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FIELD SERVICE

Education

*Chimopovy
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Hotevilla, Arizona.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D.C.
Thru. Supt. E.K. Miller,
Keams Canyon, Ariz.

Dear Commissioner: Sometime ago I asked for \$250.00 to be used to prospect for water for the Hotevilla school. I have your letter granting this sum. We will not need the money for this purpose now, as Mr. Womack has in the meantime made a survey of water situation and has advised that water can be developed. He has made a report and asked that money be allowed for this development.

The flow of the spring that supplies water for the day school is now only 280-gallons per day. We are hauling water from Oraibi.

I would urge that money be allowed immediately so that the water development project as recommended by Mr. Womack can be started at once.

The tops of the reservoirs that hold the water supply for the day school are in a very bad condition and should have been replaced long ago. These tops are wood and should be replaced with concrete.

If the \$250.00, requested for prospecting for water, could be used to put tops on reservoirs it would serve an urgent need.

Yours very truly,

Sam R. Duvall
Sam R. Duvall, Principal in charge.

C.C. to:
A.H. Womack, Polacca, Ariz.

To the Commissioner: We have had no report on this matter from the Irrigation service as yet. We have no funds allotted, as stated above. It would seem best, under present conditions, if Mr. Womack can not at once start to develop water for Chimopovy and Hotevilla to provide trucks and tanks for both schools to haul water. I have given a tank and truck to Chimopovy. Have a tank I can spare Hotevilla. Will you please give us a truck for Hotevilla for hauling water? These two schools will function for many years. They are fine schools in excellent condition, doing fine work. They just have to have water.

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