

LAND DEPARTMENT
HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY.

The Indian Department
To Hudsons Bay Company

Mch 24/94 - To Purchase Price in full

E 1/2 Sec. 20, 24, W. 4th Twp.

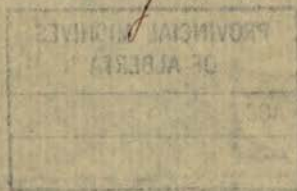
viz: 270 acres @ \$5.00 per acre

\$ 1,600.00

May Land purchased for School

Authority Letter 887, March 8th 1894.

Winnipeg }
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LAND DEPARTMENT

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY

40

H. Bay Co
Land

320 acres

2/12.26.20.2704

\$1600.00

PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES OF ALBERTA	
ACC.	71220

In your reply refer to

No. 129.

also to the date of this letter.

Address your reply to
"The Indian Commissioner,
Regina, N. W. T."

Office of the

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

North-West Territories,

Regina, 3rd June, 1895.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 29th Instant, No. 111; I have to inform you that in view of the purchase of the E. half of Sec. 26, Township 20, Range 27, from the Hudson's Bay Company and the recent purchase of the other 1/4 section, it is quite out of the question to think of obtaining any further hay ground, either by purchase or reservation.

It is very much to be regretted that the discovery that the well is not on the property recently purchased, was not made a little earlier than it would seem to have been done.

I am, Sir,

Yours obediently,

W. S. Galt
Asst. Commissioner.

The Rev. Principal,
Industrial School,
Dunbow,
Alta.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs

Department of Indian Affairs

Indian Affairs

The receipt of the letter of the 28th instant, in reply to the letter of the 22nd instant, is hereby acknowledged. The letter of the 22nd instant, in reply to the letter of the 15th instant, is hereby acknowledged. The letter of the 15th instant, in reply to the letter of the 8th instant, is hereby acknowledged. The letter of the 8th instant, in reply to the letter of the 1st instant, is hereby acknowledged. The letter of the 1st instant, in reply to the letter of the 25th of the previous month, is hereby acknowledged.

It is further stated that the letter of the 22nd instant, in reply to the letter of the 15th instant, is hereby acknowledged. The letter of the 15th instant, in reply to the letter of the 8th instant, is hereby acknowledged. The letter of the 8th instant, in reply to the letter of the 1st instant, is hereby acknowledged. The letter of the 1st instant, in reply to the letter of the 25th of the previous month, is hereby acknowledged.

Very truly yours,

PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES
OF ALBERTA
ACC. 71.220

ALL OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE
TO BE ADDRESSED
THE COMMISSIONER
HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY
WINNIPEG.

INCORPORATED A.D. 1670.



CABLE & TELEGRAPHIC
ADDRESS
BEAVER
WINNIPEG.

Hudson's Bay Company.
Commissioner's Office.
Winnipeg.

Nov. 21st. 1900.

Albert Naessens. Esq.,

Dunbow Indian School.

Dunbow. ALTA.

Lease NW.1/4. 26-21-28. W/4.

Dear Sir,

Herewith I beg to hand you lease duly executed on behalf of
the Company.

Yours truly,

Maldow

For Commissioner.

PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES
OF ALBERTA

CABLE & TELEGRAMS
ADDRESS
BEAVER
WINNIPEG

ALL OTHERS
THE COMMISSIONER
HONORARY



Handwritten: Mr. J. G. ...
Commissioner of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Nov. 21st. 1900.

Albert Messers. Esq.

Dumbow Indian School.

lease NW. 1/4. 20-21-28. W. 4.

Dumbow. ALTA.

Dear Sir,

Herewith I beg to hand you lease duly executed on behalf of

the Company.

Yours truly,

Handwritten signature: W. A. ...

For Commissioner.

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PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES
OF ALBERTA
ACC. 71.220

Indian Commissioner

for Manitoba and the North-West Territories,

Winnipeg, 4 Aug 1900.

In your reply refer to
No. 46/46

and date of this letter and
address

Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Rev. Sir,

I beg to inform you that the following
amounts are available for the St. Joseph Industrial
School for the current fiscal year:

120 pupils at \$140.00	\$16,800.00
Fencing and general repairs	150.00

Yours truly,



Secretary to the Indian Commissioner

Principal

Industrial School,

Dunbow, Alta.

Judicial Commission

Alberta

1910



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PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES OF ALBERTA
ACC. 71.220

Indian Commissioner

for Manitoba and the North-West Territories,

In your reply refer to

No. 77/48

and date of this letter and
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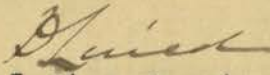
Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Winnipeg, 13 Jan 1900.

Rev. Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your monthly report for December, and to congratulate you upon having escaped from what might have been a serious conflagration. I have provided in my estimates for a better system of lighting for the Industrial Schools, and if the Department can see its way to defray the expenditure, it will not be long before a safe system is introduced.

Yours truly,


Indian Commissioner.

Principal

Industrial School,

Dunbow, Alta.

PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES

PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES OF ALBERTA
ACC. 71.220

Indian Commissioner

for Manitoba and the North-West Territories,

In your reply refer to

No. 52/G.

Winnipeg, 17 Feb. 1900. 1

and date of this letter and
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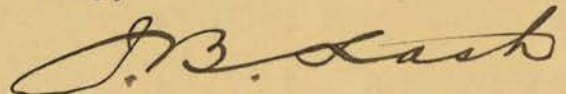
Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Rev. Sir,

I am forwarding some Fire Extinguishers and charges to the Principal of the Calgary Industrial School, two of which are intended for the St. Joseph School, and would be obliged if you would call there for same when you are notified of their arrival.

I am enclosing full instructions as to charging the machines and beg to advise that the same should be followed exactly, especially as to the use of Plaster of Paris, which should merely keep the bulbs in place and not cover them. If too much is used there is great danger of breaking the inside glass jar.

Yours truly,

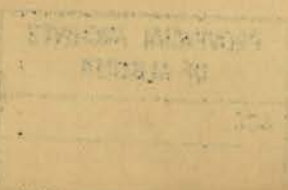


Secretary to the Indian Commissioner.

Principal

Industrial School,

Dunbow, Alta.



PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES
OF ALBERTA
ACC. 71.220

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In your reply refer to the number and date of this letter.

Address your reply to
"The Indian Commissioner,
Regina, N.W.T."

MEMORANDUM.

Office of the

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Regina, 8th March, 1894.

To The Principal
Industrial School
Dumbow
Alta.

Sir,

With reference to my letter of the 18th November last, I beg to inform you that, as it is thought there will be funds available, out of the current year's appropriation, it may be well to secure the land in question, at once, and the purchase may now be made.

Your obedient Servant,

W. S. G. G.
Asst. Commissioner.

PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES
OF ALBERTA
ACC. 71.270

Address your reply
"To the Secretary
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa."
Do not write about more than one
subject in the same letter.
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If you reply to the letter quote its
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LETTER.....
FILE..... 72,959 T & M.

..... M. M.

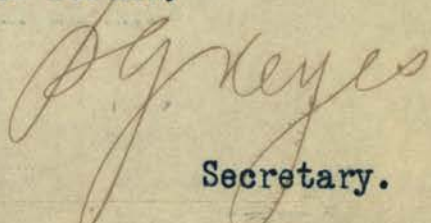
Department of the Interior,

Ottawa,..... March 22nd, 1900.....

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 17th instant, I am directed to say that as the land applied for by you is the property of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, the Land Commissioner of that Company has been asked to advise this Department whether or not he has any objection to it being included in the lease which may be issued in your favour. No reply has yet been received from him and he has this day been again communicated with.

Your obedient servant,


Secretary.

Rev. A. Naessens,
Dunbow, Alberta.

M. M. T. & M.

M. M.

March 22nd, 1900.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 14th instant, I am directed to say that as the land applied for by you is the property of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, the Land Commissioner of that Company has been asked to advise this Department whether or not he has any objection to its being included in the lease which may be issued in your favour. No reply has yet been received from him and he has this day been again communicated with.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

Rev. A. Messers,
 Drabow, Alberta.

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LETTER.....

V.J.

FILE 72959 T&M.

Department of the Interior,

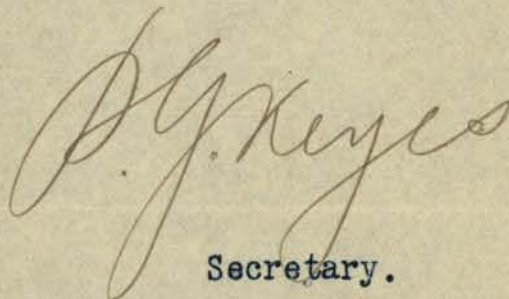
Ottawa, 28th March, 1900.

Sir,

Referring to your application for a lease for grazing purposes of Section 27, Township 21, Range 28, West of the 4th Meridian, I beg to inform you that the Land Commissioner of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has now advised this Department that the section in question with the exception of the portion thereof upon which the Industrial School is located is under agreement of sale, and cannot therefore be leased for grazing purposes.

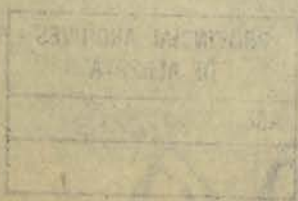
In view of this fact your application cannot be granted.

Your obedient servant,



Secretary.

Rev. A. Naessens,
Dunbow, Alberta,
N. W. T.



Alberta Government
L. J. ...
1900

Referring to your application for a lease for
grazing purposes of section 27, Township 21, Range 28,
West of the 100th Meridian, I beg to inform you that the
land Commissioner of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company
has now advised this Department that the section in
question with the exception of the portion covered upon
which the Industrial School is located is under agreement
of sale, and cannot therefore be leased for grazing
purposes.

In view of this fact your application cannot
be granted.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten Signature]
Secretary

L. J. ...
Edmonton, Alberta
1900

PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES
OF ALBERTA
ACC. 71.220

GOVERNMENT OF THE NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES OF CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO
THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
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AND REFER TO
FILE 1705

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REGINA May 25th, 1900.

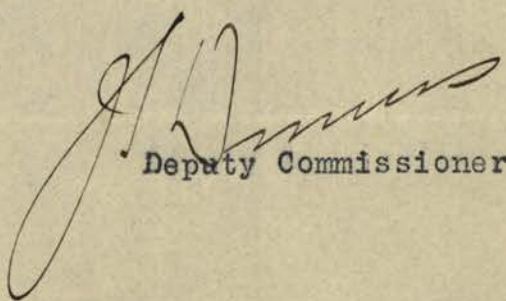
DO NOT WRITE ABOUT MORE THAN
ONE SUBJECT IN ANY LETTER

Dear Sir,

Replying to your letter of the 18th instant, I beg to say that instructions have today been sent to Mr A. McPherson, foreman of Road Grading Machine No. 17, to operate his machine for two days on the hill leading to the Industrial School.

Mr McPherson has also been instructed to communicate with you as to the dates upon which he can operate the machine at that point, so that you can arrange to send teams to Calgary to take the machine to the point where it is to be operated and also deliver it again at Calgary after the work is completed.

Yours truly,



Deputy Commissioner.

Rev. A. N^anessens,
Indian Industrial School,
Dunbow, Alta.

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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ACC. 71-220

Office of *H. C. Bedlington.*

The Welland Acetylene Gas Machine Co.

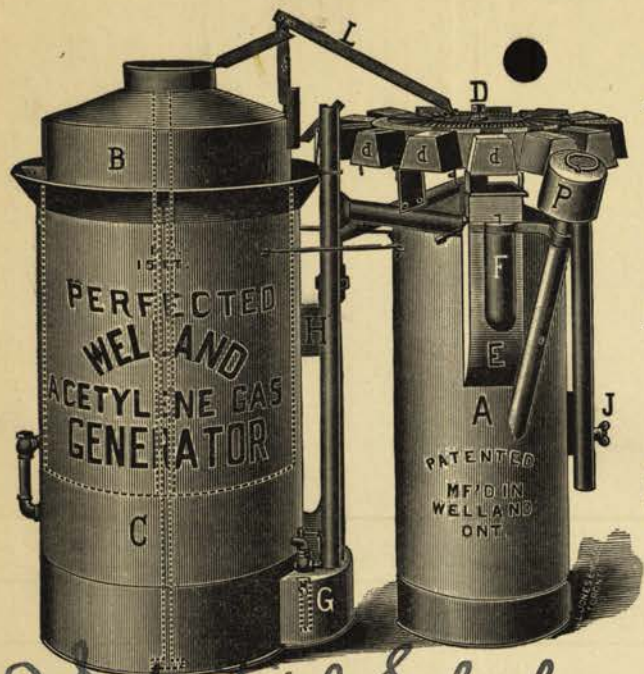
Manufacturers of

Welland Generators.

The most perfect Generator in the market, and must become the leader of the future light.

Adopted by the Canadian Fire Underwriters.

Toronto Welland, Ont. June 24th 1900



*Industrial School
Dunbow. N.W.T.
Dear Sirs:-*

I understand you are thinking of putting in Acetylene Gas to light your building so I am sending you under separate cover one of our circulars which will give you some valuable information. We have without exception the only perfect Generator on the market to day and the one which is used almost universally throughout the North West as you will see by a glance at a few of our references in the circular and any one of whom we would gladly refer you to. As we are rapidly booking orders for the Fall Season we would ask you to communicate with us at an early date and we will be pleased to quote prices or any other information you wish. Let us know the number of lights you would require through the institution

Yours faithfully
H. C. BEDLINGTON.

452 MARKHAM ST.
TORONTO CAN.



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OF ALBERTA
ACC. 71,220

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 117657

ALSO TO THE DATE OF THIS LETTER



ADDRESS REPLY TO THE
SECRETARY DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OTTAWA.

OTTAWA, 29th June, 1900.

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Rev. Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th instant asking to be allowed to ^{ex}pend the sum of \$300 ~~for~~ ⁱⁿ the purchase of a new kitchen range for the High River Industrial school; and in reply I am directed to inform you that the Department does not consider that it ~~is~~ bound to re-furnish the school under the arrangement made as to its management, and it cannot therefore, comply with your request.

Your obedient servant,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'A. Stewart'.

A. Stewart
Asst. Secretary

Rev. A Naessens,

Principal

St Joseph's Industrial school,

Dunbow, Alta.

ST. JOHN'S, CANADA

Rev. Sir,

405

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th instant asking to be allowed to pay the sum of \$500 for the purchase of a new kitchen range for the High River Industrial school; and in reply I am directed to inform you that the Department does not consider that it is bound to reimburse the school under the arrangement made as to its equipment, and it cannot therefore comply with your request.

Original Document

Your obedient servant,

W. A. ...

Secretary

W. A. ...

Principal

High River Industrial School

High River, Alta.

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ACC.	71.220

Correspondence to be addressed to the

DIRECTOR OF THE

Meteorological Service,
TORONTO, Ont.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE,

Toronto, 3rd. July, 1900.

The Superintendent,
Industrial School,
Dunbow, Alta.

Dear Sir,-

Some time ago the late Mr. C. E. Denmetry was supplied with meteorological instruments and for a time took observations but as we have not received any returns from Dunbow for some time I presume they have not been continued I shall therefore be obliged if you will have the instruments packed up and sent to Mr. Hart, ^{Alta} Crow's Nest, B. C. and any ordinary expense incurred in so doing will be remitted to you.

I am dear Sir,

Yours truly,

R. J. Stewart

Director.

PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES
OF ALBERTA
ACC. 71.220

Indian Commissioner

for Manitoba and the North-West Territories,

Winnipeg, 20 Aug. 1900.

In your reply refer to
No. 46/46

and date of this letter and
address

Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Rev. Sir,

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I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 14th. instant re the provision made for general repairs for the St. Joseph Industrial School, and to say that as \$700. was voted last year, and \$1127, the year before, this no doubt explains why this year's appropriation is so small.

Yours truly,

H. C. Hill
Indian Commissioner.

Estimates

Principal

Industrial School,

Dunbow, Alta.

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PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES OF ALBERTA
ACC. 71.220

Indian Commissioner

for Manitoba and the North-West Territories.

In your reply refer to
No. 110/46

Winnipeg, 7 Sept. 1900. 1

and date of this letter and
address

Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Rev. Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 4th. instant in regard to a piece of land purchased by you near the present property of the St. Joseph Industrial School, and to say that it fails to answer mine of the 24th. ultimo. What I wish to know is the number of acres purchased by you, the total purchase price and whether the payment is to be made in equal instalments or not, and the rate of interest.

Yours truly,

D. Laird
Indian Commissioner.

Principal

Industrial School,

Dunbow

PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES
OF ALBERTA
ACC. 71.220

C. S. LOTT,
AGENT AT
CALGARY, ALBERTA.

CALGARY & EDMONTON LAND COMPANY, Ld.
C. & E. RAILWAY TOWNSITES.
OSLER, HAMMOND & NANTON, WINNIPEG.
NORTH OF SCOTLAND CANADIAN MORTGAGE CO., Ld.

IN REPLY TO YOUR
LETTER OF

CALGARY Sept. 10th., 1900

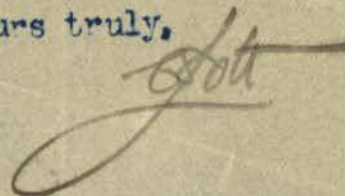
Rev. A. Naessens,
Dunbow, Alta.

Dear Sir:-

-Re N.W.1/4 of 26-21-28-W.4th.-

I am in receipt of your letter of Sept. 8th. and note that you intend to call the next time you are in Calgary and make arrangements to lease this land. I regret to say however that I have no power at all to reserve the land for you in the meantime and would therefore suggest that you should forward the first year's rental in accordance with my letter of August 2nd. without delay, at the same time advising me in whose name the lease should be made.

Yours truly,



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CALGARY

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY
NORTH OF CALGARY, ALBERTA

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CALGARY, ALBERTA

CALGARY, ALBERTA, CANADA

Mr. A. [Name]
[Address]

Reference is made to your letter of 24th [Month] 1900.

I am in receipt of your letter of 24th [Month] 1900 and note that you refer to the fact that you are in Calgary and will be down again to leave this land. I regret to say however that I have no record of all the names of the land for in the meantime I would have to suggest that you should [do something]. Your letter is a record and with a view of [something] without delay, at the same time advising me in whose name the land should be [something].

Yours truly,



PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES
OF ALBERTA
ACC. 71.220

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

E. A. HAMILTON
LAND COMMISSIONER

LAND DEPARTMENT, ALBERTA AGENCY

WILLIAM TOOLE
LAND AGENT

CALGARY, ALTA.

B. Sept. 17th 1900.

Rev. A. Naessens,


Indian Industrial School,

Dunbow.

Dear Sir:-

The Land Commissioner desires to know exactly how contract in favour of the Indian Industrial School, covering the W.1/2 and N.E. 1/4 and N.1/2 of the S.E.1/4 27-21-28-W-4 is to be drawn. The application is signed St. Joseph Industrial School, Dunbow, per A. Naessens, Principal. Kindly let me know your full name also state if this a Government Institution or if nothow controlled. A reply by return will oblige.

Yours truly,


Land Agent.

PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES
ALBERTA
REGISTRY OF LANDS
CALGARY

B. Sept. 17th 1900.

CALGARY, ALTA.

Rev. A. Heasman,

Indian Industrial School,

Winnipeg.

Dear Sir:-

The Land Commissioner desires to know exactly how
contract in favour of the Indian Industrial School, covering the
W.L.R. and W.L. and U.L. of the S.E. 1/4 of the 21-22-23-7-4 is to be
drawn. The application is signed St. Joseph Industrial School.
Winnipeg, per A. Heasman, Principal. Kindly let me know your full
name also state if this a Government Institution or if not how
controlled. A reply by return will suffice.

Yours truly,

Land Agent.

PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES
OF ALBERTA
ACC. 71.220

C. S. LOTT,
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CALGARY, ALBERTA.

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OSLER, HAMMOND & NANTON, WINNIPEG.
NORTH OF SCOTLAND CANADIAN MORTGAGE CO., Ld.

IN REPLY TO YOUR
LETTER OF

CALGARY B. Sept. 20th 1900.

Rev. A. Naessens,

Dunbow.

Dear Sir: - R e N. W. 26-21-28-W-4

In your letter of the 13th inst you ask that the lease of this land should be made in favour of the Indian Department, Dunbow. The Hudson's Bay Company have asked me to make sure that this is the name in which the lease should be made out. They ask me to ascertain if there is anybody at Dunbow authorized to execute the documents for the Indian Department, if not, the lease if made in the name of the Department will have to be sent to the Department at Ottawa for execution. They suggest that possibly it would be better to make the lease out in the name of yourself or some other ^{person} permanent resident at Dunbow. Will you please advise me in this matter whether you wish the lease to be made in the name of the Department or otherwise..

The Hudson's Bay Company have sent the lease to me with the name of the lessees in blank and as soon as I hear from you I will fill up the lease in accordance with your wishes and forward the lease for execution.

Yours truly,

C. S. Lott

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY
3 E. HARVEY STREET
OTTAWA, CANADA
ORDER PREPARED BY JAMES W. WINTERS
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O. S. LOTT

CALGARY, Alberta, 20th 1900.

Dear Sir,
I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th inst. in relation to the above mentioned matter.

Very truly yours,
O. S. LOTT

I am sorry that I am unable to give you the information you desire. The only person in the office of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company who has any knowledge of the matter is the Chief Engineer. I have written to him and he will advise you as soon as he has had a chance to look into the matter.

Yours faithfully,
O. S. LOTT

PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES
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ACC. 71.220

Indian Commissioner

for Manitoba and the North-West Territories,

In your reply refer to
No. 51/46

Winnipeg, 10 Oct. 1900.

and date of this letter and
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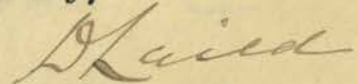
Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Rev. Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 15th. ultimo re an Acetylene Gas Plant, and to say that as it is important to select the safest plant on the market, it will take some time before we come to a conclusion on the point, and I am afraid we will not be able to comply with your wishes this Fall.

Yours truly,



Indian Commissioner.

Principal

Industrial School,

Dunbow.

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ACC. 71220

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FORM 15

50M-2-00.

Calgary Oct-22 1900

Rev. Father A. Naessens
Dunbow

My Dear Sir

In response to yours
of 20th I beg to hand you
herewith corrected account
& would say we have at-
your advice charged the
Rubber Tubes to R. A. Perry by
The Cultivator was 12.00 for
it alone & The Hillers 3.00 extra
making 15.00 instead of 16.00
as we had it

In the matter of the old
mowers, we have not
as yet been able to re-
alize anything from them
& would say the prospects
are not good to make
anything, except by selling
parts off as repair
Yours truly
A. J. Massey



Crown of Alberta



PROVINCIAL ARCHIVES OF ALBERTA
A.C. 71,220

Correspondence to be addressed to the

DIRECTOR OF THE

Meteorological Service,
TORONTO, Ont.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE,

Toronto, 22nd. October, 1900.

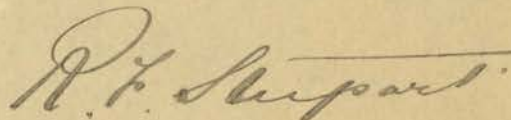
The Superintendent,
Industrial School,
Dunbow, Alta.

Dear Sir-

On July 3rd. last I wrote you requesting that you would be kind enough to forward some instruments to Mr. James Hart Crow's Nest Alberta, I have since learned however that Mr. Hart is not living at Crow's Nest and I shall be much obliged if you will inform me whether the instruments were forwarded by you.

I am dear Sir,

Yours truly,



Director.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE,

Toronto,

Correspondence to be addressed to the
DIRECTOR OF THE
Meteorological Service,
TORONTO, Ont.

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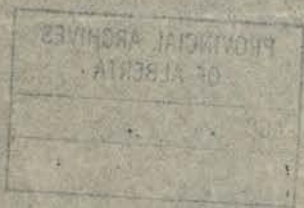
De Winton Nov 25th
1900

Dear father Nassau

Dear Sir,

Try your best to
get some one to Run the Engine
for I am afraid I cannot go
as the threshing mill is commencing
into this district to morrow and will
not be through in time and the cold
weather having set in so suddenly
and I have not got my cattle all
gathered and have not got a man
that knows the Range if I can
find a man before the first that
I can recommend I will send
him down best wishes to all

yours Truly
Chas Knightly



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FORM 15.

50M-2-00.

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December 11 1900

Father of a son

Dunbar school

to me 20 section mower
\$5800

pleas let me have this
amoynt as soon as
possible and
oblige

J Brown
Massey Harris
agent

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Indian Commissioner

for Manitoba and the North West Territories,

5 Dec. 1900.

Winnipeg, 189

In your reply refer to

To 82/46

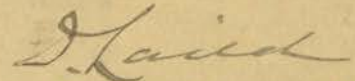
and date of this letter and
address

Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Rev. Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 30th. ultimo and enclosures, and to say that the matter of acquiring additional land for the St. Joseph's Industrial School has not yet been submitted to the Department for the very good reason that up to the receipt of the contract it has been impossible to get an exact description of the tract of land which it is proposed to acquire. I have no idea of what the Department will think of the matter, and I am returning the contract in the meantime.

Yours truly,



Indian Commissioner.

Principal

Industrial School,

Dunbow.

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OFFICE OF THE

Indian Commissioner,

MANITOBA AND NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES.

Regina

18 Dec. 1900.

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Rev. Sir,

In reference to prior correspondence regarding a piece of land lately acquired by you adjoining the present site of the St. Joseph's Industrial School, I beg to say that I am advised by the Department that it has no funds available to reimburse you for the purchase price and would not in any case feel disposed to pay for land purchased without its authority. The Department thinks that officials have no right to enter into bargains of the importance of the one in question and expect the Department to come to their rescue.

The Department further informs me that it has declined to pay the existing deficit in the finances of the St. Joseph's School, considering that it should be worked out by the school, as was done in a previous instance, and could be done again if land were not purchased with the per caput grant.

Yours truly,

David

Indian Commissioner.

Principal

Industrial School,

Dunbow, Alta.

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NORTH OF SCOTLAND CANADIAN MORTGAGE CO., Ld.

IN REPLY TO YOUR
LETTER OF

CALGARY ~~Sep~~ October 1st '00

A. Naessens, Esq.,

Dunbow, Alta.

Dear Sir; -

-Re N.W.1/4 of 26-31-28-W.4th.-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 25th inst. stating that lease is to be made in the name of the Indian Department and in accordance therewith I enclose the lease herewith. Will you please have this lease properly executed, witnessed and returned to me.

Yours truly,



(Enc.)

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IN REPLY TO YOUR
LETTER OF

CALGARY August 25th., 1900

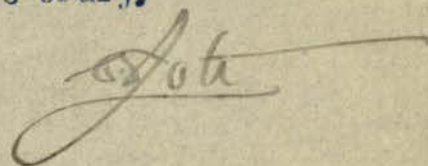
Rev. A. Naessens, Esq.,
Dunbow Alta.

Dear Sir;-

-Re N.W.1/4 of 26-21-28-W.4th.-

I have referred your inquiries of August 17th. to the Hudson's Bay Company and in reply I am instructed to advise you that the ~~lease~~ Lease referred to in my letter of August 2nd. would not give you the right to cut any wood on the land yourself but it would certainly be a sufficient warrant for you to prevent anyone else trespassing in this way.

Yours truly,



CALGARY & EDMONTON
215 WEST WYNDHAM ST.
EDMONTON, ALBERTA
SOUTH OF 50TH AND 100TH ST. N.W.

CALGARY
ALBERTA

CALGARY, ALBERTA, 1908

Mr. J. W. Brown
Edmonton, Alta.

Re: 1/4 of Sec. 10 - R. 10, T. 10, R. 10

I have referred your application of lease to the
Ludlow's Co. and in reply I am instructed to advise you
that the lease referred to in my letter of August 2nd, would
not be granted if the right to cut any wood on the land yourself but
it would be granted by a sufficient amount for you to cut wood
and also to prospect in this way.

Yours truly,



ALBERTA BOUNDARY COMMISSION

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Indian Commissioner

for Manitoba and the North-West Territories,

Winnipeg, 24 Aug. 1900.

In your reply refer to
No. 110/46

and date of this letter and
address

Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

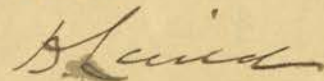
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Rev. Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 17th. instant, and to request you to inform me upon what terms you have acquired the section of land mentioned.

Although your last annual report states that there are 480 acres of land near the school, I would point out that the plan which accompanied the above mentioned letter only shows 5 ^{half} quarter sections, viz:-
North $\frac{1}{2}$ S.E. quarter section 22, the N. & S. $\frac{1}{2}$ of N.E. quarter Section 22; South $\frac{1}{4}$ of S.E. quarter Section 27, South West $\frac{1}{2}$ of quarter section 26 - 400 acres in all.

Yours truly,



Indian Commissioner.

Principal

Industrial School,

Dunbow, Alta.

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IN REPLY TO YOUR
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CALGARY August 2nd., 1900

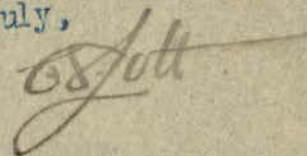
Rev. A. Naessens, Esq.,
Industrial School,
Dunbow, Alta.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your inquiries I am instructed by the Hudson's Bay Company to advise you that they will lease the N.W.1/4 of 26-21-28-W.4th. for hay and grazing purposes only and subject to the sale of the land for \$25.00 a year payable annually in advance. In the event of the land being sold, the lessee would be allowed the privilege of removing any fencing he had erected.

A definite lease for the term of 5 years not subject to the sale of the land can be obtained for \$50. a year payable semi-annually in advance.

Yours truly,



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C. S. LOTT
CALGARY & LETHBRIDGE

CALGARY, ALBERTA, 1907

Mr. A. J. ...

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I am pleased to hear that you are well and hope you are enjoying the summer months.

I have not had time to write you more fully but will do so in the next few days.

I am sure you will find the weather very pleasant and hope you will enjoy it.

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address.
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file number.

LETTER.....

FILE 576614

E.M.

Department of the Interior,

Ottawa, 20th. July, 1900.

Enclosure.

Sir,

S.R.B.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 14th instant, and in reply to say that a copy of the plan of Township 21, Range 28 West of 4th. Meridian, is ^{being} sent you today under a separate cover. The information you asked for will be found upon the plan.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. G. Hayes
Secretary.

The Principal of
The Indian Industrial School,
Dunbow,
Alberta.

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Department of the Interior

20th July, 1900.

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DOMINION LANDS OFFICE.

Calgary, 10th July, 1900.

Lr. 36946.

File "General Information."

Sir:-

Replying to your communication of the 3rd instant, requesting this Office to forward you a plan of Township 27, Range 28, West of the 4th, showing the exact running of the Bow and High River on same, I beg to inform you that the said Rivers do not run through the Township in question. If you mean the Township in which Dunbow is situated, Township 21, Range 28, West of the 4th, you will require to apply for plan of same at Head Office, ^{city dept. Interior} enclosing the sum of 50 cts., as this Office has not a spare plan of said Township.

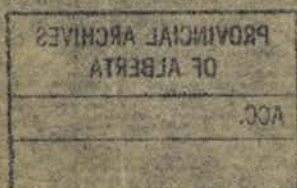
I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. A. Sutherland
Agent.

M. Naessens, Esq.,

Principal Indian Industrial School,
Dunbow, Alta.



JOHNSON LANDS OFFICE,
CALGARY, 10th July, 1900.

Mr. [Name],
File "General Information."

Sir:

Replying to your communication of the 5th inst.,
requesting this Office to forward you a plan of Township 27,
Range 28, West of the 4th, showing the exact running of the Bow
and High Rivers on same, I beg to inform you that the said River
do not run through the Township in question. If you mean the
Township in which Dumbow is situated, Township 21, Range 28,
West of the 4th, you will require to apply for plan of same
at this Office, enclosing the sum of 50 cts., as this Office
has not a spare plan of said Township.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten Signature]
Agent.

E. Nessens, Esq.,
Principal Indian Industrial School,
Dumbow, Alta.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

LAND DEPARTMENT

L. A. HAMILTON
LAND COMMISSIONER

F. T. GRIFFIN
ASST. LAND COMMISSIONER

WINNIPEG, MAN.

C. April 11th 1900.

A. Naessens Esq.,
Principal-Indian Industrial School,
Dunbow, Alta.

Dear Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of yours of the 5th inst. Section 27-21-28 West 4th at present stands under agreement with W.D. Shattick although we have received no payment on account of same for several years. I have referred the matter to Mr Toole our Land Agent at Calgary and will write you again on hearing from him,

Yours truly,

F. T. Griffin



April 11th 1900.

A. Messers Esq.,
Principal-Indian Industrial School,
Dunbow, Alta.

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LETTER.....

FILE 72959 T&M.

E.E.S.

Department of the Interior,

Ottawa, 26th January, 1900.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your
letter of the 16th instant, applying for a lease for
grazing purposes of Section 27, Township 21 Range 28,
West of the 4th Meridian.

Your obedient servant,

PERLEY G. KEYES,

Secretary.

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Rev. A. Naessens,

Dunbow, Alberta,

N.W.T.



Department of the Interior

Edmonton, Alberta, 1911

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