

Nome, Alaska. Nov. 30, 1914

Mr. W. F. Lopp,
Chief of the Alaska Division,
Bureau of Education,
Seattle, Wash .

Dear Sir :

I enclose herewith Mr. F. M. Sickler's letter to me dated Oct. 26, 1914. In this letter you will note that the residence at Shungnak, which has had such a checkered career, has now been finished in a satisfactory manner.

It was necessary for Mr. Sickler to employ a native and Mr. Lloyd to assist him in the work. In my opinion his employment of this extra labor was necessary and the expense should be allowed. I will be able to settle with the native when I reach Shungnak, but I have no funds to settle with Mr. Lloyd and I do not care to pay him in Government supplies or deer unless so instructed. I am accordingly wiring you today requesting an authorization from Repairs of ninety dollars for this work. I hope you will be able to let me have this amount from some fund, as I have no funds of my own that could be so applied. If you can make this additional authorization I will try to turn back funds from some other authorization to cover this excess.

Very truly yours

Superintendent, N.W. District

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