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EXTRACT
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118-1-7

Schools
AGENT'S REPORT

Respecting the BLUE QUILL'S Indian Residential School
For the month NOVEMBER1941.

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GENERAL

Suggestions: That School milk cows be T.B. Tested,
apparently not done for three years.

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W.P.B. Pugh,
Indian Agent.

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Copy sent to Mr. Pugh

Ottawa,
December 15, 1941.

Dear Sir:

This Branch would like to have an inspection of the herd at the Blue Quills Indian Residential School, St. Paul, Alberta. I trust you will find it possible to have one of your inspectors visit this school and test the cattle.

The officer who carries out this work should communicate with Mr. W.P.B. Pugh, Indian Agent, Saddle Lake, Alberta, who will make the necessary arrangements with the school authorities for the inspection.

Any expenses in connection with this inspection will be paid upon receipt of an account from your Branch.

Yours truly,

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

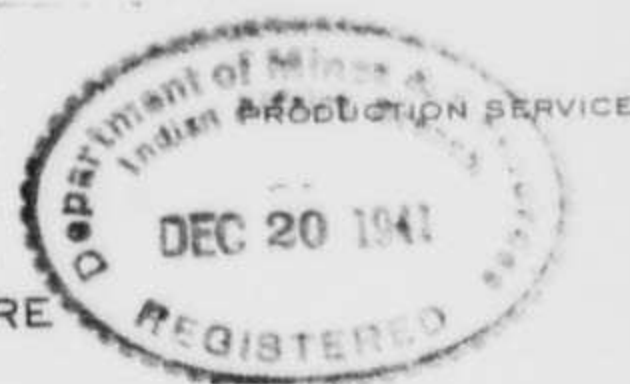
The Veterinary Director General,
Department of Agriculture,
Confederation Building,
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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE



Ottawa, December 18, 1941

R. A. Hoey, Esq.,
Supt. of Welfare & Training,
Department of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your communication under date of December 15th, file 118-1-14, in which you request that arrangements be made for the inspection of the herd of cattle at the Blue Quills Indian Residential School, St. Paul, Alberta, by a veterinary inspector of this Division.

In this connection I presume that you are referring to the tuberculin testing of the herd and, if so, it will be necessary for you to first place the herd under one of this Department's policies for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis. The only policy which would be open to you is the supervised herd plan and, if you desire to take advantage of this plan, it will be necessary for you to have the party responsible for the herd fill in and sign the enclosed agreement forms and return one of them to this office. The duplicate copy should be retained by the party signing the agreement.

I would point out that no compensation is paid for any cattle which react to a test conducted under the supervised herd plan, but the Institution will receive whatever proceeds there may be from any carcasses which are passed as fit for human consumption. No charge is made for the services of our inspectors, but everything possible is done to eradicate tuberculosis from the herd and to maintain it free from this disease.

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R. A. H. -:2:-

I would particularly point out that the responsible person with whom this Department will deal should sign the agreement forms.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Ch. Barton
for Veterinary Director General.

Encls.
OH/ML

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Ottawa,
December 19, 1941.

Dear Sir:

In your report for the month of November on the Blue Quills Residential School you recommended that the herd be tested. I communicated with the Veterinary Director General of the Department of Agriculture and I enclose copy of his reply as well as the necessary forms which have to be completed. I trust the Principal of the Blue Quills School will be willing to co-operate in this regard.

Yours truly,

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


Mr. W.P.B. Pugh,
Indian Agent,
Saddle Lake, Alta.

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Your File 118-1-14.

Dear Sir,-

re T.B. Testing Herd of Cattle
Blue Quill's School.

In reply to your letter of the 19th Dec.
last, I beg to state that I have been negotiating
with the Principal of the School to have Tuberculin
Test Agreement completed and I expect to have
this signed by the end of this month.

The school is delaying in order to
check over the herd in the meantime and also a
preference to have the test made in the spring of the
year.

Respectfully submitted,

W.P.B. Pugh,
Indian Agent.

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

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 85

Saddle Lake, Alberta
March 2nd 1942.

Your File No. 118-1-14.

Dear Sir,-

re T.B. Testing Blue Quills
Dairy Cattle.

With reference to your letter of the 19th Dec. last
enclosed please find "Supervised Herd Agreement" duly signed.

I beg to suggest that this test would be as well
deferred until the last spring when the roads will be in
good shape for car travelling and the warm weather would
be more acceptable for doing the entire job.

Respectfully submitted,

W.P.B. Pugh

W.P.B. Pugh,
Indian Agent.

Attention of,-
R.A. Hoey Esq.,
Supt. of Welfare & Training,

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



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118-1-14

Ottawa,
March 11, 1942.

Dear Sir:

I desire to refer you to my letter of December 15 and your reply of December 18, 1941, with reference to the inspection of the herd of cattle at the Blue Quills Indian Residential School, St. Paul, Alberta.

I enclose the signed forms covering the supervised herd agreement. In forwarding this agreement the Principal suggests that the test be deferred until spring when the roads will be in good shape for automobile travel and it will be easier to handle the work in fine weather.

You will note that the Principal's name is Rev. F. Bouchard, O.M.I.

Yours truly,

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

The Veterinary Director General,
Department of Agriculture,
Confederation Building,
Ottawa, Ont.

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118-1-14

Ottawa,
March 11, 1942.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 2nd instant, I am forwarding the supervised herd agreement form to the Veterinary Director General of the Department of Agriculture. I understand that he will deal direct with the Principal of the Blue Quills Residential School in regard to testing the herd.

Yours truly,

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

Mr. W.P.B. Pugh,
Indian Agent,
Saddle Lake, Alta.

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DIVISION

Reverts to Mr.



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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

PRODUCTION SERVICE



Ottawa, March 12, 1942.

R.A. Hoey, Esq.,
Superintendent of Welfare and Training,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 11th, enclosing a supervised herd agreement form signed on February 25th, covering the herd at the Blue Quills Indian Residential School, St. Paul, Alberta.

In reply I would say that this agreement form has been accepted and I am asking the officer in charge of the work of this Division in Alberta to arrange for the test to be conducted in the spring when the roads will be in good shape for automobile travel, as suggested by the Principal of the School.

Yours sincerely,

J. S. Hameray
Veterinary Director General.

MD.

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118-1-14
Saddle Lake, Alberta.
April 2nd, 1942.

Sir:

I beg to submit herewith my report for the month of March 1942.

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SCHOOL

Was visited on the 18th March. I am also pleased to report that the management of the school agreed to have their School herd of milk cows T.B. Tested.

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W.P.B. Pugh,
Indian Agent.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 450

Saddle Lake, Alberta.

2nd June 1944.

Dear Mr. Morris, (Wherever you may be)

Have been thinking about you all week the weather if anything here has been worse than last week, so we had some luck with the weather anyhow.

I quote from my monthly report as follows,-

"A very enjoyable and instructive visit was received from Mr. J. E. Morris from May 19th to May 26th, having an official visit, the Agency, and go over the ground with you is like a refresher course, while we had bad weather which threw some of plans out of gear, I think Mr Morris saw a very good cross section of the Agency. I thoroughly enjoyed his visit and help and information I received from him, and I can also say this for the rest of the staff. I only hope he may be able to visit this Agency again, and that other officials may also come. I hope I have success with some of his projects he is anxious to start and I think I see some action in the making already".

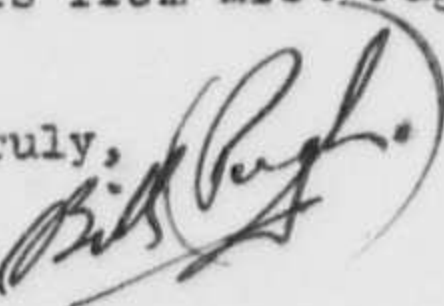
And I do mean just that Mr. Morris.

I visited the Blue Quill's School last Wednesday night and Father Letour is ready to go on some goats. Please advise me how to procure same and thru what channels. His brother from Duck Lake was there and he is having good luck with goats so Father Principal at Blue Quill, would like to get started and I think it is an ideal place to start. I regret I did not ask you for instructions how to procure goats when you visited here. Not only goats I have thoughts of endless questions I could have discussed with you that I passed up.

Trust the weather is better with you and that your trip is going O.K. Best of Luck.

With kindest regards from Mrs. Pugh & self.

Yours truly,


W.P.B. Pugh,
Indian Agent.

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Mr. Hoey it is considered that this may be an opportunity to get goats started in the Saddle Lake Agency. If a male goat is being sent to Father Forcade from Spanish another one could be shipped to the Blue Quill's 24-118 school at the same time. Leask. Sask. June 15th.

Dear Mr Pugh,

Re, -Goats for Blue Quill's School

Your very welcome letter of June 2nd. finally caught up to me. I discussed the purchase of goats with Indian Agent Ostrander of Battleford and he is going to obtain six or seven female grade goats in that district. In fact while I was there we bought two milking nannies. He feels certain that others can be secured. You are requested to communicate with him and give him shipping instructions. Mr Ostrander suggested that the goats be delivered to a railway point immediately south of your location and have the school truck pick them up rather than send them all the way to Edmonton and then back out to St Paul. Note the shortest and quickest route should be arranged as the nannies are milking.

Please discuss with Father Letour the purchase and care of these goats and advise him that the Department is supplying them on the understanding that the senior girls and boys will be given instructions on their care. It should also be understood that an equal number of females will be given to some responsible Indians as the herd increases.

Regarding a male goat for this herd I am suggesting that a Pure Breed Saanen be sent from the Spanish Herd. It is thought this could be arranged as we are shipping one from this herd to Father Forcade at Grouard, Sask. If it impossible to ship a male from Ontario you will be advised by Ottawa.

J. E. Morris
Welfare Branch

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Department of Agriculture
Production Service
Health of Animals Division

April 19th, 1944
Post Office Bldg.,
South Edmonton, Alta.

Reverend Father Latour,
Principal,
Blue Quill School,
St. Paul, Alberta

Dear Sir:

Mr. Fontaine, District Agriculturist, has requested that I communicate with you direct in respect to the testing of your cattle.

At present our field staff is so depleted that it is very indefinite when an inspector will visit the St. Paul District. That being so, it would be well if when the time arrives for your cattle to go on grass that you put them there if an inspector has not at that time arrived to test them.

Yours truly,

H. W. Cowan,
Inspector.

HWC:NM

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 284

Saddle Lake, Alberta.

13th June 1944.

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

I beg to enclose copy of letter I have received from Father L.C. Latour, Principal of the Blue Quill's School, the letter is self explanatory, but the Principal is anxious to have the School Cattle tested and anything the department may be able to do to speed the matter along would be much appreciated. Thanking you in anticipation.

WPBP.

W.P.B. Pugh
W.P.B. Pugh,
Indian Agent.



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Ottawa,
June 22, 1944.

Mr. W.P.B. Pugh, Indian Agent, Saddle Lake, Alta.

With reference to your letter of the 13th instant, I regret that I cannot do anything to assist Father Latour in the manner he requests. I recently received a communication from the Department of Agriculture in which they intimated that owing to shortage of staff it was simply impossible for them to comply promptly with all the requests that they receive.

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

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— PLEASE KEEP THIS BILL FOR REFERENCE —

J.A. Kslop.

Battleford. Sask.

Date, **June 30th. 1944.**

M **Blue Quill Indian Residential,**

Address **Saddle Lake Agency.**

Account
Forwarded

3 Coats.

50 00

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

FORM No. I.A. 506A

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.....
DATE.....

Pay to **J.A. Hislop,**
Address **Battleford, Sask.**

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
1944.		
June 30	3 Goats for Blue Gull Indian Residential School. Saddle Lake Agency.	50 00

PAID FOR PAYMENT
TREASURY
I. A. BRANCH

GEVOY 118 VOTE 75
429 E.R. 12
Goods Received or Services Performed
Prices Fair and Just Approved for Payment
R. A. HOEY

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. **Auth.** dated **Mr. J.E. Morris.**

VOUCHER No. **149.**

DATE **June 30th. 1944.** Agent

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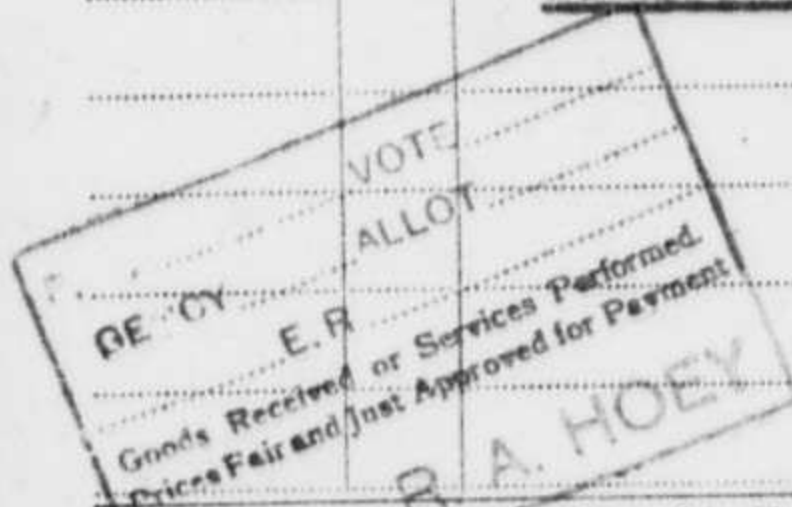
FORM No. I.A. 506A

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.....
DATE.....

Pay to Keith Ostrander,
Address Battleford. Sask.

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
1944.		
June 30	Labour making four crates for four goats shipped to Blue Quill Indian Residential School, Saddle Lake Agency. \$1.50 each.	6 00



76-01-429.

AUDITED
FOR PAYMENT

JUL 5 1944

Treasury Office
I.A. BRANCH

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

Voucher No. **147.**

DATE June 30th. 1944. Agent

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FORM No. I.A. 506A

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.

DATE

Pay to **Claude Stebbing.**

Address **Battleford. Sask.**

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
1944.		
June 30	Trucking 3 goats from Willowmoor to Battleford. For Blue Quill Indian Boarding School, Saddle Lake Agency.	5 00



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. **Auth.** dated **Mr. J.E. Morris.**

June 30th. 1944.

Agent

Voucher No. **148.**

DATE

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Claude Stebbings,
Battleford. Sask.

Date, June 30th. 1944.

Blue Quill Indian Residential,

Address Saddle Lake Agency.

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EXTRACT FROM MR. MORRIS'S REPORT ON THE DUCK LAKE AGENCY -

BEARDY'S RESERVE

The goats at this school are doing very nicely. They are milked regularly and the milk is used in the school. The Sister in charge of the dairy has successfully made butter from the milk and a sample and instructions are being sent to Ottawa for inspection. Father Latour has distributed ten (10) young female goats to Indians on the Beardy's Reserve. He visits this Reserve regularly and will give the goats constant supervision.

Note: Father Latour requested that, if possible, a pure bred Saanen male be sent to him from Spanish. Mr. Roberts - kindly endeavour to obtain one for the Duck Lake School. Note: The understanding with Father Primeau is that all male goats of the Saanen herd at Spanish will be made available for our service at a cost of \$20.00 each, crated f.o.b. Spanish. I have already asked that a Saanen male be sent to the Grouard and Blue Quills Schools. When these shipments are being made another one could be included for Duck Lake.

J. E. Morris,
Welfare Division

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File 109 - 1 - 14

Ottawa, July 8th, 1944.

C. P. Schmidt, Esq., Inspector of Indian Agencies,
CALGARY, ALTA.

Requests have recently been received
for Pure Bred Male Saanen Goats for the Duck Lake and
Blue Quills Schools, and I would appreciate hearing from
you regarding the possibility of obtaining two suitable
animals somewhere in B.C.

R. A. Hoey.
Supt. Welfare and Training.

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File 109 -1 -14

Ottawa, July 8th, 1944.

H. P. Ruddy, Esq., Indian Agent, Golden Lake, Ontario.

Requests have been received from a few of the Agencies in Saskatchewan and Alberta for Male Saanen Goats, and I would appreciate hearing from you as to whether you will have any animals this year which would be suitable for shipment.

R. A. Eeey.
Supt. Welfare and Training.

Please place on file
and return to
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Ottawa, July 10, 1944.

Dear Mr. Morris:

The remarks in your Duck Lake report regarding male goats for the Duck Lake and Blue Quills schools have been noted, but we are advised there are no male goats available at Spanish this year; in fact, it appears the goats there were not bred this year due to Brother Grubb being short of help and unable to devote sufficient time to the goats. However, we have written Mr. Ruddy at Golden Lake, requesting that none of the male goats there be castrated until it is known definitely whether or not some of these may be required for the above schools or any other locations in the West. Would you drop me a line regarding your views as to whether or not the Golden Lake goats would be satisfactory.

I have also written Inspector Schmidt asking him to make enquiries in British Columbia with a view to obtaining pure bred males for Duck Lake and Blue Quills. I might also state that Mr. Schmidt was instructed some time ago to purchase a male Saanen in British Columbia for Grouard.

Yours very truly,


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

Mr. J. R. Morris,
c/o S. H. Simpson, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
BALCARRES,
Saskatchewan.

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The Pas, June 27th.

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File 131-1-14

Dear Mr. Hoey:

RE: Saanen Male Goats.

Regarding the sending of male goats to the Grouard, Blue Quill and Duck Lake schools as recommended in my reports I wish to make it clear that I never intended that young goats be sent. I do feel that good animals six months old could be sent without any difficulty. These three schools are very interested in the raising of goats to be distributed to needy T.B. Indians and we will have to encourage the project by helping to obtain breeding stock.

I investigated the possibility of obtaining Saanen male goats at Edmonton, Calgary and at any other place where I thought goats could be obtained. This question was very thoroughly discussed with Inspector Schmidt and all the agents I have visited to date and in every case they state that there are no good breeding goats to be had. Mr. Schmidt stated regarding the purchase of goats in British Columbia that there are only a limited number available at a very high price and that in his opinion there has been a great deal of inbreeding already. He was of the opinion that if goats are to make a success of in the Agencies in the West good breeding stock will have to come from Ontario.

I would therefore suggest that Father Primeau be asked to hold a number of good male goats until I return to Ottawa. I will provide him with shipping instructions so that the animals can be shipped, stopping over a certain points where the Farm Instructors can feed water and exercise them, so that they will reach their destination without hardship.

Yours truly,

(Sgd) J. E. Morris.

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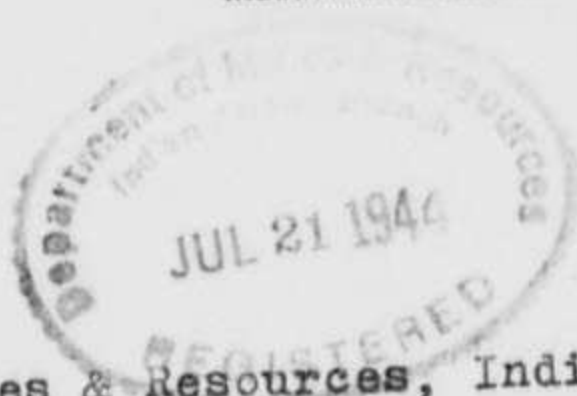
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FILE 53-119.

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Battleford. Sask.
July 17th. 1944.



Department of Mines & Resources, Indian Branch, Ottawa. Ont.

Recently I transferred one milch goat from the Red Pheasant Indian Day School to the Blue Quill Indian Residential School, Saddle Lake Agency, as on account of the teacher leaving we had no responsible party to take charge of goat. At a later date it may be advisable to purchase a goat for Red Pheasant School.

J.P.B. Ostrander.
Indian Agent.

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Mr. R.A. Hoey
please file away

538 Dominion Public Bldg..
Winnipeg, Manitoba.
July 20th, 1944.

Dear Mr. Hoey, -

Re: 109-1-14 - Purchase of
Goats for Duck Lake and
Blue Quills Schools.

Acknowledging your letter of July 10th, I would recommend that young male goats be retained at Golden Lake for delivery to the above-mentioned schools some time this fall.

It is regretted that the pure bred herd at Spanish was not bred last year. If Brother Grubb is unable to devote sufficient time to look after this herd of goats it might be well to consider moving them to some other place. I might inform you that many of the Agents are very interested in the securing of goats to supply milk to Indians, and as there are very few pure bred herds in the West it will most likely be necessary to obtain goats in Ontario. It is therefore important that the herd at Spanish be bred this year and goats available for delivery next year.

Yours very truly.

J. E. Morris
J. E. Morris.

Mr. R. A. Hoey.
Superintendent of Welfare & Training.
Indian Affairs Branch.
OTTAWA, Ontario.

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REPORT ON SADDLE LAKE INDIAN AGENCY FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1944.

Blue Quill's School;
Visited on June 10th. During the month Father LeTour received
six goats, to be used in connection with schoolwork.

W.P.B. Pugh,
Indian Agent.

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C O P Y

COPY FOR THE INFORMATION OF MR. R. A. HOEY.

118-1-14
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558 Dominion Public Bldg.,
Winnipeg, Manitoba.
August 16th, 1944.

Mr. P. G. Lazenby,
Indian Agent,
NORWAY HOUSE, MANITOBA.

RE: GOATS.

You are authorized to buy sixteen female goats at fourteen dollars each (\$14.00) and six male goats at ten dollars (\$10.00) each from the Rev. Mr. Jones; payment to be made out of the Welfare Vote. You are also authorized to purchase two female goats and one male goat from Father Rivard at twenty-five dollars for the three animals.

This herd is to be established at Norway House; the milk to be used for tubercular patients and the children of families who are unable to provide milk.

There has been considerable inbreeding in this herd; therefore, you are requested to separate the males at the earliest possible date. Probably you can arrange to pasture them on another island until they are distributed. The male goat purchased from Father Rivard should be used with this herd.

One male goat has already been sent to Island Lake. The others should be disposed of as follows:-

One to Father Trudeau to establish a herd at Cross Lake.

One to Indian Agent Lovell at The Pas.

(Note: It is suggested that this goat be sent there by aeroplane when Dr. Yule next visits Norway House.)

Two good billies should be selected -

One to be sent to the Duck Lake Indian Residential School,
Duck Lake, Saskatchewan.

One to the Blue Quill School in Alberta.

It is suggested that you write to Father George Letour, Duck Lake, Saskatchewan, and Father L.C. Letour, St. Paul, Alberta, asking them to provide you with the proper shipping instructions.

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