

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS OF CANADA

CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTION OF STEAM BOILER.

This Certificate expires..... **August 19th, 1944**

I hereby certify that I have this day inspected
the **steam** boiler Number: **44029 No.1 Left Hand**
of: **St. George's Indian Residential School, Lytton**
.....
British Columbia
In the Province of:, where
Mr. F.H. Downing, Engineer
..... is in
charge, and having carefully examined the said
stea, boiler have found the same in **good**
condition, and, therefore, authorize a **steam**
pressure of: **15 lbs.** per square inch
and no more.

Dated this **20th** day of **August 1943**

Type of Boiler: **Birchfield two pass steel tubular**

Size of Boiler: **46" x 96" x 90"**

Horse Power: **34**

When Manufactured: **16/9/27**

Inspection No: **1943**

..... *T.J. Arnall*

"T.J. Arnall"
S.P.P. Engineer, D.P.W.

This Certificate to be hung up in a conspicuous place
in the boiler room.

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Public Building,
Victoria, B.C.

Date: August 20, 1943

Mr. C.F. Dawson,
District Resident Architect,
Dept. Public Works, Canada,
Victoria, B.C.

Dear Sir:

I beg to report that I inspected Boiler No.: 44029 No. 1 left hand
on the 20 day of August, 1943 and have found it in
the following condition:

Owned by the Department of: Mines & Resources, Indian Branch
Located at: St. George's Indian Residential School, Lytton, B.C.
Manufactured by: Vulcan Iron Works, Vancouver, B.C.

Date: 16/9/27 H.P. 34 Size: 46" x 96" x 90"

Type: Birchfield two pass steel tubular Condition of Plates: good
Condition of welding: good
Condition of Stays: good Condition of Rivets: good

Condition of Tubes: fair Working Pressure Allowed: 15 lbs.

Safety Valves Set at: 150 lbs. Condition: tight and works freely

Hydrostatic Test: 50 lbs. Hammer Test: sound

Deflection Test: normal Condition under Test: good

Steam Valves: tight Feed Valves & Checks: tight

Steam Gauge: correct Water Gauge: good

Test Cocks: good Fusible Plug: good

Blow-Off Cock: good Blow-down Pipe: good

Side Walls: good Bridges: good

Front Walls: good Back Walls: good

Front Arches: good Back Arches: good

Smoke Pipe & Breechings: good Firebars: none

Stokers: in good condition and controls operating satisfactorily

Amount of Coal used: no record Kind: bituminous stoker

Quality: satisfactory B.T.U. per lb.: 12,000

REMARKS: boiler and stoker in good condition. continue use
of boiler-water treatment.

T. J. Arnall
S.P.F. Engineer, D.P.W.
"T.J. Arnall"

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Public Building,
Victoria, B.C.

Date: August 20, 1943

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Mr. C.F. Dawson,
District Resident Architect,
Dept. Public Works, Canada,
Victoria, B.C.

Dear Sir:

I beg to report that I inspected Boiler No.: 44564
on the 20th day of August, 1943, and have found it in
the following condition:

Owned by the Department of: Mines & Resources, Indian Branch
Located at: St. George's Indian Residential School, Lytton, B.C.

Manufactured by: Vancouver Iron Works, Vancouver, B.C.

Date: 20/8/30 H.P. 27 Size: 42" x 80" x 78"

Type: Supreme Two pass steel Tubular Condition of Plates: Good
Condition of Stays: Good Condition of Welding: Good
Condition of Tubes: Good Condition of Rivets: Good
Working Pressure Allowed: 15 lbs.

Safety Valves Set at: not set Condition: -

Hydrostatic Test: not given Hammer Test: Sound

Deflection Test: not taken Condition under Test: no test

Steam Valves: not on Feed Valves & Checks: }

Steam Gauge: not on Water Gauge: }

Test Cocks: not on Fusible Plug: }

Blow-Off Cock: Blow-down Pipe: }

Side Walls: Bridges: }

Front Walls: Back Walls: }

Front Arches: Back Arches: }

Smoke Pipe & Breechings: Firebars: }

Stokers:

Amount of Coal used: Kind:

Quality: B.T.U. per lb.:

REMARKS: Boiler now disconnected and is going to be moved to
main boiler room and connected to main heating line,

T.J. Arnall
S.P.P. Engineer, D.P.W.
"T.J. Arnall"

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CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTION OF STEAM BOILER.

This Certificate expires..... August 19th, 1944.....

I hereby certify that I have this day inspected
the steam boiler Number: 44913
of:..... St. George's Indian Residential School, Lytton

In the Province of: British Columbia, where
..... Mr. A.H. Downing, Engineer is in

charge, and having carefully examined the said
steam boiler have found the same in good
condition, and, therefore, authorize a steam
pressure of:..... 100 lbs per square inch
and no more.

Dated this..... 20th day of..... August, 1943

Type of Boiler:..... Vertical tubular
Size of Boiler: 38" x 91 1/2"
Horse Power:..... 16.8
When Manufactured:..... 15/11/39
Inspection No: 1943

..... T. J. Arnall
"T. J. Arnall."
S.P.P. Engineer, D.P.W.

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in the boiler room.

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Public Building,
Victoria, B.C.

Date: August 20th, 1943

Mr. C.F. Dawson,
District Resident Architect,
Dept. Public Works, Canada,
Victoria, B.C.

Dear Sir:

I beg to report that I inspected Boiler No.: 44913
on the 20th day of August, 1943, and have found it in
the following condition:

Owned by the Department of: Mines & Resources, Indian Branch
Located at: St. George's Indian Residential School, Lytton, B.C.

Manufactured by: Vancouver Engineering Works, Vancouver, B.C.

Date: 15/11/39 H.P. 16.8 Size: 38" x 91 $\frac{3}{4}$ "

Type: Vertical tubular Condition of Plates: good

Condition of Stays: none Condition of Rivets: good

Condition of Tubes: good Working Pressure Allowed: 150 lbs.

Safety Valves Set at: 100 lbs. Condition: tight and works freely

Hydrostatic Test: 180 lbs. Hammer Test: sound

Deflection Test: normal Condition under Test: good

Steam Valves: tight Feed Valves & Checks: tight

Steam Gauge: correct Water Gauge: good

Test Cocks: good Fusible Plug: good

Blow-Off Cock: good Blow-down Pipe: good

Side Walls: } Not bricked
Front Walls: } Plates exposed
Front Arches: } to fire.
 } condition good

Back Walls: } Not bricked
Back Arches: } Plates good

Smoke Pipe & Breechings: good Firebars: good

Stokers: none

Amount of Coal used: Kind: Bituminous Nut

Quality: B.T.U. per lb.: 12,000

REMARKS: Boiler in good condition.

T.J. Arnall

S.P.P. Engineer, D.P.W.

"T.J. Arnall"

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Public Building,
Victoria, B. C.

Date: August 20th, 1943.

Mr. C.F. Dawson,
Dist. Res. Architect,
Dept. Public Works, Canada,
Victoria, B.C.

Dear Sir:

I beg to report that I have inspected the Machinery owned by the DEPARTMENT of Mines & Resources, Indian Branch and located at St. Georges Indian Residential School, Lytton. on the 20th day of August, 1943. and have found it in the following condition:

Service
Fire Pumps: Good
Condition:

Condensate Pumps: Works freely and controls correct
Condition:

Boiler Feed Pumps:
Condition: Good

Stokers:
Condition: Good, Controls in first class condition.

Electric Lighting Plants:
Condition: Power purchased.

Laundry Machinery:
Condition: Good and well guarded.

Steam Engines:
Condition: None

Gasoline Engines:
Condition: Good

Refrigeration plant: Fair

Diesel Engines:
Condition: Good

REMARKS:

General condition is much improved.

S.P.P. Engineer, D.P.W.
"T.J. Arnall"

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Surveys & Engineering Branch.
744 W. Hastings Street,
Vancouver, B.C.
December 16, 1943.

D. M. MacKay, Esq., Indian Commissioner, Vancouver, B.C.

Re: St. George's School Irrigation.

With respect to your inquiry of November 20 in connection with the above, I wish to inform you that Mr. Warren made an inspection of the irrigation works and interviewed the principal regarding the maintenance of the system.

Mr. Warren found the works in fair condition. There is a considerable length of small wooden flumes and a number of wood pipes across fields, roadways, etc. All require some repairs. It is not believed that the bill of material contained in Mr. Hives request of November 15 is excessive and that it all could be usefully employed except possibly the creosote which is not necessary. Mr. Warren suggested that that Mr. Hives order 200 lbs of Barrett's plastic elastigum and 50 lbs. of ships oakum for repairing leaky flume joints; also that additional supports be provided for the flume boxes, that is, a 12' or 14' flume box should have a support on the middle as well as both ends. It is thought that the lumber can be secured from the local sawmill.

A full report on the irrigation system will be forwarded at an early date. The information contained herein is substantially the same as will appear in the report to be submitted and is offered now in order not to delay unduly the securing of the necessary materials.

The work of repairs could readily be undertaken by the school authorities as has been done in the past and at much less cost for labour than would be the case if supervision of this service should be required.

C. E. Webb
District Chief Engineer
Per: W. C. Warren.

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Rev. C. F. Hives,
Principal

Nov. 15, 1943

Lytton, B.C.

Dear Sir:

There should be extensive repairing done on our irrigation flumes and pipes, which water the school farm. The wooden pipes are in very bad shape, and the flumes which water the various fields and garden are decayed. I would like to do as much as possible in the matter of making new flumes during the winter; and much of the pipe could be replaced also.

We require four hundred feet of wooden pipe. costing \$60.00 per one hundred feet. 3000 Sq.ft of flume lumber at \$36.00 per m. 2 kegs nails 20.00 40 gals creosote 26.00. 1000 ft 2 x 4 lumber for supports for flumes. Freight on same 35.00.

This repair work is very important for the welfare of the farm; and I would recommend that the required amount be provided from the New England Company grant.

Will ^{you} please present this matter to the Department as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully.

Chas. F. Hives
Principal

Mr A. Strang,
Indian Agent,
Lytton, B.C.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 14-3

LYTTON, B.C. November 17, 1943.

Major D.M. MacKay, Indian Commissioner for B.C.,
P.O. Box 70, VANCOUVER, B.C.

I enclose herewith a duplicate letter from Reverend C.F. Hives, Principal of the St. George's Indian Residential School, in connection with his request for repair work on the School irrigation system. I would respectfully recommend that the Reverend Principal's request receive your favourable consideration.

A. Strang,
Indian Agent.

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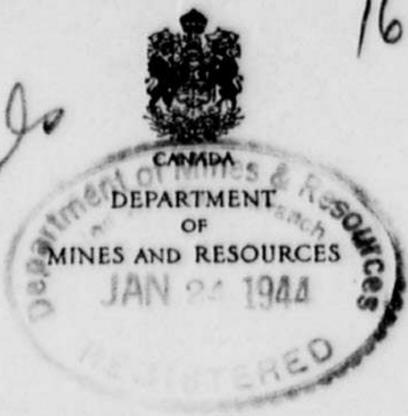
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165-0-5

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
NO. **30-7-9790.**
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

[Handwritten signature]



P.O. BOX 70
VANCOUVER, B.C. **January 20, 1944.**

Indian Affairs Branch, Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

I am forwarding herewith copy of a letter from Mr. Indian Agent Strang dated November 17th, together with enclosure from the Reverend Mr. Hives, Principal of St. George's Indian Residential School, in connection with repair work on the school irrigation system.

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The Dominion Water & Power Bureau were requested to submit a report on the necessary repairs, and I am also enclosing copy of letter from the District Chief Engineer dated December 16th in this connection, wherein it is suggested that calking material would be preferable to the creosote requested in Mr. Hives' letter. Subsequently quotations were received on the required materials, and it is now estimated that the cost of these will be, approximately, \$500.00, and if funds are available I would recommend purchase of same for your approval, the labour in connection with the repairs to be carried out by the school staff.

As the Farm Manager of this school recently left, I would recommend that if authority is granted for these repairs, that some supervision of the project be given by the Dominion Water & Power Bureau.

A report on this proposed work has been forwarded to Mr. T. S. Mills, Chief Engineer, by Mr. Webb, District Chief Engineer at Vancouver.

[Handwritten signature]
D. M. MacKay,
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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Encl.

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REQUISITION FOR CHEQUE

TO BE USED FOR ADVANCES OR AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO ACCOUNTS

DEPT. No.

FILE No. **165-0-5**

TREAS. No.

DEPARTMENT **MINES & RESOURCES**

BRANCH **INDIAN AFFAIRS**

DATE **January 25, 1944.**

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR THE ISSUE OF THE FOLLOWING CHEQUE OR CHEQUES:—

CHEQUE NO.	IN FAVOUR OF	AMOUNT
	<p>Rev. C.F. Hives, Principal, St. George's Indian Residential School, Lytton, B.C.</p>	<p>\$800 00</p>

STATE BELOW WITH DETAILS IN EVERY CASE, WHETHER (a) STANDING ADVANCE, (b) ADVANCE FOR SPECIFIC JOURNEY— ESTIMATING NUMBER OF DAYS, (c) OTHER ACCOUNTABLE ADVANCE, OR (d) AUTHORIZED PAYMENT.

Grant for current expenses. The New England Company, of London, England, is assisting the Department with the maintenance costs at the St. George's and Mohawk Indian Residential Schools. The money is funded in the Department and is paid to the management of the respective schools or is being used for replacements and repairs, as required.

CHARGE TO { VOTE **PAY FROM ACCOUNT #460** ENC. NO.
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 SUB-ALLOTMENT

I CERTIFY, THAT THIS APPLICATION IS MADE UNDER THE REQUISITE AUTHORITY AND THAT THE EXPENDITURE IS NECESSARY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

HEAD OF BRANCH

TREASURY OFFICE APPROVAL

DEPUTY HEAD

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Ottawa,
January 25, 1944.

EX'D.
A.

Major D.M. MacKay, Indian Commissioner, P.O. Box
70, Vancouver, B.C.

I have your letter of the 20th instant,
with reference to the repair work required on the
irrigation system at the St. George's Indian
Residential School. It is evident that this work
is necessary and the Department approves the
expenditure. Payment should be made from school
funds.

MAH

I note that the Principal in his letter
recommends that the amount be provided from the
New England Company grant. At the present time
there is approximately \$800.00 left in this
account. The Principal is being forwarded a
cheque for this amount and you should inform him
definitely that this exhausts the fund at the
present time. I presume that Mr. Hives keeps in
mind the fact that owing to the exchange situation
there is a substantial discount from the yearly
grant of \$5000.00.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
NO 215-7-1371.
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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P.O. BOX 70
VANCOUVER, B.C. 17th Feb., 1944.

Indian Affairs Branch, Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa.

I am in receipt of a letter from the Reverend C. F. Hives, Principal of St. George's Indian Residential School, requesting that the School be supplied with a complete set of 180 mattresses for the dormitories and infirmary.

Mr. Hives stated that the dormitories have never been supplied with proper mattresses and what they are using now are poor, thin and uncomfortable. The Restmore Manufacturing Company, of Vancouver, have quoted a price of \$13.50 each, tax included, on the Restmore Junior mattress in A.C.B. ticking, 3' wide, and I would recommend that a number of mattresses be supplied to the School from time to time as funds become available.

\$11.00
act 460
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D. M. MacKay
D. M. MacKay.
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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Ottawa,
February 22, 1944.

EX'D.
A.

Major D.M. MacKay, Indian Commissioner, P.O.
Box 70, Vancouver, B.C.

I have your letter of the 17th instant, with reference to buying 180 mattresses for the St. George's Indian Residential School. I note that you have secured a quotation of \$13.50 each for these, but, on receipt of your letter, I phoned the Departmental Purchasing Agent who considers that he could secure them for approximately \$11 each.

You mention the width of the mattresses required as 3'. I presume the length would be 6', but would like to have definite information regarding the length. The Principal should understand that in the event of the Department deciding to secure these mattresses the cost of them will be taken from New England Company funds.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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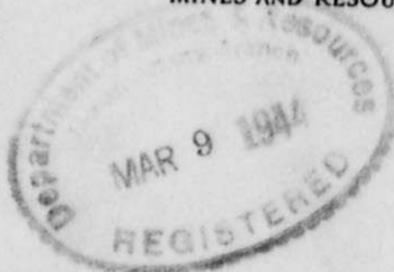
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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
NO **215-7-1782**
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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P.O. BOX 70
VANCOUVER, B.C. **March 7, 1944.**

AIR MAIL.

**Indian Affairs Branch, Department of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.**

Your file 165-0-5.

With reference to your letter of
February 22nd, regarding the 180 mattresses
required at St. George's Indian Residential
School, I am advised by the Principal that
the correct size of these is- 2' 6" X 6'.

[Handwritten signature: James C. ...]

For: **D. M. MacKay,**
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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St. George's Indian Residential School,

Lytton, B.C.

Dear Commissioner MacKay:

I am enclosing an account in triplicate for Kindergarten chairs, which I ordered and received from Moyers of Edmonton. Mr. Inspector McArthur urged me to get these chairs in order that we might have a Kindergarten room equipt. We have made the tables in the Manual Training shop. Mr. McArthur assured me that I would be able to purchase the chairs from Moyers for \$1.75 each. The cheapest I could buy them for in Vancouver was \$2.25 each. I therefore felt justified in sending to Moyers. When the invoice arrived I found they are of very good quality, and priced at \$4.05 each. Mr. McArthur wrote later on and said he had made a mistake in the firm, or rather he gave me the wrong name of the firm.

Do you think you could get the Department to pay for these chairs? If it is going to embarrass you in any way, I will look after paying for them. But they really should be the Department's responsibility; and the inspector was so insistent in urging us to secure them as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully,

(SGD) Chas. F. Hives

Principal.

Major D. M. MacKay,
Commissioner of Indians for B.C.
Vancouver, B.C.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
NO. **215-7-1796.**
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER



P.O. BOX 70
VANCOUVER, B.C. **March 7, 1944.**

Indian Affairs Branch, Department of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

I enclose herewith copy of a letter from the Principal of St. George's Indian Residential School, regarding the purchase of 18 Kindergarten Chairs for the school at a cost of \$72.90.

Although these chairs were purchased without authority they were obtained on the recommendation of the Provincial School Inspector, and as this class of training is important at the school, I would recommend that if funds are available, the Department authorize this purchase.

I will hold the accounts received with Mr. Hives' letter until receipt of your reply.

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Encl.

James Colman
For: D. M. MacKay,
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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Ottawa,
March 14, 1944.

EX'D.
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Major D.M. MacKay, Indian Commissioner, P.O.
Box 70, Vancouver, B.C.

I have your letter of the 7th instant, regarding the purchase of kindergarten chairs by the Principal of the St. George's Residential School. Mr. Hives is well aware of Departmental regulations and, even though the Inspector recommended these kindergarten chairs, Mr. Hives should have applied for authority to purchase them if he wished the Department to pay for them. I think you will agree with me that it is impossible for us to control expenditures if principals assume the responsibility of purchasing supplies without authority. Under the circumstances I feel that the account should be paid by the school management.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
NO. **168-2260.**
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

AIRMAIL

P.O. BOX 70
VANCOUVER, B.C. 28th Mar., 1944.

Indian Affairs Branch, Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa.

Your File 165-0-5

I wish to refer to your letter of February 22nd,
regarding the supply of 180 mattresses to St. George's
Indian Residential School.

Under authority of Salvage Minute 28474 dated March
14th, authority was granted for the transfer of 321 mattresses
to this Department from the Department of National Defence, ex
No. 2 Equipment Depot, R.C.A.F., Vancouver. These have been
inspected and found to be in fair condition and it is con-
sidered that some of them might be suitable for St. George's
School, providing arrangements have not already been made for
supplying mattresses to the School.

It would be appreciated if you would let me have your
reaction to this proposal by AIRMAIL, so that shipping in-
structions can be issued as soon as possible.


D. M. MacKay.
Indian Commissioner for B. C.

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Ottawa,
March 30, 1944.

AIR MAIL

EXD.

Major D.M. MacKay, Indian Commissioner, P.O. Box
70, Vancouver, B.C.

With reference to your letter of the 28th instant, the Department has no objection to transferring surplus mattresses to the St. George's Indian Residential School, provided you consider that these mattresses could not be used to a better advantage in some other place. The matter is left in your hands to take whatever action you consider advisable. I phoned the Purchasing Branch this morning and they have asked for quotations on the 180 mattresses for the school, but have not yet placed the order. I, therefore, told them to hold the quotations for further instructions. You should let me know how many mattresses you decide to transfer to the St. George's School and the number of new mattresses purchased will be reduced accordingly.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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RADIOGRAM

Army Signals

Vancouver, May 16, 1944.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa.

Request authority to purchase Hot Water Heater for
St. George's Indian Residential School, to replace
unserviceable heater now beyond repair. Approximate
cost \$300. New Heater urgently needed as school now
without hot water. Suitable heater available Vancouver
at price quoted. Please wire reply.

D. M. MacKay,
Indian Commissioner.

Telephoned by F.E.T.
Received by B.P.

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REQUISITION FOR CHEQUE

TO BE USED FOR ADVANCES OR AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO ACCOUNTS

DEPT. No.
FILE No. **165-0-5** ...
TREAS. No.

DEPARTMENT **MINES & RESOURCES**

BRANCH **INDIAN AFFAIRS** DATE **May 17, 1944.**

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR THE ISSUE OF THE FOLLOWING CHEQUE OR CHEQUES:-

CHEQUE NO.	IN FAVOUR OF	AMOUNT
	Rev. C.F. Hives, Principal, St. George's Indian Residential School, Lytton, B.C.	1500

STATE BELOW WITH DETAILS IN EVERY CASE, WHETHER (a) STANDING ADVANCE, (b) ADVANCE FOR SPECIFIC JOURNEY—ESTIMATING NUMBER OF DAYS, (c) OTHER ACCOUNTABLE ADVANCE, OR (d) AUTHORIZED PAYMENT.

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CHARGE TO } VOTE **PAY FROM ACCOUNT #460.** ENC. No.
 } ALLOTMENT
 } SUB-ALLOTMENT

I CERTIFY, THAT THIS APPLICATION IS MADE UNDER THE REQUISITE AUTHORITY, AND THAT THE EXPENDITURE IS NECESSARY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

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Phoned to: *W.J.P.*

Time: *4.30 P.M.*

Phoned by: *E.M.*

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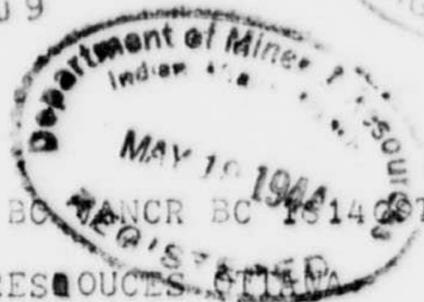
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FROM D M MACKAY INDIAN COMMISSIONER FOR BC
TO INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH DEPT MINES AND RESOURCES
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REPAIR STOP APPROXIMATE COST \$300 NEW HEATER URGENTLY NEEDED AS
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Schools

16th May, 1944.

RADIO MESSAGE SENT MAY 16th. 1:51 p.m.

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OTTAWA.

REQUEST AUTHORITY TO PURCHASE HOT WATER HEATER FOR ST.
GEORGE'S INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL TO REPLACE UNSERVICEABLE
HEATER NOW BEYOND REPAIR (STOP) APPROXIMATE COST THREE
HUNDRED DOLLARS. NEW HEATER URGENTLY NEEDED AS SCHOOL
NOW WITHOUT HOT WATER. SUITABLE HEATER AVAILABLE VANCOUVER
AT PRICE QUOTED. PLEASE WIRE REPLY.

D.M. MacKAY
INDIAN COMMISSIONER FOR B.C.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
NO 215-7-3527
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

School



P.O. BOX 70
VANCOUVER, B.C. May 18, 1944.

Indian Affairs Branch, Department of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

I wish to refer to your letter # 165-0-5
of March 30th, regarding the supply of mattresses
to the St. George's Indian Residential School.

Two (200) hundred of the mattresses surplus
to the requirements of the Department of National
Defence, recently made available to this Department
were shipped to the school and the Principal now
advises that these will be sufficient for their needs.

D. M. MacKay

D. M. MacKay,
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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ST. GEORGE'S INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL

Lytton, B.C.
October 11, 1944.

Mr. A. Strang,
Indian Agent,
Lytton, B.C.

Dear Sir:

During the official visit of Inspector McArthur, he criticized the fastenings on the fire escape doors, and I was asked to look into this matter. We require four sets of Fire Exit Bolts similar to the enclosed, procurable from Mac & Mac, Vancouver.

Will you kindly place this matter before the Commissioner, asking if the Department will kindly buy these for us, and we will install them immediately.

The size of the doors is attached to the catalogue page.

Yours faithfully,

"Chas F. Hives"

Principal.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 14-4-F-1005

LYTTON, B.C. October 13, 1944.

Major D.M. MacKay, Indian Commissioner for B.C.,
P.O. Box 70, VANCOUVER, B.C.

Your File No.: 215-7-1895

Relative to your letter of March 13th last in connection with suggestions made by Mr. McArthur regarding the St. George's Indian Residential School, I enclose herewith copy of a letter from the Reverend Principal of the school, requesting four sets of fire exit bolts. Enclosed also is a drawing of the type of door on which these bolts will be used. I would respectfully recommend that these bolts be purchased for the school.

A. Strang,
Indian Agent.

MM.

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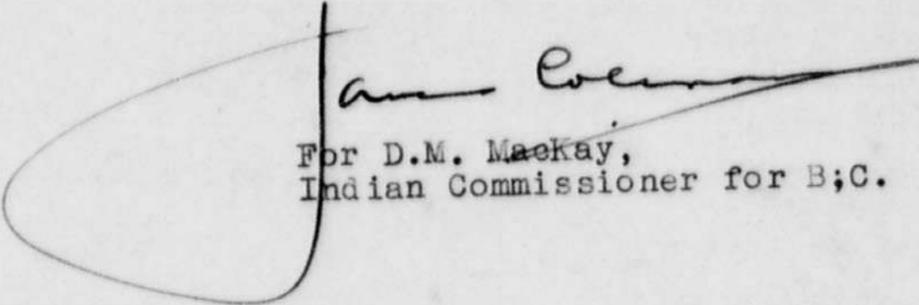
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VANCOUVER, B.C. Oct. 31, 1944.

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Indian Affairs Branch, Dept. of Mines & Resources, Ottawa.

I enclose herewith Mr. Indian Agent Strang's letter of October 13th and letter from the Principal of the St. George's Indian Residential School requesting that four fire exit bolts be supplied to the school in accordance with the recommendation made by Provincial School Inspector Manning. Exit bolts may be secured in Vancouver at a cost of \$11.50 each, and it is recommended that authority be granted for an expenditure of \$46.00 for this purpose.

-KT
Enc.


For D.M. Mackay,
Indian Commissioner for B;C.

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