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Alberni Indian Residential School

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Principal
A. E. CALDWELL

ALBERNI, B.C.

Dec. 31st 1946.

To:

The Indian Affairs Branch,
OTTAWA, Ont.

To Grant for salary of Manual Training

Instructor for the December Quarter.....225.00

Assistant..... 150.00
375.00

Instructor..... John J. Stanton.
Assistant..... Maurice White.

A. E. Caldwell
Principal.



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UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Principal
A. E. CALDWELL

ALBERNI, B.C.

Sept. 30th 1946.

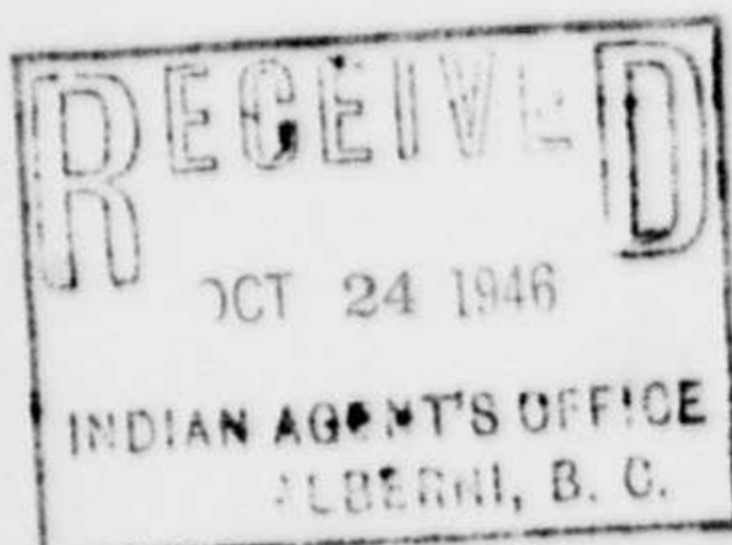
To :

The Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA, Ont.

To Grant for salary of Manual Training Instructor for Sept. Quarter	225.00
To Grant for Assistant	<u>150.00</u>
	<u>375.00</u>

July and August..... Vacation.

Sept. Instructor..... William Malcolm and Robt. Jackson.
Assistant Robt. Jackson and Laurence White.




Principal.

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Ottawa, July 11, 1946.

Dear Mr. Caldwell:

I received your letter of June 28 and discussed its contents with the new Superintendent of Welfare and Training, Colonel Neary.

We are very much interested in the efforts that you are making and we are particularly pleased to know that so much attention is being given to manual training.

I regret very much that we cannot assist you in the payment of the salaries of your regular teachers. Payment of such salaries has always been made from the amount received by the school for per capita grant or other receipts.

Owing to the fact that we have a special Vote, we are able to assist in paying the salary of the manual training teachers.

Yours sincerely,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Mr. A. E. Caldwell,
Principal,
Indian Residential School,
Alberni,
British Columbia.

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UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Principal
A. E. CALDWELL

ALBERNI, B.C.

June 28th 1946.

Mr. Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division,
Indian Affairs Branch, OTTAWA, Ont.

Dear Mr. Phelan,

Many thanks for your letter of May 21st re the salary of the vocational instructor. I have delayed answering it until now as I have been undecided as to just what to do. I think I have finally solved the problem. Mr. Loewen wishes to keep in the employment of the school, but he intends to get married and we have no accommodation on the ordinary staff for married people. Mr. Loewen, in addition to being a good manual instructor, sports organizer, etc., is, as I have occasion to know at Norway House, an excellent Farm Instructor.

As you may know, I took over this school under poor financial circumstances. There were several causes, mainly the fact that pupils were not returned to school at the beginning of the term, particularly the local pupils, many being away in the States berry and hop picking. This financial loss, amounting to upwards of \$2000.00 a year, I eliminated at once by excluding (after sufficient warning) some 38 tardy pupils, admitting in their place some of the many waiting applications for entrance. This effectively blocked that leakage, and, although I have since re-admitted many of the then excluded pupils, I have had no recurrence of tardiness.

Another leakage was the so-called "farm" operations, and this has taken longer to overcome. Our farm operations were laborious, working about 15 acres of indifferent land with three horses and a very poor outfit of machinery. About 6 or 7 cows were being milked. All feed was purchased (and this is expensive in B.C.) and no pasture was obtainable. Our best potato crop was 7½ tons in 1944, and we use approximately 40 tons a year. It required two *farmers* farmers to work this land and look after the cattle, and these were a legacy left from the previous administration. Their methods were poor, but, during the war time, they had to be put up with. Last year I rented more land and borrowed a tractor for a time, with the result that farm operations were an asset instead of a 50% liability as previously. Our potato crop last year was about 70 tons, although part of this was lost by a blight that affected all B.C. potato crops. However, we had enough potatoes to do the school, which, considering that the price last winter was between \$60.00 and \$80.00

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Mr. Phelin, (2)

per ton, certainly went far to offset the increasing costs of operation of the school owing to constantly rising prices. However, we still had the handicap of poor farming methods, in both machinery and personnel. Recently, by the sale of a right-of-way through the Church lands, conveying water power to a new pulp mill that is being built, the school came into possession of a sum of cash, the opportunity occurring at the same time to purchase a Farm-all tractor, with tandem disk, power mower, plow, spring-tooth cultivator and harrows and a farm trailer, all in almost new condition. I have also rented a number of small pieces of land, about 20 acres in all, such as constitute the majority of small farms in this valley, and these are in crop. These small farms can be made to produce abundantly with efficient farming methods. We are milking 11 cows with a production of over 8000 lbs of milk during the month of May.

The opportunity now arises to get rid of the two farmers, each married and occupying cottages on the school property. The whole operation, with the tractor machinery, can be undertaken by Mr. Loewen. Neither of the farmers employed could by any means be termed instructors, nor had they any facility in handling boys. Mr. Loewen can instruct them in tractor operation and in small farming methods, such as they can engage in on many of the reserves. Not all the parents of our pupils are fishermen. At first Mr. Loewen offered to combine the manual training work with the farming operations, but this I would consider detrimental to both operations, so I wish to employ another manual instructor, who can be assisted and supervised by Mr. Loewen. Mr. Loewen has lately undertaken the building of small boats, the first of which, 20 feet long, he has almost completed. He will continue this in his spare time. If, and, when he marries, he can occupy one of the farmers' cottages.

It will not, I think, be necessary to increase the vocational training grant under these circumstances. This may be rather surprising to you after your very kind offer, but I have another matter that is bothering me much more than that of the vocational instructor. It is the matter of teachers' salaries.

I note in Major Mackay's evidence before the Joint Committee that he made the statement that only 24 Indian children attended High School. I presume that he meant that these 24 attended Public High School although it is not clear that this was understood by the Committee. I see by the Schedule attached to minutes #5, where Major Mackay made this statement, that, under the column "Grade 9", which is junior High School, and which might even include grades above 9, for the returns do not provide for the notation of grades higher than nine, there are 56 High School students in the Residential Schools and 15 in the day schools. There are 18 in the Residential Schools of B.C., of which the Alberni School had 8 last term. Next term, allowing for discharges, we will have 14, 1 in grade 11, 5 in grade 10, 8 in grade 9.

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Mr. Phelin, (3)

The Committee also seems to have been given the impression that the pupils get little, or no, encouragement from the parents to take higher education, or to make use of it when it is taken. That is definitely not so among our pupils and parents. I have had letters from parents requesting pupil continuance in High School, and the pupils, without exception, wish to continue. Most of them have an object in view, some nursing, some business course, some teaching and some technical work. Their outlook, and the support given them by the parents, is most encouraging.

Now as to the teachers. I have one unqualified, but very good teacher taking grades one and two, a class of 65, on half-day system, of course. One University Graduate teacher taking grades 3 and 4 (a poor teacher, too long in an Indian day school) with a class of 78, on half-day. One returned air-force man teaching Grades 5 and 6, with a class of 47, on half-day, and one teacher teaching grades 7, 8, 9 and 10, a class of 38, with grades 7 and 8 half-day and grades 9 and 10 full day. The teachers up to grade 6 are being paid \$60.00 per month, with board and room, estimated in B.C. at \$40.00, amounting to \$1000.00 for the ten months. One is unqualified, one qualified in B.C. and one qualified in Saskatchewan. The minimum teachers salary for these teachers would be between \$1200.00 and \$1500.00 at the present B.C. scale. Two of these teachers are leaving, the poor one with the B.C. qualifications wishing to remain. I doubt if she could retain a position in the public schools.

I have resorted to the scheme, since coming here, of getting teachers from the prairies, where the teaching salaries have been lower, and where B.C. has provided an attraction. Naturally, their term is only of one year, or less, until something better opens for them in B.C. By this means I have kept on until now, with excellent success, especially as regards the teacher in the senior grades, but now salaries on the prairies are better and that source will not be so productive of teachers for us.

I have left the matter of the senior teacher until the last. The man I have had this term came from Saskatchewan and has been exceptionally good. The grade 10 pupils averaged 79% in June Exams. Grade 9 averaged 76.9%, Grade 8 averaged 75%, Grade 7 averaged 67%. This man was not a High School teacher and he had to work almost night and day to get the results he did.... from pupils who had only had the benefit of previous half-day tuition, up to grade 8. His salary was 70.00 with board and room, an equivalent of \$1100.00 for the 10 months. The minimum salary for an elementary school teacher in B.C. with the five years teaching experience this man had is \$1550.00. He is not remaining. He is going back to Saskatchewan for further study.

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Phelin, (4)

As you know, what is called the Cameron system of enlarged and well organized school districts, directly under the Department of Education, is now operative in B.C. Teachers are scarce. If we are to get qualified teachers at all, they will be the rejects of the Public Schools, and these are not good enough to maintain the standard we have set in this school and a standard that the Indian parents now expect from us. Even if we had sufficient finances to compete with the Public School system, there are still disadvantages to overcome. The Indian School teacher is handicapped by the loss of all recognition by the Provincial Department of Education. Superannuation is forfeited and Inspector's reports have no value in establishing seniority..... and the provincial scale of salaries is graduated by seniority, by the number of years engaged in teaching. However, we are prepared to compete with this handicap, providing we can offer equivalent salaries.

It seems almost beyond question that the Joint Committee will do something to remedy this matter, but the ramifications of the whole Indian problem which this Committee are so extensive that I cannot see any findings being brought down, or remedial measures applied, for at least two years. In the meantime what are we going to do? It seems a shame to build up a fair academic status, as compared to Public School standards, and then see it deteriorate because of lack of teachers of ability.

must study

I am not at this time suggesting a greater number of teachers, although certainly the Committee will amend a situation where four teachers are teaching 230 children. I am content to continue with this handicap until the whole system is changed. But this matter of teachers salaries is one of immediate urgency in B.C. I am sure that other schools (Indian) who must draw their teaching staff from the Provincial teaching profession, are in much the same position. It does not seem to me to be competent to expect the Churches to make up the deficiency and subsidize Indian education, nor do the Churches appear willing to do this further than is now done in some schools.

Can anything be done about it? The situation is entirely due to the advance in salaries in the teaching profession, perhaps also in some measure to the greatly increased consciousness of the Indian parent in adequate education, and also to the scarcity of teachers. It cannot be laid to inefficient administration of Indian School finances.

I regret having to go into so much detail to explain the situation, which, I think, is possibly more acute under the B.C. educational conditions than elsewhere. I trust that I have not imposed too great a burden on your time and patience. I would be glad, however, to know just what is the Department's reaction to this condition.

Yours very sincerely,

A.E. Caldwell

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Perhaps I should add, to indicate the necessity of the Indian situation, that I have lately received a request from the Principal of the Alert Bay Anglican Residential School, to take three of his pupils, who should take grade 10 next year, into this school next term. Owing to the teacher situation and also to the lack of accommodation in this school, I had to regretfully decline.

(Some manual report enclosed)

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Alberni, B. C.

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DATE June 22, 1946 *R. W. Garrison* *Actg* Agent

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A. E. CALDWELL

ALBERNI, B.C.
May 22nd 1946.

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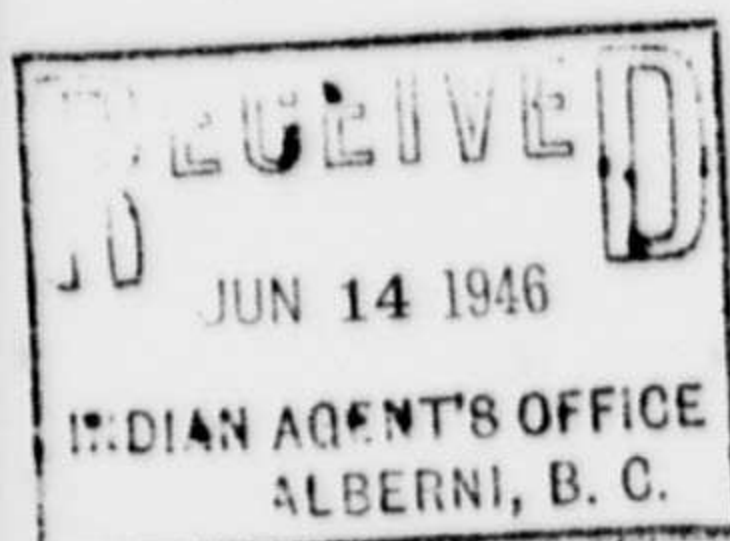
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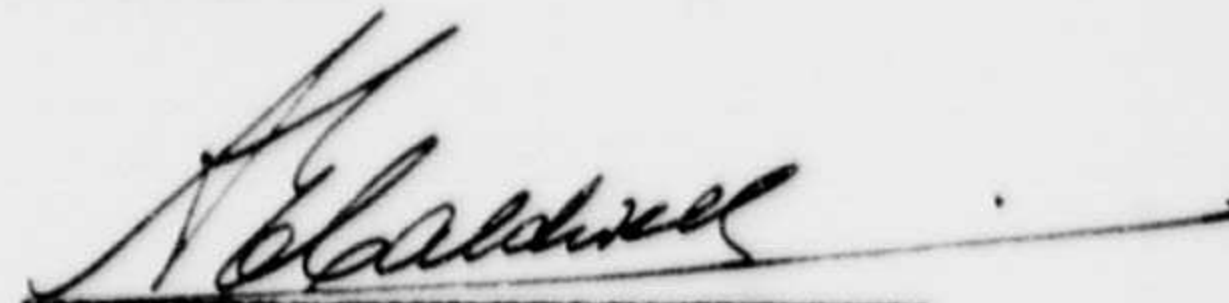
To allowance for salary of Manual
Training Instructor for April, May
and June 1946.....\$225.00

To allowance for salary of assistant
Manual Training Instructor for
April, May and June 1946.....\$150.00

\$375.00

Instructor.....Mr. J.B. Loewen
Assistant Instructor.....Mr. R. Jackson




Principal

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Ottawa, May 21, 1946.

Dear Mr. Caldwell:

I appreciate your letter of the 9th instant, giving information regarding the qualifications of the vocational instructor at the Alberni School.

I note your remarks with reference to Mr. Loewen. I would be interested in knowing what additional salary he has requested. We may be able to assist you in providing part, at least, of the increase, as it would be preferable to retain his services, if at all possible.

Yours very truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Mr. A. E. Caldwell,
Principal,
Indian Residential School,
Alberni, British Columbia.

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Ottawa, May 1, 1946.

Dear Mr. Caldwell:

We received the February report of the manual training work at the Alberni School, but we have not yet received the report for the months of March and April. These should be forwarded as soon as possible.

I would also appreciate it if you would let me know the qualifications of the instructor, Mr. Loewen and the qualifications of the assistant instructor, Mr. Strand.

Yours very truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Mr. A. E. Caldwell,
Principal,
Indian Residential School,
Alberni, British Columbia.

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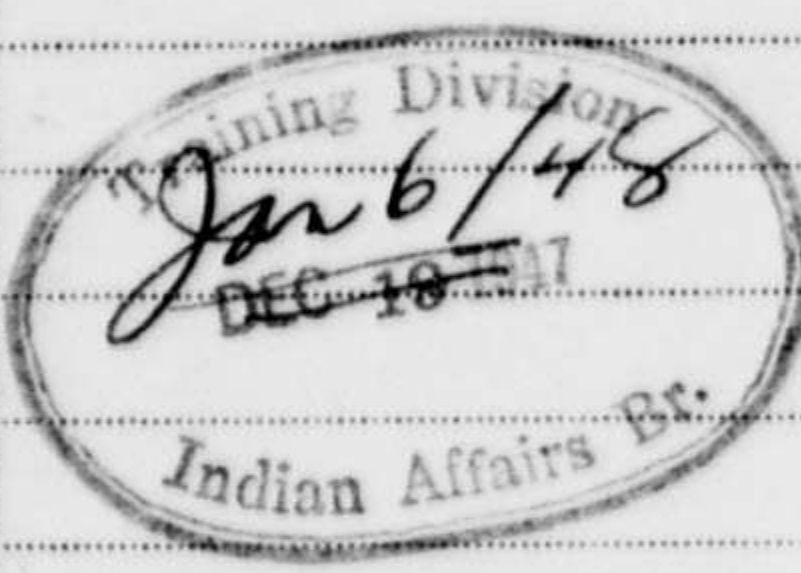
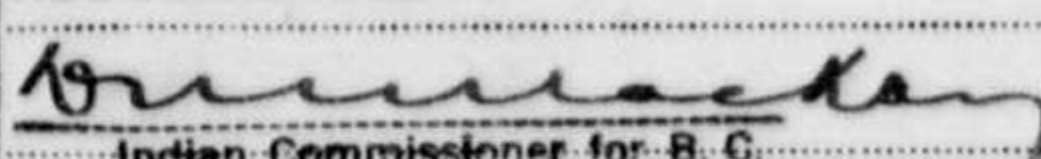
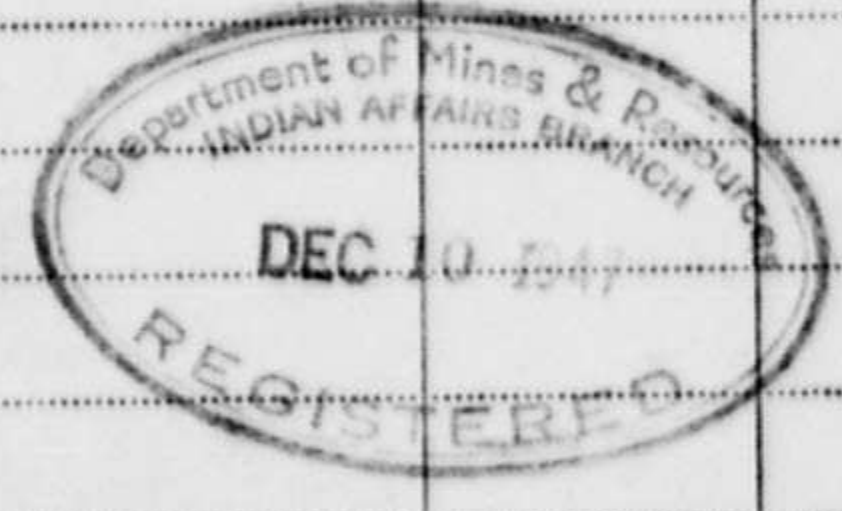
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		8/6, 4/7, 3/8	200	148.00	29.60
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	(1 x 10 "	158.00)	72 00
	(1 x 12 "	178.00)	
200 "	2 x 3 C Sel. & Btr. Clear Pine Rgh.	160.00	32 00
200 "	2 x 4 & wider Yellow Cedar Rgh.	210.00	42 00
400 "	4 x 12 Sel. Mach. Yellow Cedar Rgh.	140.00	56 00
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October 22, 1947

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**Department of Mines & Resources,
A.E. Caldwell,
Alberni Ind. Resid. School,
Alberni, B.C.**

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		Packing			14.15

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6 copies Electricity for Jr. High School.

7.20 dz.	\$ 7.20
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SHIP BY
TO

Mr. A. E. Caldwell, Alberni Indian Residential School,
Alberni, B.C.

2 copies Woodwork Practice.

1.60 ea. \$ 3.20

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AIR MAIL

Ottawa, October 27, 1947.

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

With reference to your letter of the
21st instant, file 16-11-4, the Department approves
an expenditure of approximately \$80.00 for the
purchase of supplies required for the leather work
class at the Alberni Residential School.

When issuing voucher you should mark it
"Pay from B.C. Special".


Bernard F. Neary
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

PP/MGD

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159-1-11
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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
NO 16-11-4
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Air Mail

P.O. BOX 70
VANCOUVER, B.C. Oct. 21st, 1947.

Indian Affairs Branch, Dept. of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Ont.

I am enclosing a requisition in duplicate dated October 18th covering the supply of leatherwork tools and materials for the Alberni Indian Residential school, together with a memorandum from District School Inspector Davey in this connection.

It is recommended that an expenditure of approximately \$80.00 for the purchase of these articles be approved from the B.C. Special Vote.

-EW
Encl.

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



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File 16-11-4

October 20, 1947.

MEMORANDUM.

To - The Indian Commissioner for B.C.
From - The District Inspector of Indian Schools.

Re - Alberni Indian Residential School -

I have examined the attached requisition for handwork supplies for the Alberni Indian Residential School and consider that it is not excessive.

I recommend the purchase of the listed articles.

R.F. Davey

R.F. Davey
Inspector of Indian Schools.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

REQUISITION FOR SUPPLIES

October 16th 19 47

To The Departmental Purchasing Agent, Ottawa,

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Requisition No.....

Order No.....

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR USE OF Alberni Indian Residential School
Alberni, B.C.

VOTE..... Allotment.....

SHIP TO A.E. CALDWELL, Principal,
Alberni Indian Residential School,
Alberni, B.C. (Express or Freight to Port Alberni, B.c.)Purpose for which required Handwork classesNOTE:—Requisition for non-consumable equipment, state if New Issue or Replacement.
" consumable equipment and supplies use columns 1 and 2.

Quantity	Articles and prices taken from catalogue Bedford Fine Leathers, 578 Seymour Street Vancouver, B.C.	Quantity on hand (1)	Quantity used per month (2)	Unit Price	TOTAL
2	B-123 Lopps (nickel)			.05	.05
100 Yds	Thonging 1/8" Width			.07	5.00
8 skins	#45 Shearling 5/8" clip white			.70	14.00
1	#11 Pattern - Mule Slippers			.20	.20
1 skin	#39 Goat Lining Grey			.40	
1 skin	#6 Horsehide "Langlov" Men's Wt. Natural			.50	
100 yds	Thonging 1/8" wide Natural			.06	4.75
1	#83 DeLuxe all metal X-ACRO Knife chest				5.95
1	#286 Paragon revolving punch				2.65
1	Glove making instruction sheet				
1	#210 Electric Pen Set				2.50
3	#1011 General purpose cutting knife			.55	1.65
3	#1013 Bavel point knives			.75	2.25
2	#1036A Spacing wheels No. 5 & No. 7			.90	1.80
1	#1831 Swivel Cutter				1.75
3	Blades, small, medium and large for above			.90	2.70
1 Qt.	Cement, Regular				1.10
5 doz.	B-133 Segma type medium- metal cap Ass't				1.00
5 Dos	B-147 Rivets - tubular Ass't			.30	1.50
3	#1026 Awl				.30

I hereby certify that I have personal knowledge that all the above articles are required in the Department and for Departmental purposes only. The expenditure required by this requisition is strictly unavoidable and the public interest will suffer if it is not made.

SIGNED—

APPROVED—

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Director

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Alberni, B.C. (Express or freight to Port Alberni, B.C.)

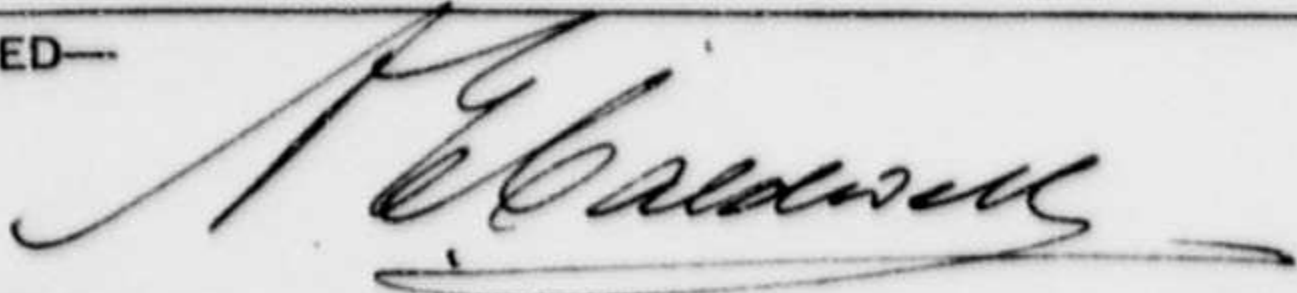
Purpose for which required Handwork Class

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Quantity	Articles and prices taken from catalogue Bedford Fine Leathers, 578 Seymour St., Vancouver, B.C.	Quantity on hand (1)	Quantity used per month (2)	Unit Price	TOTAL
2	#1034 Lockstitch awl			.30	.60
4	#1034A Fine awl needles			.15	.60
4	#1034B Curved awl needles			.15	.60
1	Background punches "B"			.50	.50
1	" " "C"			.50	.50
1	" " 37			.50	.50
1	" " 1809			.50	.50
1	" " 1812			.60	.60
1	" " 240			1.00	1.00
2	#B-10 Small edge creaser			.95	1.90
2	#B-102 Large edge creaser			.95	1.90
2	#B-120 Small Eyelet setter			.25	.50
2	#B-120 Large " "			.35	.70
1	#1014 French Skiving knife			1.10	1.10
3	#1003 Mallets			.50	1.50
6 Pkts	#2255 Needles			.05	.30
24	Thonging Needles #B111			1.50	3.00
2	#1038 Rivet Setters			.75	1.50
2	#B-114 Snap fastner assembly set			1.65	3.30
3	#1094 Steel leather square			.60	1.80

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