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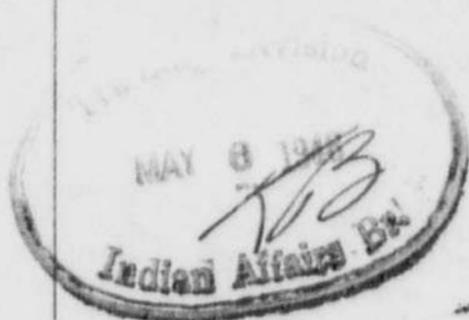
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Department of Mines & Resources

Room 503 Booth Bldg.,

Our order # 23-4-48

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| April 19 | A 10589 | | | |
| 3 | Volley Balls, @ \$ 6.50 Each | \$ 19 50 | | |
| 6 | Footballs, @ \$ 9.75 Each | 58 50 | | |
| | C.N.X.Ppd.Voucher Att'd..... | 2 75 | | |
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| | To: Rev. R. J. Staley, Principal, Edmonton Indian Residential School, Edmonton, Alberta..... | | | |



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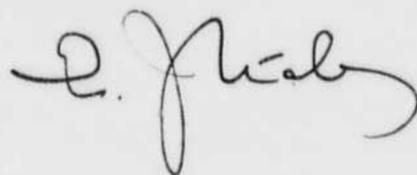
INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL
UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
REV. E. J. STALEY, PRINCIPAL

Edmonton,
MORLEY, ALTA.

Indian Residential School,
Edmonton.

In account with Indian Affairs Branch
Dept. of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa.

Re salary of night watchman for month of April 1948
the sum of forty (40) dollars.



E.J. Staley.

Principal.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

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CHEQUE No.

DATE

Pay to Edmonton Indian Residential School,

Address Edmonton,
Alberta.

DATE 1948

SERVICE

AMOUNT

To salary of night watchman for the month of
April 1948, as per statement attached.

40 00

Training Division
MAY 11 1948
Indian Affairs Br.

Department of Mines & Technical Surveys
Indian Affairs Branch
MAY 10 1948
RECEIVED

Ferty dollars.....40 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. 110-0-11 (M.T.1) Dec.5/46.

FORM No. I.A. 506

Req. 1876

E. Robertson

Agent

VOUCHER No. 120 - 48

May 6, 1948.

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OTTAWA, ONTARIO.

DATE DEC. 14/47

OUR INVOICE NO. 19982

SALESMAN REG
HSE.

YOUR ORDER NO. 21916

TERMS NET

INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

| ARTICLE NO. | QUANTITY | DESCRIPTION | QUANTITY | PRICE | EXTENSION | TOTAL |
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| | | REV E.J. STALEY, PRINCIPAL EDMONTON RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL | | | | |
| | 10 ³ | MARBOLEUM H | 10 ³ | 2 36 | 25.17 | 25.17 |



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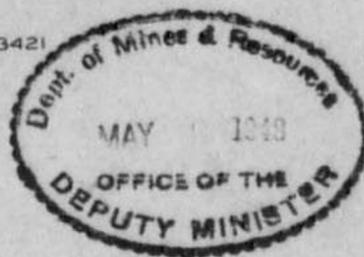
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ALBERTA
LIMITED



TELEPHONE 23421

EDMONTON, ALTA.
CANADA

May 6th. 1948



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Dominion Government,
Department of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sirs:-

We enclose herewith copy in duplicate of invoice #19982 of December 17th. 1947, \$25.17 that is still outstanding on our books. Will you please check this and communicate with us in regard to it.

Yours truly,

GAULTS ALBERTA LIMITED



JHJ/KS
ENCLO.

[Handwritten signature]

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110-0-5 (E.1)

May 12, 1948.

Gentlemen:

We have your letter of the 6th instant with reference to an account for \$25.17 which you state is outstanding in your books.

We have referred this matter to our Indian Agent and when his reply is received, we will write to you again.

Yours sincerely,

Philip Phelan
Chief, Training Division.

Messrs. Gault's Alberta Limited,
Revillon Building,
Edmonton, Alberta.

PP/MGD

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110-0-5 (E.1)

May 12, 1948.

Mr. E.A. Robertson, Superintendent,
Indian Agency, Winterburn, Alberta.

The attached account has been received
from Gault's Alberta Limited. You will note that
on this account they refer to purchase order 21916.

On reviewing our file we find that you
forwarded us voucher No. 551-47 to which was at-
tached an account from Gault's Alberta Limited and
this account included all the items ordered on
purchase order 21916.

Please let me hear from you as soon as
possible.

Philip Phelan
Chief, Training Division.

PP/MGD

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EDMONTON, ALTA.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES & RESOURCES
OTTAWA, ONTARIO.

DATE DEC. 17/47

OUR INVOICE NO. 19982

SALESMAN REG
HSE.

INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

YOUR ORDER NO. ~~21976~~

TERMS NET

| ARTICLE NO. | QUANTITY | DESCRIPTION | QUANTITY | PRICE | EXTENSION | TOTAL |
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| | | REV. E.J. STALEY, PRINCIPAL EDMONTON RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL | | | | |
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MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

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Winterburn, Alta.
June 4, 1948

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 110-11-17

110-0-5

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

Reference to your letter of May in connection with the account of, Gault's Alberta Limited, for 10 2/3 yards of Marboleum for the Edmonton Indian Residential school.

My voucher 551-47 did cover all of the items ordered on purchase order 21916 and on taking the matter up with Mr. Staley during a visit to the school yesterday I find that this 10 2/3 yards was ordered without authority.

The materials as ordered originally were based on 6 foot halls but they found when laying the covering that one hall of approximately 35 feet was a little over 8 feet wide and the 6 foot materials ordered left a foot of the floor uncovered on each side. This was over-come be placing a different coloured strip on each side which made a very fine appearing job.

I have vouchered the account and if this can be passed I would recommend that it be paid, if not will you please return the account and it will have to be paid by the school.

E.A. Robertson
E.A. Robertson,
Superintendent.

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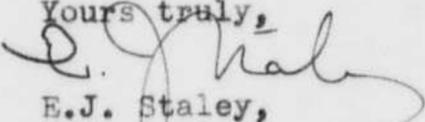
Edmonton,
MORLEY, ALTA.
June 7, 1948.

Mr. Robertson,
Supt. Indian Affairs,
Winterburn.

Dear Sir;

Would you be good enough to ask the Dept. to have done the necessary repairs to the various buildings at the school needed by reason of the falling away of the brick veneer. The situation is steadily getting worse and with the weathering now that breaks have been made in the brick work unless something is done a much more expensive job will be involved in the future. The estimated cost is \$350.

Yours truly,


E.J. Staley,
Principal.

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UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
REV. E. J. STALEY, PRINCIPAL

Edmonton,
-MORLEY, ALTA.
June 7, 1948.

Mr. Robertson,
Supt. Indian Affairs,
Winterburn.

Dear Sir;

Could consideration be given to having the roofs on the two very large barns at the school painted this summer. They are badly in need of paint and it would add greatly to the appearance of this place if the work could be done. The roofs as you know are very large and the cost would be in the neighborhood of \$500 but I would urge that the work be done.

Yours truly,

E. J. Staley
E.J. Staley,
Principal.

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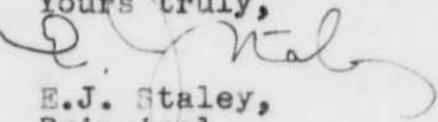
Dear Sir:

All the buildings belonging to the school are badly in need of paint and it would be appreciated if all the outside woodwork and shingles on the following buildings could be done this summer.

1. Garage--roof and trim.
2. House--No. 1---roof, trim and porches.
3. House--No. 2---roof and gables, trim with porches.
4. House--No. 3--- Principal's House--roof, trim with porches and verandah.

All buildings are in urgent need of paint. It would be economy to do it now.

Yours truly,


E.J. Staley,
Principal.

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REV. E. J. STALEY, PRINCIPAL

Edmonton
MORLEY, ALTA.
June 7, 1948.

Mr. Robertson,
Supt. Indian Affairs,
Winterburn.

Dear Sir;

Would you be good enough to please consider a request for a small electric washing machine to be used for incidental washing purposes at the school. At present we have just the large power machines and it is a very expensive proposition running this outfit for many items that could best be done by a smaller machine. I refer to such things as the washing of dish towels from the kitchen and other such items that must be done each day. It would be a big asset if a small machine could be provided. The estimated cost is \$175.

Yours truly,

E. J. Staley

E.J. Staley,
Principal.

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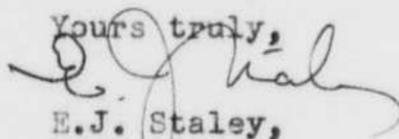
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MORLEY, ALTA.
June 7, 1948.

Mr. Robertson,
Supt. Indian Affairs,
Winterburn.

Dear Sir;

Would you ask the Dept. if they would consider the purchase of a potato peeling machine for the kitchen. With almost one hundred and seventy five pupils and staff to be cared for the business of peeling potatoes is a dreary and long task and not exactly an educational one. A suitable machine could be provided for \$225.

Yours truly,



E.J. Staley,
Principal.

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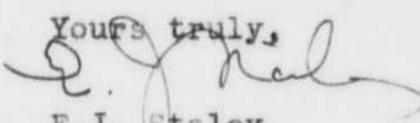
Edmonton,
MORLEY, ALTA.
June 7, 1948.

Mr. Robertson,
Supt. Indian Affairs,
Winterburn,

Dear Sir;

The tables and benches used in the childrens dining room have reached the place where further repairs cannot be effected to them and the matter of replacement must be considered. Twelve new tables and twenty-four benches are required. These will have to be made and for sanitary reasons I would recommend that the tops of the tables be of battleship linoleum. I may add that this request has the emphatic endorsation of Miss McCready the travelling dietician. The estimated cost is \$500.

Yours truly,


E.J. Staley,
Principal.

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REV. E. J. STALEY, PRINCIPAL

Edmonton,
~~MORLEY~~, ALTA.
June 7, 1948.

Mr. Robertson,
Supt. Indian Affairs,
Winterburn.

Dear Sir;

Would you be good enough to ask the Dept. to consider having new wooden floors laid in the two dormitories on the upper floor of the school. The rough flooring has given way completely and the matter is one of urgency if we are to continue using these rooms for the children. The estimated cost is \$750.

Yours truly,

E. J. Staley
E.J. Staley,
Principal.

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REV. E. J. STALEY, PRINCIPAL

Edmonton,
-MORLEY, ALTA.
June 7, 1948.

Mr. Robertson,
Supt. Indian Affairs,
Winterburn.

Dear Sir;

Would you be good enough to ask if the following list of painting inside the school could be done this summer. All places are badly in need of decorating and none have been done for many years.

1. The two dormitories on the upper floor used by boys and girls and referred to in request for new floors.
2. Sewing room on main floor.
3. North East classroom.

We have secured prices on this work and letter of contractors is attached.

Yours truly,

E. J. Staley
E.J. Staley,
Principal.

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10273-92 St.
Edmonton June 1/48

Rev. E. J. Staley
Box 188 Edmonton

Dear Sir;

We propose to furnish the labor and material to do the following work at the Edmonton Indian School.

Any ~~of~~ or all of the following items may be accepted;

School

| | |
|-----------------------------------|--------|
| 2 dormitories (2 coats oil paint) | \$ 250 |
| Sewing Room + varnish | 165 |
| N. E. Classroom + varnish | 135 |

Garage

| | |
|------------------------------|--------|
| Roof 1 heavy coat | \$ 110 |
| Trim 2 coats | 100 |
| Back stairway 2 coats | 20 |
| House occupied by Mr. Faunt. | |
| Roof _____ | 60 |
| Trim with porches 2 coats | 175 |

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| Unoccupied house | |
| Roof & gables | 70 |
| Trim with porches (2 coats) | 160 |

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|--------------------------------------|-----|
| House occupied by Mr. Staley | |
| Roof | 75 |
| Trim with porches & veranda (1 coat) | 235 |

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|-------|------|
| Total | 1555 |
|-------|------|

Work will begin reasonably soon after we have received notification. High quality materials will be used and the job done in a workmanlike manner.

John A. Cochrane
Vernon A. Sears

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE _____

Carried Forward \$3,205.00

7. Painting roofs and trimming of two large
barns. Estimated 500.00 *W*

✓ 8. Repairs to brick Veneer on two barns. 350.00
TOTAL \$4,055.00

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COPY: Mr. G.H. Gooderham

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE **110-6-1**

Edmonton Agency

Winterburn, Alta.
June 23, 1948

EDMONTON SCHOOL

| | | | | |
|------|--|---------------|---------------|------------|
| ✓ 1. | Painting 2 dormitories on upper floor Sewing Room & N.E. Class Room | | | |
| | 2 - Dormitories | \$ 250.00 | | |
| | 1 - sewing room | 165.00 | | |
| | N.E. Class Room | <u>135.00</u> | \$ 550.00 | ✓ |
| ✓ 2. | New flooring in two-3rd. floor Dormitories | | \$ 750.00 | ✓ |
| ✓ 3. | Replacement of tables & benches in childrens dining room. | | \$ 500.00 | ✓ |
| ✓ 4. | Potatoe peeling machine for kitchen | | 225.00 | |
| ✓ 5. | Washing machine for laundry | | 175.00 | |
| ✓ 6. | Painting Principal's residence | | | |
| | Roof | \$ 75.00 | | |
| | trim - porches-verandah | <u>235.00</u> | 310.00 | ✓ |
| | Asst. Principal's residence | | | |
| | Roof | \$ 60.00 | | |
| | Trim - porches | <u>175.00</u> | 235.00 | ✓ |
| | Farmers Residence | | | |
| | Roof | \$ 70.00 | | |
| | Trim & porches | <u>160.00</u> | 230.00 | <i>rw</i> |
| | Garage & Manual Training Building | | | |
| | Roof | \$110.00 | | |
| | Trim | 100.00 | | |
| | Outside stairway | <u>20.00</u> | 230.00 | ✓ |
| | | | <u>230.00</u> | |
| | | | TOTAL | \$3,205.00 |

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

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The roofs particularly have no sign whatever of paint of them.

The matter of repairs to the brick veneer on the 2 barns was taken up 2 years ago while Mr. Woodsworth was still in charge, but the expenditure was not authorized at that time. There are several places on the walls where the bricks have bulged out and fallen and the rain and snow getting between the walls make them deteriorate very fast. This work should, I think, be done if at all possible.

E.A. Robertson,
Superintendent.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 110-6-1

Edmonton Agency

Winterburn, Alta.
June 23, 1948

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

I am enclosing herewith several letters from Mr. Staley, Principal of the Edmonton Residential School, requesting authority for painting, repairs etc., at the Edmonton School.

I have listed these requests in what I consider their order of importance.

During the past year it has been necessary for the school to re-open the 2 dormitories on the upper floor which had not been used for a number of years. These rooms badly need decorating and new floors as requested.

The sewing room and the north-east class room also are in need of re-decorating as nothing has been done to them for a number of years. The table and benches in the children's dining room are also in poor condition and I believe Miss McCready, the dietician, may also have recommended that they be replaced from a sanitary view point.

In regard to the potatoe peeling machine, this would appear to be a reasonable request as they have about an average of 175 to feed and peeling potatoes by hand for this number takes a lot of time which could be used to better advantage in other ways. The washing machine requested for the laundry is also recommended. At the present time, if they wish to wash a few dish towels or something of that kind they have to turn on the big machines in the laundry and require the services of the engineer and the matron to oversee the work.

In regard to painting the residences and barns, this of course can be delayed if funds are not available, however, the painting is very badly needed.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

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CALGARY, Alberta.
July 6, 1948.

W. M. [Signature]
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines & Resources,
OTTAWA.

Re: Repairs & Painting,
Edmonton Indian Residential School,
Edmonton Agency

Attached hereto please find copy of Mr. Robertson's letter of June 23, together with letters from the Rev. Mr. Staley and estimates on painting, repairs, and new installations required at the Edmonton Residential School. It is hoped that the funds are available to do this work. As much of it as possible should be undertaken during the current holiday period. You might advise Mr. Robertson by direct letter as to how much of the program he might expect to have approved for this year. He has listed each item in order of preference.

Forwarded and recommended.

[Signature]

G. H. Gooderham,
Regional Supervisor of Indian Agencies.



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INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL
UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
REV. E. J. STALEY, PRINCIPAL

Edmonton,
-MORLEY, ALTA.
June 7, 1948.

Mr. Robertson,
Supt. Indian Affairs,
Winterburn.

Dear Sir;

Arising out of our conversation on the occasion ^{OF YOUR} inspection of the school and all the buildings I would request permission to make alterations to the large barn formerly used as a horse barn, in this respect. - All horse stalls on the south side to be taken out and in their place twelve cow stanchions built. We shall never need the barn for horses again but our dairy herd is being constantly enlarged and now we have not room to accomodate all the dairy cattle in the cow barn. If consideration is given to this request I would use the new stalls for my dry and young stuff. Prices on the cost of alteration can be secured if authority is given to effect the changes.

Yours truly,

E. J. Staley
E. J. Staley,
Principal.

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PLEASE QUOTE
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Edmonton Agency

Winterburn, Alta.
June 23, 1948

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

I am enclosing herewith letter from Mr. Staley, Principal of the Edmonton Indian Residential School requesting permission to make some alterations in the horse barn at the school.

This is a large ^{brick} veneer barn with metal stalls for 16 horses, 8 on each side of the barn as well as several box stalls. At the time the barn was built all the farm work was done with horses and accommodation for quite a large number was required, however, the work is now done by tractor and I do not think there is any possibility of their going back to horse labour. At the present time the farm has 6 horses which are very seldom used. Mr. Staley has the cow barn filled up at present and has considerable young stock. It is his intention to increase the herd if possible and he would like to have permission to remove the horse stalls from one side of the horse barn and replace them with cow stalls where he can stable his dry milk cows and young stock.

If alterations of this kind can be permitted would you please advise and I will secure and forward an estimate of the cost.

E.A. Robertson,
Superintendent.

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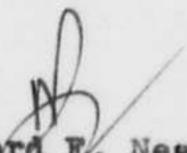
July 19, 1948.

Mr. E.A. Robertson, Superintendent,
Indian Agency, Winterburn, Alberta.

With reference to your letter of the 6th instant regarding repairs and new equipment requested by the principal of the Edmonton Residential School, the Department approves the following expenditures:

- (1) Painting two dormitories on upper floor.
- (2) New flooring in third floor dormitories.
- (3) Replacement of tables and benches in the children's dining room - \$500.00.
- (4) Painting principal's residence - \$310.00.
- (5) Repairs to brick veneer on two barns - \$250.00.

The other repairs suggested will have to remain until next year. You should, of course, forward the usual requisition for materials required. At that time you should state if the labour will be performed by white men or Indians. You may also forward a requisition for a potato peeling machine and a washing machine. Complete information should be given regarding the type of machine required in each case.


Bernard F. Neary
Superintendent of Education.

c/c to Mr. Gooderham.
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CALGARY, Alberta.
July 6, 1948.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines & Resources,
OTTAWA.

Re: Barn - Edmonton Indian Residential
School - Edmonton Agency

Attached please find copy of a letter
received from Mr. Robertson, together with a letter
from the Rev. Mr. Staley, Principal, Edmonton
Residential School, re the above.

I concur in the plan suggested, whereby
the horse barn will be made over into a cow barn
to accommodate the growing herd. Mr. Robertson
should be advise direct if the Department approves
of the change, so that he may obtain an estimate
of the cost.

G. H. Gooderham,
Regional Supervisor of Indian Agencies.



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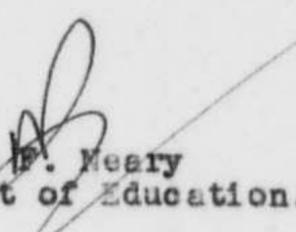
July 19, 1948.

Mr. E.A. Robertson, Superintendent,
Indian Agency, Winterburn, Alberta.

Re: Barn - Edmonton Residential School

We have your letter of the 23rd ultimo which
you forwarded to Regional Supervisor Gooderham.

We have given careful consideration to the
request for altering the interior of the horse
barn, and the Department does not consider that
these alterations are urgent as our funds are
limited, we are not prepared to authorize the
expenditure during the current fiscal year.


Bernard F. Neary
Superintendent of Education.

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