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Mr. Oscar H. Lipps,

Superintendent Carlisle School.

My dear Mr. Lipps:

The Office has received the report of a Board of Survey recently convened at your school. The report appears to be in proper form and requires no further action on the part of the Office. The enclosed carbon copy of this letter should be attached to your property return from which these supplies are dropped, as your authority in the premises.

Very truly yours,

(Signed E. B. Meritt)

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Assistant Commissioner.

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MAILED BY THE

CONDEMNATION OF PUBLIC PROPERTY.
(To be made in triplicate.)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle Indian School Feb. 7, 1916
(School or Agency.) (Date.)

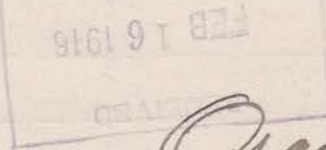


To H. B. Peairs,

Supervisor
(Title of inspecting official.)

SIR:

It is requested that you appoint and convene a board of survey, composed of two or more disinterested and properly qualified employees of this jurisdiction, for the purpose of inspecting and recommending disposition of the public property inventoried herein, items 1 to 29, for which I am responsible, no article of which has ever previously been condemned and which I believe wholly unfit for further use in the Government service.



Oscar L. Lipps
Superintendent and S. D. A.

Feb. 7, 1916

SIRS:

In accordance with above request you are hereby appointed to serve as a board of survey to inspect the public property listed herein, and recommend what you believe to be the best disposition thereof.

In recommending disposition you will divide the property into the following classes:

- (a) Such as is in sufficiently good condition to be continued in service.
- (b) Such as can be economically repaired and put to further use.
- (c) Such as can be used in making repairs.
- (d) Such as can be issued to able-bodied Indians in return for labor or to indigent Indians gratuitously.
- (e) Such as would bring a reasonable price if sold at public auction.
- (f) Such as is utterly worthless for any purpose and should be condemned to destruction.

When property is placed under class (e) and recommended for sale, a statement must be made of reasons why it is better to sell such property than to repair it, use it in making repairs, or issue it to Indians. When horses or mules are recommended for sale, statement must be made as to why, if unfit for Government use, it would not be better to destroy the animals instead of selling them to persons who might illtreat them.

Property placed under class (f) must be destroyed as completely as possible in my presence.

Respectfully,

Mr. James E. Kirk

Mr. W. C. Shambaugh

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H. B. Peairs

Supervisor
(Title of inspecting official.)

To be filled in by Superintendent.				To be filled in by Board.					
Item.	ARTICLE.	Unit.	Quantity.	Quantity placed under classes as follows:					
				(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
1	Baskets, clothes	No	6						6
2	Boiler, double	"	1						1
3	Carpet	Yds	10						10
4	Chairs	No	42						42
5	Curtains, lace	Pr.	6						6
6	Extinguisher, fire	No	1						1
7	Fork, digging	"	1						1
8	MUSICAL INSTRUMENT (Cornet)	"	1						1
9	Kettles, enameled	"	3						3
10	Lantern	"	1						1
11	Levels, spirit	"	2						2
12	Mattresses	"	182						182
13	Mills, coffee	"	1						1
14	Plates, pie	"	9						9
15	Pails, chamber	"	1						1
16	Pails galv. 14 qt	"	1						1
17	Pails, tin	"	13						13
18	Pans, tin	"	42						42
19	Pincers, lasting	"	3						3
20	Punches, asst	"	2						2
21	Quilts	"	50						50
22	Rakes, iron	"	5						5

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

CONSERVATION SERVICE

DO NOT WRITE

Feb. 7, 1916
(Date.)

In compliance with instructions we have carefully inspected the public property listed by the superintendent in his application to have a board of survey convened. We deem it for the best interests of the service that the property be disposed of in accordance with our recommendations set out in the foregoing inventory.

We solemnly swear (or affirm) that the property condemned to destruction has been by us destroyed as thoroughly as possible.

James E. Kirk
W. C. Shambaugh

Board of Survey.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Seventh day of February, 1916. I concur in the recommendations of the board and certify that the property condemned to destruction has been destroyed in my presence as thoroughly as is possible.

H. B. Peaire

Supervisor
(Title of inspecting official.)

Feb. 9, 1916.
(Date.)

Respectfully forwarded to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, requesting approval of the recommendations of the board of survey and authority to issue to Indians and sell the articles recommended to be so disposed of. Property placed under classes (a) and (b) will be continued in service and carried on my property returns.

Oscar H. Lipps
Superintendent and S. D. A.

(Superintendent will immediately mail original with his indorsement to Office of Indian Affairs, mail duplicate with property account upon which property destroyed is dropped from returns, and file triplicate with his file copy of property returns. Property placed under class (c) must not be dropped from returns until this report has been approved by the Indian Office.)

CONDEMNATION OF PUBLIC PROPERTY.
(To be made in triplicate.)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle Indian School, Feb. 7, 1916
(School or Agency.) (Date.)

To H. B. Peairs,

Supervisor
(Title of inspecting official.)



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Oscar H. Lipps
Superintendent and S. D. A.

Feb. 7, 1916

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Property placed under class (f) must be destroyed as completely as possible in my presence.

Respectfully,

J. B. Peairs
James B. Kirk

W. C. Shambaugh

Supervisor
(Title of inspecting official.)

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

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Feb. 7, 1916

(Date.)

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We solemnly swear (or affirm) that the property condemned to destruction has been by us destroyed as thoroughly as possible.

James E. Kirk
W. B. Shambaugh

Board of Survey.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ~~Seventh~~ day of ~~February~~, 1916. I concur in the recommendations of the board and certify that the property condemned to destruction has been destroyed in my presence as thoroughly as is possible.

J. B. Beairs

Supervisor

(Title of inspecting official.)

Feb. 9, 1916.

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