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December 1, 1914

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Mr. Walter C. Shields,
District Superintendent of Schools,
Nome, Alaska.

Dear Sir,

Enclosed you will find list showing original and Alaska prices of supplies purchased for the fuel at Noatak for the year ending June 30, 1915. I have also enclosed a list showing the amount and value of the wood furnished by each native, and the amount and value of the barter goods given him in payment for the month of November. You see we have just received three cords of wood but this month more wood will have to be brought in as our supply is getting low.

In our first mail - about a week ago - we received the circular letter sent out by Mr. Sopp, regarding the valuation of native property in our village. It is absolutely impossible for us to gather this information at the present time as most of our people have left to

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village to trap, but just as soon as they return we will gather this information.

Our school work is progressing nicely and all are greatly interested. The older girls are doing exceptionally well in their Domestic Science work.

Last week we were relieved of some of our many church duties by the arrival of a missionary from Kotzebue. The natives have helped Mr. White, and they are just completing a good cabin for her.

The reindeer boys brought the herd from Sealing Point on Nov. 8 and Mr. Ausley went out to the camp the following day and remained for two days, and made another trip on Nov. 27th. He thought best, likewise the boys, to move the herd to a better grazing place 4 miles south west of the old location. They have their cabin almost completed now and will be more comfortably located in every respect. Paul will remain with the herd until you arrive. Peter Garfield and John came

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expecting you to arrive soon. But we told them, as you instructed us, that they could draw a few deer, so Peter killed three and John two, for food, and returned to the Kobuk. They expect to be here when you are. They were quite disappointed.

We see by the Nome paper Mr. Losp is in Alaska, we hope he will come to Noatak before his return to the States.

Under separate cover I am sending monthly school reports.

Yours truly,
Clarence Aubrey
Mrs. Sue B. Aubrey

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