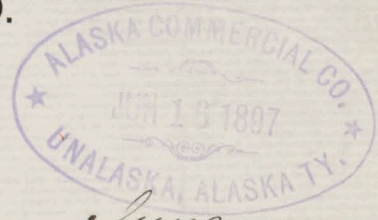


ALASKA COMMERCIAL CO.

MAIN OFFICE, 310 SANSOME STREET,

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.



ALASKA, June 1897

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Mrs A Gray

Agent Alaska Com Co Unalaska

Dear Sir:

Herewith please find enclosed bills of Sundry Accounts, also Furs \$49⁵⁰ drafts \$879⁰⁰ shipped by the boat please credit us for same.

If you have any Sugar Ale, Cider, or Sawapanik Water

✓ 5 Box Pines

✓ 20th Pepper

✓ 200th Sible Tobacco

✓ 6 pro. Cheese (boat Ashland Shiting)

✓ 5 sz White Spool Cotton #60. send us by return of the boat.

We have drawn on your office draft #677 for \$25⁰⁰ favor Coan Algin please honor the draft and charge us for same.

✓ Please send us by return of the boat \$1000⁰⁰ in Silver and small gold coin.

Forward you the account by the Purser.

With kindest regards to Mrs Gray and yours truly
I am

Yours very truly
O. W. Carlson

Unga Alaska

June 97

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ALASKA COMMERCIAL CO.

MAIN OFFICE, 310 SANSOME STREET,

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.



ALASKA, June 14th 1897

Mr. R. Neumann

General Agent Alaska Commercial Co. Unalaska Dist

Dear Sir:

Referring to Mr Gray's letter of May 4th stating about furs agreed and to be at Kodiak at the rate for first quality average Sea Otter 125⁰⁰ are we to have the same rate? If I understand right the Kodiak dist. furnishes their natives with hunting outfit and schoons, the Western natives receive 1/3 of their catch for their outfit.

Now about those 4 by dunks that is on the Baranoff do you wish the furs if any to be sent to Unalaska or should I purchase them here? if so please state the price for first class fur.

We ship on the Son 5 Por. Bear which I paid 46⁰⁰ purchased previously to last admie if this is too high for them, I can dispose them for about 15⁰⁰ per.

We hear that Angell & Luttinger has 10 Large Otter caught in May. everything is well here. business little dull at present too much attraction at the Flat. Kindest regards to you from Mrs. Lundson and from
Yours very truly
O. W. Carlson

Wega Alaska

June 14/99

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ALASKA COMMERCIAL CO.

100 NORTH 2ND ST. SITKA, ALASKA

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ALASKA COMMERCIAL CO.

MAIN OFFICE, 310 SANSOME STREET,

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.



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ALASKA, June 25 1897

Mr J Gray
Agent Alaska Coal & Amalaska.
Dear Sir

Your letter of June 21st by mail steamer was duly received
also the Coin, Merchandise and Taxes which have been sent
to the islands.

We enclose herewith the corrected list of Merchandise received
by the boat June 23rd also letter from the U.S. with instructions referring
to Erlaudsen. I have advised the Home Office by last mail
that Erlaudsen claims that \$30⁰⁰ is the amount Eric Erlaudsen
is to draw on his acct at every month from the Home Office in place
of \$35⁰⁰ as advised in the letter herewith. We are advised by Mrs L. S. J.
to ship you tobacco to be forwarded for sale at St Michael District
to the amount of 798⁰⁰ as per bills herewith.

Please find enclosed Sitka My nd Com Co's ^{ap} transpd 61⁰⁰ and I received
bill of Postage Bay My nd amount to \$406³⁰ also copy of advice of
drafts read to S. F. The amount of 488²¹ account Govmt School
is for material advanced for an addition built on to the School house
the Govmt allowed last year 350⁰⁰ for enlargement of same,
the balance is for sundries ^{ap} of the school bills have been
forwarded to Washington for collection.

Referring to the articles in the line of Clothing & Furnishing
dry and Fancy goods, our stock is very small and was
sent to San Francisco in May. as we have a large stock
on hand. the same with ladies cloaks, if the natives are
successful we may dispose few to them

We have on hand moccasins & Boots if you desire
any advise us in your next.

We return you the Gungas all as per bill herewith as
we can not dispose of it on ap. it being damaged.
not even at cost price.

The following are the articles in clothing & Furnishy goods
struck out from our full requisition

3 1/2	1/18	N.W. drawers	large size	} No shirt
9	65	Selt Flau	" " "	
3	"	820	N Wool " " "	
2	"	1404	N Wool " " "	

If you can supply us with the above from Unalaska please
do so otherwise order for us from San Francisco.

With kindest regards to Mrs Gray and self

Yours Very Truly
O. W. Carlson

If you have on hand in Unalaska 1/2 dm A & C letter heads
please send us by first mail

Unga Alaska

June 25/94

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St. Michael

ALASKA,

July

1897

Rudolph Neumann, Esq.

Genl Supt Alaska Commercial Co.

Unalaska.

Dear Sir:-

I understand there are at Unalaska a number of chronometers which are now of no particular use there; and, if some does not cost too much, I would like to have one for the use of this Station. If you can let me have one, recently rated, I would prefer it.

Referring to a case landed from the 'Bertha' last year, marked #11 and containing ticking; as this has been placed in Stock, you will please charge this Station with it & forward invoice. I understand you also missed, from same shipment, a case of Coats & Vests. Mr Geo. Sipary wrote me last Fall that such a case had been delivered there; and, although he gave no marks or numbers, this must be the case you are looking for.

Mr Wm. Ogilvie, Govt. Surveyor, now up the Yukon, asks me to have reserved for him at Unalaska, a large Kamlika and some good specimens

of Altha Cigarette Case. Mr Ogilvie expects to go down sometime this year I will get them on his way, but if he does not manage to do this I shall instruct you further.

Trusting you are well and with best wishes to Mr. Gony and yourself I remain

Yours faithfully
James M. Gibson
Supt.

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St. Michaels Alaska

July 3-97

J. M. Wilson Supt

Relation to case containing
Ticking -

also to lost box containing
Coats & Hats supposed to
be at Kuskokwim.

Asks that certain articles
be procured for Mrs
Ogline

St. Michael

July 3rd 1897

Supt's Letter

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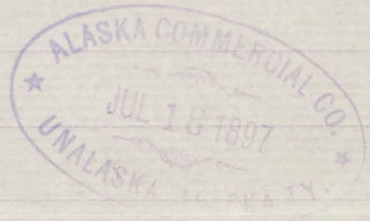
ALASKA, Unalaska July 9 1897

Wm A Gray
Dear Sir:

Unalaska

The Apow is protesting the pay ment for
the cement received by the Board June trip,
they claim that Cement per Bbl. ^{300th} only cost
about 2⁵⁰/₁₀₀ and they are charged at the rate
of 7⁵⁰ in addition to this 15% from Unalaska
and 10% for station which makes the cost of 300 lbs
cost \$9.37² Please look over this matter as we think
the charges enormous. Trusting that you may be
able to make it satisfactory

Yours Very Truly
Edw. Carlson



Unalaska
Dear Sir
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Anga Alaska
July 9/97

In reference to
the charge made
for cement shipped
from $\langle \rangle$

ALASKA COMMERCIAL CO.

1000 Broadway, New York, N.Y.

Telephone 1000

Approved
J. H. [Signature]
July 10, 1897

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JUL 10 1897

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MAIN OFFICE, 310 SANSOME STREET,
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ALASKA, July 13th 1897

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Mr R. M. Munn
Genl Agent Alaska Coal Co
Unalaska Dist

Dear Sir:

Having heard in Mr Gray's letter that you have returned from St Michaels and of all the wrecks that has been discovered in the Yukon district I am happy to hear as that means business, I can not say much from here but think that it begins to look better, as the rising sun begins to show gold and we hope when they get further in that it is better as for the Apolo it is the same with exception the ore is in the one hundred level is getting better.

On the first of this month there was an ~~accident~~ ^{explosion} in the upper tunnel the powder exploded. two men C G Baake and C J Ross died of the powder gas C G Baake owes us about 1100⁰⁰ in security we hold a mortgage for a Building in town and one at Wilkinson's Creek which is rented and brings 60⁰⁰ per month this property cost ~~us~~ ^{to build} about 1800⁰⁰ & paid up that 1100 remains unpaid I spoke to Mr Gould and Capt Kay.

Row Alarm, but the Powder gas overtook him, and about 10 P.M. they found both dead.

Lo Backe owes the Company 1003⁸⁰ covered with Mortgage Building in town rents 50⁰⁰ per year and one at Wilkinson Creek. which is rented at 60⁰⁰ per month this property cost to build and furnished about 2000⁰⁰ the above remains to be paid.

I spoke to Mr Good and Capt Hays. to arrange with Judge Woodward for me to have the power to collect the rent and have charge of the Property, and I wish if you can arrange in any way that you see fit so that we can get ours out of it, if possible have it arranged by the return of the boat. as the rents are due on the 1st of August.

Angus and Guttridge arrived to day from hunting in Guy last, the report was that they had 1050. but it was a false report, they have One large Otter and a pup. the hunters were dissatisfied and could not agree. they report Baranof and Olga 26 Otters each.

I mirrored the foxes and lauded them on Simonofsky I will make a trip to Konuski after the boat leaves for the eastward to see how your foxes are.

The Carrier boat and Ethel Sane arrived to day with 1900 tons of Coal for the Apollo, Mr Mayow is disappointed

that the Locomotion has not arrived which
is on the "Mercury" as it makes Express and
delay in discharging these vessels.

July 14.

I don't think that you can understand
this letter as the first of this letter was destroyed
in place of this and the time will not
permit for to write it proper as it
should be. Hoping that you overlook
this. With kindest regards to you
from yours very truly
J. W. Carlson

Unya Alaska

July 13-97

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ALASKA, *Unza* July 13th 1897

Mr. A. Gray
Agent Alaska Commercial Co.
Unalaska -

Dear Sir

Herewith please find enclosed bill for draft for 10217²⁰ shipped per *S. S. Sora* also bill for merchandise account *Balkovsky* for 9²⁶ for which please credit this station.

We beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of July 6th referring to Mr. A. Traumann. I went to Mr. Mayon and consulted with him, at present he was not sure of anything for him but if anything should turn up he would remember, and here I don't see at present what would be suitable for him except if we should get a commissioner here. We will do the best to endorse him for a massah, we are all happy to hear of the fastness in Yukon. I am sure number of men will leave from here as quite an excitement exist among them.

If you have any news show in congress or later please send us by return of the *Sora*.

Very truly yours,
W. H. Carlson

Alaska Alaska
July 13-99

Agents Letter

ALASKA COMMERCIAL CO.

1000 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, N. Y.

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