

INSPECTION REPORT  
(Facing Sheet)

Report of C.E. FARIS  
Agency or school HOPKI  
Date of report 5-12-28  
Section 1 Subject REPORTS ON HOPKI-NAVAJO  
CONTROVERSY, CONDITION OF BOTH TRIBES, RANGE  
CONDITIONS ETC.

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Inspection's *[Signature]* all up.

Action should be taken or memorandum prepared on each of the following matters referred to in the report:

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July 26, 1928.

Adm. - Industries:

This report discusses the so-called controversy between the Hopi and Navajo Indians and the various suggestions offered to solve the problem. Mr. Faris offers another plan which should be considered, and will not doubt take time to develop into a reality. The disposition of worthless stock and horses would no doubt aid materially in improving the situation.

Schools: Note what is said about permitting Hopi children to attend the boarding school on the reservation. This should have consideration, and if possible to do so, it would not doubt aid in overcoming the feeling said to exist between the two tribes.

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The grouping of a few families around springs. Wells or reservoirs away from the Hopi villages will take time but it will solve the problem when accomplished. Possibly day schools can be built to accommodate the children of the new groups. *[Handwritten note:]* Mean time it will be advisable to enroll both Hopi and Navajo at the boarding school.  
All Action including filing of this report must be sent thru

*See Faris letter of May 22. No action necessary. own*

*Comments  
Mr. [unclear]  
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