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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

— INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH —

C L O S E D F I L E

FILE NO. 887 - 22 VOL 1

FILE NUMBER 887 - 22 VOLUME 1

SUBJECT HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS

SECHELT RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL

CORRESPONDENCE FROM JUNE 1949

TO OCT 1950

NO FURTHER CORRESPONDENCE

TO BE PLACED ON THIS FILE

NOTE: For subsequent correspondence relevant to the subject matter of this closed file see

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, June 23, 1949.

Dear Father Dunlop:

I desire to refer to that portion of your letter of June 16th in which you complain that you have not received any extra allowance for the children from your school whom you state are attending High School.

On receipt of your letter we have reviewed our files, and we can not find any previous communication from you advising that any of your children were attending High School. On re-checking the Quarterly Return it is found that pupil 0195 Theresa Jeffries is stated to be in Grade 10. The return, however, does not indicate if she is taking Grade 10 in the school or at some other school.

You will, therefore, realize that it is impossible for us to make any extra grant.

Please let me know the names and register numbers of the children in your school who are attending the local High School. On receipt of this information, we will be prepared to make an extra allowance for both the current academic year and the academic year 1948-49.

Sincerely yours,

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Rev. H.F. Dunlop, O.M.I.,
Sechelt Indian Res., School,
Sechelt, B.C.,

PP/HM

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Extract from letter dated June 16th on
file 887-5 from Reverend H.F. Dunlop,
Principal of the Sechelt Residential School.

I discovered accidentally that the
Department makes a small grant for children
resident in the schools who are attending the
local High School. I feel it is rather unfair
of the Department not to notify us of these
extras. However, I would like to know if it
will be possible for me to collect for the
children who were attending the local High
School last year as well as for those who are
attending this year.

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Extract for File: 887-22

July 18th, 1949.

Extract from letter dated July 16 received from
Rev. H.F. Dunlop, O.M.I., Principal, Sechelt
Indian Residential School, Sechelt, B.C. Original
on File 887-5:

"In answer to your letter regarding extra
grants for pupils attending the local High School
I submit the following information requested:

For school year ending June 1948:

269	Norman Joseph	-	Attended Local High	-	9 months
0195	Theresa Jeffries	"	"	"	9 months

For school year ending June 1949:

0195 Theresa Jeffries - attended Local High - 10 mos."

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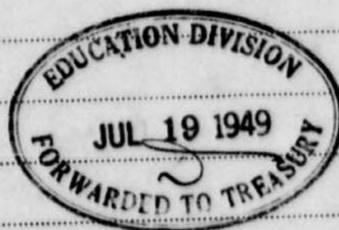
TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

Pay to..... The Principal,
Address..... ~~Principal~~, Sechelt Indian Res. Sch.
Sechelt, B.C.

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
July 18	To advanced educational grant for the following pupils at the Sechelt Indian Residential School for the academic year 1947-48:	
	Norman Joseph #269 - \$75.00	
	Theresa Jeffries #0195 - \$75.00	
	\$150.00.....	\$150 00
	For academic year 1948-49:	
	Theresa Jeffries - \$75.00.....	\$ 75 00
		<u>\$225 00</u>
	<p>NOTE: The above are pupils of the Sechelt Indian Res. School and during the academic years mentioned above they took high school work at a neighbouring high school. An advanced educational grant of \$75.00 is allowed for each of them.</p>	



I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No..... dated.....

FORM No. I.A. 506
Req. 3524

VOUCHER No.....

DATE.....

SP
July 18 1949 Agent

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE.....

[Handwritten initials]

403 Federal Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

July 13, 1949.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ontario.

With regard to the enclosed voucher for \$75.00, in favour of the Sechelt Residential School, this covers the board for Theresa Jeffries, Indian girl of the Sechelt Band who was living at the school last year while attending Sechelt High School. The department is already paying fees for her at the High School.

No action
See voucher
W. Heelas
July 14

H-HS

(H.E. Taylor)
Indian Superintendent

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Grade Ten.

Effective Living-- Good Health
20 Personal Problems - Grisel.
4-Square Planning of Career

English 20----- Poems, Past and Present.
Life and Literature Today - Part 1.
Abraham Lincoln.
A book of Good Stories.

Home Economics-----Sewing.

French -----Junior French - O'Brien and La France.

Mathematics-----Education through Mathematics.

General Science----Science and Life

Social Studies-----Civilization in Europe and the world.

Names

Sue Mitchel _____	17
Annie Geffries-----	16
Mabel Jackson -----	18
Lillian Jackson-----	17
Melvin Paul -----	17

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*Under revision
forward to Ottawa*

Indian Residential School,
Sechelt, B. C.,
September 18, 1950.

Major E. Davie,
West Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Mr. Davie,

I would appreciate your advice and help in getting my class organized. I have grades VI, VII, VIII and X. The grade tens started the term at Sechelt High School but for some reason they were recalled. Our Principal, Father Viney, is now visiting his sick father in Alberta. We do not know when to expect him back as his father is critically ill. Mr. Taylor, also is confined indoors because of illness, therefore, I am confident that you will solve our problems.

There are twenty four pupils in grades six to eight, and five in grade ten. I would suggest that the grade tens register as full time correspondence students, I would supervise their work and help them when necessary. In this way I could devote the greater part of the school day to the younger pupils.. If you do not approve of this I would be pleased if you would allow grade ten to take Science and French by correspondence.

I shall enclose a list of the students' names and ages you may need this information if you register them for correspondence. Kindly order six sets of grade ten texts.

Please order twelve copies of revised course Social Studies for grade seven, and twelve copies of revised course Social studies grade eight.

Thank you for all the kindness and help you have shown us in the past.

Sincerely,

S. M. Alphonsus

Sister M. Alphonsus.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 167/13-887
Also to date of this letter

DEPARTMENT OF CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION

PLEASE QUOTE

FILE.....

P.O. BOX 70
Vancouver, B.C.

AIR MAIL

EV

2699

October 7, 1950.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Citizenship & Immigration,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Re: Sechelt Indian Residential School.

Attached please find a self-explanatory letter from the senior teacher at the above named school. I do not understand why the Grade 10 class, which was originally admitted to the Provincial School, was withdrawn; however, it does not seem feasible at this late date to secure their re-admission.

The supply of the books is recommended.

In view of the need for immediate action, this office has authorized the enrolment of the five Grade 10 pupils for correspondence courses in two subjects. In view of the fact that the Sechelt School is receiving an additional tuition grant of \$75.00 per pupil for these children, the Principal has been informed that the school administration will have to bear the cost of these correspondence courses.

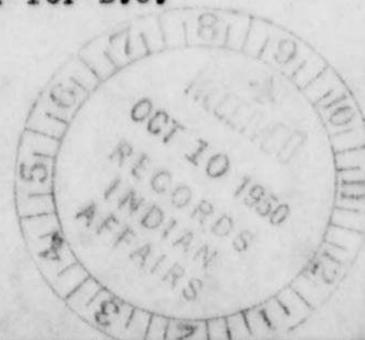
If the books requested cannot immediately be supplied, will the Department kindly authorize this office to purchase them.

Tuition file Vancouver

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Encl.



W.S. Arneil
W. S. Arneil,
Indian Commissioner for B.C.



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October 11, 1950.

AIR MAIL

Mr. W.S. Arneil,
Indian Commissioner,
P.O. Box 70,
Vancouver, B.C.

Re: Sechelt Residential School
Your File 167/13-3-887

We are in receipt of your letter of the 7th instant with reference to the Grade 10 class at the above school. It would be appreciated if you would let us know as soon as possible why this class, which was originally admitted to the Provincial School, was withdrawn.

In the meantime, we approve local purchase of the books required for the Grade 10 class.

PP/ST

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education

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