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St Mary's Indian School, Kenora, Ontario. May 5th, 1941.

Mr Frank Edwards, Capt, Indian-Agent, Kenora, Ontario.

Dear Sir;

Yesterday morning I was told that one horse was very sick; I was surprised because both horses were at work the day before. I send the farmer rightaway to get someone to dortor the sick-horse, and they did all what could be done, but could not save him. The infection was to far gone from retention of stale. The inside got completely .

I am very sorry to loose such a good horse, and also paralysed...etc. at this of time of the year, and with the circumstances of that terrible war. The School cannot afford to buy one, although being very badly in

need of.

Than referring to you, dear Sir, would you kindly make a request to the Department that the purchase of another good horse to match the only one left would be grant. I was told that such a horse would cost about \$100.00 but not more than \$125.00.

The age of the should be about six, and the weight 1450 lbs.

I confidently hope that the Department will grant our request.

Many thanks for your kindness,

I remain yours very truly,

principal.

St Mary's Indian School, Kenora, Ontario. August 6th, 1961.

Er Frank Diwards, Captain. Dedian-Agent, Kenora, Onterio.

Dear Sir;

Would you kindly mention to the Department that we are in a great need of the following articles:

- 1) One John-Deere Rubber-Tired Farm-Wagon (Luck.wagon)
- 2) One six-feet Hay-Mower,
- 5) One Herse-Seraper.

Our Hay-Mower and the Horse-Scraper are completely out of use, and I doubt if the wagon will last through the Summer-Season. Surely, I am not eraggerating when asking those three articles, and hope firmly that the Department will willingly grant our request.

Yours Very Truly,

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OTTAWA, 7th May 19 47

The Secretary, Indian Affairs Branch, City.

Re: Milk cows for St. Mary's Kenora. Attention: Mr. Phelan.

Dear Mr. Phelan:

In a letter received this morning from the above school I am informed that the whole herd has been condemned by the veterinary surgeon. For the time being it will be necessary to have all the milk pasteurized, which will entail a great deal of work, but which cannot be considered as a solution of the problem. The present herd will have to be killed and a new one purchased.

The principal asks the Department to study this problem and supply the number of cows that it will be necessary for the school to buy.

You will likely receive a letter from your Kenora agent regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,

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J. Plourde, O.M.I.

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m Test Report

Owner : St.-Mary's Indian School , Ontario Kenora

Veterinarian M. H. Horwill		Kenora	ont.		
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3-453I56 Nonsuch Princesx Fanny		6 ~	F.	2	•
4-509465 Antonio Echo He	6	F.			
5- Rosa	(grade)	3	F.	11	
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7-Negra	(grade)	5	F.		1
8-Alba	(grade)	7	F.		
	(grade)	5	F.	Ayrshire	Negative
9-Brwnie 10-556165 Nonsuch Frivoli A. Twin		4	F.	Holstein	Positive
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	(grade)	5	F.	n	
12-Grey	(grade)	5	F	, ii .	***
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I hereby certify that I live taken the blood listed from the animals described and in the order designated for the Agglutination Test.

Date samples taken : April i6. 1947 Signed :-H.M.H. HOR ILL , Kenora, Ontario



I hereby certify that the above samples h have been submitted to the Agglatination Test for Bang's disease with the results as indicated.

April 21/47 Date of reading

Signes H. A. Sish

I/C Diagnostic Service

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Ottawa, 3rd June, 1947.

Memorandum:

DEPUTY MINISTER

A repert has been received from Indian Agent Paterson, Kenora, Ontario, indicating that owing to the outbreak of Bengs' disease among the cattle at the Kenora Indian Residential School, it will be necessary to slaughter the whole here.

The Kenora Residential School has an enrelment of 85 pupils and the Agent reports that ten head of milking cows are required to provide the requirements of the institution.

purchase cattle for Indian Residential Schools, but owing to the special circumstances in the present case, I feel that an exception should be made.

I would, therefore, appreciate it if you would approve the purchase of ten head of milking cows for the Kenora School.

Director.

PP/MUU

Indian Residential School

Ma Intach. Ont.

June 12 1949.

Mr. J. Swerman, Superintendent, Sioux-Lookout ,Ont.

Dear Sir.

In respect with the Agricultural Society, I wish to inform You that , we have complied with its regulations. We were supposed to pay annually the sum of one d dollar per head of cattle, plus the cost of medecine and transportation. Here is what we paid, during the Years 1948 &1949.

10.00 the Society: June 9 1948 39.80 Doctor Orwill vet. July 30th. 10.00 March 15th 1949 To the Society

total

\$59.80

Yours very truly:

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C.E. Comeau O.M.I. Principal.

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MINES AND RESOURCES

DEPARTMENT

HOLA HANADA

Kenora, January 6th, 1950

Indian Affairs Branch, Dept of Mines and Resources, Ottawa, Ontario

Re: Kenora R.C. Indian Residential School

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter dated the 29th ultimo, file 465-14(EL) in commection with quantity of milk obtained from the dairy herd at this school.

At the present time only 4 cows are milking, and three will freshen in the next two months. These four produce eight gallons of milk daily. This eight gallons of plus ten gallons of whole powdered milk is served to the pupils each day.

The average consumption per pupil is 1.4 pints each day.

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Norman Paterson, Superintendent, Kenora Indian Agency.



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