

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,

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Dear General

The men who were looking into the accounts left us a week ago but before leaving asked that all papers remain until the matter is closed. Mr. Fox said the Department might decide upon a review or more extended examination. They are boxed up (the papers) and in Mr. Kessler's custody at the store house.

Both Mr. Fox and Mr. Ambrose expressed themselves as friendly to you but gave no definite information as to their report except that it would be a report containing facts, not conclusions

It however will probably appear in the report that while sums were put into the Charity account that strictly should have been credited to the Tournament, the Department was or could easily have been aware of it. Also that much building and other permanent improvement has been done for which the Tournament made no disbursement. Mr. Standing, they say was very reticent.

We are all more than glad to know you are feeling well. We do not think you are done with your Indian fighting yet. Mrs. Allen and Esther and Mrs. and Miss Peter and Miss Yarnall went to Atlantic City yesterday morning to see the sights for a couple of days.
With kindest regards to you all
Sincerely yours Edwin