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Indian Office, Victoria B.C.
November 8th 1907



264 G.F.

File No - 67340-5.

Sir:-

Handwritten note:
The amount of
arrived at
J.M.S.

I have the honor to forward
herewith a letter from Mr Indian Agent
Moran dated the 29th ult. making
requisition for sundry articles on behalf of
the Aiyansh Indian Day School which is
located on the Nass River B.C. I recommend
that authority to purchase be granted.

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Your obedient servant.

Handwritten signature:
Indian Superintendent, B.C.

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



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316638

North West Coast Agency .

Indian Office,

Metlakatla, B.C. Oct 29th/07.

Sir:-

I have the honour to inform you that the Rev, J.B. Mc_Gullagh, has secured a white teacher for the Aiyanish Nass River Indian school, and writes me asking to be supplied with the following school furnishings.

I Axe, 2 Brooms, I Kettle, 2 Water Pails, 10 lbs Soap,
10 yards Twelling, 2 Wash Basins, $\frac{1}{2}$ doz Scrub Brushes,
I Large Wood Steve and pipe for same, with elbows,
I Chair and I school Cubboard.

The above including transportation charges to destination will not exceed in cost \$60.00, and I beg to recommend that same be furnished at the earliest possible moment, as the river will soon be closing, and it will be mere difficult to get the supplies up river.

As Mr McCullagh at very large expense has met the wishes of the Department, to have competent white teachers in the schools, I am anxious to see every encouragement given him, therefore I trust the Department may be able to meet his request.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A.W. Vowell Esq,
Indian Superintendent.
Victoria, B.C.

Geo. W. Morrow
Indian Agent.

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Ex'd.

364 G-5.

Ottawa, November 19, 1907.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th inst., inclosing a requisition for certain supplies for the Aiyansh school, and in reply I beg to say that you are hereby authorized to purchase the articles mentioned, the cost not to exceed the estimate furnished, namely, \$60.00.

Handwritten signature/initials

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

A. W. Vowell, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Victoria, B.C.

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Day School
Miscellaneous

Voucher No. *1330*

Aiyansh Indian Day School

Vote No. _____

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

North West Coast AGENCY.

To H. Cunningham & Son, Ltd. Port Essington, B.C.

1907-1908

DATE	DETAIL.	AMOUNT.	
		\$	cts.
1907. Dec 31st.	Stove and furnishings, for repairs Aiyansh Indian Day School.	322262	
		32.	20

Authority No. *67340/5-*

November 19th 1907



32. 20

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 all the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Geo. W. Morrow
Indian Agent.

APPROVED,

[Signature]
Indian Superintendent.

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R. CUNNINGHAM & SON, LIMITED

GENERAL MERCHANTS AND FORWARDERS

Manufacturers of Lumber

ACCOUNT NO	
Letter	Folio

FURS BOUGHT AND SOLD ...
SALMON BOXES A SPECIALTY

PORT ESSINGTON AND HAZELTON

Port Essington, B. ~~32~~ Dec. 31st 1907

Sold to Indian Department

Accounts rendered monthly

Interest charged on overdue accounts

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Dec 16	1 Box stove 16 ⁰⁰ 25 S. Pipe 4 ²⁰	132		20 20	
	2 6" Elbows 50 1 axe 15 ⁰⁰ 2 Brown ¹⁰⁰	"		3 -	
	1 Enam. Kettle 17 ⁵⁰ 2 Enam. Pails 2 ⁵⁰	"		4 25	
	Soap 1 ⁰⁰ 10 yds Towelling 17 ⁵⁰	"		2 75	
	2 Wash Basins 50 6 scrub Brushes ¹⁵⁰	"		2 -	
					<u>\$32 20</u>

Co., Limited, Sole Makers, Toronto

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North West Coast Agency.
Indian Office.

Metlakatla, B.C. Nov. 3rd/08.

Sir:-

I have the honor to inform you that Mr. J. Priestley, the teacher of the Aiyansh Indian day school, requests that the school be supplied with the following furnishings,-

I teachers table with drawer and lock and key	\$7.50
I teachers chair	2.-
I book-shelf with lock and key (medium)	6.-
transportation	<u>6.-</u>
Total	\$21.50

Archived Nov. 1907

and I beg to recommend that the same be granted, and purchased and shipped through your Office to Mr. Priestley, in care of the Ven. Archdeacon W. H. Collison, Kincolith, B.C., who will at the first opportunity ship the furnishings to Aiyansh.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. Lorenz.
Indian Agent.

A. W. Vowell, Esq.,
Indian Supt.,
Victoria, B.C.

File 693.40/5



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Schools

333305



Indian Office Victoria B.C.

564 L-5.

Nov. 10th 1908.

File 67340/5.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith letter dated 3rd inst., from Mr. Agent Lorenz, embodying a request for permission to expend \$21.50 in the purchase of one teacher's table, cupboard, &c., for use in the Aiyansh day school, authority for which I recommend be granted.

Funds available

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Supt. of Indian Affairs, B.C.

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



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564 L-5.

Ottawa, November 20, 1908.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 10th inst. I beg to say that you may authorize the expenditure of \$21.50 in the purchase of the articles asked for by Mr. Agent Lorenz for the Aiyansh school.

It is noted that the purchase of the cupboard for books was authorized before.

File
AM
W.C.

Your obedient Servant,

REMOVAL

Secretary.

A. W. Vowell, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Victoria, B.C.

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335070

North West Coast Agency.
Indian Office.
Metlakatla, B.C. Dec. 9th/08.

Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th ultimo, No. 26 M-5, concerning the requisition for sundry furnishings for the Aiyansh Indian day school, and asking whether a cupboard for books has already been supplied as the purchase of same was authorized before, in reply I beg to state that in a letter from this Office, dated March 2nd last covering vouchers in favor of R. Cunningham & Son, Ltd. Port Hasting, B.C., for the sum of \$52.20, for furnishings supplied for the Aiyansh Indian day school, and that a cupboard was not among the articles purchased; the Department was also requested for a re-newal of \$27.80, being the balance of the total grant of \$80.--, authorized by the Department on November 19th, 1907, authority No. 67340/5 for furnishings for the Aiyansh Indian day school, but a notification of re-newal has not been received at this Office.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. Forney
Indian Agent.

A. W. Vowell, Esq.,
Indian Supt.,
Victoria, B.C.



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Indian Office, Victoria, B.C.

December 21st 1908.

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File No. 67340/5.



Sir:-

Referring to your letter of 20th ultimo, concerning the purchase of certain articles for the Aiyansh Indian Day School, and noting that the cupboard asked for was authorized before; I have the honor to inclose herewith letter dated 9th inst., from Agent Lorenz, and to state that as far as can be seen here the renewal of the grant asked for in my letter of 12th March last No. 70, I. 5. has not been authorized by the Department.

Your Obedient Servant.

A. W. Howell
Supt. of Indian Affairs, B.C.

per W. MacLaughlin.

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

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230 M-5.

Ottawa, December 31, 1908.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 21st inst. with reference to the requisition for certain articles of furnishing for the Aiyansh Indian day school, I beg to say that the renewal of the grant asked for in your letter was overlooked.

The Department understands, however, that all the articles asked for by the Agent have now been supplied, including the cupboard.

*File
from
A.S.M.*

AmB

Your obedient Servant,

W. M. LEAN

Secretary.

A.W. Vowell, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Victoria, B.C.

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Miscellaneous.

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Voucher No.

1321

Aiyansh Indian Day School.

Vote No.

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

North West Coast AGENCY.

B. C. Vote
1908 - 1909.

To The Hudson Bay Co., Port Simpson, B.C.

DATE	DETAIL.	AMOUNT.	
		£	Cts.
1909.			
Feb. 15th	To 11 slates supplied for the Aiyansh Indian day school. 11 slates @ 15 ¢ per slate	I	65

Authority No. 67340/4.
November 20th, 1908.

I 65

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 all the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

APPROVED,

A. W. Howell
Indian Superintendent

E. Lacey
Indian Agent.

per *W. MacLaughlin*

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PORT SIMPSON

Feb 28th

1909

General Government

Indian Department

Bought of The Hudson's Bay Comp^y

Terms, Cash.

Interest will be charged on all overdue Accounts.

ACCOUNT N^o

1909

- Copy -

Feb 15 1905 To

11 School Slates
For August Indian School
As per August Order -

15

+ 165

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North West Coast Agency.
Indian Office.
Metlakatla, B.C. Mar. 12th/09.

Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose you herewith vouchers in triplicate in favor of The Hudson Bay Co., Port Simpson, B.C., for the sum of \$1.65, for slates supplied for the Aiyansh Indian day school, according to Authority contained in your letter of November the 27th last, No. 23 M-5.

In connection I beg to state that the Rev. J. B. McCullagh, of Aiyansh, who was at Port Simpson and was leaving for the Naas, kindly consented to take the slates and deliver them to the teacher at Aiyansh.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

E. Henry
Indian Agent.

A. W. Vowell, Esq.,
Indian Supt.,
Victoria, B.C.

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Indian Office, Victoria, B.C.

March 19th, 1909.

N, 5.

File No. 67340/4. Nov. 20th, 1908.

Sir:-

I have the honour to forward herewith for payment voucher in duplicate No. 1321 for sum of \$1.65 in favour of the Hudson's Bay Company, being for slates supplied Aiyansh Day School.

Cheque in payment to be sent to E. Lorenz, Indian Agent, Metlakatla, B.C.

Your obedient servant,

Supt. of Indian Affairs, B.C.

B. C. hole
Has recommended for payment
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B.C.

30/3/09

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Voucher No. 60.

373702 Vote No. *258*

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NAAS AGENCY.

To Fred Stork, Prince Rupert, B.C.

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT	
		\$	cts.
1910.			
Sept 1st	Supplies for the Aiyansh Indian Day school, as follows		
	1 Box Stove	16	00
	30 joints 6in pipe at 15 cents....	4	50
	2 Elbows at 50 for 2		50
	Freight prepaid as per receipts enclosed		90

Authority Letter No 67340, dated July 18th, 1910.

Total \$ 21 90

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 all the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Charles G. [Signature]
Indian Agent.

APPROVED, _____
Indian Superintendent.

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PRINCE RUPERT, B.C.

1910

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M. Myanish Indian Day School

Via Kentalith Mass River

GURNEY'S
STOVES
AND
RANGES

IN ACCOUNT WITH

FRED STORK

ESTIMATES CHEERFULLY FURNISHED

METAL ROOFING A SPECIALTY

PLUMBING
STEAM-HEATING
SHEET METAL
WORK
VALVES & PIPE

Sept 12

*1 Box Store.
30 joints 6" Pipe
2 Elbows*

Not Repaid

*160
15
25*

*1600
450
50
90*

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NASS INDIAN AGENCY.

Oct 7th

METLAKATLA. B. C.



LETTER NO. S.A.

Sir,-

373702

deat

I beg to enclose voucher No 60, value \$21.90, favor of Fred Stork, in payment for supplies specified in voucher sent to the Aiyansh Indian Day school, and authorised by letter No 67340, dated July 18th, last.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Charles Clifton Powell
Indian Agent.

Quote 258
Approved: *290*

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The Secretary,

Dept of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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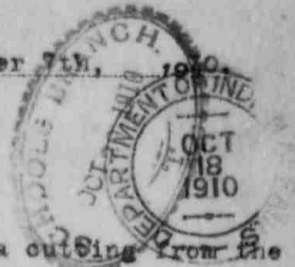
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NASS INDIAN AGENCY.

LETTER NO. S.A.

METLAKATLA, B. C.

October 27th,



Sir,—

373704

I am enclosing you for your perusal a cutting from the Victoria Daily Times touching a disastrous fire which has recently swept the mission premises, and that used for Indian Day school work by Mr A.F. Priestly, off the village of Aiyansh, Naas River.

I have just returned from that distant settlement where I have seen the damage wrought, and find that there is now no school premises available, with the exception of an old building once used for that purpose by the missionaries.

As at this time of the year mail does not reach Aiyansh for several months unless some kindly disposed traveller carries it for them, and in consideration of the existence of a sawmill at Aiyansh where rough lumber can be obtained, and ~~that~~ the old building can be patched up for a time until the proposed new school building is erected in the Spring of next year, also that the teacher now supplied with school material is anxious to carry ~~on~~ on the work of teaching (a lot of children being in the village) at the request of the Rev Mr Mc Cullagh I have authorised the purchase of a small quantity of lumber for the above mentioned purpose, so that the matter of a school shall not be seriously hampered through the unfortunate fire.

I trust that this action on my part will meet with the approval of the Department. I may add that, if the Department so wishes, the lumber referred to may be pulled down again and used for the building proposed to be erected at Aiyansh in the Spring.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

E. L. ...

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Aiyansh Mission, NAAS RIVER,
B. C.



12th September, 1910.

THE INDIAN AGENT,

Metlakatla, B. C.

373704

Sir, —

I regret to have to inform you that the entire block of mission buildings on this reservation was destroyed by fire on the 7th Instant. Practically little property was salvaged—a little bedding, a few articles of clothing, a sewing machine and a typewriter form the principal items. The loss sustained by ourselves and the mission amounts to \$8,089.00, while Mr. Priestley the school teacher lost \$850.00.

The Chapel-school in which the Indian day school has been held for some years is gone, and I now write to suggest that, in order to carry on school here on the return of the Indians from the canneries, it will be necessary to incur some expense in putting another building into shape for school purposes.

I beg ^{therefore} to make application for a grant of \$150 in order to put into proper repair a building formerly used as a school but which has been recently stripped of lining &c it having been found too cold in winter time ^{& abandoned.} With the above expenditure and the stoves already

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**FLAMES DESTROY
NORTHERN MISSION**

Rev. Mr. McCullough and Family
Been Left Des-
titute 1910.

Port Simpson, Sept. 15.—Prospectors who arrived here from the upper waters of the Naas river brought news that the Aiyansh Mission, sixty miles up the Naas, was totally destroyed by fire. According to the report a pioneer missionary, Rev. McCullough, and his family, have been left destitute.

While their reports of the occurrence are meager, it was stated that the fire started from a spark from the chimney. The roof caught fire and the wooden building was soon blazing fiercely.

It had gained great headway before it was discovered, and, although an alarm was sent out to the neighboring Indian village, and the villagers made every effort, the building was consumed with all its contents, including the supplies and the clothing of the missionary and his family. According to the men who brought the news here, Mr. McCullough was left in sorry plight, dependent temporarily on his Indian flock.

The Aiyansh mission was built by Rev. Mr. McCullough twenty-five years ago, and since that time the missionary has made his home at this lonely outpost among the Indian tribes of the north. Communication with the place is difficult, but steps will be taken here to relieve the distress of the destitute family.

Aiyansh Mission, NAAS RIVER,
B. C.



12th September, 1910.

Metlakatla, B. C.

373704

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granted a very comfortable and healthy school room could be materialized until such time as the Department thinks it advisable to proceed with the new projected school.

The necessary lumber can be obtained from the saw mill here, and I can find Indian carpenters to do the work.

I cannot very well call upon the people themselves to make the provision suggested as they will be considerably overburdened as it is in furthering the erection of new mission buildings.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

James R. McCreagh

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Ottawa, Oct. 20th., 1910.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 7th instant advising the Department of the destruction by fire of the school-house and other buildings at the Aiyansh Reserve. In reply I beg to say that the Department regrets to learn of this occurrence and approves of your action in authorising the purchase of a small quantity of lumber to fix up a temporary school room.

In your letter you refer to the proposed new school to be erected next Spring. It is presumed that you have reference to a building on the Kitlademix Reserve. This would appear to be an opportune time to take carefully into consideration the erection of a school that would serve both Villages, and a full report should be forwarded by you. In the meantime the Department will take up the matter with His Lordship the Bishop of Caledonia.

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del

Your obedient servant,

D. C. Scott

Acting Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

Charles C. Perry, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Metlakatla, B.C.

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Copy for Aiyansh 5-

EX'D.

Ottawa, October 25, 1910.

Sir,

In official letter of the 29th ultimo in reference to the erection of a day school building at Kitladamax it was stated that it might be well for you to look into the matter of erecting a union school. This was again referred to in a letter of recent date following the receipt of the information that the Aiyansh building had been destroyed.

In view of the difficulty in securing competent teachers for these schools it is thought that a union school at a point equally distant from each of the villages would, in some respects at least, best serve the interest of these people. The distant would not be too great as a central point would be about a mile from each of the villages. If the Indians are agreeable the Department would be prepared to pay for the services of a properly qualified teacher and it might also be deemed expedient, under the circumstances, to provide a mid-day lunch for the children. As nothing can be done before next spring this matter ought to be very carefully looked into and the opinion of the Indians obtained. In the meantime the Department will write to His Lordship the Bishop of Caledonia.

Your obedient servant.

L. G. McNeill

Acting Deputy Supt. General
of Indian Affairs.

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C. C. Ferry, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Metlakatla, B.C.

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Copy for Aiyansh &

Ottawa, October 25, 1910.

Right Reverend Sir,

I have the honour to refer Your Lordship to previous correspondence in connection with the erection of a new school building for the Kitladamax Indian reserve. The Department has lately heard with much regret of the destruction of the building on the Aiyansh reserve and it is thought that this might be an opportune time to again give careful consideration to the question of a union school for these two villages. A building which could be erected on the boundary between the two reserves would only be one mile from each of the villages. The Department would be prepared to erect a suitable building and provide an adequate salary for a qualified teacher. It ~~may~~ might also be deemed expedient to furnish the children with a light mid-day lunch.

Mr. Perry, the Agent, has been asked to go more carefully into this matter and I should be pleased if Your Lordship also would take it up with the resident Missionary and obtain the views of all those interested including the Indians. Building operations cannot be undertaken now till next spring, but it would be well to have everything ~~a~~ in

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Right Rev. F. H. DuVernet, D.D.,
Bishop of Caledonia,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

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readiness for an early start. The Department would be pleased to hear from Your Lordship in reference to this matter.

I have the honour to be, Right Reverend Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Geo. McLeod

Acting Deputy Supt. General
of Indian Affairs.

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to warrant the erection of a separate school.

Gitlakdamiks is another kind of place altogether. It is composed of nearly half old Indian houses, and the people seem to be just merging from the most primitive conditions.

There are fewer children, and I should say that if a good and substantial building were erected at Aiyansh, and a less expensive school put up at Gitlakdamiks the needs of the both villages would be fully met.

I would suggest that a building on the Port Essington plan, a little better finished, for the village of Aiyansh would meet the need there. This would cost about \$1800.00.

A building costing about a thousand dollars would meet the need at Gitlakdamiks.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Charles Clifton Perry
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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NASS INDIAN AGENCY.

S.G.

METLAKATLA, B. C., November 5th, 1910.

LETTER NO.

Sir,-

John

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Referring to your letter No 67,340-5,dated Oct 20th ult. re the matter of a school for the villages of Aiyansh and Gitlakdamiks,I have the honor to state that I have recently returned from these settlements,where I examined the ground proposed to be covered if a joint school were erected.

I would point out that the matter of a joint school has been a bone of contention since the last visit of Mr Supt Vowell to Gitlakdamiks and Aiyansh,when the Indians ~~##~~ were,at both places,promised a separate school. Mr Inspector ^{Green} has also told the Indians (so they tell me) that the Department would likely build two schools;and it would appear that both Mr Vowell and Mr Green went so far as to look into the matter of a site at both places.

If it were decided by the Department to erect a joint school between the two villages which are about one and a half to two miles apart it would be necessary for the scholars to walk over deep snow the half distance throughout a long and bitter winter,and in my opinion the school would be very poorly attended.

It is evident that both Mr Vowell and Mr Green felt that separate schools would be best,at the same time they may not have taken into consideration the difficulty in securing teachers for these remote settlements.

I may say that Aiyansh is one of the neatest and well ordered villages on the Naas river.It has some of the most creditably built and designed houses to be seen in the North.Streets have been made,houses have been erected on surveyed blocks,and the people appear to be industrious. There are enough children at Aiyansh

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EXD.

Ottawa, November 22, 1910.

Sir,

S.G.

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant, and in reply I beg to say that, in view of your report upon the existing conditions at Aiyansh and Kitladamax, it is considered that a school building should be provided in each of these villages. The Department will be prepared next year to erect a building in the Aiyansh village on the plans of the one recently completed at Fort Essington at a cost of approximately \$1800.00 and you will be good enough to submit a sketch plan of a building you think would be suitable for Kitladamax to cost about \$1000.00, giving details as to materials, prices, etc.

The appropriation provided by Parliament for Indian education during the current fiscal year is sufficient to meet the cost of both these schools, but it is too late now to proceed with the work. The Department would like to know, however, if it would be possible before March 31st, next, to purchase either all or a large portion of the necessary material for construction, in order that it can be paid for out of this year's vote leaving only the labour to be provided for next year. If this material can be purchased at Prince Rupert it might be stored till next spring, provided there is a suitable place available where it could be safely cared for. The Department will be glad to hear from you in reference to this proposition at an early date.

Your obedient servant,

W. G. LEAN

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C. G. Ferry, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Metlakatla, B.C.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Metlakatla, B.C.,

January 7th, 1910

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S.A.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

[Handwritten signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Sir,-

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I have the honor to enclose you here-
with voucher No 82, value \$3.20, favor of Messrs Mc
Rae Brothers, in payment of account for 20 school s-
lates for the Indian Day School at Aiyansh.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: Charles Cyril Paul]
Indian Agent.

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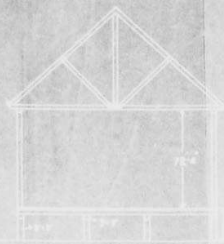
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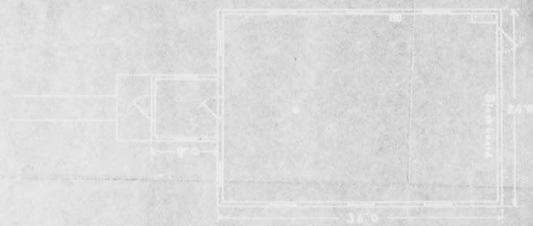
Side Elevation



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Plan



Installation Plan



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Of work and Materials to be used on the Proposed New Indian Day School

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The entire work to be according to Plans attached, and of given dimensions.

Clear Lot

Cut down and remove all trees and under growth to a distance of 5feet all round Building, and beneath the same.

Foundation

Excavate to solid ground for all Posts

Posts to be	-----	8" x 8"	Red Cedar
Cills "	"	-----	8" x 8"
Floor Joists "	"	-----	2" x 6" @ 16" centres
Ceiling "	"	-----	2" x 6" " "
Framing "	"	-----	2" x 4" sized with double top plate.
Roof Frame roof with	-----	2" x 6"	Rafters to pitch, shown on

Plan well Braced and covered with shingles laid $4\frac{1}{4}$ " to weather nailed to 1" x 6" Roof boarding.

Tower

Frame Tower as shown with 3 Lower Vents, and fix Flag Pole with Pulley and rope.

Basement

Board in to Basement with Rustic laid vertically.

Sidewalk

Put Sidewalk as shown from Road to Building, and from Rear Door to Toilets.

Toilets

Build Toilets at Rear of Building.

Outside Finish

Cover outside of Framing with Shiplap laid diagonally and then with Rustic with Tarpaper between.

Inside Finish

Cover all inside walls with 1" x 4" T. & G. V joint.

Floor

Cover Floor with Shiplap and 1" x 4" Edged grain Fir Flooring with Tarpaper between.

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Windows

Frame all windows as shown on Plan and fit with 4 light check rail 1 3/8" sashes with window stool, stops etc.

Doors

Frame Door openings with 1 1/2" x 6" rebated Jamb and hang with 5 Panel Doors.

Outside -----	3.0 x 7.0 x 2.8 x 6 x 8	- 1 3/4"
Inside -----	2 x 8 x 68	- 1 3/8"

Cupboard

Fix cupboard as shown of V. Joint.

Blackboard

Form Blackboard where shown of Best Quality Blackboard Cloth 3 ft wide and fix in blank end.

Locks

Put good locks to Doors and sashfasteners to Sashes.

Paint

Paint Shingles with Creosote Shingle Stain. Paint all Woodwork inside and outside with best White Lead Paint.

Chimney

Form Terra Cotta Pipe Chimney 6" in dia. as shown and cover with glazed cap.

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Ottawa, 21st February, 1911.

Sir:-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 8th instant, in regard to building operations at the Aiyansh, Naas River Indian Day School, and in reply I beg to say that it is not evident to the Department that it is necessary that an advance be made to pay for material in connection with the building of the said school. If accounts are forwarded promptly, payment will be made without delay provided, of course, that the said accounts are satisfactory. The Department will have until the 30th of April next to pay expenditure incurred during the fiscal year 1910-11. If the accounts in connection with the above mentioned school cannot be forwarded before the 31st March, you should advise the Department to that effect.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MCLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

C.G. Perry Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Metlakatla, B.C.

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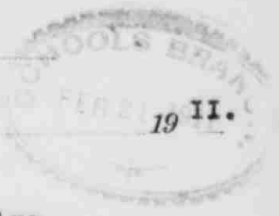
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Metlakatla, B.C.,

February 8th,



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. <u>S.A.</u>
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Sir,-

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Referring to your letter No I2I237/5, dated December 28th last, relative to the new Indian Day school for Aiyansh, Neas River, I have the honor to say that I have had an interview with His Lordship the Bishop of Caledonia as suggested in your letter referred to.

I herewith beg to submit a plan and specification for this building (which is an improvement on the one recently submitted for the Essington school).

On the authority of letter No I18532/5ty, dated December 7th last, I have purchased the necessary material to be stored at Prince Rupert until the spring. As the accounts were not sent to this office in duplicate form, the firm supplying the material has been written to in this regard, and the accounts will be forwarded to you without unnecessary delay. Should any delay, however, be occasioned in the transmission of these accounts causing inconvenience in fiscal reckonings for the current year, I would point out that the material secured, inclusive of the necessary desks and fixtures, amounts to the sum of \$959.75, and an accountable cheque for that amount could be sent to this office, from which amount there would be no unexpended balance.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Charles C. [Signature]
Indian Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Metlakatla, B.C.,

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March 6th, 1911.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. A.S.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Sir,-

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I beg to enclose herewith returns of the Aiyansh Indian school for the quarter ended December 31st, 1910.

The delay in transmission of same may be explained by reference to the long distance of Aiyansh from the coast and the poor means of transit.

Your kind attention is called to the remarks column, in which the Rev J.B. Mc Cullagh-the resident missionary-states that suitable premises were temporarily secured, which he thought to be cheaper than the expenditure ~~incurred~~ ^{which} (with Mr Mc Cullagh upon his application after the fire, with the approval of the Department by letter dated October 20th last, No 67340-5 ^{it was considered}) would be in the best interests of the children and also the teacher, and for the rental of which the reverend gentleman appears to require the Department to pay the sum of ten dollars per month instead of the sum of \$100.00 or \$150.00 approved, as aforesaid, for the temporary repair of the old schoolhouse, the lumber for the use of which could afterwards be utilized in the construction of the new school.

By the same mail as that by which the returns were received came a letter from Mr Priestly-the teacher-who states concerning the room now in use for school purposes, as follows:→

"The school is a great disadvantage just now as the room is also used as courthouse, feast hall and council room, and so is upset every evening. The attendance is very poor this quarter and consists of just those who want to or are willing to learn".

The use of a building that is in continuous use for other purposes such as is mentioned above is most unsuitable and undesirable, and the greatest possible encouragement of tubercular disease that could be imagined by any one who is familiar with

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the way in which these public halls of the Indians are kept unless under strict supervision. I was surprised at Mr Mc Cullagh's action in consideration of the fact that theoretically he is an advocate of healthy sanitary conditions.

I cannot, therefore, recommend the payment by the Department of the rent asked for, and as five months have elapsed since authority was given for the temporary repair of the old building for school purposes, and in anticipation of the early erection of the new school, for which material has been purchased, also that from now on most of the children will be away from the village to the fishing camps with their parents, it would seem advisable to discountenance the repair mentioned above, and to advise Mr Mc Cullagh accordingly.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Charles Clifford
Indian Agent.

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Ex'd

Ottawa, 10th April, 1911.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant, with which you forwarded a voucher from Messrs Weight & Wiseman for material supplied for the construction and partial equipment of the Indian Day School at Aiyansh, Neas River; and in reply I have to inform you that in view of the fact that there is a charge of \$18.00 in the account for 6500 feet B.M. Rough Lumber the Department fails to understand your remark that the articles supplied will be stored at Prince Rupert "with the exception of the rough lumber which will be supplied from the Indians' own mills, and which has been purchased by arrangement with the firm supplying the material, who will take the responsibility of storage and supply the lumber at sawmill prices".

If Messrs Weight & Wiseman did not supply the 6500 feet rough lumber you should not have allowed the charge to stand in the account, and if the rough lumber required for the building is purchased from the Indians a voucher in their favour should be submitted for payment after delivery has been made. A full explanation in this connection is desired.

The arrangement to have Mr Wiseman act as working foreman in connection with the construction of the building is quite satisfactory to the Department.

Cheque No 2830 for for \$971.75 is being sent forward to you in payment of the account from Messrs Weight & Wiseman.

Your obedient servant.

C. C. Perry, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Metlakatla, B.C.

Asst. Deputy Secretary.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Metlakatla, B.C.,



March 11th, 1911.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S.A.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Sir,-

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Recd. April 10th

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J.W.
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*Enclosed
check for amount
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rough lumber
from the Indians
There is a check
in the amount of
6500.00 rough
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be allowed to
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supply over*

I have the honor to enclose you
voucher No 97, for the payment of the sum of \$971.75, to
Messrs Weight and Wiseman, for material supplied for the
construction and partial equipment of the Indian day school
at Aiyansh, Neas River, details of which may be seen in the
accounts attached to the voucher.

I beg to say that these articles will be stored at
Prince Rupert, with the exception of the rough lumber which
will be supplied from the Indian's own sawmills, and which
has been purchased by arrangement with the firm supplying the
other material who will take the responsibility of storage and
supply the lumber at sawmill prices.

I am hoping that present arrangements will be
effected, by which Mr J.W. Wiseman, of the firm of Weight &
Wiseman, will undertake the personal supervision of the erect-
-ion of the three schools on the river as working foreman,
on condition that his firm be given the order for material.
Mr Wiseman undertook the building of the Kinkolith
Indian day school, of which workmanship the Venerable Arch-
deacon Collison speaks in the highest terms; moreover I know
of no one who is better entitled to the patronage of the
Department than this firm. Mr Wiseman was the Agent of Dr W.
T. Kergin, ex M.P.P., during the recent Provincial campaign. He
also thoroughly understands the Indians and has no difficulty
in getting a crew together and work with them.

We shall be fortunate in securing the

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service referred to, as few men will spend any length of time on the Naas river in the summer on account of the mosquitoes which are terrifying in the hot weather, and as the cost of living on the river is much higher than on the coast because of the difficult navigation, and wages offered by the Department, ie-\$5.00 per day for working foremen-no higher than that obtainable in the coast cities.

I trust that this arrangement will be in every way satisfactory to the Department. I do not know of any arrangements that could possibly be more satisfactory, and it is hoped that the three buildings will be completed before the winter comes again.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Charles L. P. P.
Indian Agent.

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M. *Dept of Indian Affairs Ottawa*

IN ACCOUNT WITH

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1,000		C.S. Flooring	@ \$48.00	✓		
120	ft	Water table	@ \$5.00 per 100ft	✓		
45		Ridge Board	@ \$5.00	✓		
500		Quarter Round	@ \$1.25	✓		
16,500		Shingles	@ \$3.25 M.	✓		
3		Door Frames	@ \$3.00 each	✓		
10		Window	@ \$3.50	✓		
3		Lower Vents	@ \$3.50	✓		
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PRINCE RUPERT, B.C.

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3		Locks	@ \$1.50	✓	4.50
1		Cupboard Lock	@ 75¢	✓	.75
3	Pair	Butts	@ 50¢	✓	1.50
10		Sash Locks	@ 25¢	✓	2.50
1		Sheet Galv. Iron	@ 1.00	✓	1.00
1		Galv Roof. Plate		✓	1.75
2		Outside door latches	@ 50¢	✓	1.00
300	lbs	white lead	@ 10¢	✓	30.00
9	gal	Boiled Linseed Oil	@ \$1.75 per gal	✓	15.75
2	"	Yunps	@ \$1.75	✓	3.50
8	"	Greenote shingle stain	@ 2.00	✓	16.00
6		Terra Cotta pipes	@ \$.50	✓	3.00
1		T "	@ \$ 1.00	✓	1.00
1		bins Gloyd Cap	@ \$ 1.25	✓	1.25
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PRINCE RUPERT, B.C.

Ai-yank school

7 yds	Blackboard Cloth	@ \$1.00	✓
2	Paint Brushes	@ \$1.50	✓
4	"	@ \$75¢	✓
2	Shovels	@ \$1.50	✓
2	Brush hooks	@ \$1.50	✓
	Pully & Rope		✓
20	Desks @	3.75	✓
1	Teachers Desk & Chair		✓



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Fiscal Year 1910/1911.

Voucher No. 98

Vote No. *Vote*

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NAAS AGENCY.

To Messrs Weight & Wiseman,

DATE: 1911 DETAIL: AMOUNT: \$ Cts.

1911

March 11 Materials supplied for the erection of the Aiyansh Indian Day school, Naas River, as per detailed invoices attached hereto.....

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Authority Department's Letter No 131337/5, dated December 28th, 1910.

[Handwritten signature]

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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 all the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Handwritten signature: Thad. Stepha Perse]
Indian Agent.

APPROVED,

Indian Superintendent.

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Ottawa, March 27, 1911.

Sir,

A.S.

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant, and in reply I beg to say that your remarks with reference to the occupation of temporary premises as a school building are noted. The Department agrees with you that, in view of the fact that this room is also used as a courthouse, feast hall and council room and that ~~it~~ it is the intention to erect in the spring a permanent building, there should be no demand for rent such as is asked by the Rev. Mr. McCullagh.

I may say that the plan submitted by you with your letter of the 8th ultimo for the new building on this reserve was approved and it is hoped that the work will be undertaken soon as conditions will permit and that you will be able to have erected a suitable building which will fully meet the needs of the reserve.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

C. C. Perry, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Metlakatla, B.C.

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Aiyansh
B6.

10 April 1911.

C. C. Povey, Esq.,
Indian Agent:
Metlakatla B.C.

Dear Sir,

I am enclosing herewith the school returns for quarter ending 31st March 1911, and trust they are correct; also a small requisition for a few necessary things.

I am also enclosing two receipts - one for \$2.00 carriage on slates, pencils etc which were brought up over the ice and the other for \$3.60 for books I had to get from Prince Rupert owing to the Primers being quite beyond the beginners, which I shall be glad if you can forward. There has been no attendance for 2 or 3 weeks since the Indians went to Fishery Bay. There are only a few children left & these are either too busy or think they are to attend.

I remain,

Yours truly,

A. J. Priestley.



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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Metlakatla, B.C.,

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April 19th, 1911 II.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S.A.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Adk

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



Sir,-

Quote 269
\$5.60
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6/5/11

I have the honor to submit two small accounts which reached me with the returns of the Aiyansh Indian day School for the March quarter.

The one marked with the office stamp covers the transit of slates, recently purchased and sent prepaid to Kinkolith, carried up the river by canoe by Timothy Derrick, and is in order. The second, covering the purchase of books from Messrs Allen & Co, of Prince Rupert, was contracted by the teacher without the approval of the Department. In the latter Mr Priestly does not wish the Department to pay for the Prayer-Book, but asks for the sum of \$3.60 to cover cost of two dozen school primers which he states were needed for the school.

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I am inclosing a voucher for payment in case the Department is willing to grant Mr Priestly's request, together with the latter's letter of explanation.

sent May 9th

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Charles Chiffa
Indian Agent.

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Aiyansh Mission,
Naas River, B.C.

12th April 1911

Dear Sir, — I am in receipt of yours dated 8th March, Victoria, and have just had an interview with the saw mill manager here to whom I read and explained your order. In the first place, I have to say that there are no logs and no lumber on hand at the mill. In the second, it is doubtful if the mill can be put in running order before May or June. ~~Three~~ new tubes have to be put in the boiler, and these are not even ordered yet. Of course, I am trying to encourage them as much as possible, for I want to get on with my own house. I have now a party of men out logging to whom I have given a contract for 80,000 feet, and I told them that very likely you would be wanting logs for the building of the school so they had better go up to 100,000 feet. But at the very best pace this will only give you green lumber for all purposes. I reckon it will take 2 seasons for me to get through my house. All this is very indefinite for you but you can take it as quite definite that the lumber you require could not possibly materialise by June. Better have the lumber cut and dried this year & build next.

Yours very sincerely
James E. Tully

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cannot supply the lumber this year. The order was given four months ago, for the rough lumber. This also applies to Git-ladamiks, which school ~~XXXX~~ would have been supplied from the Aiyansh mill.

Some time since a planer was asked for by the Lak-kalzap Indians, but as the Department had given no reply the Indians made a purchase of a plainer in Vancouver, in the delivery of which there has been delay, resulting in the inability of the Indians to prepare the lumber in time to have it dry for the building this spring. It is understood the planer has just arrived, but the lumber will not, if cut by the Indians, be dry soon enough to be suitable for building this spring. The Indians will probably be able to furnish the rough lumber, and the remainder will be shipped to Lak-kalzap.

The river will not be navigable for scows of lumber until the end of July. Everything will be got ready by then, and the Indians will be on hand to ship the material up the river on their return from the fishing camps.

The Naas river is a very difficult country for transportation. If you will please refer to the pamphlet in reference to this district, which accompanied my letter to you on ~~school~~ School matters-dated July 7th last, No C.M.C., you will realize a few of the difficulties attending the prosecution of the work of building the schools on the Naas.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Chas. E. P. P.
Indian Agent.

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Metlakatla, B.C.,

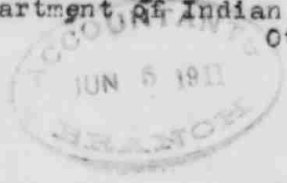


IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S.L.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

[Handwritten signature]
[Handwritten initials]
Sir,

May 16th, 1911.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



In reply to your letter No 67340/5, dated 10th April, with reference to the remark contained in my letter to you on the subject of the lumber for the Schools on the Naas River, I have the honor to inform you that the sentence to which you refer in the same was, I regret, incomplete. To it should have been added " in the event of the Indians being unable to turn out the lumber." I think this will be clearer to the Department.

I would point out that the Indians here will not under any circumstances get out timber from the woods until they are certain that the money is on hand to pay them for their labor and for the lumber. This being so it was necessary to safeguard the Department against the possibility of the Indians not being able to supply the lumber through lack of ready payment, and the item for lumber was included by the arrangement referred to in the account of the firm supplying the other material.

The wisdom of this course is now proven by the fact that when on the river with Mr Green, Inspector of schools, I found that the Indians had not even cut down a tree to be turned into lumber at their sawmill, and the arrangement with Messrs Weight & Wiseman will find the lumber supplied and shipped at sawmill prices.

I am enclosing a copy of a letter received from the Rev. J.B. Mc Cullagh, of Aiyansh, in which it is stated that the mill is under repair, and that the Indians

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650 McPherson Av.
Victoria B.C.
April 20 1911

C. C. Perry Esq
Indian Agent
Metlakatla
B.C.

389?89

Dear Sir Re Nass schools

In regard to purchase of materials from Nass River sawmills, I may say that I received my order back again from Rev. McCullough of Anasanch stating that the mill is out of action and no lumber will be obtainable for the erection of the schools.

But as I had previously guaranteed to supply the same I have obtained the lumber elsewhere and stored it together with all materials necessary for the three Nass schools, at Prince Rupert as I agreed to do.

Everything is now in readiness to commence work as soon as the River is navigable.

As you will know the River rises in June & July owing to the snow melting on the mountains and becomes ~~and~~ dangerous, and the Canyon ~~is~~ ^{is} ~~partially~~ impassable especially with a loaded canoe.



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So it will be far better to wait until the end of July
or August before attempting to go up with any
material, and another thing the natives will then be
returning from the commissaries and available with
their canoes for the transportation of the same.

Yours
truly

J. W. Wiseman

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Metlakatla, B.C.,

May 26th, 1911.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. <u>S.A.</u>
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Sir,-

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I beg to inclose you herewith a letter received today from Mr. J.W. Wiseman, of the firm of Messrs Weight & Wiseman, of Prince Rupert, in respect to the erection of the Neas River schools. The letter will explain itself, and the Department will see that everything is in readiness for the commencement of the work as soon as the water is navigable for heavy canoes and the transit of freight.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Charles Griffin Paul
Indian Agent.



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Ottawa, June 20, 1911.

Sir,

S.A.

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th ultimo enclosing a communication from Mr. J. W. Wiseman in reference to the erection of the Nass River schools.

In reply I beg to say that, in view of the explanations contained in Mr. Wiseman's letter, the Department approves of his suggestion not to take any material up there till the end of July or August.



Your obedient servant,

J. C. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

C. C. Perry, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Metlakatla, B.C.

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GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

Department of Indian Affairs, British Columbia

_____ NASS _____ AGENCY.

To Dominion Constable A.J. Phillipson, Prince Rupert, B.C.

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT	
Dec. 10	Paid to James Smythe for freight on 3 tons freight from Mill Bay to Aiyansh and school supplies to Kit-lakdemike at 3 cents per pound.....	150	00
" 27	Paid Timothy Adams for hauling part of freight with team from bank of river to Field Matron's house...	5	00
Dec. 9	Paid William Lyon for 1 1/2 cords firewood for Aiyansh Indian Day School at \$5.00 per cord.....	7	50
" 9	Paid Daniel Guinea, for 1 1/2 cords firewood for the Aiyansh school, at \$6.00 per cord, cut and split...	9	00
" 20th	Paid Michael Inspring for 3 cords of firewood, cut and split, for the Field Matron and teachers' residence at Aiyansh, at \$6.00 per cord.....	18	00
" 27th	Paid James Smythe for 3 cords firewood for Field Matron and teachers residence at Aiyansh, at \$6.00	18	00
" 27th	Paid Frank Blackwing for 1 cord of firewood for Indian Day School, Aiyansh, at \$5.00	5	00
" 28th	Paid Paul Mercer, for labor and material making desks, benches and tables and benches for 36 pupils at Aiyansh Indian Day School.....	41	50
as per receipt herewith.			
<i>4511 sent Apr. 3/16.</i>			
		\$ 284	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 all the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]

 Indian Agent.

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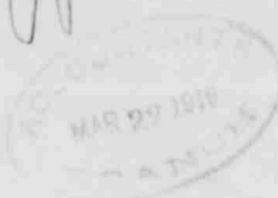


Metlakatla, B.C.,

March 14th, 1916

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S.A.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Handwritten signature
Sir,-



I have the honor to transmit herewith voucher No.820 attached to which are receipts of Dominion Constable Phillipson taken by him for expenditures incurred in the installation of two teachers and a field matron for the villages of Aiyansh and Gitlakdamiks, at the head of the Nass River.

The account is submitted in connection with the Aiyansh Indian Day School, although it will be seen that part of the freight charged belonged to goods shipped to Gitlakdamiks. The tonnage included groceries, personal effects, furniture, books, and supplies ordered by the Inspector of Agencies, Mr. A.M. Tyson.

Concerning the last item of this account, I beg to inform you that Mr. Phillipson was instructed to go to the Indian in whose care the school desks are which were purchased in 1911 for the Aiyansh school, and to get the desks from him with his account for storage to date. But because the Constable had not the money wherewith to meet the Indian's bill for storage, he was refused access to the desks and was obliged to have some desks made. I would inform you, however, that there will be need for these other desks when the proposed new school is open.

Your obedient servant,
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Handwritten signature: Charles Bath Peck
Indian Agent.

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Records
Mr. Zuzan
Payment made in the form of returns and

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Ottawa, May 10, 1916.

MEMORANDUM

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Mr. Scott,-

With reference to the personal request made to you by two of the Nass Indians, who were here today, for compensation for an Indian who is said to have conducted school at Aiyansh for short periods during the years 1913-14 and 1914-15 I beg to say that the Aiyansh School was closed at the end of the March quarter, 1911. No returns have been received since then until the December quarter, 1915.

Mr. Inspector Tyson in his report on the schools in the Nass Agency for the year 1914 states as follows,-
"At Aiyansh and Gitladamicks conditions are very unsatisfactory. The new schools which were to be erected at these places have, as yet, not been built, owing to the fact that the Indians want industrial schools established in place of the ordinary day schools, and although part of the lumber and other materials have been provided for the new schools work has not been commenced." Again, when he visited the schools with the Royal Commission, in speaking of Aiyansh he states that "visited the 9th of October. School has been conducted here by an Indian named Mercer, who

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who receives a small remuneration from the Indian people. They are, however, very anxious to have a qualified teacher appointed and ask that if it is possible to have one sent in at once, arrangements will be made to secure a temporary school building."

Judging by Mr. Tyson's report there was no school conducted during the year 1913-14, but you will see from his second report that an Indian named Mercer had been conducting a school there and received a small remuneration from the Indians. This Indian never received any authority to open the school from the Department and no returns were sent in and the Department had no knowledge of it until Mr. Tyson's report was received in November of last year. As the school was apparently not in operation no notice was taken of this report. The Department does not know how much the Indians paid Mr. Mercer, what benefit the children received from his teaching or how long he conducted the school and the only way to find out would be to obtain a report from Mr. Agent Perry.

We have no reports from either the Agent or the School Inspector regarding this school since it was closed. Rev. Mr. Green, late School Inspector, visited Aiyansh in May, 1912, in company with Agent Perry, and found the school closed and he recommended that it be not re-opened until there was a proper understanding with the Indians in regard

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regard to school matters and until the church authorities obtained a qualified and suitable teacher approved by the Department.

Nothing was done about re-opening the school until late last fall, when Miss Vera A. Chasteney was appointed teacher. The school was again opened at the end of December, last.

Arthur Benson

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

April 1st. 1916.

MEMORANDUM

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Mr. Paget -



I agree with you that the accounts for the transport of the teachers and field matrons to the Upper Naas River are pretty high, but the country is difficult of access. It was thought advisable to send in these teachers before the close of navigation, principally to meet a special request of the Indians. Of course, we should not pay the accounts without question if they are not in every way satisfactory.

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Pay
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D. S. G. I. A. *5/1/16*

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa,

23/3/16

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Mr McKeuspie

This voucher also one
on file 388549/5 ~~on file~~ herewith
for expenses in connection
with Field Matrons
are pretty steep and
I think Mr Scott's
attention should
be drawn to them.

I presume the
Expense was unavoidable



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Voucher No. _____

Vote No. *Ach*

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA

Department of Indian Affairs, British Columbia *Vote*

Name _____

AGENCY _____

To *A.J. Phillipson, Dominion Constable, Aiyansh, Nass River, B.C.*

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT
Oct. 24	Paid Kincolith Fisheries, for 2 cases coal oil for Miss Hayes, Indian Day School Teacher at Aiyansh	6 00
" 31	Paid Kincolith Fisheries Ltd. for 1 barrel lime for disinfecting school premises at Aiyansh \$2.70 and for wharfage on household goods of Teacher. \$3	5 70
Nov. 1st	Paid John Davis for removing heater from landing to school and also for removal of teacher's stove from Landing to residence.....	2 00
" 1st	Paid P.A. Mercer, for freight charges on three heaters from Mill Bay to Gwinoha, Aiyansh and Gitlakdamiks.....	12 00
" 3rd	Paid P.A. Mercer, for freight on 2 cases coal oil from Mill Bay to Aiyansh for Indian Day School Teacher.....	2 00
	Paid for Field Matron:	
Oct. 20	Paid for 2 cords wood cut and split supplied Field Matron Royds.....	12 00
" 14	Paid Paul Wright for freighting over ice by dog team 2 cases medicines for field matron Royds...	10 00
	as per receipts herewith, sent in by Dominion Constable Phillipson.	
		\$ 49 70

*2518
sent Dec. 2/16.*

[Signature]

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 all the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Charles P. [Signature]
Indian Agent

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Prince Rupert, B.C.

March 12, 1917

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 5a.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

[Handwritten signature]

ACCOUNTANTS
MARCH 21 1917
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 20 1917

Sir,—

I have the honour to transmit herewith
Voucher No. B 220, attached to which is an
account of the Kaien Hardware Company of Prince
Rupert, for \$2.10, as per detailed account
herewith.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: Charles C. King]

Indian Agent.

*B.C. Note
Pay*

*27/3/17
3337*

sent March 28/17

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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FISCAL YEAR 1916-17

Voucher No. 220

Vote No. *B6*

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA

Department of Indian Affairs, British Columbia

NASS AGENCY

To ~~The K&en Hardware Company, Prince Rupert, B.C.~~

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT
1917 Feb. 16.	To 1 hoe and 1 watering-can and freight thereon to Mill Bay as per attached detailed account, supplied the Indian Day School at Aiyemzh Day School, Nass River.	\$ \$2. 10
<i>Authority 67340/5 Feb 16 1917</i>		
<i>3337 file sent March 28/17</i>		
		\$2. 10

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 all the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

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Voucher No. B.142-143

Vote No. *Sch Vote*

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Department of Indian Affairs, British Columbia

Nass AGENCY

To Timothy Derrick, Aiyansh, Nass River, B.C.

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT	
Dec. 31st	To Rental of school building at Aiyansh, for the months of October, November and December at \$10.00	30	00 ✓
	To janitor service during the month of October November and December as per promise made to Derrick by Mr. Inspector Tyson (Agencies) @ \$5.00	15	00 ✓
		\$ 45	00

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*3334
sent Jan. 22/17*

*Sch Vote
Pay
1911/17*

JMS

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 all the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Charles R. Paul
Indian Agent.

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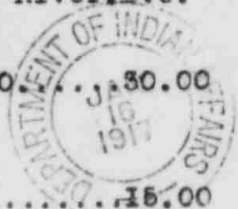
Aiyansh, N.C.,

December 31st, 1916

The Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

In account with Timothy Derrick, Aiyansh, Nass River, B.C.

Decr. 31st	To rent of school for three months at \$10.00 (October, November and December, 1916)	30.00
	To Janitor work at the school for the three months at \$5.00 per month.....	15.00



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\$45. 00

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Ottawa, December 22nd., 1916.

Sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 4th instant, with which you forwarded voucher No. B. 78-81 in which there is an item of \$3.00 for freight on three cases of coal oil for the field matron at Aiyanah and in which a charge is also made for two cords of wood at \$6.00 a cord, for her; and in reply I beg to say that these charges will not be paid. Upon one or two occasions the Department has paid for fuel for the field matron, but such payments were inadvertently made. It is not usual for the Department to furnish either fuel or light for field matrons, and it is not proposed to do so in the case of Mrs. Phillipson. Kindly inform her to this effect.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

C. C. Perry Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Prince Rupert, B.C.



December 4th.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. B-76-77
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

In reply to your letter, No. 67340-7, dated October 19th, I have the honor to transmit herewith vouchers Nos. B-76 and 77, attached to which are hotel accounts, for the Misses Sturges and Capper, of Lak-kelzap, Nass River, and Miss L. Hays, Indian Day School teacher, Aiyansh, who were delayed en route to their stations on the Nass River.

Accompanying these accounts is a report received from Miss Hays giving an account of the circumstances under which she was unable to proceed to her school.

I have taken up the matter with the local steamship agent, who has informed me that his Company is in no way responsible for the accident to the steamer, and therefore cannot pay the account.

I am personally of the opinion that these accounts should be paid by the Department, particularly in view of the fact that Miss Hays' appointment was somewhat irregular, having been made through a teachers' agency, instead of in the ordinary way.

I have the honor to be,

Sir;—

Your obedient servant,

Charles D. Paul
Indian Agent.

*See note
pay two vouchers under
14/12/16*

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

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Aiyansh,
Naas River, B.C.

Nov. 10, 1916.

Mr. Perry,
Indian Agent,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

Dear Sir,—

I received your letter last night. I'm sorry there is any trouble about my stay in Prince Rupert.

I had no wish to get off the boat, (after sitting up until one o'clock in the morning) and go out into the black night in the pouring rain, at Prince Rupert. But my last directions, when leaving Vancouver were,—"If Mr. and Mrs. Johnston do not meet the boat at Prince Rupert, get off and wait for them."—That's what I did, there were many things I was not aware of, one was, that every boat doesn't call at Mill Bay.

I intended asking Mr. Cairns quite a number of questions the night I sailed from Vancouver, but he sent a message

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saying that he couldn't come ^{down.} So I had to be satisfied with Mr Dougans answers. Then, to my dismay I found out, the next morning, that Mr. and Mrs Johnston had gone on to the Naas, and there was no chance of me getting there for another week.

Then, ^{when} that boat came in to Prince Rupert, ^{it was} late and had to return to Vancouver for repairs. And I had to waste more time in Prince Rupert.

I admit that it was partly my fault, but we all make mistakes once in a while.

If the department considers the disadvantage ~~to~~ ^I must put up with, and the many unexpected expences to living up here, on a very ordinary salary, it will pay my expenses at Prince Rupert!

I am making the best of the

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(a low box for table at present)
surrounding conditions, and think
our school work will be a success
if our supplies come in time. ♥

We are beginning to think about
our Xmas. Entertainment, intend
having a school concert and tree with
mostly presents made by pupils at school.

Yours sincerely,
Lydia Hayes.

P.S. This letter must
wait here a week, as we ^{can} only
send mail out once in two
weeks now. - L.H.

Charles B. Poy

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Voucher No. B.76

Vote No. *Sch*

Vote

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA

Department of Indian Affairs, British Columbia

Nass AGENCY

To The Hotel Prince Rupert, Prince Rupert, B.C.

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT	
Oct. 6th	To Room and Board for Miss Hayes, Indian Day School Teacher of Aiyansh, Nass River, B.C. as per detailed account, with baggage.....	37	50
Note:			
Miss Hayes' report hereto attached.			
See also Departmental letter No. 67,340-7, dated October 19th, 1916.			
<i>2663 (64.50) rent Dec. 15/16.</i>			
		37	50

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 all the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Charles E. Paul
Indian Agent

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STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

Dr.

TO HOTEL PRINCE RUPERT DR.

Prince Rupert, B.C. Oct 6-14

Miss L. Hayes

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE WEEKLY

ROOM 49

ROOM	Sept 24 to Oct 6 - 13 days @ 1.50	19 50		
BAGGAGE		1 50		
LAUNDRY				
CAFE		16 50		
		<u>37 50</u>		
	<i>Caroline Cornish</i>			
	<i>L. Hayes</i>			

W

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STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

Receipt
 TO HOTEL PRINCE RUPERT DR.

Prince Rupert, B.C. Oct 6th 1911

Miss S. Sturges Miss Copper

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE WEEKLY

ROOM 42

ROOM	Oct 2 to Oct 6 - 4 days @ 3 ⁵⁰	14 00		
BAGGAGE		1 50		
LAUNDRY				
CAFE		11 50		
		<u>27 00</u>		

Charles Corbett
 S. Sturges

JWT

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Fiscal Year 1916-1917

Voucher No. B.77

Vote No. *Sch*

vote

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA

Department of Indian Affairs, British Columbia

Nass AGENCY

To The Prince Rupert Hotel, Prince Rupert, B.C.

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT
Oct. 6	To Room and Board of Misses Capper and Sturges at Prince Rupert Hotel, Oct. 2nd to Oct. 6th, baggage and Cafe, as per account herewith.....	27 00
	Note	
	<p>The ladies were returning from vacation to their station on the Nass. The steamer Chelcham, of the Union Steamship Company, broke down, and could not proceed to the Nass River. Consequently the ladies were unable to reach their destination and were obliged to stay at Prince Rupert.</p> <p>The Agent of the Steamship Company at Prince Rupert will not be responsible for the account.</p>	
	See Departmental Letter No. 67,340-7 dated October 19th, 1916	
	<i>2663 (64.50)</i> <i>sent Dec. 15/16.</i>	
	<i>JWS</i>	
		27 00

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Charles E. Peus
Indian Agent

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Prince Rupert, B.C.,

November 22nd, 1916

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S.A.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,-



I have the honor to transmit herewith voucher No.B.55, attached to which are receipts taken by Dominion Constable Phillipson for expenditures in connection with the installation of a new teacher at the Indian Day School, Aiyansh, Nass River.

I would inform you that it has been necessary to have these expenditures made as the Indians of the river are averse to doing work and performing services for payment of which the cash is not on hand. Moreover, the river was expected to freeze over at any time and it was thought best in the interests of the school to make the expenditures thus made.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Charles E. Peur
Indian Agent.

Sub Note
RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
Ray
Jas
1/12/16

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

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ORIGINAL, FOR THE DEPOSITOR.

No. 6885

Bank of Montreal,

\$ 2.10

Ottawa, March 31st. 1917

RECEIVED from Department,

on account Indian Funds,

the sum of Two ^{10/100} Dollars.
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit
with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd.

Pro. Manager.

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CANADA

DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

Job 4053
m

NO. 63

Bank of Montreal,

\$

Ottawa, March 31st. 1917

RECEIVED from Department,

on account Indian Funds,

the sum of ~~Two~~ ^{10/100} Dollars,
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit
with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate

Pro. Manager.

Ent'd. U

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FISCAL YEAR 1916-17

Voucher No. B 253


Vote No. *See vote*

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA

Department of Indian Affairs, British Columbia

.....NASS.....AGENCY

To C.C. Ferry, Indian Agent, Prince Rupert.

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT
1917. Mar. 17.	Paid Union Steamship Company, for freight and cartage on 3 parcels of school supplies from Prince Rupert to Mill Bay, for the Aiyansh Indian Day School, Nass River, as per attached receipt	\$1. 05
<i>4416 sent 12/4/17</i> 		\$1. 05

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 all the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



Prince Rupert, B.C.

March 21, 1917

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. <u>52</u>
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

[Handwritten signature]



R

Sir,—

I have the honour to transmit herewith
 Voucher No. B 253, attached to which is a receipt
 taken for the sum of \$1.05 paid to the Union
 Steamship Company for freight and cartage on
 3 parcels of school supplies from Prince Rupert
 to Mill Bay for the Aiyansh Indian Day School.

The se supplies were sent from the Department
 to Prince Rupert.

Your Obedient Servant,

[Handwritten signature: Charles E. Puff]

Indian Agent.

[Handwritten notes:]
 See note
 Ray
 5/14/17

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

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Voucher No. 303

Vote No. *sch*
note

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA

Department of Indian Affairs, British Columbia

Name AGENCY

To Timothy Derrick, Aiyansh, Nass River, B.C.

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT	
March 31	To Rental of school building at Aiyansh for the March quarter at \$10.00 per month.....	30	00
" "	To services as Manitor at \$5.00 per month for 3 months.....	15	00
		\$	45 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 all the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

4838
sent 30/4/17.

Charles E. Paul
Indian Agent.

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Report

Nass Indian Agency Office,
Prince Rupert, B.C.,
April 18th, 1917

S.

R

Sir,-

I have the honor to transmit herewith
voucher No. 303 for payment of rental of the
Indian Day School at *Canlan* Nass River, for the
quarter ended March 31st, 1917; also for janitor work
for the *Service*.

Your obedient servant,

Charles E. Paul
Indian Agent.

*See note
pay
30/4/17*

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

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P. O. Box 333

Phone 58

Cor. 3rd Ave. and 8th Street,
Prince Rupert, B.C., March 17. 1917 191

Mrs.

Amyansh, B.C. C. C. Perry
In Account With

Prince Rupert Feed Company

THOS. TROTIER, Proprietor

Dealers in GRAIN, FEED, HAY and SEEDS

TERMS-CASH

Interest will be charged at the rate of 10 per cent. per Annum on all Overdue Accounts

To Seeds as per list
attach

\$1.00

Handwritten initials

We beg to advise having passed Draft on you for \$at.....
from.....and commend same to your kind protection.

PRINCE RUPERT FEED CO.

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FISCAL YEAR 1916-1917.

Voucher No. B. 284


Vote No. Sch
vote

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA

Department of Indian Affairs, British Columbia

NASS AGENCY

To PRINCE RUPERT FEED COMPANY, PRINCE RUPERT, B.C.

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT
1917 Mar. 17.	To flower seeds and postage thereon supplied Miss Hays, Indian Day School Teacher, at Aiyansh, Nass River, as per account attached	\$1. 00
	<i>67340/4 Feb. 1st</i> 	
		\$1. 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 all the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

4857
Sent 30/4/17.

Charles P. Ross
Indian Agent.

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Prince Rupert, B.C.

April 18./ 1917

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S.A.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER



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AMT Sir,—

I have the honour to transmit herewith
Voucher No. B 264, attached to which is an account
of the Prince Rupert Feed Company for flower seeds
supplied Miss Hayes, Indian Day School Teacher at
Aiyansh, Nass River.

Your Obedient Servant,

Charles G. Peuf

Indian Agent.

*Sch note
pay
3/11/17*

The Asst. Dep. and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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Fiscal Year 1917-1918

Voucher No. B. 339

Vote No. Sch
Vote

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA

Department of Indian Affairs, British Columbia

Nass AGENCY

To Kincolith Fisheries Limited, Mill Bay, Nass River, B.C.

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT
April 9	To storage of school supplies in transit from Prince Rupert to Aiyansh, Nass River, as per account herewith.....	.50
	<i>MJ</i>	
		\$.50

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 all the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

388
sent 16/6/17.

Charles B. Peay
Indian Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Prince Rupert, B.C.,

June 5th, 1917

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. <u>S.A.</u>
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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aw
Sir, -

I have the honor to transmit herewith voucher No. B.339, attached to which is an account of the Kincolith Fisheries Ltd. for the storage of school supplies in transit from Prince Rupert to the village of Aiyansh, Nass River.

Sch Note
Pay
13/6/17

Your obedient servant,

Charles C. Peay
Indian Agent.

The Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Aiyansh,
Naas River, B.C.
May 12, 1917.

Received from Miss L. Hayes
the sum of one dollar^{XX}~~1.00~~
transportation charges on
school supplies up the river
from Mill Bay. Char W Brown

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



Prince Rupert, B.C.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S.A.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

June 5th 1917

[Handwritten signature]

Sir,—



R

I have the honor to transmit herewith voucher No.341 attached to which is a receipt taken by Miss L.Hayes, Indian Day School Teacher, Aiyansh, Nass River, for an amount of one dollar paid by her for the transit of school supplies from Mill Bay to Aiyansh.

Sole Note
Pay
JWS
12/6/17

Your obedient servant,

Charles E. P.
Indian Agent.

The Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Fiscal Year 1917-1918
Voucher No. B. 380

Vote No.

Treaty No.

*Sch
vote*

Department of Indian Affairs

To Timothy Derrick,
Aiyansh,

Nass River, B.C.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
June 30	To rental of school building at village of Aiyansh, Nass River, for 3 months to end June 30 at \$10.00 per month.....	30 00
TOTAL.		\$ 30 00

JW

905 July 23/17

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.

Charles B. Peck
Agent.

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Advt

Indian Agent's Office,

Prince Rupert, B.C.,

July 7th, 1917

R



Sir,-

I have the honor to transmit herewith
vouchers Nos B.380, B.381, B.382 and B.383 for
payment of rentals of school buildings on the
Nass, at the villages of Gwinoha, Aiyansh and
Gitlakdamike, respectively; and rental of the
teacher's house at Gitlakdamike, for the quarter
ended June 30th, 1917.

See Note
RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
Ray
July 18/17

Your obedient servant,

Charles P. Proulx
Indian Agent.

The Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA, Ont.

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Steynash N.B.
February 1924

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Dr to Rev. O. Thorne

To Rental
Canteen ~~Expenses~~ Salary at
Ktlatlamia School for year
1923-4

Oct. 1923 to March 31, 1924

6 months @ \$10⁰⁰ per mo. \$60⁰⁰

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Fiscal Year 1923-1924

Voucher No. 610

168-32-5

Vote No. *Sch*

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA

Department of Indian Affairs, British Columbia

acct Skeena River Indian AGENCY.

To Rev. O. Thorne, Aiyansh, Nass River, B.C.

R



DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT
	To rental of two rooms occupied by the Gitlakdamix Indian Day School, from Oct. 1923 to March 31st, 1924 - 6 months @ \$10.00 per Month	60.00

Sch vote
 RECEIVED FOR PAYMENT
Pay
J.M. 17/3/24
 5921
Int March 18/24.
J.M.

\$60.00

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 all expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

W.E. Bellson

Indian Agent.

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GITLAKDAMIX.
NASS RIVER. B.C.

January, 17th; 1924.

RECEIVED from Mrs, M, Newnham, Day-School Teacher, the sum of:-
ONE DOLLAR, FIFTY CENTS. (\$1.50).
for cleaning (scrubbing) Gitlakdamix Indian Day-School during
month of December, 1923.

CERTIFIED CORRECT.

Mrs Currie

Day-School Teacher.

M. Newnham.

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GITLAKDAMIX.
NASS RIVER, B.C.

January, 4th; 1924.

RECEIVED from Mrs, M. Newnham, Day-School Teacher, the sum of
FORTY TWO DOLLARS, (\$42.00).
being payment for six cords of wood (birch) at \$7.00 per cord.

CERTIFIED CORRECT.

Robert Pearl

Day-School Teacher.

M. Newnham.

PROCESSED

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GITLAKDAMIX.
NASS RIVER. B.C.

February, 2nd: 1924.

RECEIVED from Mrs, M, Newnham, Day-School Teacher, the sum of:-

ONE DOLLAR, FIFTY CENTS, (\$1.50).

for cleaning (scrubbing) Gitlakdamix Indian Day-School during
month of January, 1924.

Mrs Currie

CERTIFIED CORRECT.

Day-School Teacher.

M. Newnham

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No. 614

Vote No.

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA

Department of Indian Affairs, British Columbia

as set

Skeena River Indian

R

AGENCY

To Mrs. M. Newnham, Gitlakdamix, Nass River, B.C.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 13 1924
RECORDS

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT
	To purchase of 6 cords birch fire wood @ \$7.00 per cord	42 00 ✓
<i>Dec 1923 & January 1924</i>	To scrubbing and cleaning school room January and February @ \$1.50	3 00 ✓
		\$45 00

RECEIVED
MAR 14 1924

*See note
Pan
JMS 17/3/24*

*5920
sent March 18/24
JMS*

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W. E. Benson
Indian Agent.

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Ediyauk M.L.
Jan. 1925

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa ^{Dr.} ~~is~~ ^{to} meet with Mrs O.
Therme, Ediyauk

To
Freight on 300 lb of drugs from
Mill Bay to Gt. Lake Landing at
2 $\frac{3}{4}$ cts per lb — \$ 8.25

To
Cartage from wharf to
Mussion house 1.00
\$ 9.25

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Fiscal Year 1924-25

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Vote No.

Sole Vote

Voucher No. 1006

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Department of Indian Affairs, British Columbia

Skeena River Indian AGENCY.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 13 1925
RECORDS

To Rev. O. Thorne, Aiyansh P.O. Nasa River, B.C.

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT
1925 January 31.	To Freight charges on Drugs from Mill Bay to Gitlakdamix, 200 lbs @ 2 1/2¢ per lb. 8.25	8.25
	To Cartage to Wharf to Mission house as per account attached	<u>1.00</u>
		9.25

RECEIVED
FEB 13 1925
ACCOUNTANTS

Wmk n/2/25
5789

JH

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 all expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

B. E. Atkinson

Indian Agent.

EXAMINED and
found correct.
J. W. Shore

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Fiscal Year 1927-28

Vote No. *Sch 200*

GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, BRITISH COLUMBIA

Skeena River Ind. AGENCY

To *A.F. Priestley, Aiyansh, Upper Nass B.C.*

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT	
1927			
Nov. 23rd.	To 7 cans Dustbane	3.50	✓
	" 2 Btls. Lysol,	.70	✓
	as per account attached,	4.20	✓
	supplied to Gitlakdamix Indian Day School.		

4.20

Authorized in your letter of Oct. 22nd, 168-32-4.

ACCOUNTANTS
7 25 1927

Nov 5-1-28
4921

4.20

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 all expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

EXAMINED and
found correct.
J. W. Shore

B. E. Ballinger
Indian Agent

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CANADA

~~168-52-5~~

~~REF. 810-5~~

SKEENA

BUILDINGS, ACCTS ETC

AIYANGH SCHOOL

CLOSED

FROM *Nov/07*

TO *Feb/25*

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