

NAME
or NO.

- Second Road District -

Re: - 1919 Appropriation -

B

Road Dist # 2

Juneau, June 26, 1919.

Alaska Banking & Safe Deposit Co.,

Nome, Alaska.

Charge my account pay Sheldon Treasurer Divisional Road Commission
twelve hundred and fifty dollars taking receipt as for erection of
Shelter cabins. I cover like amount into your Seattle Account.
Payment involved this telegram not more than twelve hundred fifty
dollars.

Smith, Treasurer.

Night letter prepaid \$1.25

June 26, 1919.

Alaska Banking & Safe Deposit Co.,

Nome, Alaska.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed I hand you confirmation copy of telegram sent you this date requesting charge to my account and payment of \$1,250.00 to Mr. R. V. Sheldon, Divisional Road Treasurer, for account construction of Shelter cabins.

In accordance with statement contained in the telegram, I am to-day remitting similar amount to the Union Nat. Bank, Seattle, for your credit and advice.

Very truly yours,

Territorial Treasurer.

June 26, 1919.

Union National Bank,
Seattle, Wash.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed, for credit and advice of the Alaska Banking
& Safe Deposit Co., Nome, Alaska, I hand you check of this office
on the Dexter Horton National Bank, Seattle, for \$1,250.00.

Please promptly acknowledge receipt, and when advising
the Nome bank, please advise as in replacement of telegraphic
order for payment as of this date.

Very truly yours,

Territorial Treasurer.

UNION NATIONAL BANK

SUCCESSORS TO
UNION SAVINGS & TRUST CO.

SEATTLE, WASH., July 2nd, 1919

FILE NO.
REC'D. JUL 7 - 1919
ANSW'D

Honorable W. G. Smith,
Territorial Treasurer,
Juneau, Alaska.

Dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your favor of June 26th enclosing check on the Dexter Horton National Bank of this city for \$1250.00 and as requested we are crediting the same to the Alaska Banking and Safe Deposit Company of Nome, Alaska, with advice to them that this is in replacement of telegraphic order of June 26th.

Yours very truly,



C a s h i e r.

H

Road Dist No 2

"Alaska"

Juneau, Alaska, July 9, 1919.

Miners & Merchants Bank,

Nome, Alaska.

Charge my account pay Sheldon, Treasurer Divisional Road Commission,
ten thousand dollars, I remit like amount to Scandinavian American
Bank, Seattle, for your credit and advice. Payment involved in this
telegram not more than ten thousand dollars.

Smith, Treasurer.

~~SMITH, TREASURER~~

Night letter prepaid \$1.25

July 10, 1919.

Miners & Merchants Bank,
Ketchikan, Alaska.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed I hand you confirmation copy of telegram sent you last evening requesting charge to my account and payment of \$10,000.00 to Mr. J. V. Sheldon, Treasurer of the Divisional Road Commission.

In accordance with statement contained in the telegram, I am to day remitting this amount to the Scandinavian American Bank, Seattle, for credit and advice of your bank.

Very truly yours,

Territorial Treasurer.

July 10, 1919.

Scandinavian American Bank,
Seattle, Wash.

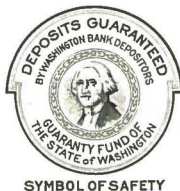
Gentlemen:

Enclosed, for credit and advice of the Miners & Merchants Bank, Nome, Alaska, I hand you draft of the B. M. Behrens Bank, Juneau, on the Dexter Horton National Bank, Seattle, for \$10,000.00.

Please promptly acknowledge receipt and when advising the Nome bank, please advise as remitted from this office in replacement of telegraphic request for payment as of date of yesterday.

Very truly yours,

Territorial Treasurer.



THE SCANDINAVIAN AMERICAN BANK

CAPITAL \$1,000,000

SURPLUS \$500,000

MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE BANK

SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

July 16, 1919.

Territory of Alaska,
Treasurer's Office,
Juneau, Alaska.

Gentlemen:

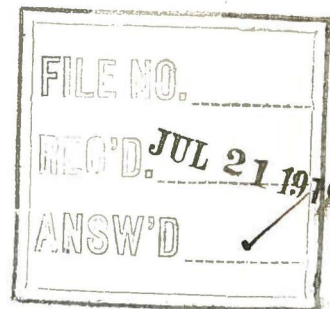
This will acknowledge receipt of draft for \$10,000 which amount as requested we have credited to the Miners & Merchants Bank, Nome, Alaska, advising them this is in payment of your telegraphic transfer of July 9.

Thanking you for the remittance, we remain

Yours very truly,

Jaspe Mayo
Assistant Cashier.

JM/BM



UNITED STATES SIGNAL CORPS.

Form 124.

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SEND THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE:—

Juneau, Sept. 4, 1919

Welch,

Nome

No funds for cleaning Eskimo cabins. If Gibney will make requisition for purpose of putting shelter cabins in fit condition, may be able to divert some funds from allotment to First Division.

RIGGS, Governor

Copy to
W. G. Smith

COMMERCIAL TRAFFIC

U. S. NAVAL RADIO SERVICE

S. R. S. No.

RADIOGRAM:

PREFIX	STATION CHECK	SPECIAL PREFIX	OR U. S. S. TIME FILED	OPERATOR	CLERK	DATE	REMARKS
RADIO							

Juneau, Alaska, September 6, 1919.

To

Miners & Merchants Bank,
Nome, Alaska.

Charge my account and pay Bachelder, Treasurer Divisional Road Commission,
ten thousand dollars. Remitting like amount to Seattle for your credit and
advice. Payment involved in this telegram no more than ten thousand dollars.

Smith, Treasurer.

Night letter prepaid.

SENT TO			(CALL LETTERS)		VIA (RADIO)					
PREFIX	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	NO.	OPERATOR		CHECK	SPECIAL PREFIX	FILING		FORWARDING	
RADIO			SEND.	RECG.			DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME

September 6, 1919.

Miners & Merchants Bank,
Nome, Alaska.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed I hand you confirmation copy of telegram sent you this date, requesting charge to my account and payment of \$10,000.00 to Mr. J. E. Batchelder, Treasurer of the Divisional Road Commission.

In accordance with statement contained in the telegram, I am today remitting like amount to the Scandinavian American Bank, Seattle, for your credit and advice.

Very truly yours,

Territorial Treasurer.

September 6, 1919,

Scandinavian American Bank,
Seattle, Wash.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed, for credit and advice of the Miners & Merchants Bank, Nome, Alaska, I hand you draft of the B. M. Behrends Bank, Juneau, on the Dexter Horton National Bank, Seattle, for \$10,000.00.

Please promptly acknowledge receipt and when advising the Nome bank, please advise as in replacement of our request for payment of like amount as of this date.

Very truly yours,

Territorial Treasurer.

THE SCANDINAVIAN AMERICAN BANK

SEATTLE, WASHINGTON,

SEPT. 12 1919.

WE CREDIT

MINERS AND MERCHANTS BANK

NOME ALASKA.

UNDER ADVICE

\$ 10000.00

AS PER INSTRUCTIONS IN YOUR LETTER OF SEPT. 6 1919.

MAIL TO

FOR ACCT. OF
OR SETTLEMENT OF

REPLACEMENT OF REQUEST FOR PAYMENT

W. G. SMITH TERRITORIAL TREAS.

OF LIKE AMT. 9/6/19.

JUNEAU ALASKA.

V. M. M.

TELLER

No. _____

Nome, Alaska, _____

SEP 15 1919

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Received of MINERS AND MERCHANTS BANK OF ALASKA,

Two Hundred Fifty & ^{no}/₁₀₀ ————— Dollars

for W. G. Dush-Treas. 9/13/19

Maintenance Outer Cabins

\$ 250⁰⁰ ✓

J. Bachelder
Snoo Divisional Road Com.

Dec. 18, 1919.

Mr. Barney Gibney, Chairman,

Divisional Road Com., Second Road District,

Nome, Alaska.

Dear Sir:-

I write to advise you of an apportionment having been made in the sum of \$25,456.77 in Forest Reserve Fund of the Territory; such amount having been received from the Treasury of the United States in settlement of the Territory's statutory percentage of receipts from National Forests in Alaska for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919: the said apportionment being as follows:-

To Appropriation for Maintenance of a Public School System in Alaska, under provisions of Chap. 74, Session Laws of 1915, twenty-five per centum or,-----\$ 6,364.17

To Appropriation for Construction, Maintenance and Protection of Public Roads, Bridges and Trails throughout Alaska, under provisions of Chap. 27, Session Laws 1915; seventy-five per centum to be divided equally among the Four Road Districts of the Territory.

To First Road District,.....	\$4,773.15
To Second Road District,.....	4,773.15
To Third Road District,.....	4,773.15
To Four Road District,.....	4,773.15
	<u>19,092.60</u>

Total,---\$25,456.77

Of the above noted amounts be advised that the sum of \$4,773.15 is available to the Divisional Road Commission, Second Road District, for requisition and expenditure in addition to amounts heretofore appropriated.

For your information I would state that according to records of this office a total sum of \$50,000.00 has been expended in the Second Road District during the current year from moneys appropriated for road purposes by 1919 Session of the Legislature; \$20,000.00 of said sum having been expended by the Terr. Divisional Road Commission and \$30,000.00 by the Alaska Road Commission under co-operative agreements with the the Territorial Board of Road Commissioners.

Kindly advise upon receipt of the above communication,

CC-

J. A. Baskelder, Treasurer,
Div. Road Com., 2nd Road Dist.,
Nome, Alaska.

Very truly yours,

Territorial Treasurer.

J.E.CHILBERG, PRESIDENT
J.J.COLE, VICE PRES. & MANGR.

J.A.BATCHELDER, CASHIER
A.COLE, ASST. CASHIER

Miners and Merchants Bank

OF ALASKA

CAPITAL \$ 100,000.00

NOME, ALASKA



Road Dist
No. 2

Mr. W.G. Smith,
Territorial Treasurer,
Juneau, Alaska.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of a copy of your letter of Dec. 18th. to Mr. Barney Gibney, Chairman, Divisional Road Commission, Second Road District, advising him of apportionments from the Forest Reserve Fund of the Territory, to the different Road Districts.

Yours very truly,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Batchelder".

Treas Div. Road Com.
2nd. District.

UNITED STATES SIGNAL CORPS.

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"Alas"

SEND THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE:—

Juneau, Alaska, April 14, 1920.

Miners & Merchants Bank,

Nome, Alaska.

Charge my account and pay Bachelder, Treasurer Divisional Road
Commission, One hundred sixty six dollars and thirty three cents,
taking receipt as for shelter cabin funds. Payment involved in
this telegram not more than one hundred sixty six dollars and
thirty three cents.

Smith, Treasurer.

Night letter, prepaid \$1.35

April 15, 1920.

Miners & Merchants Bank,

Nome, Alaska.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is confirmation copy of telegram sent you last evening, requesting charge to my account and payment of \$166.33 to "Bachelder, Treasurer Divisional Road Commission" taking receipt as for Shelter Cabin Funds.

Very truly yours,

Territorial Treasurer.



DIVISIONAL ROAD COMMISSION

SECOND JUDICIAL DIVISION

NOME, ALASKA.

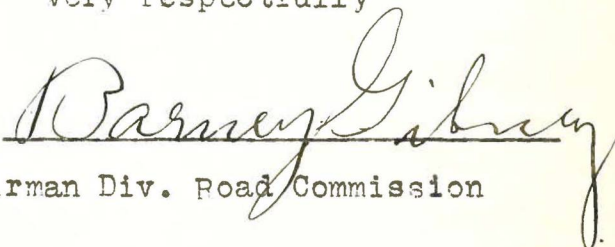
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REC'D.	MAY 18 1920
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W. G. Smith Esq
Territorial Treasurer,
Juneau Alaska,
Dear sir,-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your
communication under date of December 18 1919, relative
to the Forest Reserve Fund.

Very respectfully


Chairman Div. Road Commission

ORIGINAL

\$ 166³³

NOME, ALASKA

April 15th 1920

Received from the MINERS AND MERCHANTS BANK OF ALASKA under

graphic request from

W. G. Smith Territorial Treas

For Acct Division Road Commission - Shultz Cabin Fund

Dated

April 14th 1920

the sum of

One hundred sixty six ³³/₁₀₀

DOLLARS

for which I hold myself responsible to the MINERS AND MERCHANTS BANK OF ALASKA
in the event of any error or irregularity in telegram authorizing this payment or a failure to cover same.

ified and above transaction guaranteed by

Address

W. G. Smith
Treas Divisional Road Commission
2nd District

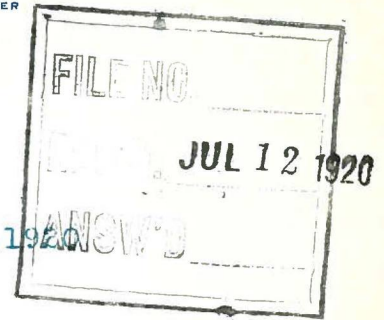
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J.A.BATCHELDER, CASHIER
A.COLE, ASST. CASHIER

Miners and Merchants Bank
OF ALASKA

CAPITAL \$ 100,000.00

NOME, ALASKA April 15th. 1920



Mr. W.G. Smith,
Territorial Treas.
Juneau, Alaska.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find receipt showing
payment to J.A. Bachelder, Treasurer of the Divi-
sional Road Commission, Second District, of \$166.33
as requested in your telegram of Apr. 14th.

Yours very truly,

Miners & Merchants Bank,

By

J.A. Bachelder
Cashier.

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"Alas"

SEND THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE:—

Juneau, Alaska, August 4, 1920.

Minors & Merchants Bank,

Nome, Alaska.

Charge my account and pay Bachelder, Divisional Road Treasurer,
one hundred and fifty dollars for specific purpose building dog
barn at Cape Douglas shelter cabin. Payment involved this telegram
not more than one hundred fifty dollars.

Smith, Treasurer.

Night letter, prepaid \$1.25

August 4, 1920.

Miners & Merchants Bank,

Nome, Alaska.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is confirmation copy of telegram sent you this date, requesting charge to my account and payment of \$150.00 to J. A. Bechelder, Treasurer, Divisional Road Commission, for specific purpose of building a dog barn at the Cape Douglas shelter cabin.

In view of the smallness of this requested payment we are not replacing it in our account with your bank through your Seattle correspondent bank.

Very truly yours,

Territorial Treasurer.

SIGNAL CORPS, UNITED STATES ARMY

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W G SMITH

TERRITORIAL TREASURER JUNEAU ALS

REFER TO YOUR TELEGRAM AUGUST FOURTH TRANSFERRING ONE HUNDRED FIFTY
DOLLARS TO ME FOR SPECIFICE PURPOSE BUILDING DOG BARN AT CAPE DOUGLAS
ON WHOSE WARRANTS SHALL I DISBURSE THIS FUND I HAVE OFFICIALLY NOTIFED
THAT THE OFFICE OF ROAD COMMISSIONER THIS DISTRICT HAS BEEN ABOLISHED

J A BACHELDER

TREASURER DIVISION ROAD COMMISSION SECOND DISTRICT

9AM

Chas. D. Jones. Siph. for A.R.C.

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REC'D. SEP 14 1920
ANSW'D 9/17/20

UNITED STATES SIGNAL CORPS.

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"Alas"

SEND THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE:—

Juneau, Ala. September 17, 1920.

J. A. Bachelder, Treasurer,
Divisional Road Commission,
Nome, Alaska.

Reference your telegram thirteen instant, pay for dog barn at
Cape Douglas on orders signed by Charles D. Jones, Superintendent
Alaska Road Commission, the orders to be accompanied with receipted
bills showing full details.

Smith, Treasurer.

Night letter prepaid \$1.25

September 18, 1920.

Mr. J. A. Bachelder, Treasurer,
Divisional Road Commission,
Nome, Alaska.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is confirmation copy of telegram sent you
last evening, containing instruction for payment of bills
incurred in construction of dog barn at Cape Douglas Shelter
Sabin.

Very truly yours,

Territorial Treasurer.

ORIGINAL

\$ 150.⁰⁰

NOME, ALASKA Aug 5 1920

Received from the MINERS AND MERCHANTS BANK OF ALASKA under
telegraphic request from Wm G. Smith - Treas

Juneau Alaska Dated Aug 4-5 1920
the sum of One hundred fifty DOLLARS

for which I hold myself responsible to the MINERS AND MERCHANTS BANK OF ALASKA
in the event of any error or irregularity in telegram authorizing this payment or a failure to cover same.

Identified and above transaction guaranteed by

E. Bachelder
Treas. Divisional Board Commissioner
Address Second District

2nd Road Dist
September 23, 1920.

Messrs. Robinson & Greenburg,

Candle, Alaska.

Gentlemen:

This office is in receipt of your letter of July 15th, enclosing bill for goods furnished for Shelter Cabins on Council-Candle trail, on order of Mr. Barney Gibney, Chairman of the Divisional Road Commission.

Regarding this matter, please be advised that I will refer it to the Governor, the law relating to shelter cabins providing that the Governor shall have the apportioning of the funds appropriated by the Legislature. Please further be advised that the last legislature only appropriated \$5,000.00 for construction and maintenance of shelter cabins for the biennial period ending March 31, 1921. As the First Division requires no shelter cabins, the appropriation was, I understand, divided equally between the other three divisions.

Mr. Gibney, Divisional Chairman of the Second Road District, seems to have paid no attention to the amount appropriated, but wired in to the Secretary's office that he would need \$12,500.00 for shelter cabins in his division. He was promptly notified that a total for the Territory of only \$5,000. was available, of which total he could have one-third. In spite of this, he seems to have gone ahead and made all sorts of contracts and gotten things into a mess pretty generally. At this time the Third and Fourth Divisions have not used up the full amount allotted to them and it is barely possible that at the end of the biennium there may be some unexpended funds remaining in his appropriations.

As the Shelter Cabin Act provides that funds appropriated under it shall be expended that same as Road Funds, Mr. Gibney's suspension has created a rather difficult situation. As later Road Laws enacted permit the Territorial Board of Road Commissioners to enter into cooperative road agreements with the Alaska Road Commission, the road situation is provided for, but there seems to be no provisions of cooperation in regard to shelter cabins. Possibly any unpaid bills will be cared for by the next legislative session, but I am making this rather lengthy explanation so that you will understand the difficulties surrounding the payment of this rather small account.

Very truly yours,

Territorial Treasurer.

SIGNAL CORPS, UNITED STATES ARMY

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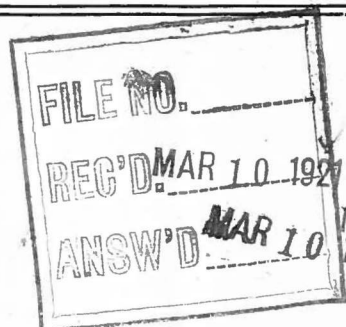
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RECEIVED NOVEMBER CHECK MY SALE STOP JULY AUGUST SEPTEMBER OCTOBER
 CHECK MISSING STOP KINDLY ISSUE DUPLICATES AND WIRE ME WHEN
 SENT

BARNEY GIBLEY

845A -10

Apr 13th for 83332
Warrant issued Nov 13th in settlement
of your salary for months of July, Aug
Sep. + Oct still outstanding. Can not issue
duplicates however without indemnifying
bond which is being forwarded for
execution. *Smith, Treasurer,*



SIGNAL CORPS, UNITED STATES ARMY
WASHINGTON-ALASKA MILITARY CABLE AND TELEGRAPH SYSTEM
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SEND THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE:

Juneau, Alaska, March 10, 1921.

Barney Gibney,

Nome, Alaska.

Warrant for Eight Hundred Thirty Three Dollars Thirty Two Cents issued November Thirteenth in settlement of your salary for months of July, August, September, and October still outstanding. Can not issue duplicate however without indemnifying bond which is being forwarded for execution.

Smith, Treasurer.

Night Letter Collect.