

to lay out their specimens and store them while they dry or otherwise cure preparatory to shipping them back to the states.

Camping gear and food supplies for Bee and Campbell will follow in another day or two and will be there before they move on.

The localities at which these men wish to work later in the season are Dreftwood and Point Lay. Both of these localities can probably be reached from Barrow more readily than from Umiat, but later developments may change the whole set-up. It may not be possible to get them to Point Lay at all, but that locality is on the docket for a try if it can be made.

While at Umiat these two men will work within a reasonable distance of the camp, but will follow the same regulations about firing any arms (in this case light gauge shotguns) that are followed here at Barrow. In other words, they will not shoot specimens within the confines of the camp nor within a half mile of camp. I expect that the most of their specimens will be taken with traps. The usual pattern for the use of weasel transportation which we discussed before you went to Umiat will apply in their case as in any others.

Dr. Steere may be arriving at Umiat in a few days, but his field itinerary has not yet been worked out fully. Sincerely, Ira L. Wiggins.