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Dear Mr. Lopp,-

I am much obliged to you for the information contained in your letter of January 14, last.

In answer to your question with respect to salary, I may say that as such employ is quite new to us, we find it rather difficult to arrive at a basis upon which to estimate a salary. Possibly you can suggest approximately a scale of pay that would in your opinion be fair and that would be acceptable to the herders.

We should have two families. There are one hundred and twenty-five reindeer in the herd at present, the herders would be responsible the year round for the care of the herd, under the supervision of a government representative, who would visit them during the navigation season.

The herd is located on the north shore of the st. Lawrence. The climate there is very cold in winter and on in manner. The herd is on a peninsula, bounded on one side

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