

I often pick up and looked at papers which had all kinds of pictures with various masks on them but I could not understand the meanings of them like a White person can. The White People have a way of communicating with each other by means of symbols and ~~figures~~^{figures}. But before they could do this they had to have an understanding between themselves. It is there that you are to learn here. I was indeed pleased with the way some of you has read from books - also the way you are attempting to converse in White Peoples language.

In the future your business transaction with the Whites are going to be very hard so it behoves you to learn thoroughly where you are taught here. But this is not all. We shall need you. In our dealings with the White People we are as blind because we do not understand them. We need you to help us to see and understand the movements of the White People.

My grand children. Be good. Try and make a mask for yourselves. Learn all you can.

"With all my heart I thank my Black Robe friends for their goodness and kindness toward me."

The good priests fixed up a basket of eatables for the chief and was brought back to Bear Ribs place.