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Department of Indian Affairs

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New Brunswick - North

School Lot

Edmundston School

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EXTRACT.
ORIGINAL ON
102408-6

Extract from letter from Rev. J. J. Ryan, Superintendent of Indian Schools, dated July 29th, 1912, re Edmundston School. Original on 102408/6.

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I might mention, however, to the Department that I do not consider the building in which school is being conducted sufficiently large for the needs of the pupils and that it would also be desirable to secure a location on a more level stretch of ground where a suitable play ground could be available for them.

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Ottawa, August 6, 1912.

Ex'd

Sir,-

Rev. J. J. Ryan, Superintendent of Indian Schools for New Brunswick, in his report on the Edmundston School states that he considers a new building is necessary.

I have to ask you to be good enough to look carefully into the matter of a site and report to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N.B.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Indorse

Aug 31 1912

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

Sep

410235

Sir,—

While at Edmundston I visited the Reserve for purpose of selecting a site for a new School house, and decide the location on land occupied by Joseph Trombley would be very suitable and very near the center of the center of the settled lands and in consulting with the Indians found it would be satisfactory to them. Joseph Trombley thinks he should receive the sum of 50.00 for the land say an acre. Is the intention of Dept to build this season. If not until next season some of the Indians would like the job of cutting and hauling the lumber to the mill. If lumber was cut & hauled of reserve it would save some money to Dept and give the Indian employment. I am informed that some of the Indians are good Carpenters and capable of build the house and would like the chance to build it.

Asst Dept & Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Your Obedient Servant
S. P. Waite
Indian Agent

SCHOOL BRANCH
SEP 6 1912

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

102408/1

Mr Bray
J. B.
rec'd Bray

ACCOUNTANT
JUN 13 1913
BRANCH

Ottawa, June 11, 1913.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Pedley,-

In reference to the erection of the proposed new school building on the Edmundston Reserve it will be necessary to obtain a site. The Indian Agent recommends the purchase of piece of land owned by Joseph Trombley, which is very near the center of the settled portion of the reserve. Mr. Trombley asks $50.00 for an acre, which would appear reasonable. If this purcase is to be made arrangements should be made to have the land surveyed and a proper quit claim deed obtained.

D.M.
Funds available
price seems fair
Martin Benson
DC
[illegible]

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, June 14, 1913.
File 102,408.

Memorandum for the Deputy Minister:-

It is desired that the proposed school site in the Edmundston Reserve be regularly surveyed and posted. Will you kindly state to whom the instructions are to be sent. The said reserve is in the Electoral District of Victoria, N.B.

J. Bray

Chief Surveyor.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT CENERAL.
OTTAWA.

June 21st. 1913.

MEMORANDUM

Surv. Branch -

Necessary action may be taken for the employment of Mr. Regis Theriault, Edmundston, N. B., for the necessary survey work in connection with the proposed school site in the Edmundston Indian Reserve.

Acting D. S. G. I. A.

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102,408.

Ottawa, June 23, 1913.

Sir,

I have to request you to be good enough to survey and post a plot of ground for a school site in the St. Basil Indian Reserve at Edmunston ,N.B., Before making the survey please communicate with Mr. S. P. Waite, Indian Agent, Andover, N.B., who will give you further details especially as to the location of the site.

The site is located on the land of Mr. Jos. Tremblay. The lot is to contain one and a half acres. An iron post should be planted at each corner of the lot. The post may be of three-quarter inch gas pipe or solid iron three feet long squared for six inches at the top and driven down to within six inches of its head.

Please make a plan on a scale of fifty feet to the inch and also indicate the location of the site on the blue print plan enclosed herewith. You will be allowed at current rates for the service. Please return vouchers in duplicate for all expenditures together with your account.

Encl.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Regis Theriault, Esq.,
Deputy Surveyor,
Edmundston, N. B.

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102,408.

Ottawa, June 23, 1913.

Sir,

I beg to enclose herewith for your information and guidance a copy of a letter addressed this day to Mr. Regis Theriault, Edmundston, N.B., relating to the Survey of the school site in the St. Basil or Edmundston Indian Reserve.

Encl.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N.B.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Chr Dover N.B.

June 28 1913

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

Sir—

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Has any arrangement been made with Joseph Trombly for the Land wanted for School lot at Edmundston when I talk with him last season he said he wanted 50.00 per acre for land Old Joe is feeble and he ought to receive some remuneration as he asks some relief. If arrangement could be made to pay him in installment which would take place of relief. Please advise me what I can say to Joseph Trombly

Asst Deputy
and Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Your Obedient Servant
S. P. Waite
Indian Agent

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUL 5 1913

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Ottawa, July 9, 1913.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th ultimo in further reference to the proposed purchase of a site for the Edmundston School from an Indian named Joseph Trombly.

In reply I beg to say that as soon as the survey has been made and the deed executed a cheque will be sent you for the price of land with instructions as to how it is to be disposed of.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N.B.

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SEND the following NIGHT LETTER subject to the terms printed on the back hereof, which are hereby agreed to.

Ottawa, Aug. 9, 1913.

Regis Theriault, Esq.,

Deputy Surveyor,

Edmundston, N.B.

Re instructions to survey school site Edmundston June twenty-third are you undertaking this work if so do work and forward returns at once. Department wishes to proceed with building.

Charge Dept. I.A.

J. D. McLean.

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Ottawa, August 11, 1913.

With cheque.

Sir,-

On June 23rd last Mr. Theriault of Edmundston, N.B., was requested to survey the site for the Edmundston school on the land belonging to Mr. Joseph Tremblay and at the same time you were informed of the action taken. The Department since then has heard neither from you or from the surveyor and, as you are aware, the contract for the erection of the school building is being let. In order that there may be no delay I am enclosing herewith an agreement for the sale of the property in question, one and one-half acres at fifty dollars per acre and I have to ask you to be good enough to have this agreement signed and the site of the building located at once, it being understood, as provided in this agreement that payment of the balance due Mr. Trombley, namely, sixty-five dollars will be made as soon as the survey is completed and quit claim deed executed. When this agreement is signed by Trombley kindly return to the Department, when it will be signed by the Deputy Superintendent General. The cheque for $10.00 is made payable to yourself and Mr. Trombley, jointly.

Encl.

S.P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover,
N.B.

Your obedient servant,

N.D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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AGREEMENT made this ninth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,

Between

Joseph Trombley, of the Edmunston Indian Reserve, in the county of Madwaska, province of New Brunswick, hereinafter called the vendor

of the one part,

and

His Majesty King George the Fifth, as represented by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs of Canada, hereinafter called the purchaser

of the other part.

The vendor agrees to sell and the purchaser agrees to purchase one and half acres of land for the purpose of a school site, which land shall be selected by S.P.Waite, Esq. Indian Agent of Andover, New Brunswick, the exact boundaries of which shall be fixed by the surveyor employed by the Department.

The consideration for the above lands shall be the sum of seventy-five dollars payable as follows:- the sum of ten dollars upon the signing of this agreement and the balance as soon as the Department is able to have the land surveyed and on payment of the balance as aforesaid the vendor shall execute a conveyance of the lands together with declaration as to title.

This agreement to extend to and be binding on the respective heirs, executors, administrators and assigns of the parties hereto.

In witness whereof the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals.

Signed, sealed and delivered)
in the presence of)
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, Auguat 13, 1913.

Memorandum.

Mr. Pedley:-

On June 21st last you submitted the name of Mr. Regis Theriault, to preform the necessary survey work in connection with the proposed school site on the Edmundston School reserve and on the 23rd of June he was given his instructions. Nothing having been heard from Mr. Theriault and as the contract for the erection of the building is now being executed the Department telegraphed to Mr. Theriault on August 9th but he has not replied to the telegram. In the meantime we have sent ~~him~~ on agreement of sale for execution but the survey should be made without any delay and the proper quit claim deed obtained, ~~and~~ If it is not Mr. Theriault's intention to do this work it will be necessary to obtain the services of someone else.

A.G.M.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Ardoser N.B.

Aug 16 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Schools

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Sir,—

On 14th I was at Edmundston and in company with Agis Herault and T. M. Richards visited the Edmundston Reserve ~~we~~ Slected or rather they approved of the selection of the School house site. I maked trade with Joseph Trombley for same and ~~the~~ I instructed the Surveyor to brand the discription to Mr. Max Cormean who will make out the Deed. I was pleased to learn Mr T. M. Richards had been appointed Inspector asst Deputy and Secretary Dept of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

Your Obedient Servant

S. P. Waite
Indian Agent

SCHOOLS BRANCH
AUG 20 1913

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AUG 19 1913

Edmundston, N.B.,

August 16, 1913.

Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, AUG 20 1913 SURVEYS.

You will find enclosed plans and vouchers in duplicate as requested in order of survey dated June 23rd.

You will find a difference as to the width of the lots from the original survey, but the red lines on the blue print will show exactly as it is at present.

Yours truly

Sgd. Regis Therault,

see file 102408-5 for acct. W.P.W.

P.S. The posts are of gas pipes as requested.

Mr. Bray - The plan is not signed and no tie shown neither is the area on the plan. W.P.W.

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102,408/5.

Ottawa, Aug. 21, 1913.

Sir,

With further reference to your letter of the 16th instant and enclosed account amounting to $77.74 for the survey of a school site in the Edmundston Indian Reserve, I have to say that similar services have usually been performed by surveyors inone or at most two days. It is noted that you charge for six days professional services; judging from the vouchers it would appear that you were engaged only one day in actual survey.

For the purposes of audit and in order that your account may be fairly taxed I have to request you to be good enough to forward a diary showing the services performed in each day of the six days for which you charge.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Regis Thereault, Esq.,
Deputy Land Surveyor,
Edmundston, N.B.

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102,408/1.

Ottawa, Aug. 21, 1913.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant and enclosed plans and vouchers in connection with the survey of the school site on the Indian Reserve at Edmundston. The plan is returned herewith. Please be good enough to sign the same with your usual signature and place thereon the numbers of the lot and adjoining lots and concession or range if any. Also the tie line by which your description has been prepared and place thereon the measurements of the North and South boundaries also the area of the school lot and with the plan please send a copy of the description it is presumed you have made. Please attend to this matter at your earliest convenience. Your accounts will be dealt with in a separate letter.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Regis Thereault, Esq.,
Deputy Land Surveyor,
Edmundston, N.B.

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of the one part,

and

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The consideration for the above lands shall be the sum of seventy-five dollars payable as follows:- the sum of ten dollars upon the signing of this agreement and the balance as soon as the Department is able to have the land surveyed and on payment of the balance as aforesaid the vendor shall execute a conveyance of the lands together with declaration as to title.

This agreement to extend to and be binding on the respective heirs, executors, administrators and assigns of the parties hereto.

In witness whereof the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of

T. M. Richards

Joseph his mark Trombley

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431811 INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

431811 Aug 23/13

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. .....
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Sir,—

Enclosed find agreement of School House Site. Signed by Joseph Trombley
Ass Deputy & Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs Ottawa

Your Obedient Servant
S. P. Waite
Indian Agent

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The red lines shows exactly the position of the old lines also the school site on the Indian reserve

Aug. 15th 1913 Regis Theriault D.L.S.

The school site is lie from the South side line of lot No 1 granted to John Watts

K. Theriault

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PLAN of the survey of the Indian Reserve at St Basil Victoria County now Madawaska County N.B.

by Deputy Chas. E. Beckwith November 1860

Scale 25 Chains = One Inch

Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs

S. Pray
Chief Surveyor
Department of Indian Affairs

Canadian Pacific Railway 66ft Wide Area taken 7.88 Ac.
F.259510

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Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, Sept 5 1913

School -
The plan of Edmunston school site on lot 3 of Indian Reserve number ten New Brunswick has been received and is now O.K.

W R White -

Wait for deed -
See letter from agent Aug. 16

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Regis Theriault, D.L.S.
Edmundston, N.B.

Edmundston, N.B. Sept 1st, 1913.

J.D.McLean Esq
Asst Deputy & Secretary
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

You will find enclosed the plans signed as requested in yours of the 21se inst (102408-1), I have also placed measurements etc.

In waiting for Mr Waite who was to be in Edmundston on the 13th by the night train I have occupied myself in getting iron posts and in looking over these lines on the reserve. I had quite a lot of trouble over them on account of not agreeing with the blue print you sent me, there was no bill for help because they were good enough to show me the lines etc.

Hoping you will find everything satisfactory

I remain

Yours truly

Regis Theriault

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102,408/5.

Ottawa, Sept. 5, 1913.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st instant and to state that the plan of the survey of the school site in the Indian Reserve at Edmundston appears to be now satisfactory.

I have to draw your attention to the fact that you have not forwarded the diary requested in the letter to you of the 21st ultimo.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Regis Theriault, Esq.,
Deputy Land Surveyor,
Edmundston, N. B.

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EDMUNDSTON, N. B.

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Edmundston, N. B. Sept. 11th 1913

Ans. S.B.

433019

L. D. McLean Esqre
Assistant Deputy & Secretary
Ottawa.

Sir

You will find enclose a diary as requested in yours of the 21st ultimo.

Hoping you will find it satisfactory

I remain
Yours truly
Regis Theriault

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
SEP 15 1913
SURVEYS.

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REGIS THERIAULT, D. L. S.
EDMUNDSTON, N. B.

Edmundston, N. B. Aug 15th 1913

Diary on School Site
on Indian Reserve at
Edmundston N.B.

1913
Aug. 10th (Sunday) I received your
Telegram, in the evening
Aug. 11. - I Telephone to Mr. Waite
to ask him to come at
once, he answer that he
would be at Edston on the
wednesday, I could not get
away to my other duties, so
in waiting, on the monday
(11th) I went to the black smith
to get my posts ready
Aug 12 - tuesday I went to the
the reserve to have a look
over the lines, all these lines
are almost invisible

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EDMUNDSTON, N. B.

Edmundston, N. B. 191

Aug 13 made some chaining
at the rear of Indian reserve
Aug 14 Went with Mr. Waite
on reserve, selec place for
school & made bargain
with J. Trambly. etc.
Aug 15 Made survey.
" 16 Made my return & bills
As you see the week
was well employ.

Regis Theriault
D.L.S.

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102,408-5

Ottawa, September 17, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant and of the diary inclosed therewith relating to your recent survey of a school lot in the Indian reserve at Edmunston, N.B., and to inform you that on examination of the said diary the Chief Surveyor has taxed your account two and a half days at $10.00,- $25.00.

A cheque for the balance ($52.74) will be sent you in full payment of your account after it has been passed by the Accountant.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Regis Theriault, Esq.,
Deputy Surveyor,
Edmunston,
N.B.

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MAX D. CORMIER
BARRISTER AND
SOLICITOR
CLERK OF COUNTY AND CIRCUIT COURT
CLERK OF THE PEACE

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Schools
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EDMUNDSTON, N. B.
Oct.4th.1913.

Frank Pedley,Esquire,

Deputy Superintendent General

Indian Affairs, Ottawa,Canada.

Dear Sir:-

You will please find enclosed Deed duly executed of piece of land taken for the Indian School at Edmundston,N.B.

After perusal,if you wish the same to be registered,you may send same back to me and I will hand it over to the Registrar for the County.

I also send bill in triplicate for attendance to said Deed.

Yours very truly,

Max. D. Cormier

SCHOOLS BRANCH
OCT 7 1913

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102408-1

Ottawa, 10th October, 1913.

Sir,

I beg to enclose herein for taxation the bill of Max D.Cormier, Esq., Barrister of Edmunston, N.B., for services in procuring a deed of lands on an Indian Reserve from Jos. Trombley to His Majesty. I may state that no authority was given by the Department for the employment of a lawyer in this matter.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd J.D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

A.S.W.

The Deputy Minister,
Department of Justice,
Ottawa.

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The Department of Indian Affairs

In Account with Max.D.Cormier,Barrister & Notary.

To attending on Mr.S.P.Waite re drawing of Deed for schbol site at Indian Reserve ,Edmundston,N.B.	$ 1.00
" Drafting description of Deed and executing same	$ 8.00
" Trip to Indian Reserve to get signature of Joseph Tremblay to said deed	$ 5.00
" attending twice on Regis Theriault,Land Surveyor,for plan and description of school site in order to draft Deed of same	$ 2.00
	$ 16.00

Rec. Sept. 9/d

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W.S.E.

102408-1

Enc.

Ottawa October 15th, 1913.

Please address reply to
Deputy Minister of Justice

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Sir;-

Referring to your letter of the 10th instant (102408-1), I have the honour to return herewith the account of Mr. Max D.Cormier, Barrister, Edmundston, N.B., for services in procuring a deed of lands on an Indian Reserve, from Joseph Tremblay to His Majesty, certified at $14.00. I am directed by the Minister to state, that while this account has been taxed and certified in this instance, it is desirable that the Indian Agent be notified that he has no authority to employ a lawyer without Departmental instructions.

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

W. Stuart Edwards

Secretary.

J.D.McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy Minister & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O T T A W A.

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Ottawa, Oct. 18 , 1913.
File 102,408/1.

Memorandum for Mr. Williams:-

The description in the deed dated Oct. 3, 1913, from Jos. Tremblay for a school site in the Edmundston Indian Reserve is very defective. The point of beginning should be located with reference to some known limit in the Indian Reserve. In the present case it should be located with reference to some known point in the Northerly limit of the Indian Reserve.

E. Bray

Chief Surveyor.

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Ottawa, October 21, 1913.

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Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your favour of the 4th instant, enclosing deed from Joseph Tremblay, duly executed of a piece of land taken for the Indian School at Edmundston, together with your bill for services rendered in this matter.

In reply I beg to say that the description in the deed is not satisfactory. The point of beginning should be located with reference to some known limit in the Indian Reserve, and the Chief Surveyor of the Department has directed that in this case it should be located with reference to some known point in the Northerly limit of the Indian Reserve. And further, the grantee should be described as "His Majesty King George the Fifth as represented by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs of Canada". The deed is accordingly returned for these corrections.

It does not appear that our Agent had any authority to engage a lawyer in this matter. Your bill as taxed by the Department of Justice will however be paid

Max D. Cormier, Esq.,
Barrister,
Edmundston, N. B.

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paid, but in future the instructions of the Department will be necessary before such payment can be made.

Your obedient servant,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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Vote No. [illegible]

Indian Agency N.B

Department of Indian Affairs

To Joseph Trombly

Edmundston

N.B

a/c Edmundston Band

DATE. 1913	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
Sept 30	To damage & loss of crop by the Building of School House	$ 5.00
	TOTAL,	5.00

per letter 113-921

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.

S. Brault

Indian Agent.

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Andover

Vote No.

Agency NB

Department of Indian Affairs

To Joseph Trombley
Edmundston
N.B.

of Edmundston Band Dr

DATE. 1913		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
Sept	30	To damage & loss of crop by the building of School House	$ 5.00
		TOTAL,	$ 5.00

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S. P. Waite
Indian Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Indian Agent

Oct 31 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. ...
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

ACCOUNTANTS BRANCH NOV 7 1913

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS NOV 3 1913

435937

Sir,—

I am enclosing you a vouchers for 5.00 a claim of Joseph Trombly of Edmundston which ~~that~~ he asks to be paid him for loss of crop on the building site for School building. I may say when I was at Edmundston at time of purchase of land from Trombly. The Surgeon Mr Richards and my self agree that 5.00 would be a fair compensation to Joseph Trombly for crop by the beginning of hauling material on land before crop was secured. This was in addition to the amt of 75.00 to be paid for Land. old Joe needs the funds kindly send him a cheque. This sum might be regarded as part of the purchase sum

Asst. Deputy and Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Your Obedient Servant
S. Waite

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Ottawa, November 10, 1913.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt, of your letter of the 31st ultimo stating that Joseph Trombly considers that he is entitled to the sum of $5.00, compensation for the crop which he would have raised on the acre and a half of land he sold the Department for the Indian school at Edmundston.

In reply I beg to say that under the terms of the agreement entered into on the ninth day of August, last, with Trombly the Department was to pay $75.00 for this land and no mention was made of any further compensation to him. The Department cannot, therefore, entertain his application.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N.B.

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General Merchant

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS NOV 17 1913

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Madawaska and Edmundston, N. B., Nov. 15 1913

Acct 3 letter

The Department of Indian Affairs Ottawa

In a/c with T M Richards

1913
Aug 14 To Amount Paid Joseph Trombley Indian for 1½ Acres of Land used for Indian School House on the Indian Reserve at Edmundston N.B.

Price Agreed on 50 Dollars per Acre

1½ acres @ 50.00 $75.00

Cr

1913
Aug 19 By Department Cheque No 937 on a/c 10.00

Balance T M Richards on Land Purchase $65.00

ACCOUNTANT NOV 19 1913 BRANCH

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HEADQUARTERS FOR DYNAMITE AND BLASTING POWDER

Madawaska and Edmundston, N. B. Nov 15th 1913

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The Department of Indian Affairs Ottawa

In Acct with T M Richards

1913

August 14 To Amount Paid
Joseph Dumbly Indian
For 1½ acres of Land used
for Indian P S School House
on Indian Reserve at Edmundston
Price Agreed on 50 cts per Acre $ 75 00

1913

Cr

Aug 19 By Department Cheque No 934
on Acct 10.00
Bal due T M Richards $ 65.00
on Land Purchase

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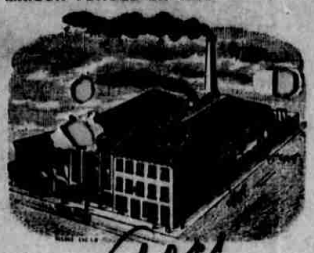
QUÉBEC, 11 oct. 1913

DT. Mr F. M. Richard
Edmunston



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Edmundston STATION Oct 16 1913 Sheet No. 21

In Pro. No.

M. G. M. Richard

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TO THE TEMISCOUATA RAILWAY CO. DR.

For Transporting the undermentioned freight billed from Rivière Du Loup

Date of W. B. Oct 14 W. B. No. 38 Pro. No. 10/220 Car No. Initial

Shipper	No of Pkg's	ARTICLES	Weight	Rate	Unpaid	Advances	Total
Quebec	1	Lo H Stove	200	S	35	36	71

Copy

Date Oct 17 1913

Received Payment, A. Topping Jr.

Agent

A charge will be made when cars are delayed beyond the time allowed by this Company for loading and unloading.
Make all cheques payable to the order of the Temiscouata Railway.
All freight transported by this Company is subject to its published terms and regulations. All claims for overcharge must be sent to the Gen'l Freight Agt., Rivière du Loup, P.Q., accompanied by freight bill.
This freight will be delivered only on presentation of this bill. See Bill of Lading for conditions of carriage.

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Madawaska and Edmundston, N. B., Oct. 30 1913

436992

The Department of Indian Affairs Ottawa

To T M Richards Dr

1913

oct 11 To 1 Coal & Wood Stove for
Indian School House
on Reserve at Edmundston NB $ 22.50

Freight Paid per Bill. 71

7 Joints of 7 inch Stove Pipe 17 1 19

1 " 7 inch Elbow. 25

1 - 7 " Stove Pipe Key 15

$24,80

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General Merchant

HEADQUARTERS FOR DYNAMITE AND BLASTING POWDER

Madawaska and Edmundston, N. B., ...191

The Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
To T M Richards Dr

1913

Oct 11 To 1 Coal & Wood Stove for
Indian School House
on Reserve at Edmundston NB $ 22,50

To Cash for Freight on Stove 71

" 7 Joints of 7 inch Stove Pipe @ 17 1,19

" 1 - 7 inch Elbow. 25

" 1 - 7 " Stove Pipe Key 15

$24,80

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ACCOUNTANTS NOV 21 1913 BRANCH

Ottawa, November 19, 1913.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of an account dated November 1st, for a payment to Joseph Tremblay an Indian on the Edmundsten Reserve, for an acre and a half of land on which the new school is erected.

In reply I beg to say that the Department would like to know why you paid Mr. Tremblay $65.00 balance of price for this land to him before the purchase was completed, and what authority you had for making this payment.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

T.M.Richards, Esq.,
General Merchant,
Edmundsten, N.B.

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EXL.

Ottawa, 24th November, 1913.

Sir,

I beg to call your attention to Departmental letter of the 21st ultimo, with respect to the deed of land for the Indian School at Edmundston, and to state that the Department would be glad to have this matter closed at your earliest convenience.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Max D. Cormier, Esq.,
Barrister,
Edmundston,
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School Acct

Edmundston.N.B.. Nov.25th.1913

Mr.J.D.Mc.Lean.

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Assistant.Deputy.and Secretary

Indian. Dept. Ottawa.O.N.

Dr.Sir.

Yours of 19th.inst.No 10[illegible]_5 .to hand and in answer will say .on the 14th.day of August last .Mr .S.P.Wait.Indian Agent. of Andover .N.B.came to Edmundston.and requested me to go with him down on the Indian Reserve.for the porpos of purchasingLand from one Joseph Tromblay Indian..onwe.and half.Acres of Land. for to Erect the Indian School House.on the same having been Concracted for.I went down to the Indian Reserve with Mr Waite and in my presence.the Acre & half.was Purchased.at .$5o.per acre. making .$ 75. The Agent asked me to give the Indian Jos.Tromblay $.5.oo.on act of purchase.money .and I did so.the Old Indian told the Agent Mr S.P.Waite.that he was very poor at that time, and required something to eight.so the Agent.Auritnised.me to Pay the Old Indian.for the Land.he sold to the department. .so the old Indian .kept takin for his family and himself untill the $.75.wad .all taken up .I sent a Bill Of Items To the Agent and I received from the Agent .on act.of Land Purchase.$.1o.oo leaving a balance due me on Land Purchase.of $.65.oo.

I trust this explation will be satisfactory

I remain Yours Truly

T M Richards

SCHOOLS BRANCH NOV 29 1913

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS NOV 27 1913

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Edmundston.N.B. Jan.13.1914

Mr.J.D.Mc.Lean.

Asst.Deputy.Treasurer.of Indian Affairs .Ottawa.

Dear Sir.

Will you kindly let me knowif there is any reason why I should not Receive from the Indian Department.Amounts Due Me.

Viz.Amount .Paid for Land. for Indian .School .House.$75.00

Less Amount Received.from .S.P.Waite.Indian.Agent.$10. 00

Balance.on Lnnd $65. 00

likewise.Amount for Indian School.House.Stove and Fixturs as per Billed.Rendered.on .30th of October.last.....$24. 80

.And likewise My Fees as Inspector.for the Indian School House I gave my Survices.as Inspector.from AugustI4th./I3 To December.2ond/I3.

I will .ask you to kindly take these matters up with the Indian Department.and at your earliest convenince.I shall be pleased to hear from you on the subject

Yours Very Truly

T M Richards

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No 182,408-1

Ottawa, 12th February, 1914.

Sir,-

The Department is anxious to close up the matter connected with the purchase of land for an Indian school site at Edmundston, and therefore, your delay in furnishing a satisfactory deed is the cause of inconvenience. It is hoped that you will kindly prepare and transmit to the Department, without any delay, a satisfactory deed for the land in question.

Your obedient servant,

W. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Max D. Cormier, Esq.,
Barrister,
Edmundston,
N.B.

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Vote No. 19

Andover Agency N.B.

Department of Indian Affairs

To T. M. Richards
Edmundston
N.B. or

School a/c Edmundston Band

441620

DATE.	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1913 Dec 31	To paying Joseph Trombly for 1½ acre Land for School grounds	$ 50.00 $ 75.00
	Cr By Cash of S. P. Waite	$ 10.00 10.00
	Balance due	$ 65.00
	TOTAL,	$ 65.00

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

S. P. Waite
Indian Agent.

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Edmundston, N. B., Jany 27 1914

The Dept of Indian Affairs Ottawa
Ottawa Ont

Bought of **T. M. RICHARDS,**
General Merchant

1913.		
Aug 14	To Amount Paid Joseph Trombly Indian For 1½ acres Land for School House on the Indian Reserve	75 00
1913	Cr	
Aug 19	By Cheque from S. P. Waite	10 00
	Balance due	$65,00

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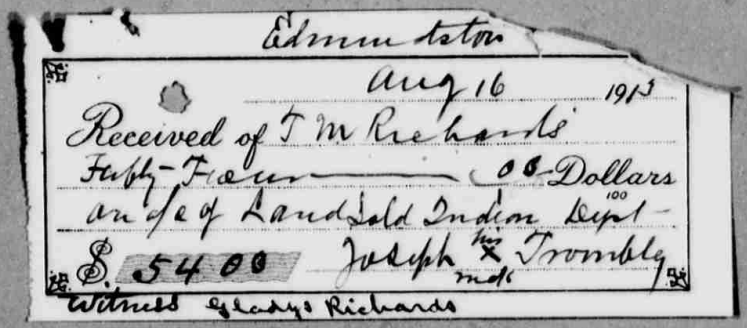

Edmonton

Aug 16 1913

Received of T M Richards

Fifty-Four ——— 00 Dollars

100

on s/e of Land sold Indian Dept -

$ 54 00 Joseph his X mark Trombley

Witness Gladys Richards

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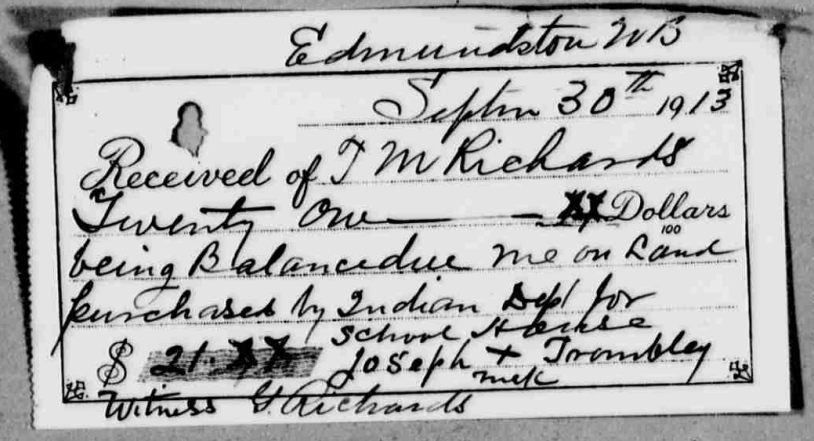

Edmundston N.B.

Septm 30th 1913

Received of T M Richards
Twenty One — XX Dollars
100
being Balance due me on Land
purchased by Indian Dept for
School House
$ 21.XX Joseph + Trombley
mk
Witness G Richards

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Andover N.B.

Feb 2 1914

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

Sir,— 441620

I am enclosing T. M. Richards acct. for payment of Land to Joseph Trumbly for the School Site at Edmundston. I forwarded him the Cheque sent me last Aug at time of purchase of Land the balance now due Mr Richards is $65.00 for which please send cheque

Your Obedient Servant

S. Waite
Indian Agent

Asst Deputy and Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

School Note
Pay 35-98

Sent March 17/14

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Ottawa, I0th February, I9I4.

Sir,-

With reference to your letter of the 2nd. instant and previous correspondence regarding the land purchased from Joseph Trombly for a school site on the Edmundston Reserve, I beg to say the account for $ 65.00 which you submitted from Mr. T. M. Richards, the contractor, for payment made to Joseph Trombly can not be considered, as the deed for the school site (I½ acres of land) has not been completed. You were informed in the Department's letter of the IIth August last that upon the completion of the deed Joseph Trombly would be paid the balance ($ 65.00) due from the land. According to Mr. Richard's report, when you visited the Edmundston Reserve on the I4th August last you did not carry out the Department's instructions to pay Trombly, on account, the $ I0.00 sent you for him, but you gave instructions, it is understood, to Mr. Richards to furnish provisions to the Indians, and you paid to the latter the amount due Trombly. You were not justified in your action. The cheque should have been given to Joseph Trombly when he signed the agreement to sell. It is also understood that you authorized Mr. Richards to issue relief to Joseph Trombly on account of his purchase money, and it is understood from Mr. Richards that the amount has been fully used up. The land belonged to

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N. B.

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to the Indian, and when the deed is completed Joseph Trombly is entitled to payment of the balance due, namely, $ 65.00. Mr. Richards can not be recognized by the Department in the transaction. It is necessary for you to explain why you requested Mr. Richards to pay the Indian $ 5.00 on account when you had in your possession a cheque for $ 10.00 due the Indian, and why at a later date you handed this cheque over to Mr. Richards. The money should not have been placed in the merchant's hands, particularly in view of the fact that the Indian is a responsible, sober man, and can manage his own affairs, and also is entitled, as above stated, to receive payment for his land.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

for Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Chedoser NB

Feb 18 1914

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ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

ACCOUNTANTS FEB 21 1914 BRANCH

FEB 20 1914

Sir,

442598

In yours of 10th you ask why I gave cheque to L. M. Richards and why I requested Mr Richards to pay Joseph Trumbly $5.00 when I had cheque in my possession. I think by explaining to you the transaction you will approve of my action. I may say I entertaining any idea of depriving Joseph Trumbly of his just dues. On 11 Aug. I was called up on phone by Mr Therault, he stating he was instructed to make survey of school site at once and asked when I could meet him. I arrange to do it on 13th which I did. On the day I left home to go to Edmundston your letter of 11th with cheque and agreement enclosed had not come to hand but I got it after I returned. When at Edmundston I meet Mr Threault and also Mr Richards your Inspector for School building and meet Joseph Trumbly at school site, old Joe did not at first seem to remember the price he had put on hand. It appeared to me he hoped to make Dept. pay more but he finally agreed to terms made and I said to Mr Richards. I would like to pay him something down to bind the Bargain, as I know that is good law and good business. Mr Richards said if I wished it he would advance $5.00 to Joe which he did. old Joe said he would like to get some goods before his pay came and I arranged with Mr Richards to aid him. No arrangement was made to take all or any part pay in goods unless he wish to

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Sir,—

On my return from Edmundston I found Cheque for $10.00 payable to myself & Joseph Tomeby. I endorsed Cheque and sent it to Mr Richards instructing him to give Joe $5.00 in addition to what he had paid him and have Joe endorse Cheque and also have Joe sign agreement. It seems Joe continued to draw goods until he got his pay for Land in full and Mr Richards should be paid. I may say I known old Joe for 40 years and I know he is not truth full and I fear if you send him Cheque he will not pay Mr Richards and it would not be fair to give him pay twice for his Land and give him a chance to Cheat Mr Richards out of the amt and I do not think Left wish to help him to do it. I understood Mr Max Cameron had completed Deed & forwarded same to Dept.

It appears somebody has been giving you wrong information to hurt Mr Richards & perhaps to hurt writer. & somebody seems to be assisting old Joe in a scheme to Cheat Mr Richards. I would advise Cheque be sent to Mr Richards as per vouchers I sent

Yours Obedient Servant
S. P. White
Indian Agent

Asst Deputy
and Secretary
of Dept Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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This Indenture made this Third

day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen

BETWEEN Joseph Tremblay of Edmundston, in the County of Madawaska and Province of New Brunswick, Indian,

of the first part; and

His Majesty the King, George the Fifth of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, &c.

of the second part;

WITNESSETH, that the said party of the first part

for and in consideration of the sum of Seventy-five dollars

of lawful money of Canada, to him in hand well and truly paid at or before the ensealing and delivery of these Presents, by the said party of the second part

the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath granted, bargained, sold, aliened, released, conveyed and confirmed, and by these presents doth grant, bargain, sell, alien, release, convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part his successors and assigns

ALL that certain piece or parcel of land and premises situate lying and being in the Indian Reserve, at Edmundston, in the County of Madawaska and Province of New Brunswick, bounded and described as follows:-

Beginning at an iron post on the north side of the Highway Road leading from Edmundston to Grand Falls, thence north fifty-two degrees East for a distance of Three Hundred and Ninety-six (396) feet to another iron post, thence south fifty-eight degrees ten minutes East for a distance of One Hundred and seventy feet to another iron post, thence south fifty-two degrees West for a distance of Three Hundred and ninety-six (396) feet to another iron post or to above mentioned Highway Road, thence north fifty-eight degrees and ten minutes west for a distance of One hundred and seventy feet along said highway road to the place of beginning. Containing one and one half acres more or less.

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DEED

Joseph Tremblay

TO

His Majesty the King

$ 5.00 xxx

DATED Oct. 3rd 1913

Land in Madawaska County

BARNES & Co., LTD. PRINTERS, ST. JOHN, N. B.

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK,
COUNTY OF Madawaska } SS

I, Max.D.Cormier, , a Notary public in and for the Province of New Brunswick, duly commissioned, appointed and sworn, residing and Practising in the Town of Edmundston in the said Province, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that Joseph Tremblay

the Grantor named in the aforegoing Indenture

personally appeared before me, at Edmundston in the said County of Madawaska on the third day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed, executed and delivered the same as and for his act and deed to and for the uses and purposes therein expressed and contained.

~~AND I FURTHER CERTIFY, that at the same place and time I examined the said wife of the said~~ ~~separate and apart from her said husband, and that she acknowledged that she executed the said Indenture freely and voluntarily, without any threat, fear or compulsion by, of, or from her said husband.~~

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I the said Notary Public, have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my Official Seal, at Edmundston aforesaid, the day and year last above written.

Max. D. Cormier

Notary Public.

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OK- A.S.W.

This Indenture made this Sixth

day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen

BETWEEN Joseph Tremblay of Edmundston, in the County of Madawaska and Province of New Brunswick, Indian,

of the first part; and

"His Majesty King George the Fifth as represented by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs of Canada"

of the second part;

WITNESSETH, that the said party of the first part

for and in consideration of the sum of Seventy-five dollars

of lawful money of Canada, to him in hand well and truly paid at or before the ensealing and delivery of these Presents, by the said party of the second part

the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged ha granted, bargained, sold, aliened, released, conveyed and confirmed, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell, alien, release, convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part his successors and assigns

M.A.C.

ALL that certain piece or parcel of land and premises situate lying and being in the Indian Reservation, at Edmundston, in the County of Madawaska and Province of New Brunswick, bounded and described as follows:-

Beginning at an iron post on the northern side of the Main Highway Road leading from Edmundston to Grand Falls, which said iron post is situated at a distance of Two rods easterly from the boundary line between lot occupied by one Jos Wallace and the lot occupied by the said Joseph Tremblay, thence north fifty-two degrees east for a distance of Three Hundred and ninety-six (396) feet to another iron post, thence south fifty-eight degrees ten minutes east for a distance of one hundred and seventy feet to another iron post, thence south fifty-two degrees West for a distance of three hundred and ninety-six feet (396) feet to another iron post or to above mentioned Highway Road, thence north fifty eight degrees and ten minutes west for a distance of one hundred and seventy feet along said Highway Road to the place of beginning. Containing one and one half acres more or less.

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DEED

Joseph Tremblay

TO

His Majesty the King

$ 75-00

DATED March 6th 1914

Land in Madawaska County

BARNES & Co. LTD. PRINTERS, ST. JOHN, N. B.

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK,
COUNTY OF Madawaska } SS

I, Max. D. Cormier, , a Notary public in and for the Province of New Brunswick, duly commissioned, appointed and sworn, residing and Practising in the Town of Edmundston in the said Province, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that Joseph Tremblay

the Grantor named in the aforegoing Indenture personally appeared before me, at Edmundston in the said County of Madawaska on the Sixth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed, executed and delivered the same as and for his act and deed to and for the uses and purposes therein expressed and contained.

[redacted]

M.D.C.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I the said Notary Public, have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my Official Seal, at Edmundston aforesaid, the day and year last above written.

Max. D. Cormier

Notary Public.

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OFFICE OF
MAX D. CORMIER
BARRISTER AND
SOLICITOR
CLERK COUNTY AND CIRCUIT COURT
CLERK OF THE PEACE

EDMUNDSTON, N. B.

I hope you will see that I am paid at once for this work which has been retarded for some time.

Yours very truly,

Max. Cormier

The description — this deed of March 6th 1914 is O.K.

W.R.W.

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CLERK OF THE PEACE

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EDMUNDSTON, N. B.

March 7th. 1916.

No. 102,408-1.

Duncan C. Scott, Esquire,
Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 11 1916

Dear Sir:-

I enclose first deed re Scho[illegible]rve, Edmundston, N.B., and also a new deed which I had signed by Joseph Tremblay re the same lot. The second deed is drawn according to your instructions.

The description of the deed is somewhat changed. The point of beginning is located two rods from the boundary line between Jos Tremblay's lot and Jos Wallace's lot. I could not possibly get any better description from the Land Surveyor.

I had sent my bill along with the first deed and you stated in your letter of October 21st. that the same would be taxed by the Department of Justice, and paid. I wish to remind you that I had to draw a new deed and had to go over to the Indian Reserve to get it signed, that I had to have interviews with the Land Surveyor about same, just about doubling the work of the previous occasion. If the description in the first deed was not satisfactory, it was no fault of mine, I had placed in the Deed the description furnished me by the Land Surveyor employed by the Department in this matter.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 10 1914

Extract from Agent's Monthly Report on the Edmundston Indian Day School for the month of May, 1914.
Original on File 102408-7

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I would recommend that a small sum be appropriated for expense of levelling and grading the grounds and gravelling the yard and walks. I cannot say just what it may cost, as cost would depend on amount of gravel requiredtto haul, but would estimate cost from $25.00 to $30.00. Please advise if any or what sum can be expended for improvement of grounds as above.

The floor will remain stained and dirty unless washed often. The teacher asks to have it scrubbed monthly, which has my approval.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUN 11 1914

Sgd. S. P. Waite,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, June 11, 1914.

Sir,-

Referring to your report on the Edmundston School for the month of May, last, I beg to say that you may have the levelling and grading of the grounds and the gravelling of the yard and walks in connection with this school done and the total cost should not exceed $30.00.

You may also have the school-room floor scrubbed monthly.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N.B.

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BUILDINGS and PREMISES.

There is plenty of room around the building for a spacious play ground, but there is a fence needed around the property and also a little cleaning up to put it in good shape for the use of the children.

Sgd. John J. Ryan,

Superintendent of
Indian Schools.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JUL 22 1914 OTTAWA

SCHOOLS BRANCH. JUL 22 1914

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August 11 DR

Ottawa, July 31st, 1914

Sir,-

The Rev. J. J. Ryan, Superintendent of Indian Schools for New Brunswick in his report on the Edmundston school states that a fence is much needed around the school grounds. The Dspartment would like you to state the number of rods of fencing it would take to enclose these grounds and the probable cost.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waits, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N. B.

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Ottawa, Aug. 1st, 1914

Rev. Sir,-

Referring to your report on the Edmundston Day School, I beg to say that Mr. Agent Waits has instructed the Department on the 11th of June last to have the school ground levelled and graded and the walk and yard gravelled and he has been asked to submit a price for enclosing these grounds with a suitable fence.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. J. J. Ryan,
Supt, of Indian Schools,
St. Mary's Ferry, N. B.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Andover N.B.

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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

453164 Aug 19 1914

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 22 1914

Sir,—

In regard to fence around School Ground Edmundston. Would say I have the plan of the lot in this office as you have Deed at Ottawa. If you well kindly send me measurement of the side & end lines. also advise me if you want an estimate on Steel or Cedar post. The cedar would be much cheaper & would last a long time I have cedar post on my house lot that have been set more than 20 years

Would the front of lot facing road require fencing. I do not think it necessary

Your Obedient Servant

S. P. Waite
I Agent

Asst Deputy and Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

SCHOOLS BRANCH
AUG 25 1914

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Ottawa, August 25, 1914.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th instant asking for the measurements of the Edmundston School lot.

In reply I beg to say that the following is the description of the lot in question given in the deed:- "Beginning at an iron post on the northern side of the Main Highway Road leading from Edmundston to Grand Falls, which said iron post is situated at a distance of Two rods easterly from the boundary line between lot occupied by one Jos. Wallace and the lot occupied by the said Joseph Tremblay, thence north fifty-two degrees east for a distance of Three Hundred and ninety-six (396) feet to another iron post, thence south fifty-eight degrees ten minutes east for a distance of one hundred and seventy feet to another iron post, thence south fifty-two degrees west for a distance of three hundre and ninety-six feet (396) feet to another iron post or to above mentioned Highway Road, thence north fifty eight degrees and ten minutes west for a distance of one hundred and seventy feet along said Highway Road to the place of beginning. Containing one an d one half acres more or less."

Kindly let the Department have an estimate of the cost of fencing this lot all the way round as soon as possible; cedar posts to be used.

Your obedient servant,

[illegible]
Asst. Deputy and Secretary

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N.B.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, 8/9 1914

Mr Scott This was overlooked but is being paid to day — You will observe that by letter of 12 Feby - the file is marked "End" as if it were dead

JDP

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102,408-1.

Ottawa, September 14th, 1914.

Sir,-

In the matter of the account of Max D. Cormier, Esq. Barrister, Edmundston, N. B., for services in procuring the deed of lands on the Indian Reserve, through Joseph Tremblay to His Majesty, I beg to inform you that when the Department of Justice taxed the account for this service they desired the Department to inform you that you had no authority to employ a lawyer without instructions from this Department. The account was paid some time ago, but, through inadvertence you were not informed in accordance with the desire of the Department of Justice.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
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BUILDINGS & PREMISES.

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But I would suggest that a fence, a neat and durable one be placed around the whole school premises. It would add much to its appearance.

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GENERAL REMARKS.

As she had but just commenced teaching she had not yet taken up any of the domestic branches of the work for the girls, but will do so in a little while.

Sgd, J.J.Ryan,

Supt. of Schools.

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Ottawa, December 28, 1914.

Sir,-

Rev. J. J. Ryan, Superintendent of Indian Schools, in his report on the Edmundston School suggests that a fence, a neat and durable one, be placed around the whole school premises, as it would add much to its appearance.

The Department would like you to submit an estimate of the probable cost of having a suitable fence erected around the school grounds.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. M[illegible]

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
[redacted], N.B.

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9 Bar 48 Inch **Stays 22 inches apart**

Uprights and horizontals No. 9 hard steel wire, averaging 1800 pounds strength.
Above fence should be erected 4 inches above the ground, making fence 52 inches high.
All fences put up in 20, 30 and 40 rod rolls.

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Acme and Pagol Fence with Iron Posts and Rail

The posts have a cast iron base extending 24 inches into the ground (se
31). From the ground up the posts are formed of two pieces of 1¼ inch c
iron, bolted together with the fencing between, as shown on page 31. At the

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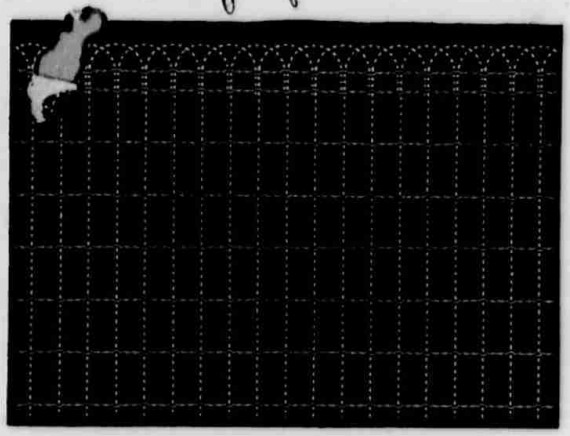

"PAGOL" LAWN FENCING

This is a different weave from the "ACME." It has twisted No. 12 e for horizontals. It is put up in 200 foot rolls or less and prices per ning foot as follows:—

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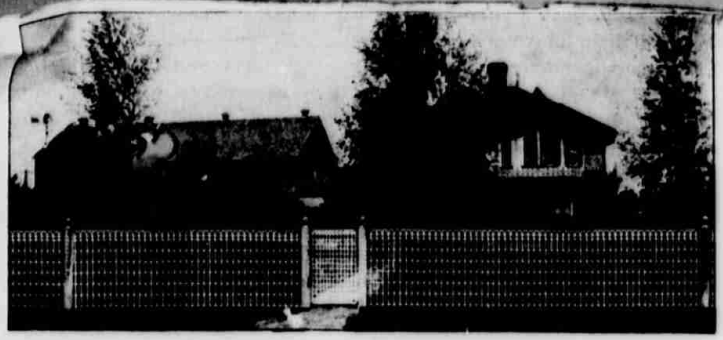

"PAGOL" LAWN FENCE IN USE

Either our Standard or Acme style gates used in connection with this fencing.

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post top and pipe rail. Then put the wire fence in place. At the end posts ends of the horizontal wires are to be put through between the channels and a s is put on each wire singly with a "grip bar," and while under strain the bolt at point in the post is tightened, thus clamping the wire between. Then ends of are clinched down. Then put on remaining channel of all posts, bolt up tight fill post holes.

Posts should not be over 9 feet apart.

PRICE LIST

Line Posts	$1.80 each
End and Gate Posts	2.20 each
Corner Posts	2.70 each
Pipe 1¼ outside diameter	10c per foot
Supporting Bands	2c each

The above are for fences up to 48 inches. For greater heights a small vance will be made.

If gates longer than 6 feet are to be hung on gate posts a brace, or, for a l gate, a special post may be needed, for which an extra charge will be made.

For fence prices see fence price lists on pages 28;29.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Prolesser N.B.

Jan 14 1915

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 102408
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

SCHOOLS BRANCH JAN 1915

SCHOOLS BRANCH JAN 21 1915

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JAN 18 1915

Sir,

461588

In reply to yours of Dec 28. regarding cost of fence around School lot at Edmundsbo would say a strong wire wire fence. Style No. 9450 with a wide gate & a narrow gate for front entrance erected on good cedar posts. would cost about $75.00. If in Iron posts some $25.00 more. If used a more fancy fence for front. Something similar to "Pagol Lawn fence" it would cost some $20.00 more to put it along the front of lot along the road. If decide to put up fence in spring or Sum next it would be well to arrange for getting the post during the winter. A cheaper fence could be put up by using an inferior quality of wire. but the best is the cheapest in the end. Before fence is put up the ground should be plowed & levelled and graded along the front the cost would probably be $25.00

I would call your attention to want of School grounds at Tobique Reserve. Father Ryan informs that the School house was erected on land owned by the Church and therefore there is no ground for pupils play ground. I would recommend sufficient ground be secured for a roomy play ground as it is important to have it in connection with School

Extract put on Tobique school file

Asst. Deputy
and Secretary
Dept of Indian
Affairs
Ottawa

Your Obedient Servant
S. P. Waite
Agent

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, February 9, 1915.

Mr. [illegible]

Please see letter hereunder from Mr. Agent Waite in regard to fencing the school lot at Edmundston, also cuts of the different styles of fences which were enclosed with his letter. Kindly state which style of fence you consider would be most suitable, as the grounds should be enclosed.

Mr. Benson,-

Fence No.9460,
with cedar posts and pagol
long fence and gates for front
recommended at $95.00.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, FEB 9 1915, ARCHITECT.

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Ottawa, February 10, 1915.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th ultimo in reference to fencing the school lot at Edmundston and enclosing cuts of different styles of fencing.

In reply I beg to say that you are hereby authorized to have these grounds fenced with fence No. 9480 with cedar posts and Pagol lawn fence and gates for front at a cost not to exceed your estimate of $95.00. You are also authorized to have the grounds plowed, levelled and graded before the fence is put up and the cost of this work should be kept within your estimate of $25.00. You may purchase the materials for the fence at once and the accounts therefor should be forwarded to the Department for payment before the end of the fiscal year, March 31st, next, so that they may be paid out of this year's appropriation. The grounds should be plowed and graded and the fence erected as soon as weather conditions will permit.

Your remarks in regard to the want of school grounds at Tobique Reserve will be dealt with in a separate communication.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N.B.

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JUL 26 1915

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Andover N.B.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

July 23 1915

477356

Sir,—

Can I have the fence put around the School grounds at Edmundston
Nothing was done last winter in getting materials, as the Indians there want extra high prices for getting the posts. They have had a bout double price for them. I have now an offer from Noel Bernards Son to get the Cedar posts at what I think a fair price. Wire fence advanced some 10% from price quoted last Fall—but I think the fence can be erected with Suitable gates &c for 100.00 possibly a little less. I would also ask for about 25.00 for levelling and gravelling yard. Please advise how of above expenditure can be made for fencing and grading as above—

Your Obedient Servant

S. P. Waite
Agent

asst Deput and Secretary Dept of Indian Affairs Ottawa

SCHOOLS BRANCH
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Ottawa, August 5, 1915.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd ultimo stating that you think the fence can be erected around the Edmundston School grounds for $100.00 and asking for about $25.00 for levelling and gravelling the yard.

In reply I beg to refer you to official letter of the 10th of February, last, in which you were authorized to have these grounds fenced with fence No. 9480 with cedar posts and Pagol lawn fence and gates for front at a cost not to exceed your estimate of $95.00 and plowed, levelled and graded at a cost of $25.00. You should have attended to this matter earlier in the season and you will be good enough to see that the work is done at once. The cost should be kept within your estimate of $100.00 for the fence and $25.00 for plowing, levelling and grading the yard.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N.B.

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Andover N.B.

Oct 13 1915

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS OCT 15 1915

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

Sir,- 474550

When man I employed to set the posts on Edmundston School Ground he was told by Joe Trombly of whom I purchased land that he only sold one acre and the man reports the corner post had been removed so he could not locate the lines. I go to Edmundston and may find it necessary to employ the surveyor to find corners if so will ask you to approve & pay my him his charge. I will report on my return

Asst Deputy and Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs

Yours Obedient Servant
S P Waite

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Andover N.B.

Oct 18 1915

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,

474396

While at Edmundston I met old Joe Tremblay and located the lines of School Lands without employing the Surveyor and arranged for the building of the fence — I learned that Schools in town of Edmundston were closed on acct of Epidemic of Diptheria. but no one affected in Reserve. I cautioned teacher to watch carefully and report to Dr. and appearance of it.

asst Deputy
and Secretary
Dept of Indian
Affairs
Ottawa

Your Obedient Servant

S. Waite
Agent

SCHOOLS BRANCH
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Vote No. sch

Treaty No [redacted]

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Department of Indian Affairs

To John Bernard
Edmundston
N. B

DATE.		SERVICE.		AMOUNT.	
1915				$	
Nov.	16	To 81 Fence Posts	@ 25	20	25
		" 6. Do. Braces	" 25	1	50
		" 4# Spikes	" 5		20
		" 5½ hours Work	" 20	1	10
		Edmundston sch			
		3101 Sent Dec. 21/15.			
		TOTAL,		$ 23	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 the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

S. P. Waite
Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Andover N.B.

Dec 10 1918

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,-

Enclosed find Vouchers in ~~for~~ No 282 in favor. John Bernard for getting Fence Post + Braces. Ed Mundston "Reserve School lot" amt $2.305 for which Please Send him cheque

Asst Deputy + Secretary Your Obedient Servant
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

S. P. Waite
Agent

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Vote No. sch

Treaty No

Department of Indian Affairs

To Fred LaJoie
Edmundston
N.B.

DATE. 1915		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.	
Nov.	5	To Paid John Bernard for 5 days work @ $2.00 Per day for Setting Posts in School lot	$10	00
Dec.	14	To Paid John Bernard for 2½ days work @ $2.00 Per day for Setting fence Posts in School lot	5	00
		3367 Sent Jan. 10/16.		
		TOTAL,	$15	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 the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

S. P. Waite
Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Andover N.B.

Dec 28 1915

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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Sir;-

I am forwarding you Vouchers for Fred Lajoie acct in connection with work done on fence Edmundston School lot Please forward him cheque for same the amt of 15.00

Your Obedient Servant

S. P. Waite
Agent

asst Deputy
and Secretary
Dept of Indian
Affairs
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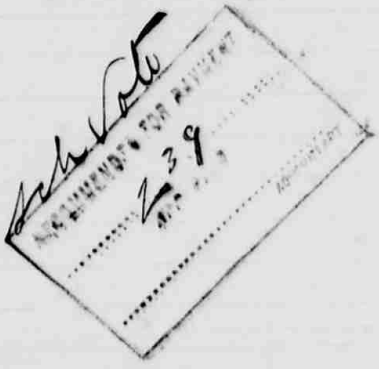

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Perth, N. B. Sept. 9th 1916.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS SEP 11 1916

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Sir:-

I beg to advise you that Miss Annie Michaud, teached at the Edmundston Reserve, has written me wanting to know if the Department would allow her anything to buy material for sewing clothes as they have used all the material that was sent them. Each girl has made a dress, apron, and a pair of stockings and they are showing great interest in sewing.

The teacher also wishes to know if it is intented to finish the fence around the school grounds. All posts were placed there last fall but no wire has been put up and without the fence it makes it hard to do anything in the line of making a garden, and I trust you will advise me Re. this matter.

Miss Michaud also informs me she is out of slate pencils, colored chalk or crayons and no doubt a supply will be sent her from headquarters.

Your obedient servant,

Department of Indian affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

SCHOOLS BRANCH SEP 14 1916

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Ottawa, September 16, 1916.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 9th instant I beg to say that you may expend the sum of $5.00 in the purchase of sewing material for the Edmundston School. Accounts, in duplicate, for this expenditure should be forwarded to the Department for payment and on the vouchers you should quote this letter as authority for making the purchases.

In reference to the fence I beg to say that Mr. Waite, late Indian Agent, was instructed in February, 1915, to have the grounds of this school fenced with fence No. 9480 with cedar posts and Pagol lawn fence and gates for front. As you state that the posts were placed last fall, you will be good enough to submit an estimate of the cost of finishing the fence, stating the quantity of wire required and the price.

If Miss Michaud, the teacher, requires any school supplies she should make out a requisition and forward it to the Department through your office in the usual way.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

N. J. Wootten, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Perth, N.B.

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Perth, N. B., Apr. 25, 191 7.

Sir—

494269

I have just received a letter from Miss Annie Michaud, school teacher at Edmundston, stating that it is her intention to make a flower garden on the school ground at Edmundston, also to make a terrace in front of the school, and that the school ground will have to be raised and drained in some places, and it will take about two or three days for a man and a horse to do the work. She also writes me again about getting a fence [redacted], she states it is of no use to make a garden without having it fenced in. Will be pleased to hear from you re these matters at an early date.

Your obedient servant.

R. J. Wootten

Indian Agent.

J. D. McLean, Esq..
Asst. Deputy & Sec'ty of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, May 1, 1917.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 25th ultimo I have to ask you to be good enough to furnish the Department with an estimate of the cost of raising and draining the grounds in connection with the Edmundston School.

Kindly furnish also an estimate of the probable cost of fencing these grounds.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

N. J. Wootten, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Perth, N.B.

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Perth, N. B.

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May 2, 1917

Sir,—

I enclose you herewith report of the Edmundston Day School, which Miss Annie Michaud sent to me.

Yours truly,

Indian Agt.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy & Sec'ty of Indian affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Perth, N. B.,

May 25, 1917.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 28 1917

Sir,—

SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAY 30 1917

495379

I am in receipt of yours of the 1st inst advising me to furnish the Department with an estimate of the cost to raise and drain the school grounds at Edmundston, in connection with the Edmundston school, also to furnish you with an estimate of the probable cost of fencing these grounds. I have been to Edmundston, and gone into the matter as much as I possibly could, and from the condition of the ground, I firmly believe that the cost of raising and draining these grounds would very much exceed what the Department anticipates. Knowing very little about this sort of thing I could not furnish you with an estimate, as I was unable while at Edmundston to get any person who could give me an estimate of the work. No doubt the Gevernment at Ottawa have men who make a business of this sort of thing, and by coming and looking it over could map out the work they want done in an intelligent manner, and I believe have it done more cheaply than a person who knew nothing whatever about it could do, and I believe that it would be a saving to the Department to send a man to look the situation over.

The teacher is very anxious to do a little farming, and I have given her an order to get some farming implements such as a hoe, spade, and rake also an order for some seed. She thinks that everything together will not exceed from $13.00 to $15.00, and I have given her permission to employ a farmer to plough up a piece of land in the rear of the school so that she can get her gardening done. I trust the Department will approve of my action as the season is getting so late, I could not await a reply from Ottawa before having the work done.

I expect in the course of a few days to be able to furnish you with an estimate for fencing the grounds. It will take about 1500 ft. of wire, as the land is about an acre square.

Yours truly,

M. J. Scott

Indian Agt.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,

Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, June 1st, 1917.

Sir,-

I hav to acknowledge the rec ipt of your letter of the 25th, ultimo, in regard to raising and draining the school grounds at Edmundston.

In reply, I beg to say that the Department is unable to give any further consideration to this matter until you furnish the estimate of the cost involved.

In regard to the school garden, the Department, under the circumstances, approves of an expenditure not exceeding $15.00 to purchase implements and seed. The Department wishes it distinctly understood, however, that, in future, you should incur no expenditure without first obtaining authority. When applying for such authority, you should in every case furnish an estimate of the expense to be incurred.

Your obedient servant

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

N.J.Wooten, Esq
Indian Agent,
Perth, N.B.

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CANADA
DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Perth, New Brunswick
June 17, 1947

The Secretary
Indian Affairs Branch
Ottawa, Ontario

Dear Sir:

Could the Department supply me with a description of the school property at St. Basile Reserve, Edmundston.

Chief William Saulis of Tobique Reserve lived for some time on St. Basile Reserve and purchased a small parcel of land which I think was school property.

N. H. MacPhail, Indian Agent
Northern N. B. Agency

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Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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Ottawa, June 21st, 1947.

Mr. N.H. MacPhail, Indian Agent,
Perth, New Brunswick.

Edmundston School

Reference your Letter of June 17

Our records give the following description of the lot in question as contained in the deed,-

"Beginning at an iron post on the northern side of the Main Highway Road leading from Edmundston to Grand Falls, which said iron post is situated at a distance of Two rods easterly from the boundary line between lot occupied by one Jos. Wallace and the lot occupied by the said Joseph Tremblay, thence north fifty-two degrees east for a distance of Three Hundred and ninety-six (396) feet to another iron post, thence south fifty-eight degrees ten minutes east for a distance of one hundred and seventy feet to another iron post, thence south fifty-two degrees west for a distance of three hundred and ninety six feet (396) feet to another iron post or to above mentioned Highway Road, thence north fifty eight degrees and ten minutes west for a distance of one hundred and seventy feet along said Highway Road to the place of beginning. Containing one and one half acres more or less."

Bernard F. Neary
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

BFN/MGD

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NEW BRUNSWICK NORTH

SCHOOL LOT

EDMUNSTON SCHOOL

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