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Nome, Alaska. Oct 7, 1915

Mr. H. C. Sinclair,

Supply Agent,

Seattle, Wash .

Dear Sir :

The following is an extract of a letter from
Mr. Sickler, teacher at Shungnak . *Aug 16*

"I notice that there were no goods for FUEL, but a quantity came labelled REINDEER. Was this a mistake, or were the goods sent for a special purpose? As you know, we have no apprentices and the Inventory has not been disposed of."

I have no records here to show how much wood was left on hand last year, or any copy of the Requisition, so do not know if Mr. Sickler ordered any barter goods.

The thing I cannot understand is just why any reindeer supplies were sent to Shungnak, unless the supplies were just a small order of harness and sled material.

In accordance with Mr. Lopps suggestion I have ordered that these supplies, if they are suitable be transferred to the fuel account. very truly yours

W.S.