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REFER TO INVOICE NO.

Nov. 13/60

REQUISITION NO. Department of Mines and Resources
CONTRACT NO. Ottawa, Ont.

INVOICE DATE 47542
VENDOR'S NOS.

SOLD TO
Mr. F. Edwards, Indian Agent,
KENORA, Ontario.

SHIPPED TO AND DESTINATION

DATE SHIPPED

CAR INITIALS AND NO.

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TERMS

FROM Kenora
F. O. B.

TERMS CASH OR COLLECT

CPR
10 dys. net 30 dys.

For Cecilia Jeffrey Indian Residential School.

500 feet 1 1/2" "Mill" Single Jacket Cotton Rubber Lined Hose,
50' c. coupled with expanding ring couplings,
8, 16, or 32 threads to the inch.

10 lengths,

16.10 len.

161.00

1 only Long cast Brass Nozzle, to fit above, 1 1/2" 10" long.

1.35

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F.O.B. CHECKED

TERMS APPROVED

PRICE APPROVED

CALCULATIONS CHECKED

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FREIGHT BILL NO.

AMOUNT

MATERIAL RECEIVED

DATE

SIGNATURE

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Voucher no 10182

129-3-5

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH



Letter No. 110

[Handwritten initials]

Office of the Kenora, Ontario Indian Agent

December 12th 1940 19.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 10182

amounting to \$ 162.35 in favour

of The Canadian Fire Hose Co., Ltd., 827., Notre Dame West, Montreal.

for Fire Hose and Nozzle for Cecilia Jeffrey Indian Residential School, Kenora, Ontario. Nov. 1940.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Ordered through Ottawa.

Letter No. dated

Your obedient servant,

Frank Edwards

Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

Form No. I.A. 518
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Keewatin Lumber Company Limited.
Lumber Manufacturers.

Kenora, Ont. October 3rd, 1940

Sold to Cecilia Jeffrey Indian School,
Kenora, Ontario.

Delivered to: Round Lake, Kenora

OUR ORDER No. 76122 YOUR No.
CAR No. 76536 INITIALS
F.O.B. SALESMAN

RATE SEALS
TERMS 15 DAYS ~~net~~ % IF PAID IN DAYS ON NET AFTER DEDUCTION OF ACTUAL FREIGHT & DUTY
PLEASE FORWARD RECEIPTED FREIGHT BILLS PROMPTLY

NO. PIECES	SIZE AND DESCRIPTION			NO. FEET	TOTAL FT.	PRICE	AMOUNT
41	2x8"	10'	#2 Dia. Rough	547		40.50	22.15
12	2x4"	12'	do	96		37.50	3.60
1	1x10"	14'	#1 S4S	12		67.00	.80
20	2x8"	10'	#2 Dia. Rough	267		40.50	10.81
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FOR:-						Less 15%	5.60
BARN FLOORING.							\$31.76
Certified Correct							

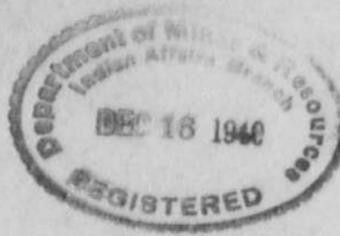
D. Pitta Principal
Authorized: - 31/40
aug. Mr. Phelan.
Voucher No 10180

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH



Letter No. 110

Office of the Kenora, Ontario Indian Agency,

[Handwritten signature]

December 12th 1940 19.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 10180,
amounting to \$ 31.76 in favour
of Keewatin Lumber Co. Ltd., Kenora, Ontario.
for Lumber supplies for Cecilia Jeffrey Indian
Residential School, Kenora, Ontario.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 129-3-5 dated August 22nd 1940

Your obedient servant,

Frank Edwards

Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

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THE
MRS. D. STR.
12 MEREDITH AVENUE, TORONTO

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY
OF THE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
COUNCIL EXECUTIVE

CORRESPONDING AND RECORDING
SECRETARY
MRS. DONALD GORDON
35 FOXBAR ROAD,
TORONTO

279 Lytton Blvd.,
TORONTO

January 9th, 1941

Mr. Phillip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.



Dear Mr. Phelan:

At the request of the Board I visited the schools at Kenora and Birtle early in December.

Birtle: There seemed to be good atmosphere here. There has been several changes on the staff. The new teacher, Mr. Candy, is an exceptional young man. His class work I found very satisfactory. He is also taking a keen interest in physical training of boys and girls.

*Walter
at
Birtle*

We are considering some gymnasium equipment and would like your opinion as to the use of parallel bars, travelling rings, etc.. We could get parallel bars from Harold A. Wilson Co., for about \$125.00 and upwards and would like to know whether you consider this a good investment for both schools. Birtle needs equipment for woodwork and I have an estimate for this which we are willing to supply if you think the money would be well spent. The estimate is for about \$90.00 plus \$25.00 for material.

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I would be glad to have a reply as soon as possible about the stove and your judgment on the gymnasium equipment.

Sincerely yours,

J. Florence Lang
Indians Secretary.

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Ottawa,
January 10, 1941.

Dear Miss Lang:

I am in receipt of your letter of the 9th instant with reference to your recent visit to the Birtle and Cecilia Jeffrey Indian Residential Schools.

I am very pleased to know that you found everything satisfactory at Birtle and that the new teacher gives promise of being exceptionally capable.

Careful consideration has been given to your suggestion of supplying gymnasium equipment. I really doubt the advisability of doing this and would suggest that its purchase be deferred. I note that Mr. Candy is interested in the physical training of the boys and the girls and I believe that without any expenditure he could follow the syllabus of physical training issued by the Strathcona Trust. If he does this there is no doubt that beneficial results will be obtained. Besides, he could encourage more outside games. After all outside play is preferable to inside play, no matter how good your inside equipment may be. When a few months of physical training as suggested above has been given I would recommend formation of a Boy Scout group and Girl Guide group for the girls. I feel very definitely that such activities would be better for the present and would likely have more lasting value.

Before you incur the expenditure that you mention for woodwork equipment I should appreciate

Miss J. Florence Lang,
Indians Secretary,
Women's Missionary Society,
Presbyterian Church in Canada,
279 Lytton Blvd.,
Toronto. Ont.

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your stating more definitely what you have in mind. We have recently added to our staff a man trained in vocational work and possibly if we had more explicit information regarding what you suggest in this regard we could offer some practical suggestion for you.

At the present time I would not recommend purchase of a movie projector and movie camera. This is very expensive equipment and certain difficulties are always being encountered in endeavouring to keep it in good condition.

I have noted your remarks about the stove at the Cecilia Jeffrey School and I am writing to the Agent today requesting definite information regarding the type of stove that would be necessary. If at all possible this will be secured at an early date.

With best wishes for the New Year, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Ottawa,
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Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of a letter from Miss J. Florence Lang, Indians Secretary of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, regarding her recent visit to the Cecilia Jeffrey Residential School.

She reports the kitchen stove in very bad condition. Please let me have detailed information regarding the type of stove that is required for this kitchen and, if possible, supply a catalogue number from some of the recognized manufacturers of stoves.

Yours truly,

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

Mr. F. Edwards,
Indian Agent,
Kenora, Ont.

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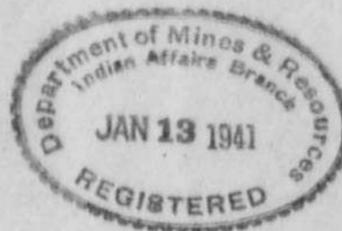
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Sincerely yours,

J. J. Lawrence Bay
Indians Secretary.

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Ottawa, January 11, 1941.

Dear Miss Lang:

I have for acknowledgment your letter of the 9th instant, in which you refer to your visit to the Kenora and Birtle Residential Schools.

It is very gratifying to learn that you found conditions at these schools satisfactory. I was rather favourably impressed after my interview with Mr. Pitts when he called at this office a few months ago. He is a young man and has had good training and valuable experience at one of our residential schools. He should certainly do good work at Kenora.

There is little that I can add to the advice sent forward to you by Mr. Phelan in his letter of the 10th instant. In a period as critical as the present period appears to be, we are naturally anxious to keep expenditures down to the lowest possible figure, regardless of whether these expenditures are made from parliamentary appropriations or from church funds. I am convinced, from experience, that excellent work can be done in physical instruction and in the promotion of manual training, while still avoiding the necessity of expenditures on costly equipment.

I am enclosing herewith a photo of a group of girls that have just completed a course in physical training at the Christie Residential School (R.C.) British Columbia. The Provincial Director of Young People's Work, Mr. Eisenhardt, in commenting upon the work accomplished at this school, in a letter to the Principal, states:

"I again commend you for the great interest you are taking in those in your charge.

Miss J. Florence Lang,
Women's Missionary Society,
Presbyterian Church in Canada,
279 Lytton Blvd.,
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Personally -

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Personally, I have never seen better executed pyramids anywhere for the age group with which you are dealing. I am trying to have an enlargement of the picture made and have it shown here in Vancouver".

The suggestion that the pupils of the Birtle and Cecilia Jeffrey Schools might be organized into groups of Boy Scouts and Girl Guides is in my judgment well worth consideration.

May I embrace this opportunity to wish you and your associates a very happy and prosperous New Year.

Yours sincerely,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No. 110

Office of the Kenora, Ontario Indian Agency,

January 17th 1941

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Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 10216

amounting to \$ 90.00 in favour

of Principal, Cecilia Jeffrey Indian Residential School, Kenora, Ontario.

for Grant towards salary of Night Watchman at Cecilia Jeffrey School for quarter ending Dec. 31st 1940

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Sept. 18. 1941

Letter No. 129-1-5 dated January 20th 1940

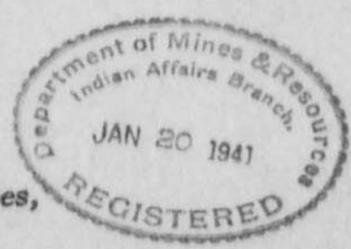
J.E.

Your obedient servant,

Frank Edwards

Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa



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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 108-13

Kenora, Ontario
February 19th 1941



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

Dear Sir,

Replying to your letter of the 10th ultimo, file No. 129-3-5., re purchase of kitchen stove for the Cedilia Jeffrey School, I made an inspection of the old stove and found it in a very poor condition; but the Principal asked me to leave the matter over for a while as he wanted to find out the best type of stove to use. I now enclose letter from the Principal which is self explanatory.

You will note that parts for the essential repairs would cost about \$97.00., and it would cost a considerable amount to havek these fitted and the stove rebuilt. I discussed the matter with Mr S. Omerheim who does this work here. Although he would like to do the job he said it would be very foolish to do this and recommended a new stove be purchased.

The Principal prefers No.222 C. F. French top, two fires and two ovens at a cost of \$444.00 less 20% -- \$355.20 F. O. B. Winnipeg. To me this range appears to be preferable to the others taking into consideration the price.

I shall be glad to know what the Department will do in this case.

Yours very truly *Frank Edwards*

Indian Agent.

Yours Sincerely

D. Pitts
Principal.

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Cecilia Jeffrey
Presbyterian Indian Residential School

KENORA - ONTARIO

Feb. 17th. 1941.

Capt. F. Edwards,
Indian Agent,
KENORA, Ont.

RE: KITCHEN RANGE.

Dear Sir:

Following up your letter and our conversations concerning a new stove, I wrote to two firms for information and prices.

The McClary Co. (General Steel Wares) sent a representative from Winnipeg. He examined our stove very carefully. He pointed out to us several worn out warped and broken parts. His price for Essential Repairs (Parts only) was \$ 97.00.

His new stove quotations were:-

McClary Co.

# 20. one fire, two ovens, \$	\$ 331.00
# 1010 two fires, two ovens	544.00

f.o.b. Kenora, all taxes paid.

The J.A. Ashdown Hardware Co. Winnipeg
Gurney Heavy Duty Ranges

N.B. # 222 G.F. French top
two fires, two ovens \$ 444.00 less 20% = [#] 355²⁰

f.o.b. Winnipeg, all taxes paid.

This last stove, Gurney's John Bull is the one that we would prefer. We feel that this stove meets all the requirements of an Institution. The Two fires make it convenient for the light cooking (as in Summer) using only one or for heavy cooking of winter--both fires.

We all appreciate very much this consideration of the Department, especially in War time. If the Department does make this purchase, we shall be very glad indeed,

Yours Sincerely

... *D. Pitta* ...
Principal.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

REQUISITION FOR SUPPLIES File No. 129-3-5
 February 26 1941

This space for use of Head Office only

Requisition No.

Order No.

To The Departmental Purchasing Agent, Ottawa,

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR USE OF Cecilia Jeffrey Indian Residential School

VOTE 73 Allotment 12-422

SHIP TO Mr. D.S. Pitts, Principal, Cecilia Jeffrey Indian Residential School, Kenora, Ont.

Purpose for which required.....

NOTE:—Requisition for non-consumable equipment, state if New Issue or Replacement.
 " consumable equipment and supplies use columns 1 and 2.

Quantity		Quantity on hand (1)	Quantity used per month (2)	Unit Price	TOTAL
1	Kitchen range				
<p>Note: Without being requested to do so the Principal consulted General Steel Wares, Winnipeg, and the Principal reports that #222 C.F. French top, two fires, two ovens kitchen range, manufactured by the McClary Co., is the most suitable type of range for the Cecilia Jeffrey School. General Steel Wares have quoted a price of \$444.00 less 20%, f.o.b. Winnipeg.</p>					

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—

Director

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KENORA ONTARIO

DATE FEB 1-41 P.P.C.

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CAR NO.

YOUR ORDER NO.
REQUISITION NO.
LICENSE NO.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	AMOUNT	CONTAINERS		SALES TAX	DATE	INVOICE REFERENCE	TOTAL
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1	ONLY DOWN H.T.H. CHLORIDE POWD.	100 .28	28.00				Feb 1	1018	28.00
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Winnipeg

PLEASE MAIL ALL REMITTANCES TO WINNIPEG OFFICE
1377 WINNIPEG AVE.

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

D. S. PITTS, B.A.
PRINCIPAL

Cecilia Jeffrey
Presbyterian Indian Residential School

KENORA - ONTARIO

Feb. 26th, 1941.

Capt. F. Edwards,
Indian Agent,
KENORA, Ontario.

Re: Forced Draft Blower.

Dear Captain Edwards:

We use a tremendous amount of fuel to heat the School Building during the Winter months. After trying both coal and wood, and on the advice of several experts, we have found that coal is cheaper. However, we are starting our third car of coal (about 130 tons in all) and find that the fuel bill is a huge part of our expenses.

Most large buildings now use an automatic Stoker or a Blower. They find that the heat is more easily controlled, that there is less waste, and that a cheaper coal may be used.

We do not wish a stoker, because the art of building and attending a furnace fire is one branch of training for our boys. But, I do think that a forced draft under the grates will give us more actual heat per unit of coal used. At present, the heat very seldom reaches the Residence. When we are able to force the draft, it does so easily.

The Fairbanks-Morse Company Ltd. of Winnipeg has quoted us a price on a small blower, taken from an Apartment Block in Winnipeg. It was replaced by an Automatic Stoker. The price of the Blower, equipped with a 1/4 H.P. Motor would be \$ 35.00. A pressure switch to control the fan would cost an additional \$ 11.00. These prices are f.o.b. Winnipeg, all taxes paid.

We could place the blower between the two furnaces, with a butterfly damper on each line to control the flow of air. We could then use one boiler instead of two, except in cases of emergency.

This offer (price) is only for a limited time. If the Department would consider this purchase, it would save us considerably on costs, and would also save on the possibility of repairs to the second furnace which is in rather poor condition.

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I hope that you will bring this to the attention of the Department as speedily as possible, and that they will deem it wise to grant this piece of very valuable House Equipment.

Yours Sincerely,

D. P. ...
Principal

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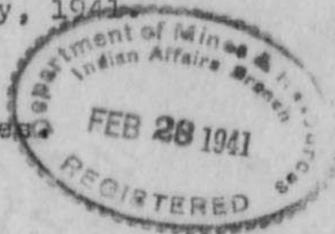
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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 108-13.

Kenora, Ontario.
27th, February, 1941

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



Dear Sir;

Enclosed herewith is a letter I have received from the Principal of the Cecilia Jeffrey Indian Residential School, requesting us to supply a second hand blower at a cost of \$35.00 f.o.b. Winnipeg, and \$11.00 for the control switch.

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I have written to the Boiler Inspector to see if he recommends the purchase and will let you know on receipt of a letter from him.

You will note that the offer of this article is only for a limited time, and I shall be glad to know how you would like me to answer the Principal's letter.

Yours very truly,

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