

Richards-Wilcox Canadian Company, Ltd.

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LONDON, ONTARIO

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Sold to Dept. of Indian Affairs
 Town Ottawa,
 Province Ont.
 Via Express
 Salesman

Shipped to
 Rev. S.R. McVitty
 Mt. Elgin Inst
 Muncey,
 Ont.

Your Order No.
 Date Your Order
 Marked
 Terms
 60-2-30
 Date Shipped
 Nov. 22

Back Or'd QUANTITY Ordered Shipped

PRICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

Back Or'd	QUANTITY Ordered	Shipped				
				Forward		204.94 ✓
	24		Feet # 31 Track 4/6') By	.22	5.28 ✓
	12		Only # 1 x 31 Galv. Brackets)	Express	.19	2.28 ✓
	1 1/2		Doz. Thumb Latches		3.25	3.52 ✓
	1/3		Doz. # 2 Steel Thumb Latches		1.50	3.75 ✓
	1/2		Doz. Pair 4 1/2 Hinge Happs		1.20	.50 ✓
	1/2		" 5/16 x 5 Hooks & Staples		.60	.60 ✓
	1/2		" 100x4 Tower Bolts		1.25	.63 ✓
	1/3		" 100 x 6 " "		1.50	.50 ✓
	7		Gross 1 1/2 x 10			1.25 ✓
						219.80
						220.03
				10 % Special		21.98
						198.03
						197.82

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Province	Ont.		Muncey	Marked	
Via			Ont.	Terms	
Salesman				60-2-30	
				Date Shipped	

Back Or'd QUANTITY Shipped
 Ordered

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Back Or'd	QUANTITY Ordered	Shipped	Description	Unit Price	Total Price	Notes
	4		Pair # 03 x 2 x 18 Hinges 1 7/8" Door		166.88 ✓	
			3" Lags 2 1/4" Bolts & Washers	3.75	15.00 ✓	
	850		Only 1/4" x 2 1/2" F. H. Stove Bolts	.40	3.40 ✓	Y-1111
	1700		" 5/16 Washers	.10	1.70 ✓	
	3 2/3		Doz. 10" T Hinges	4.15	15.21 ✓	
	10		Gross 2 x 12 F. H. Wood Screws	.275	2.75 ✓	
					Forward	204.94 ✓

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Via			Ont.	Terms	60-2-30
Salesman				Date Shipped	Nov. 3, 1915.

Back Or'd QUANTITY Ordered Shipped

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Back Or'd	QUANTITY Ordered	Shipped	Description	Unit Price	Total Price	Notes
			Forward		113.67	✓
48			Pcs. 3/8 x 5 Exp. Bolts & Washers	.07	3.36	✓
14			Pcs. #128 Door Bolts	3.60	4.20	✓
2			" #152 Monarch Latches	1.17	2.34	✓
2			Doz. 6" Hooks & Staples		.74	✓
3			Pcs. #381 Chain Bolt 8"		.60	✓
1			Pc. #152 Monarch Latch	1.17	1.17	✓
2			Prs. Special O3 Hinge Straps			
			18" with 2 1/2" bolts 1 7/8 door	3.30	6.60	✓
20			Gross F. H. B. Wood Screws 1 1/2 x 10		3.80	✓
4			Padlocks	1.25	5.00	✓
13			Pair Galv. T Hinges 6"	.40	5.20	✓
2			" " " " 12"	1.10	2.20	✓
30			" " " " 8"	.60	18.00	✓
			Forward		166.88	

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Nov. 3, 1915.

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 Ordered

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Back Or'd	QUANTITY Ordered	Shipped				
				Forward .		71.77 ✓
	56		Feet # 31 Track 4/10' 2/8'	.23	12.33 ✓	
	4		Pair # 321 Hangers	2.60	10.40 ✓	
	30		Pcs. # 1 x 31 Brackets	.19	5.70 ✓	
	4		" # 88 Bumpers	.25	1.00 ✓	
	4		" # 153 Stay Rollers	.24	.96 ✓	
	1		" # 152 Monarch Latch	1.17	1.17 ✓	
			Mark * Stock Barn *			
	34		Feet # 31 Track 3/8'	.23	5.28 ✓	
	13		Pcs. # 1 x 31 Brackets	.19	2.47 ✓	
	1		Pair # 321 Hangers	2.60	2.60 ✓	
			Mark * Basement Stock Barn			
				Forward		113.67 ✓

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Department of Indian Affairs,

Rev. S.R. McVitty

Your Order No.

Town

Ottawa, 47694 Mt. Elgin Inst,

Date Your Order

Oct. 19, 1915.

Province

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Muncey

Marked

Via

DEC '8 1915

Ont.

Terms

60-2-30

Salesman

ARCHITECT.

Date Shipped

Nov. 3rd & 6th

Back Or'd QUANTITY Shipped
Ordered

All parts Galvanized

PRICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOT

2	Sets # 278 Fixtures complete less weights center 13' side 9'6" width 5' Mark " Gables Horse Barn "	set	19.16	38.32
1	Set # 279 Fixt complete less weights. Center 13' side 9'6" width 5' Mark " Gable Horse Barn "		17.24	17.24
32	Feet # 31 Track 4/8'	ft	.22	7.04
2	Pair # 321 Hangers	pr.	2.60	5.20
17	Pcs. # 1 x 31 Brackets	ea	.19	3.23
2	" # 88 Bumpers	"	.25	.50
1	" # 153 Stay Roller		.24	.24
1	" # 153 Monarch Latch			
	Mark " Dairy Barn "			
Forward				71.77

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Mr. Ogilvie

Please certify etc

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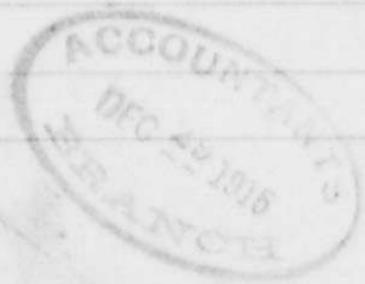
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Memorandum
Mr. Payet

Two hundred dollars will be deducted
from Contract of A. G. Ponsford for the
Mount Elgin Industrial School Barrer
and account of Pichard-Wilsey for
Hardware amounting to \$197.⁰⁰ paid
therefrom

Ottawa Dec 28/15

W. M. C. Pilon



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[Signature]



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No. of account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Messrs. A. E. Ponsford Ltd., St. Thomas, ONT.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 155001-5 , dated Sept. 24th. 1915.	
Nov. 27. 1915.	To repairs to main building, as per invoice attached.	\$131. 45
<p>CERTIFIED CORRECT, Charges fair and just. 420 30 15 Signed <i>W. M. Collins</i></p>		
	<p>3273 <i>sent Jan. 2/16.</i></p>	
	<p><i>See note</i> RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT <i>Pay</i> APPROVED <i>30/12/15</i> ACCOUNTANT</p>	
	<p><i>JMS</i> TOTAL:-</p>	\$131. 45

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and 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.

J. B. McMillan
Agent.

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St. Thomas, Ont. Nov. 27-15.

M Mount Elgin Institute, Muncy Ont.

DEALER IN
Lime, Stone, Cement and Bricks.

RESIDENCE 106 ELGIN ST., PHONE 301
OFFICE 605 TALBOT ST., PHONE 379
BRICK-YARD PHONE 692

IN ACCOUNT WITH

A. E. Ponsford, Limited,

Mason, Contractor & Cement Worker.

" Repaird around Building. "

Sept. 29,	24 hrs. mason @ 60	\$14.40.
	5 " Labor @ 30	1.50.
	Repairs on Main building	
Oct. 8,	570 Slate @ 7¢	39.90.
	45 lbs. Iron @ 8¢	3.60.
	15 " Nails @ 6	.90
	65 hrs. 2 men @ 50¢	32.50.
	32½ " 1 man @ 40	13.00.
	6½ # Solder @ 30	1.95
	Charcoal & Acid	.35
	12 Meals	3.00.
	Car Fare	1.40.
	Labor	18.95

\$131.45

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No. of account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To...International Harvester Co., London,
ONT.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated: ... (see note below)	
Oct. 16. 1915. :-	To repairs for gasoline engine, as per invoice attached.	\$24. 35.
CERTIFIED CORRECT, Charges fair and just. OCT 30 15-		
	Signed <i>W. C. ...</i>	
	<i>Sch Note</i> RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT <i>Pay Dept.</i> <i>21/12/15</i>	
	<i>W</i>	
	TOTAL:-	\$24. 35. ✓
<i>We return our gasoline engine which runs the Dynamis completely gone out leaving us in utter distress with about 30 strange men (Carpenters etc) living with us. We called an expert who ordered and attached above repairs. It was quite impossible under the circumstances. I want for authority from the Department.</i>		

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S. B. ...
Agent.

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STATEMENT

In Account with INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COMPANY OF CANADA, Limited

Block No. _____ Folio _____

Mt. Elgin Industrial Institute,

19 15 Account

MUNCEY, Ont.

October 16, 1915

Branch House at LONDON, ONTARIO.

	DATE		
	DIS.	DUE	
1013 TO Repairs on Inv. 9529			
1-G2134, Detent Blade		.20	✓
1-G7043, Rock arm fitted		2.35	✓
1-G290, Crank pin, Brass,		12.35	✓
1-G434, Pump Rod		.35	✓
1-G435, " "		.40	✓
1-G2858 with G2859, Cam & Shaft		3.60	✓
2-00 Jewel Oil Cups. 1.20		2.40	✓
1 Cotter Pin		.05	✓
1-GA2838, fitted with 8461 Valve relief rod complete		2.65	✓
TOTAL -		<u>\$ 24.35</u>	✓

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sent Jaw. 3/16.

MAKE ALL CHECKS AND DRAFTS PAYABLE TO THE ORDER OF THE COMPANY

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46 470 TALBOT STREET

HOUSE FURNISHINGS

St. Thomas, Ont., Nov. 22, 1915

M. Department of Indian Affairs,

Paints, Oils
Glass, Stoves
Furnaces

8 per cent. interest
charged on overdue
accounts.

Muncey, Ont.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

INGRAM & DAVEY Limited

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

RAILWAY SUPPLIES, SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE

Gas Fixtures
Plumbing
Gas Fitting
Tinsmithing

Sporting
Goods

Time and material repairing electric wiring
on old building of Mount Elgin Institute.

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OFFICIAL LETTER:-

NO. 155001-5, NOV. 25th. 1915.

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468-470 TALBOT STREET

HOUSE FURNISHINGS

St. Thomas, Ont., Dec. 16, 1915

M. S. A. McVitty,

Paints, Oils
Glass, Stoves
Furnaces

8 per cent. interest
charged on overdue
accounts.

c/o Mt. Elgin Inst.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

INGRAM & DAVEY Limited

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

RAILWAY SUPPLIES, SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE

Gas Fixtures
Plumbing
Gas Fitting
Tinsmithing

Sporting
Goods

40 rods 10-54 Ideal fence

52

20

80

20

80 ✓

2¢ per rod less if paid in 30 days.

OFFICIAL LETTER:-

No. 153001-5., Sept. 24th. 1915.

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468-470 TALBOT STREET

HOUSE FURNISHINGS

St. Thomas, Ont., Dec. 4, 1915

M Department of Indian Affairs.

Paints, Oils
Glass, Stoves
Furnaces

8 per cent. interest
charged on overdue
accounts.

Muncey, Ont.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

INGRAM & DAVEY Limited

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE
RAILWAY SUPPLIES, SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE

Gas Fixtures
Plumbing
Gas Fitting
Tinsmithing

Sporting
Goods

4 Grate Bars for 93 Hot Water Boiler

15 20 15 20 ✓

Net 30 days.

OFFICIAL LETTER 151001-5, Sept. 24th, 1915.

151,001-5.
Sept. 24, 15.

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HOUSE FURNISHINGS

St. Thomas, Ont., Nov. 30, 191

Mt Elgin Institute

**Paints, Oils
Glass, Stoves
Furnaces**
8 per cent interest
charged on overdue
accounts.

Department of Indian Affairs.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

INGRAM & DAVEY Limited

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

RAILWAY SUPPLIES, SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE

**Gas Fixtures
Plumbing
Gas Fitting
Tinsmithing**

**Sporting
Goods**

		brought forward				165	14	✓
Nov	11	1-4 x 1/4 Medium bend				52		✓
		1-4" brass cleanout				50		✓
		1-6 x 4 Tile increaser				85		✓
		60 lbs pig lead	7 1/2	4		50		✓
		10 lbs wiping solder	30	3		00		✓
		10 lbs Okum US	12	1		20		✓
		1-2" brass ferule				35		✓
		2 ft 2" lead waste 5 lbs	15			75		✓
		6 feather edge washers	15			90		✓
		12-1/2 Comp. washers per doz	45			45		✓
		12-1/2 " " " "	50			50		✓
		2-3/4" brass taps	1.35	2		70		✓
		4 squares sheet rubber packing		1		10		✓
		3-4" double hubs	.38	1		14	18	46 ✓
Oct	19	1-14 x 30 Expansion complete (shipped direct)					5	00 ✓
Sept	30	3 lengths 1 1/2 galv. pipe 6 1/2						29 ✓
							197	89 ✓
Nov.	1	allowance for defective boiler returned			52	50		✓
		" " for 2-1 1/2" elbows returned				20	52	70 ✓
							145	19 ✓

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HOUSE FURNISHINGS

St. Thomas, Ont., Nov. 20, 1915

M. Elgin Institute

**Paints, Oils
Glass, Stoves
Furnaces**

8 per cent interest
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Department of Indian Affairs.
IN ACCOUNT WITH

INGRAM & DAVEY Limited

**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE
RAILWAY SUPPLIES, SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE**

**Gas Fixtures
Plumbing
Gas Fitting
Tinsmithing**

**Sporting
Goods**

		brought forward			14	✓		
Oct	26	3-2 x 2 Hipples	08		24	✓		
		1-2 x 4 Hipple			11	✓		
		1-1 1/2" R. and L. Coupling			14	✓		
		1-1 1/2" R. and L. Elbow			12	✓		
		3-2" right and left elbows	14		42	✓		
		4-1 1/2" elbows	10		40	✓		
		2 lbs rainbow rubber packing	1.10	2	20	✓		
		5 lbs stove cement	.12		60	✓		
		12-1/8 air vents	.15	1	80	✓		
		66 hours time (Williams) at 60¢		39	60	✓		
		45 " " (Brown) at 30¢		9	00	✓		
Nov	16	3 return railway fares to Lancy		2	10	✓	65	87 ✓
Oct	7,	To. 1-2nd section from front with flow and return tapping					57	50 ✓
	23	36 1/2 feet of 7" leather belt					30	66 ✓
Nov	11	5 lengths 4" Medium soil pipe 25' at	50.00	7	65	✓		
		1-4 x 4 Medium Tee			95	✓		
		1-4 x 2 " "			95	✓		
		1-4 x 1/6 Medium bend			52	✓		
		2-4 x 1/8 " "	52	1	04	✓	11	11 ✓
							165	14 ✓

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HOUSE FURNISHINGS

St. Thomas, Ont., Nov. 20, 1915

Mt. Elgin Institute

**Paints, Oils
Glass, Stoves
Furnaces**

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Department of Indian Affairs.
IN ACCOUNT WITH

INGRAM & DAVEY Limited

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE
RAILWAY SUPPLIES, SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE

**Gas Fixtures
Plumbing
Gas Fitting
Tinsmithing**

**Sporting
Goods**

Sept	30	2-1½ R. and L. Coupling	14	28	✓
		2-1½ x 4 R. and L. Nipples	11	22	✓
		2- 2 x 1½ x 1½ Cast Tee	24	48	✓
		2- 2 x 1½ bushing	06	12	✓
		1- 2" Tee (cast)	21	21	✓
		1- 2½ x 2½ x 2 Tee		42	✓
		2- 2 x 2 B. Nipples	08	16	✓
		6-1½ cast elbows	10	60	✓
		1½-5 cast elbows	12	48	✓
		4-			
		2-1½ x 2 Nipples	06	12	✓
		2-2" cast plugs	05	10	✓
		2-1½ " "	03½	07	✓
		2-2"-45 elbows	17	34	✓
		1-2½" flanged unions		1 00	✓
		3-2" " "	65	1 95	✓
Oct	7	2-4" C. I. Nipples	25	50	✓
		1-5" C. I. Nipple	35	35	✓
"	9	3 guage glasses		30	✓
"	26	2-2 x 1½ x 2 Cast Tees	24	48	✓
		2-1½ x 1½ bushing	06	12	✓
"	28	1-2½ x 7 Nipple	36	36	✓
		3-2 x 6 "	16	48	✓
		Carried forward.		9 14	✓

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Messrs. Ingram & Davey, St. Thomas, Ontario.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 151001-5 dated Sept. 24th. 1915.	
Nov. 20. 1915.	To repairs for hot water boiler, as per invoices attached:-	3771 \$143.19. ✓
Dec. 4. 1915.	To repairs for hot water boiler, as per invoice attached.	15.20 ✓
Dec. 16. 1915.	To fence wire, as per invoice attached.	20.80 ✓

	Authorized by official letter No. 155001-5 , dated Nov. 25th. 1915.	
Nov. 22. 1915.	To electrical work and material, as per invoice attached.	14.15. ✓
<p>CERTIFIED CORRECT, Charges fair and just.</p> <p>Signed ... <i>P. M. ...</i> ...</p>		<p>3771 sent Jan. 3/16.</p>
	TOTAL:-	\$ 193.34. ✓

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RECEIVED BY PAYMENT

Jan

30/12/15

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S. R. McVittie
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Alt. Elgin Industrial Institute

S. R. McVitty, Principal

Muncey, Ont., December 20th. 1915.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, ONT.

Dear Sir:-

In issuing the final certificate for Messrs.
A.E.Ponsford Ltd., I forgot to deduct amount of Richard
-Wilcox Co's invoice sent you on Saturday.

If you have already remitted in full to Mr.Ponsford,
kindly return Richard - Wilcox invoice . I will have him pay it.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours respectfully,

S. R. McVitty

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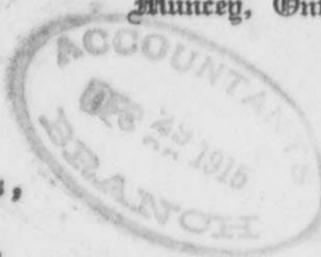
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Mt. Elgin Industrial Institute

S. R. McVitty, Principal

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Muncey, Ont., December 18th 1915



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The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, ONT.

Dear Sir:-

We are sending you today a number of accounts for this School. All, save one, were duly authorized, and have been kept quite within the estimate. The engine repairs were an absolute necessity, and urgent.

As the expense to the Department has been quite large this year, we are doing many things for which we are not sending in bills. For instance, we erected one additional silo, cost \$300.00 (three hundred dollars). Doors for cement wall west side of yard cost \$10.00. A six foot high board fence along the entire east side of the yard cost \$110.00

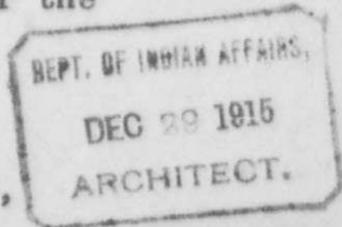
All above were quite necessary. We just mention these items to show we are not entirely selfish in seeking help.

Our School is in a most prosperous condition, and our staff more efficient than ever before. We are looking forward, with pleasure to a visit from some Representative of the Department in the near future.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours respectfully,

S. R. McVitty



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STATEMENT

DEC 31 1915

London, Ont.,

1915

*Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont*

"A Hanger for
any Door
that Slides."

Richards-Wilcox

All Accounts subject to
Six per cent. Interest
after due date

CANADIAN COMPANY, LTD
LONDON, ONTARIO.

477163

Door Hangers and Hardware Specialties

Terms : 60-2-30

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Ottawa, January 5th., 1916.

Sir,-

I beg to request that cheque for \$2745.00 sent you on the 31st of July last as security, deposited by A. E. Ponsford, Limited in connection with a contract awarded him by this Department be now returned as the contract has been satisfactorily completed.

Your obedient servant,

For Deputy Superintendent General.

The Deputy Minister of Finance,

Ottawa.

Subs
Pay \$2745.00
withheld from
certificate of
work of Ponsford Ltd
in A.E. Ponsford Ltd
At Ottawa
5/1/16

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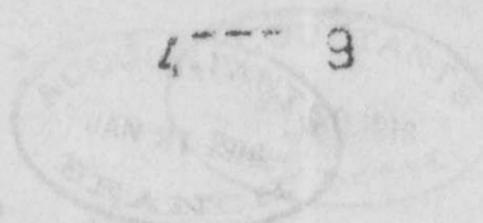
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Mason, Contractor & Cement Worker.



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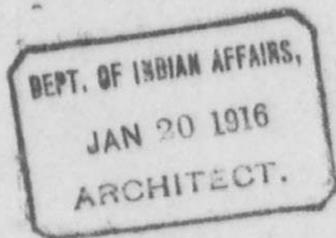


Mr. Duncan C. Scott,
Deputy Superintendent Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,-

Received yours of January 10th enclosing cheque for \$2733.00 covering contract for barns at Mt. Elgin Institute. Wish you would send on cheque covering deposit held by you for \$2745.00 which apparently has been overlooked, and oblige,

cheque sent 11/1/16



Yours truly,
A. E. Ponsford,

A.E.P./M.H.

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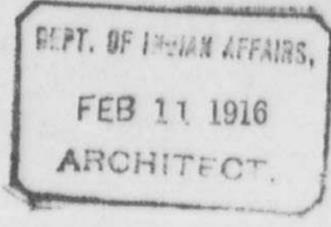
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Alt. Elgin Industrial Institute



Mr Ogilvie
S. R. McVitty, Principal
The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, ONT. 478457

Muncey, Ont., Febry. 8th. 1916.



Dear Sir:-

In these days of disastrous fires , the fact that the old part (that is, the portion erected in '95) of our Main Building is wired according to old methods is getting on my nerves. All wires are strung along under floors, and in partition walls. There is great danger of rats, of which there is quite a few in the building, destroying the insulation.

A fire starting in the floors or walls would spread throughout the building instantly. 140 people are sleeping in it every night, so we might easily have a terrible disaster.

Messrs. Ingram and Davey, St. Thomas, did the electric work on our new barns. They have a splendid man, who is entirely trustworthy, and I presume they could do it right away. The cost should not be so very great.

Awaiting your instructions,

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours respectfully,

S. R. McVitty

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Ottawa, February 18, 1916.

Rev. Sir,-

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Frank

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th instant in reference to the electric wiring in the Mount Elgin Institute, and in reply to inform you that the wiring referred to was installed there within the last few years under your supervision, and presumably in a good, safe and satisfactory manner, and as 95% of the wiring in existing buildings throughout the country is without the conduit covering and is considered reasonably safe under ordinary precautions, the expenditure necessary to re-wire the main building there, which would be a considerable amount, cannot be authorized until an estimate has been obtained covering the cost of installing the service in conduit, as well as the total approximate expense of ^{repairs} ~~expense~~ to floors, ceilings, walls, dormitories, etc.

The estimate may be in the form of a tender for the whole or portion of the work, but must include all of the work necessary to leave the work complete and in satisfactory condition.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. WOLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. S. R. McVitty,
Principal, Mt. Elgin Institute,
Muncey, Ont.

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Depts of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.
Ont.

Memo
Feb.



Schmidt

Dear Sir:

Being a neighbor
of Mt Elgin Institute, and, the
barns burned down last spring,
but has been erected since which
suppose to cost about \$30,000.
Who pay that? the Revenue
or the Indian fund.

Yours truly

Noah Sickle.

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Alt. Elgin Industrial Institute

S. R. McVitty, Principal

Muncey, Ont., 191

it is deemed necessary, we will ask for estimates of the
cost of new wiring.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours respectfully,

S. R. McVitty

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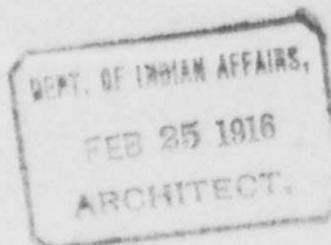
S. R. McVitty, Principal



Muncey, Ont., Febry. 21st. - 1916.

Mr. Ogilvie

The Secretary,
478832
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, ONT.



Dear Sir:-

In reply to official letter of the 18th. inst.,
No.155001-5, permit me to say:-

1. The wiring referred to was put in at the time of erection of the Main Building in 1895.
2. Mr. Brittain, who installed the lighting system, went over it very carefully, and made it safe as such wiring can be made.
3. I was ill in bed, with La Grippe, at time of writing letter of the 8th. inst., and things look blue to a man on his back in bed.
4. We are well aware that the Department has expended much money here during the past year, and we are perfectly willing to take any risk the Department may deem proper. We will use every precaution, and are ordering another chemical fire extinguisher for second floor.
5. We will open the floors at certain points, and report to the Department as to the condition of the wires, then, if

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Ottawa, February 26, 1916.

Sir,-

Handwritten: Maud

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant with reference to the electric wiring in the Mt. Elgin Industrial School, and in reply to request that you will have the wiring system inspected by Messrs. Ingram & Davey, electricians, and report to the Department. In their report it will be necessary to take into consideration the fact of the electricity being developed in the Institution and without storage facilities, the energy being developed and used as required; stating also as to possibility of danger from lighting between the dynamo and building, also as to the type and position of distributing board, type of fuses used, etc., and position of cabinet and distributing boxes within the building, if any.

Handwritten: J. D. McLean

The report should clearly show the conditions throughout so that the safety and effectiveness of the installation may be determined.

Your obedient servant,

Handwritten: J. D. McLean
J. D. MCLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. S. R. McVitty,
Principal, Mt. Elgin Institute,
Muncey, Ont.

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G. A. INGRAM,
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E. A. DAVEY,
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F. N. BARRETT,
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ST. THOMAS, ONTARIO **Mar. 9, 1916.**

Mt. Elgin Institute,
Muncey, Ontario.

Attention of Prin. Mr. S. R. McVitty.

Dear Sir:

On March 7th, we had our man make a thorough inspection of the electric wiring of the main building of the Institute, as per your instructions. We also had the Hydro Electric Inspector go over the building, as we did not like to take all the responsibility on ourselves, a copy of his report you will find attached.

Our man reports that the wiring is in a bad condition, and not at all safe. The joints are not soldered nor properly taped, and are very poorly made. The wires are not properly insulated, and run through the wood joice, without Porcelain tubes, also the wire is very old, and the rubber insulation dry, and hard. The wires are not properly fastened with knobs, and are lying on the wood lath. Also at the Panel the wires are only stuck in the lugs loose, where they should be soldered in.

This is very dangerous, and is apt to cause a fire at any time, also the style of wiring is not good, as both wires of the circuit should run direct to the distribution centre, which it does not. This is very bad practice.

We find the wiring in the new wing of the main building in very good condition, and consider same perfectly safe.

Hoping that our report will be satisfactory to all parties concerned, and that we may be favored with your valued order, of putting the wiring in your building in first class condition, we remain.

EBS/KC

Yours truly,
INGRAM & DAVEY Limited.
G. W. Davey
VICE PRES. & MGR.

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