The history of the Potawatomi and the relocation of the Prairie Band to Kansas is a story that has been recounted in published sources which provide the history of the tribe from prehistoric contact through recent years. What has not been recounted until now, is the administrative process that guided this experience, that is, the operations within the agency which involved the agent and the Potawatomi. The purpose of this thesis is to facilitate access and encourage historical inquiry into these documentary resources.

The body of evidence in the official record of the Potawatomi Agency document incidents, routine experiences both important and prosaic, in Potawatomi history, and how their culture and way of life changed. These records and this study offer a different perspective from other Potawatomi studies. With its availability, researchers may find either additional support for, or challenges to, the assumptions about the Prairie Potawatomi and their life on the reservation in Kansas.

This thesis was undertaken as part of a pioneering cooperative effort between Emporia State University’s Master of Arts Program in American History and the National Archives and Records Administration-Central Plains Region (NARA-CPR), in Kansas.
City, Missouri. The thesis is based on the assemblance of primary sources from seventy-five cubic feet of archival holdings. The process included the systematic and comprehensive appraisal, arrangement, and description of the records revealing the application of government policy and its effect on the lives of the Prairie Potawatomi. The inventory forms the most significant portion of a study laying the foundation for original interpretative historical inquiry. This inventory and a derivative interpretive history will be published by NARA as a guide to these records and will be distributed for research use to the agency's patrons. As such, this work is an original contribution to the history of the Potawatomi and the Office of Indian Affairs.

A traditional thesis seeks out primary sources and material organized for the researcher's use. This project involved the additional elements of preparation of materials and interdisciplinary study. In this instance, all Potawatomi material in the custody of NARA-CPR has been prepared for the use of scholars. This thesis is an example of the systematic work that must be done in order for other researchers to use primary source materials. This sort of project provides students with the opportunity to work with original documents, to learn the intricate procedures of records' management, and to write an administrative history.

As NARA inventory, this thesis must be edited and revised prior to publication. The final publication will conform to NARA's standards. The standardized format is intentional, and designed to limit confusion on the part of the researching public.

An official administrative history is also included with the inventory. It is a product of deliberate standardized format for the reasons stated above. This stylistic presentation is intentional as well, so that a uniform level of information is provided for
research use. In other words, what is included, is included deliberately; what is left out is left out deliberately. Therefore, the “history” speaks to a narrow perspective, a Federal point of view, and the records speak for themselves in support of the interpretation presented.
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Introduction

The Potawatomi Indians were a medium sized tribe if compared to other North American tribes, and typical in a number of ways. Their way of life was typical of eastern woodland tribes; typical in their language, a dialect of Algonquian; and typical in that they were one of many tribes relocated to reservations under the Removal Acts passed by the United States Government.

This study focuses on the Potawatomi of Kansas, hereafter referred to as the Prairie Potawatomi, or Prairie Band. After being displaced from their ancestral homeland and removed to the Indian Territory of what would become the State of Kansas, many of the Potawatomi were also pressured to move to Oklahoma. Resistance and perseverance by the Prairie Band of Potawatomi secured for them a permanent presence in Kansas, even though some Potawatomi moved to Oklahoma, Canada, or back to the Great Lakes region.

The Potawatomi were relocated to a reservation in Eastern Kansas under Federal authority. Their reservation, although not the largest reserve, was substantial enough that a typical mix of programs was provided for the tribe to help them assimilate into American culture. Surviving records of the Potawatomi Agency reveal the relationship between the Potawatomi people and the Office of Indian Affairs (OIA) during a difficult period of adjustment. These original sources provide a unique perspective on the
application of Federal Indian policy, and the administration of a typical tribe that settled in Kansas.

The systematic removal of Indians from tribal homelands was a pivotal event in Native-American history. Removal Acts, passed by the United States Congress during the 1830's, ultimately led to the relocation of numerous tribes, including the Potawatomi, onto reservations scattered across the United States.

The motives of the government in promoting its removal policies were primarily intended to avoid conflict. As drastic as the removal measures were, the records documenting the administration of the Potawatomi, especially after their relocation to Kansas, appear to reflect a strong adherence to ideological underpinnings of Thomas Jefferson's vision of the "Agrarian Dream" and its close linkage to the Removal Policy. The inevitable expansion of white settlements and the clear potential for conflict between the settlers and the tribes onto whose land they intruded, had been repeated often enough during the earlier colonial period to provide observers with a well developed idea about the hostilities that often accompanied America's westward expansion.¹

Jefferson's plan for the removal of Indian tribes was born of his belief that they were situated in the direct path of white settlement. The region west of the Mississippi River was generally perceived as relatively uninhabited. At the same time, a pattern of white settlement based on the Jeffersonian concept of the "yeoman farmer" prospering in an agrarian utopia emerged. This vision of America was seen as applicable to American

Indians, but only if their assimilation into white culture could be encouraged.\textsuperscript{2}

The surviving records of the Potawatomi Agency reveal evidence of official programs, and their application, success, and failure which paralleled the experience of many other tribes. These records can be analyzed for evidence as the attempt by the government to extend the promise of the Jeffersonian Agrarian dream to indigenous peoples within the republic.

\textsuperscript{2} Ibid., 4-6.
Origins, Migration, and Removal

The Potawatomi, known as People of the Places of Fire, is part of the greater linguistic family of Algonquian speaking peoples of North America. The historic range or homeland of the Potawatomi was centered in the Great Lakes region in what is now the states of Wisconsin and Michigan. By 1640, around the time that white contact was first recorded, Potawatomi were present in large numbers near present-day Green Bay, Wisconsin. At that time they were considered one tribe, although they later divided into several sub-bands, and periodic migrations caused in part by internal conflicts within the tribe led to various degrees of separation. As a result of periodic relocation, the tribe split and branched from the original clan, but would often regroup in Wisconsin. The advancement of whites into the Great Lakes region during the settlement of the “Old Northwest” created situations resulting in policies that ultimately relocated the entire tribe west of the Mississippi River. When the pressure of white settlement from the east reached a critical level. Early in the 1830's, the tribe split again with sub-bands migrating into Indiana and Iowa. With the promulgation of the Removal Acts in the 1830's, the

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4 Ibid., 14-41.

5 Ibid., 172 and 216.
Potawatomi realized any chance of ever becoming a reunited people was unlikely.⁶ As white settlement continued, many of the Potawatomi began a long migration to the south and west. By 1845, Kansas was their new homeland.

Migration contributed to the tribe breaking into a number of bands, including the Forest Potawatomi, the Council Bluffs or “Bluffs” Potawatomi, the Citizen Band, the Mission or “Christian” Band, and the “Prairie People” or the “Prairie Band” who relocated to Kansas. Some of the Forest Potawatomi moved into Canada to avoid the government, along with its removal and relocation policies, others moved into the area near present day Council Bluffs, Iowa, and thereafter were known as the “Bluffs” band. While most of this Bluffs band resided in Iowa (attempting to resist the inevitable relocation to Kansas under military order), some of its members moved back to their native land in the Great Lakes. However, not all of the Bluffs band were forcibly removed from those lands by the military; some volunteered to move⁷.

Following the purchase of the Louisiana Territory from France, and after the cessation of hostilities with Britain in the War of 1812, the United States government continued the long process of dealing with the multitude of tribes within the states and territories. Some of these tribes had remained neutral or friendly to the United States during the war, while others had actively aided the British. Measures taken to pacify and remove hostile tribes, along with neutral and friendly tribes, accompanied the settlement

⁶ Ibid., 279-283.
⁷ Ibid., 280-346.
of the Old Northwest and the newly acquired Louisiana Territory. Similar
determinations were made in the south for the Cherokee, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Creek,
and Seminole tribes. This relocation process was one of the first steps taken toward a full-
scale reservation policy. The government’s ultimate plan was to remove and settle the
Potawatomi west of the Mississippi River. The Treaty of 1846 provided for a reservation
in Kansas as compensation for land the tribe had ceded in Wisconsin and Michigan. As
part of their treaty agreement, the Potawatomi would also give up their land in Iowa and
move to Indian Territory, which would later become the state of Kansas.

After their arrival in Kansas, the Potawatomi joined other Indian nations that
likewise had been relocated to the “Indian Territory.” Land that was originally home to
the Kansa, People of the Wind, was now divided among such tribes as the Shawnee, the
Delaware, the Munsee, the Quindaro, the Wyandotte, the Kickapoo, the Iowa, and the Sac
and Fox. The Potawatomi were originally given 576,000 acres of the eastern portion of
the Kansas Reserve that straddled the Kansas River more than 600 miles from their
historic tribal homeland. This movement, though traumatic for the people and their
culture, should not be directly compared with the Trail of Tears experiences of southern
tribes such as the Cherokee, the Creek, or the Choctaw. Indeed there is evidence that a
significant number of Potawatomi at the time of migration were willing to resettle.

8 Ibid., 172 & 216.
9 Ibid., 216-237.
10 Ibid., 280-341.
11 Ibid., 280.
Once known as part of the "Great American Desert," Kansas, like the earlier Northwest territory, became the scene of increasing levels of white settlement. Commissioner George W. Manypenny, between 1853-1854, wrote several treaties, now known as the Manypenny Treaties, that set aside thirteen million acres of land for the Indian tribes in Kansas. Although the land had been officially reserved for the Indians, including the Potawatomi, a large amount of the land ultimately was sold to white settlers who, within a short period of time, surrounded the entire Potawatomi Reservation.

James A. Clifton stated that "The purpose of the Removal Policy was meant to establish a permanent Indian Frontier. . . to contain American expansionism while protecting relocated tribes from damaging contacts with the frontier." In 1854, Kansas became a territory, an event that coincided with the end of the Removal Policy.

Removal was conducted at considerable expense of public funds and resources. It involved significant planning and control, and the active participation of the military. For the Potawatomi, removal signaled major changes in their old way of life, as they made the difficult transition from a free, migratory existence to a life of confinement on an Indian reservation.

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12 Ibid., 348.
13 Ibid., 350.
14 Ibid., 347-349.
15 Ibid., 349.
Reservation Life in Kansas

The Potawatomi arrived in Kansas, ca. 1833-1835, and initially settled with the Kickapoo near Leavenworth, Kansas, prior to placement on their reservation in Jackson County in 1845. In order to manage Indian affairs in a specified area, the government established within the Office of Indian Affairs (OIA) administrative units known as "Superintendencies." Each superintendency was administered by a Superintendent, locally known as the "Indian Agent."

The first superintendency established in the new Louisiana Territory was the Missouri superintendency, followed by the Northern and Central Superintendencies. The Potawatomi Agency was assigned to the Central Superintendency in 1851. Getting to that point was an involved and complicated matter since the process corresponded with the continuing evolution of the OIA and Federal Indian Policy. At that time, the majority of the Prairie Band had moved to the vicinity of Council Bluffs, Iowa. Other tribes, including the Wyandotte, Kickapoo, Munsee, Iowa, Sac and Fox, and Shawnee were also involved in treaty, removal, and relocation negotiations with the United States. These tribes, some historically friendly to the Potawatomi, and others not, shortly found themselves close neighbors, settled into adjacent reserves and administered under a basically unified authority charged with providing fair administration of interests for each of the tribes, thus setting the destinies of the tribes along parallel paths. The Central
Superintendency was abolished in 1878, and the Potawatomi agent thereafter reported directly to the Office of Indian Affairs in Washington, D. C. In 1882, the Great Nemaha Agency consolidated with the Potawatomi to form the Potawatomi and Great Nemaha Agency. This combined agency which supervised the affairs of the Iowa, and Sac and Fox tribes continued until July 1, 1903, at which time the Potawatomi Indian School and Agency took over responsibility. On May 1, 1903, the Kickapoo Indian School and Agency was made responsible for the Kickapoo, Iowa and Sac and Fox tribes, leaving the Potawatomi School and Agency responsible for Potawatomi affairs.¹⁶

The location of the Agency headquarters has changed frequently over the years, apparently established at times near the residence of the agent or superintendent, and perhaps at their discretion. Headquarter cities have included Rossville, Lawrence, Nadeau, St. Mary’s, Hoyt, Horton, and Mayetta, Kansas. The headquarters of the Potawatomi Agency has traditionally been associated with Mayetta, Kansas, a site to which it moved after the tribal school was abolished following a fire in 1908. However, on June 2, 1919, the Potawatomi and Kickapoo functions were consolidated with the Kickapoo Indian Agency with new and current administrative offices at Horton, Kansas.¹⁷

The biggest problem facing the tribe involved adjustment to the policies imposed by the United States government, including the requirement that they abandon their


¹⁷ Ibid.
traditional ways of life. They were encouraged to become farmers, educate their children in government operated or mission schools, adopt the dress and social mannerisms of white America, embrace Christianity, learn English, become citizens, and to prosper on their allotted acres of land under the direction of an Indian Agent.

Until 1861, all Potawatomi who relocated onto the Kansas reservation were referred to collectively as the Prairie Band. But this band eventually split into sub-bands, each pursuing individual dealings in their relations with the United States authorities.¹⁸

The Prairie Band became notorious for its resistance to government policies and proposals. Its members resisted the changes that resulted in the reduction of the original reservation and fought to retain and defend the integrity of their remaining 77,358 acres. On November 15, 1861, a new, smaller reservation was carved out of the original 576,000 acres. The diminished Potawatomi reserve occupied approximately eleven square miles located in the center of Jackson County, Kansas. Ironically, members of a sub-band, the Citizen Potawatomi, were collectively allotted almost twice as much acreage, 152,128 acres, because the government saw them as having progressed further down the road to independence and assimilation.¹⁹

Part of the assimilation process involved the work of missionaries. At one time, the Potawatomi Agency had two missions, each seeking to Christianize the tribe. Those Potawatomi who abandoned their native spiritual traditions in favor of Christianity came

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¹⁹ Ibid., 351.
of life. A sense of unremitting confinement was something the Potawatomi found especially distressful. An annual buffalo hunt on the Kansas prairie and the promised legal title to a reservation could not compensate for the loss of independence, especially for a people who now found themselves indisputably dependent. In their old homeland the Potawatomi supported themselves by fishing and hunting. In Kansas, limits on their movement, inexperience with farming in a new and distant region, and acculturation, in general, contributed to the marginal existence that characterized tribal life during early reservation years. After years of trying, and not many successful crop years, the agent requested special relief funds to assist the Potawatomi with their most critical needs. Later, in order to raise additional funds to help support the tribe, the OIA authorized the agent to administer the leasing of Potawatomi land to white Kansans. 24

As lands west of the Mississippi River opened for settlement, the coming of the railroad signaled the arrival of the industrial east. Even though the Potawatomi had been granted a reservation for their tribe, they were informed by the government that certain lands would be set aside for railroad easement. Exactly how this proposal was received by the tribes is not recorded, but confusion and bewilderment would certainly have been evident. The government's position was to promote the coming of the railroad as a decidedly positive development that was beneficial for progress and prosperity. Yet, once again, land that had been promised for exclusive use of the Potawatomis was now to be shared with a distant, faceless corporate entity.

The Leavenworth, Pawnee, & Western Railroad was required, by the Potawatomi treaty of 1861, to build and complete the railroad through the reservation during a nine years period. Any nontimber damage done to the reservation during construction was to be paid by the railroad. “All treaties specified that any default by the railroad interest, or principal, or any change in construction schedules would result in a forfeit of the land. But the Potawatomi received bonds rather than cash-bonds in payment for their land by the railroad companies, leaving the Tribe’s fortune dependent upon the success of the railroad.”

The Potawatomi reservation, along with many other reservations, was assigned to a Superintendency, with an Indian agent or superintendent appointed by the Office of Indian Affairs (OIA). If the spirit of official written policy is taken at face value, the responsibility of this local official as “agent,” was to act as the advocate for the tribe, manage development, and protect tribal interests.

Agents and superintendents formed a unique and important cadre of government officials who shouldered a heavy responsibility for the administration and supervision of an equally important government office. Agents were on the front lines of implementation of OIA policy, and their actions often determined whether relations between the U.S. government and the tribes were friendly, hostile, constructive, productive, or controversial. An Indian agent held tremendous power over the lives and economies of the people and their tribes, and functioned as the principal liaison for the

tribes, to both the federal government and private sector. The scope of their responsibility encompassed nearly everything that would normally be associated with the administration of public services in a county-sized governmental entity. Responsibilities included: the maintenance of roads and utilities; managing a sizeable and complex budget; taking yearly censuses; recording births, deaths, and even marriages. The agent supervised a sizeable number of employees who had their own complex set of responsibilities. They were all directly answerable to the OIA, and less formally answerable to the tribal government and its membership.

Indian agents were an educated professional class of civil servants, almost exclusively male until recent years. They earned a respectable but not excessive salary. Regularly transferred from one agency or field installation to another, the careers of agents can be traced from the records of numerous Indian agencies and schools. Managing the affairs of Indians for either the OIA, and later the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA), agents often found themselves in the middle of volatile controversies. More often though they contended with the everyday tedium of bureaucracy, and with maintaining personal relations with individual tribal members. As the principal representative of the OIA, the agents were ultimately held accountable. In dealing with inquiries and complaints, they were, for the most part, professional in their actions.

At times the work of the Indian agent was a thankless job. Agents were expected to run the reservations and take care of any problems that arose. In the annual reports prepared by the agent for the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, complaints often were not reported. Rather, it was more common for the agent to emphasize the positive. In 1882,
Agent H. C. Linn remarked "I think the Indians are making some improvements both mentally and morally . . . we are gradually turning their thoughts into other channels."26

Indian Agent I. W. Patrick stated on September 15, 1886, that they "are a happy people."27 From his perspective, his statements were accurate and truthful, and in line with the objectives of the OIA, i.e., to assist and encourage the progress of the tribe toward assimilation. From an individual point of view, matters were normally seen as well in hand, but available records reveal frequent complaints filed by individual reservation Potawatomi.

Routine correspondence present in subject correspondence files maintained by agents reveal much more about the day-to-day life on the reservation. Letters of correspondence contain criticism of agents for not making themselves readily available to hear the concerns of the tribes. Correspondence also details frequent incidents between tribal members and neighboring whites, minor for the most part, that tell much about daily reservation life. In one letter, the agent describes actions he intends to take following an assault on an Indian girl at the train station at Rossville, and his intention to bring to justice the scoundrel who committed it. In another, the agent found himself caught in the middle of, of all things, a dispute over the sale of lemonade on the


reservation. A local entrepreneur had, apparently, obtained a license or what he believed to be an exclusive franchise to sell lemonade and other beverages at various locations on the reservation. When resident Potawatomi set up their own stands during annual fairs and other events, this businessman lodged an official complaint directed at the agent.  

By the turn of the century, the agents reported remarkable progress among the Potawatomi: most spoke English instead of their native language; more children attended school; crops were larger and more profitable than before; many Indians had converted to Christianity, some even severed formal/official tribal membership in the tribe and took on United States citizenship. In 1905, Superintendent G. L. Williams remarked that "the marks of the savage are rapidly disappearing." The old culture of the Potawatomi was swiftly dissolving.  

During the first years after their arrival on the reservation, living conditions did not improve greatly, but by the mid-1860's, significant changes were noticeable: an agency school was established and enrollment was growing; St. Mary's Mission School was in operation; some men had enlisted in the military; and farming techniques and production had advanced since their arrival to the reservation. Those changes were cited

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28 Potawatomi Indian Agency, Letters Received Great Nemaha Agency, vol. 2-4, September 1877-September 1882.

as proof that the Potawatomi were assimilating into the white culture.\textsuperscript{30}

Among the most pervasive and unresolved problems affecting progress and improvement among the Potawatomi were alcohol and gambling. The use of alcohol was seen by government representatives as by far the most serious challenge. It was no secret to various agents that the Potawatomi’s white neighbors sold whiskey to reservation residents. \textsuperscript{31} The Potawatomi Agency’s Police Record Book lists numerous misdemeanors and crimes committed by Potawatomi on the reservation and most involved alcohol. The correspondence of agents includes numerous references that confirm and document the problem.

The physical layout and administration of an Indian reservation was a large operation. Issues associated with land policy, land use, distribution and ownership dominate much of the administration of the reservation. Among the most controversial programs were the allotment process and distribution of annuities. Allotments were individual parcels of land surveyed and assigned to enrolled members of the tribe, on which they lived, farmed, and became self-sufficient.

To speed that process, in 1887, President Grover Cleveland signed the Dawes, or General Allotment Act, designed to split the communal tribal holdings into individually owned farms. That would require each adult reservation dweller to become an independent operator, at least in economic terms. ... In fact, most studies of individual tribes depict the years between 1880 and 1920 as the nadir of the Indian experience as populations declined and disease swept through the

\textsuperscript{30} Department of Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs, \textit{Annual Reports of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs to the Secretary of the Interior for the Years 1852-1959}, Washington: Government Printing Office.

\textsuperscript{31} Ibid.
malnourished people.\textsuperscript{32}

Allotment records identify exact sections of land received by the individuals including inherited tracts and land that became combined property due to marriage.

In 1886, the Potawatomi had approximately $640,000 held in trust, and the interest was paid out in annuities. The funds were intended for the purchase of food and supplies required for self-sufficiency.\textsuperscript{33} An annuity was an annual payment of money from United States Reservation Funds owed to individual Indians under treaty provisions. By 1870, the economic situation of the Potawatomi had declined to the point that they were almost entirely dependent on the annuity checks. Payments were administered as Individual Indian Money (IIM) disbursements and recorded in IIM ledger books that document the transfer of U. S. Treasury funds for distribution by the agent or superintendent.

Administration of the Potawatomi reservation required numerous employees in addition to the agent and his administrative staff. These included teachers, blacksmiths, laundresses, cooks, wheelwrights, field matrons, physicians, police, and the agency or reservation “farmer.” Lists of these positions, salaries, and length of service, are recorded in a register of employees, providing a good sense of the people and activities required to


\textsuperscript{33} Department of Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs, \textit{Annual Report of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs to the Secretary of the Interior for the Year 1886}, Washington: Government Printing Office. Pg 162.
keep a reservation in operation from year to year. The perennial need for a permanent physician is evident in other agency records, documenting evidence of chronic illnesses, epidemics, and chronic conditions such as trachoma and tuberculosis.

Another key employee was the “agency farmer,” an OIA official in charge of reservation agricultural policy, who exercised commanding influence over important aspects of the reservation economy which directly affected the lives of the Indian inhabitants. The agency farmer was usually well trained in agricultural science. Occasionally agency farmers acted as de-facto assistants to the agent in official functions, and some assisted the superintendent in administrative capacities far removed from agriculture. The farmer communicated frequently with Indians on everyday business matters and wrote letters for those who could not write English.

Both the agency and individual Indians possessing land allotments leased lands to white agriculturalists for grazing and farming. Official administration of this process was a practical measure; contracts were involved as well as public funds; and numerous Potawatomi lived elsewhere, in “absentee” status, which officially meant on another reservation. The individual was still considered a member of the Potawatomi tribe unless all formal ties with the tribe were severed. Reservation lands could not legally be leased without official OIA permission. The OIA supervised a variety of lease programs that put the land to productive use. At the same time, this practice raised revenue for the tribe and individuals. These funds were held in trust and periodically distributed to entitled parties. In some cases, the recipients were minors or inheritors of the land, and disbursement of the funds was made accordingly.
The Indian education system was an institution of immense significance and cultural influence, and a vital part of assimilation policy. There were two Indian schools administered by the Potawatomi agency. One, located near the Kickapoo reservation, was known as the Kickapoo Training School. The other, southwest of Mayetta on the Potawatomi reservation, was the Potawatomi Boarding School. These institutions drew students from a number of day schools, but, throughout the agency’s history, many Potawatomi children routinely attended schools that were part of the area public school system. Those who attended Indian schools received an education based heavily on manual and vocational training. Education records provide evidence that some of the girls were sent to neighboring white families on and off the reservation to learn how to “keep house.” At the same time, boys were taught the ways of farming. Teaching domestic and manual work was one way to eliminate old ways and assimilate the Potawatomi. Photographs included in family statistical records and in health survey records in the 1920's reveal that Potawatomi dress had changed, with little evidence remaining of native attire except for ceremonial occasions. The Potawatomi were strongly encouraged to abandon their native language in favor of English, and the schools served as major catalysts in these efforts.

The boarding school was built to house around 100 students from the Potawatomi reserve and others living off-reservation. But the presence of a school on the reservation did not guarantee that every school-aged child actually attended. The OIA also operated boarding schools for particularly impoverished families. Some children simply could not afford to attend, but were eligible for enrollment in other government boarding schools.
scattered across the central and north central plains. Chilocco in Oklahoma; Rapid City, Pierre, and Sisseton in South Dakota; Bismarck, Fort Totten, and Wahpeton, in North Dakota; and Genoa in Nebraska were all sites of OIA Indian boarding schools. For those students who showed promise beyond a basic high school education there was the Haskell Institute (later known as Haskell Indian Junior College), in nearby Lawrence, Kansas. In fact, from 1927 to 1935, all three Kansas reservations were administered by the Haskell Superintendent.

Medical treatment on the reservation was sometimes scarce or unavailable. Agency health records list details of the individual and/or family living in the home and health conditions were a constant concern for agents. Many reports indicate that the Potawatomi were frequently in poor health, often because of malnutrition and a lack of money to pay doctors. Health Survey records reveal that many Potawatomi were afflicted with trachoma, an eye infection that, left untreated, often led to blindness. Tuberculosis was another common medical problem, especially during the early reservation period.

Photographs attached to the Family Statistical and Health Survey records graphically depict the exterior conditions of Potawatomi homes. From available evidence and reports detailing the level of littering and abandonment, it seems the Potawatomi were not particularly concerned about the condition of their homes. Some lived in dwellings with broken windows and dirt floors. Frame homes had wells which were generally located close to the house, but placed where sewage and ground water could drain into the well and make it unsafe to drink. Livestock were often not kept in segregated pens or areas and this compounded sanitation and health problems. Not all
Potawatomi lived in such conditions, but for the most part, homes were not well maintained.

Federal programs are an integrated component in the history of relations between the OIA and the Native Americans. In the 1930's, the New Deal's Civilian Conservation Corps- Indian Division (CCC-ID) was one such program. This special Indian Division of the CCC was developed to provide work for tribal members during the Great Depression, through construction projects on reservations. And, the federal government continued to be paternalistic. Implementation of the Wheeler-Howard Act in the 1930's, with its commitment to the principle of self-determination compelled the government to pay greater attention to the issues involving local concerns and local control.

Progress has been difficult for the Potawatomi since they relocated to Kansas, as it has been for many tribes forcibly removed from their native lands. Slowly, the Potawatomi have found themselves increasingly assimilated into American culture. At the same time, many resident tribal members have energetically attempted to keep their native heritage alive. Today, the reservation remains intact. Its inhabitants are fully enfranchised citizens. Vestiges of the special relationship between the tribe and federal government remains in the form of entitlement's, education benefits, employment assistance programs, medical clinics, and special loan programs.
Conclusion

The record of the administration of Potawatomi affairs by the government and its agents survives as evidence of official policy for the tribe. The actions reflected in the record were philosophically based on Thomas Jefferson's vision of the Agrarian Dream.\textsuperscript{34} The Agrarian Dream was intended for the masses of the dominant culture, later incorporated into official policies affecting Indian affairs, and became an integral factor in subsequent tribal affairs. Surviving records support this view. Annual reports and the numerous correspondence files of agents for the Prairie Band, contain a substantial number of individual items in which the administrator's opinions are clearly expressed. Agents consistently expressed concern for the tribe. They were committed to helping the people progress, to become educated, industrious, independent, and to assimilate into white culture. Their hopes for the people were firmly rooted in Jeffersonian principles. The tribe would evolve from the extended tribal family into individual nuclear families, owning small family farms created by allotments. The agents led the effort to educate the tribe, adults and children. This education, albeit heavily vocational in emphasis, was based on the public education model and was Jeffersonian in concept, as was the attention given to agricultural science.

The course of national development in the Nineteenth Century saw its ultimate manifestation in the 160-acre homestead then offered to the individuals. Evidence suggests that the OIA officially was not out to disenfranchise the tribes but assist them in finding their place alongside other citizens of the United States. Citizenship, the final component in the greater plan, was offered to those ready to assume their status as individuals, rather than as members of a tribal collective.

The historical experience of the Potawatomi is complex; it is not one-dimensional, but multifaceted. These people forfeited much, but not everything, in an era when many tribes were removed yet again onto reservations in Oklahoma. The Potawatomi tenaciously retained their land in Kansas, although on a much reduced level. This land has proved to be among some of the richest farm land in Kansas.

The promise of prosperity exists, but remains an elusive goal. This much is certain: the Potawatomi’s evolution as a people continues. What form this ongoing saga may take in the future is unclear. The documentary record of their experience on the reservation in Kansas has been preserved and prepared for further research and analysis.
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12a. ORGANIZATIONAL UNIT NAME: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

52. KNOWN START DATE: 1851

53. KNOWN END DATE:

54A. GOVERNMENT STATUS/(CHECK ONE):

- DEPARTMENT
- INDEPENDENT AGENCY OR ESTABLISHMENT
- MULTI/BILATERAL ORGANIZATION (U.S. REPR.)
- EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
- LEGISLATIVE BRANCH
- JUDICIAL BRANCH

54B. ORGANIZATIONAL LEVEL: SAME LEVEL X SUBUNIT

55. PERTINENT SEGMENT OF ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE:

12a.

56. PROGRAM AREA: American Indians

57. GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION: Horton, Kansas

58. PERSONAL NAME REFERENCE (WITH APPLICABLE DATES):

59. PREDECESSOR ORGANIZATIONAL UNIT (WITH DATES AND SPHERE OF ACTIVITY TRANSFERRED):

60. SUCCESSOR ORGANIZATIONAL UNIT (WITH DATES AND SPHERE OF ACTIVITY TRANSFERRED): Horton Area Field Office, 1964

61A. ADMINISTRATIVE HISTORY: The Potawatomi Agency for the Prairie Potawatomi reservation of Kansas traces its origins to a Treaty of June 5, 1846, concluded near Council Bluffs, Iowa, that set aside 576,000 acres of land in the so-called "Indian Territory" west of the Mississippi, land that today is located in the State of Kansas. Movement of the tribe into the territory had actually begun some years earlier under provisions of other treaties concluded in the mid-1830's. Tribes relocated to the Indian Territory originally fell under the administration of the St. Louis Superintendency, a field office of the Office of Indian Affairs (OIA), that was succeeded by the Central
Superintendency in 1851. The Potawatomi reservation was intended to be a new homeland for the tribe where, removed from their ancestral homeland, conflict with white settlers might be avoided, and, a new way of life might be pursued.

A general migration of Potawatomi had been in progress for a number of years. At the time of first contacts with Europeans, circa 1640-70, the Potawatomi were situated around the Great Lakes in what would become the States of Michigan and Wisconsin. The largest concentration of Potawatomi was near the present city of Green Bay, Wisconsin, the center of their historic range. The Potawatomi were a typical woodlands tribe belonging to the Algonquian linguistic family and were most closely related to the Chippewa and Ottawa tribes.

The advance of European settlement resulted in ever increasing encroachment on Indian land and the inevitable conflict between the Potawatomi and white settlers, and with other tribes as well. During the War of 1812, the tribe actively sided with the British against the United States, an act that influenced the emergence of Indian policies regarding the Potawatomi and numerous other tribes living east of the Mississippi River. Removal and relocation clauses were principle elements of treaties that systematically relocated several dozen tribes to the new territory acquired as a result of the Louisiana Purchase. In the years prior to the official removal of the Potawatomi from the “Old Northwest,” some sub-bands of Potawatomi had moved into present day Indiana, and others to the vicinity of Council Bluffs, Iowa. However, during the mid-1830’s the main body of the tribe headed for Kansas, settling first among the Kickapoo in northeastern Kansas. Thereafter the Kansas Potawatomi were referred to as the ”Prairie Potawatomi” or “Prairie Band.”

In 1846, the tribe settled on their reservation as provided in a Treaty of June 5, 1846. In this new land they would pursue a new life as farmers, and move in the direction of assimilation into white society. The reserve was carved out of the eastern portion of former Kansas Indian reservation land straddling both sides of the Kansas River immediately west of the Kickapoo and Shawnee reserves. The establishment of the Potawatomi Agency coincided with the establishment of the Central Superintendency, in 1851, ushering in a new era of administration of Indian affairs for Potawatomi, and a multitude of other tribes living in Kansas.

Within a few years Kansas became the center of sectional controversy and strife over the Free-State issue following the passage of the Kansas-Nebraska Act. The opening of portions of the territory for white settlement quickly led to open warfare between pro- and anti-slavery settlers who moved onto lands that not long before had been reserved for Indian tribes. Civil War in Kansas was shortly followed by Civil War between the Northern and Southern states. For the Potawatomi, the dynamics of politics, expansion and settlement had a direct bearing on their future. Kansas, admitted to the Union as a Free State, fundamentally changed the status of “Indian Kansas,” and this development affected the evolution of the Potawatomi Agency and the eventual reduction to its present size and profile.
The Potawatomi Agency was assigned to the Central Superintendency in 1851. When this authority was abolished in 1870, the Potawatomi Agency was reassigned to the Northern Superintendency, which was likewise abolished on June 30, 1876. At that time the Potawatomi Agency became an independent field installation that reported directly to the OIA and its Commissioner in Washington, DC. Many changes occurred during the years that the reservation existed under the Central Superintendency; the most significant being the allotment of land to individual Potawatomi out of the Greater Potawatomi lands held in severalty by the Tribe. This resulted in the drastic reduction of the original 576,000 acre reservation to an eleven square mile tract on 77,357 acres located in the center of present day Jackson County, Kansas. Attempts were made to encourage or persuade the remaining Prairie Potawatomi to relocate, once again, to a new reservation in the “Indian Territory” of Oklahoma. Fierce resistance on the part of the tribe thwarted this effort, securing for them a permanent, albeit much smaller reservation in Kansas.

Only three other reservations out of the numerous Kansas Indian Reserves would survive, these being the Iowa and Sac and Fox reservations (collectively known as the Great Nemaha Agency.) In 1882, the Great Nemaha and Potawatomi Agencies were administratively unified under a single agent. This arrangement continued until 1903, at which time the Potawatomi Agency was divided into a Potawatomi Agency for the Potawatomi Indians and a Kickapoo Agency for the Kickapoo, the Iowa and Sac and Fox. In 1919, they were again combined and referred to as the Kickapoo Agency, but in 1921, the name was changed to Potawatomi Agency. From 1927 through 1935 the Potawatomi Agency was consolidated with the Haskell Institute. In 1950, Potawatomi Agency was redesignated as the Potawatomi Area Field Office, and, since 1964, administration has fallen under the authority of the Horton Agency, located on the eastern edge of the Kickapoo reservation in the town of Horton, Kansas. Mayetta has generally been recognized as the traditional headquarters for the Potawatomi Agency although other headquarters locations have included, Rossville, Hoyt, St. Mary’s, Nadeau, Horton, and Lawrence, Kansas.

Administration of Indian affairs on a typical reservation affects the lives of the tribe under its jurisdiction in a variety of ways. Supervision, guidance and programs provided to the Potawatomi generally fall under several significant administrative categories that include: education, health and welfare, lands (or land management), trust activities, tribal resources, and Indian services. The allotment process and land management programs are documented among various records series, and permeate the correspondence of agents (later called superintendents.) Entitlements in the form of annuities were another significant administrative responsibility of the agent and administrative staff. Disbursement of funds and even the approval of most purchases by resident Indians had to be approved by the Agent. Agricultural policy was administered by an agency official called the “Indian Farmer” whose authority extended to the approval of purchases of livestock, equipment and decisions regarding the planting of crops. Managing the affairs of the Potawatomi people require an administrative establishment roughly comparable to a county-sized government authority.
The period after 1878 that lasted well into the 1930's was the "golden age" of the Indian reservation, if it is appropriate to refer to reservation life in such terms. In explanation, OIA operations, during that period, was very systematic, and many programs were run like bureaucratic institutions. There was much similarity in reservation administration and operation of schools, the Indian warehouses, and, in the interaction between the tribes and the Office of Indian Affairs, which, since 1947 was renamed the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA).

For the Potawatomi people, formerly a typical woodland tribe (whose way of life was chiefly supported by hunting, fishing and limited gathering), life in Kansas was primarily dependent on agriculture and animal husbandry. Most occupations of tribal members could be directly associated with such work. Education programs, heavily oriented towards vocational training, were developed for the children and the adult population of the Prairie Potawatomi. Mission schools, located near cities of St. Mary's and Topeka were operated by Jesuit Catholics and the Baptists, respectively. The Agency operated the Potawatomi Boarding school, and, the Kickapoo Training School. The combined administration of the Potawatomi and Great Nemaha Agencies (a reserve for the remaining Iowa, Sac and Fox Indians), and the remnant of the Kickapoo reserve provided logical unification in Indian education, which included day schools for the young on each reservation. In the near vicinity to the three agencies was the Haskell Institute which, from 1927-35 administered the Potawatomi Agency.

Progress for the Prairie Band has paralleled that of many other tribes. The trauma of dispossession, acceptance of new cultural habits, and working under a capitalist economic system has been difficult; the evidence of these difficulties is documented among surviving records that include health surveys, police record books, family survey sheets, and statistical data that reveal economic problems, alcoholism, living conditions and many other personal details about the resident population. Supporting information permeates the correspondence of agents and superintendents.

The evolution of Indian policy is evident in the administration of various programs created to aid the progress of the tribe. Leases and contracts of various types, Civilian Conservation Corps-Indian Division (CCC-ID) projects, education benefits, and employment programs have been the hallmark of the 20th century. The Wheeler-Howard Act (also known as the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934,) marked a new era of American Indian policy, the most major significant adjustments since general allotment. The Wheeler-Howard Act was largely inspired by the efforts of Indian Commissioner John Collier and his efforts to give Indians a greater degree of self-determination. But, the Bureau of Indian Affairs administration continues to affect the lives of the Potawatomi people. The evolution of the OIA and BIA has paralleled the administration of the Potawatomi reservation of Kansas which, as of 1999, continues to function under the supervisory authority of the Horton Area Field Office.

Records in the inventory are organized along un-official but functional lines that group records series under broad BIA program activities. A distinct body of Great Nemaha
Agency records have been identified among the holdings, and these have been segregated and described as a related sub-inventory with this project. A similar distinction has been determined for the records of the CCC-ID, and Potawatomi tribal charters. There are approximately 95 linear feet of records dated between 1861-1869.

61B. ADMINISTRATIVE HISTORY CITATION(S):


31. PREPARER: Amy M. Kreidler / July 16, 1999
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**RECORDS OF PREDECESSOR AUTHORITIES AND AGENCIES**

**GENERAL RECORDS**

1. NS 1 Letters Received from the Northern Superintendency, 1871-1874
2. GN 1 Letters Received (Great Nemaha Agency), 1877-1882
3. GN 2 Letters Sent (Great Nemaha Agency), 1881-1882

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4. Receipts and Disbursements (Iowa, Sac and Fox), 1875-1882

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5. List of Patents Issued (Great Nemaha), 1861-1868
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**GENERAL RECORDS**

2. Copies of letters sent, 1878-1914
3. Letters received from the OIA, 1882-1903
4. General correspondence, 1897-1936
5. Letters received from Indian schools and agencies, 1905-1907
6. Numbered correspondence received from Indian schools and agencies, 1901-09
7. Subject correspondence, 1883-1940
8. Correspondence relating to individual Indians, 1895-1936
9. Decimal correspondence, 1883-1969

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10. Record of Employees, 1883-1907
11. Police Record Book, 1879-1880
12. Agency Buildings Register, 1899-1924

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13. Marriage Register, 1901-1905
15. Certificates for Annuity Payments, 1899-1915
16. Probate Case Files, 1900-1908

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17. Receipts & Disbursements, 1875-1920
18. Reimbursing Agreements, 1875-1933

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19. Individual Indian Case Files, 1913-1945
20. Cash Book, 1859-1920
22. IIM Ledger Sheets, 1908-1955
23. IIM and Special Deposits Ledger, 1930-1940
24. IIM Posting and Control Records, 1927-1939
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26. Cash Disbursements, 1918-1925

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27. Letters Received Concerning Land and Lease, 1904-1908
28. Land and Lease Letters Sent, 1904-1914
29. Leased Land Record Cards, 1910-1918
30. Lease Register, 1900-1911; 1915; 1941
31. Farm and Grazing Permits, 1922-1929

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32. Inherited Indian Land Sales Record, 1902-1911

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33. Tract Book, 1892-1930
34. Applications for Patent in Fees, 1911
35. Patent in Fees, 1892-1905
36. Land Deed Issued to Msuhque, 1893
37. Allotment and Census Rolls, 1863-1869
38. Register of Allotment to Minors, 1860
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40. Lists of Allottees, ca. 1902-ca. 1916
41. Schedule of Allotments, 1885-1893
42. Public Domain Allotment Applications, 1916-1919
43. Allotment Survey, 1922-1924
45. Applications for Tribal Payment Shares, 1909-1913
46. Potawatomi/Chippewa Annuity Payroll, 1887
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48. Absentee Annuity Payment Receipts, 1906-1907
49. Trust Fund Shares of Minors, 1907
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55. Birth Certificates, 1918-1931
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57. Health Survey, 1929-39
58. Iowa Tribe Family Statistics, undated

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59. Letters Received OIA, 1903-06
60. Letters Sent, 1888-93
61. Food and Supplies Purchased, 1888-94
62. Receipts and Disbursements, 1891-1911
63. Register of Attendance, 1903-1904

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64. Letters Sent-OIA, 1905
65. Letters Sent, 1903-1905
66. General Correspondence, 1908-1917

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67. CCC-ID Decimal Correspondence, 1935-42
68. CCC-ID General Correspondence, 1934-1942
69. CCC-ID Project Files, 1938-1941

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70. Tribal Charters, 1934
1. Record Group: 75

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4. General Materials Designator: BND

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10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: GREAT NEMAHA AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series consists of manuscript letters received from Barclay White Superintendent of the Northern Superintendency, Omaha Nebraska. Most letters are addressed to Thomas Lightfoot, U. S. Indian Agent at Great Nemaha Agency and concern policy and administrative matters related to operations at Great Nemaha Agency and other Office of Indian Affairs (OIA) reserves in the near region to Great Nemaha (which includes the Sac and Fox, Potawatomi, and Kickapoo reserves.) The letters contain instructions, circulars, copies of Congressional bills, and printed rules and regulations issued by the Department of Interior. The letters provide insight into OIA administration of Indian Affairs at the field level.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

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11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: GREAT NEMAHA AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series consists of three bound volumes of incoming letters received by the Agent at Great Nemaha, chiefly from the Office of Indian Affairs (OIA) or other Federal Agencies. The letters concern the administration of principal authorities and responsibilities of the OIA such as requesting personnel appointments and increases, land issues; procurement requests for the agency, such as repairs to, or construction of buildings, and other expenditures. The letters reveal an interesting glimpse of reservation life and OIA administration of the Iowa, and Sac and Fox Indians in the late 19th century.

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11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: GREAT NEMAHA AGENCY
12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series consists of letter press copies of manuscript letters sent by the Agents M. B. Kent and Augustus Brosius to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs. There is a small quantity of letters to other government official, business firms, and individuals. The letters chiefly concern matters affecting the personal affairs of the Iowa, and Sac and Fox living on the reservation, and administration of the reservation in general. The letters deal with a wide variety of subject areas and include annual narrative and statistical reports, periodic reports made in response to inquiries from the Office of Indian Affairs, letters of transmittal (often without enclosure), and personal correspondence, relating to the administration of the Iowa and Sac and Fox of Missouri Reservations.

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12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: GREAT NEMAHA AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Financial Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series is a financial transaction ledger of funds for the Iowa, Sac and Fox tribes of the Great Nemaha Agency. The manuscript ledger contains information on payments, including, when received and how it was paid, voucher number, if paid to fulfill treaty obligations for a particular tribe and when that treaty interest was due; trust fund interest due; pay of Indian Agents, pay of interpreters, pay of Indian Police; amount carried forward, amount brought forward, buildings at agencies and repairs, certain services of Indian Department, sale of notice, and the total amount. Some pages of the ledger include other fund transactions such as civilization fund, pasturage of stock for the Iowa and Sac and Fox, and contingency funds. Included in the ledger on pages 150-151 are the expenditures charged to the annuity fund. The first four pages of the ledger contain the purchases made on authority, including the name of the authority figure, date, and amount of purchase. Pages 274-276 contain miscellaneous receipt accounts that include the date of transaction, when received, and the sale made.

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8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged numerically by patent number. This series is physically bound with SCHEDULE OF BIDS, 1864 (See Local ID - GN 7).

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: GREAT NEMAHA AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: Record of land patents delivered to half breed/mixed bloods of the Great Nemaha Reserve in Nebraska under provisions of the Treaty of Prairie de Chein, July 15, 1830. The patents all dated September 10, 1860 were issued to individual allottees of the Omaha, Iowa, and Otoe Tribes and the Yankton and Santee Bands of Sioux between March 8, 1861 and August 26, 1868. Entries for each patent delivered include the patent number, name of allottee, date of patent, legal description of the land, names of witnesses to the transaction, and a receipt signed at the time of delivery of the patent by the allottee or legal guardian if minor child. A few entries include notations and references to correspondence concerning the status of the patent. Page 340 of the volume lists the patents received by Agent John A. Burbank from former Agent Daniel Vanderslice, April 17, 1861. Related records are present in the SCHEDULE OF LAND SELECTIONS AND ALLOTMENTS, 1860 (Local ID - GN 6).

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Administering
18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas / Nebraska

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1105.1

25. FRC Transfer No.

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: GN 5

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 113/05/05

29d. End Loc.: 113/05/05

29e. Cntr. Type: BND

30. Processing Unit: NRE


32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 02/08/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: SCHEDULE OF ALLOTMENTS

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 1 inch

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 09/20/1860-09/20/1860
7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: GREAT NEMAHA AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: The series consists of a description of selection and land allotment (Sac and Fox Agency) made for the United Bands of the Swan Creek and Black River Chippewa, and the Munsee (or Christian Indians) in conformity with the stipulations of the Treaty of July 16, 1859, concluded between the United States and the above mentioned bands. Each entry includes the allotment number and name of the allottee, and a legal description of the allotted land.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Contracting

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas / Nebraska
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
23a. Finding Aids:
23b. Other Description:
23c. Detailed Description:
24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.: 58A-0129
26. Disposition Authority No.: 1105.1 27. Reference Unit: NRE
28. Local ID: GN 6 29. Location: NRE
32. Microforms: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A
32a. Dimensions: 29c. Begin Loc.: 113/05/05
32b. Generations: 29d. End Loc.: 113/05/05
32c. Polarity: 29e. Cntr. Type: BND
32e. Generation: PD. Preparer:
32c. Recording Rate/Rate: AMY KREIDLER 02/08/99

Dimensions: NREK-A
Location: NRE
Bldg. Code: NRE
Begin Loc.: 113/05/05
End Loc.: 113/05/05
Cntr. Type: BND
Cntr. Nos.: vol. GN 7
PD. Preparer: AMY KREIDLER 02/08/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: SCHEDULE OF BIDS

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 1 inch 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 03/10/1864-08/15/1864 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by date of sale. Entries are recorded on page 262-270 and bound physically with series GN - 5, LIST OF PATENTS ISSUED, 1861-68.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: GREAT NEMAHA AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: Abstracts of bids and proposals to purchase Trust Lands of the Sac and Fox of Missouri (located in Kansas and Nebraska.) The bids, received by the Great Nemaha Agent John A. Burbank, cover sales conducted March 10, 1864, and August 15, 1864. Entries include the name of the bidder, legal description of the land offered for sale, the price per acre bid, and remarks on confirmation of sale.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Contracting

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
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2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: COPIES OF LETTERS SENT BY AGENT J. H. MORRIS

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: .25 inches 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 01/04/1870 - 09/10/1873 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by date of letters.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series consists of manuscript letters sent from J. H. Morris, U. S. Indian Agent. Most letters are addressed to Enoch Hoag, Superintendent of Indian Affairs at Lawrence, Kansas, and to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs E. S. Parker in Washington D. C. In subject matter the letters concern the affairs of the Potawatomi at the time that their lands were being allotted; specifically improvements to the agency physical plant and efforts to acquire buildings, schools, and other structures; conveyance and transfer of land and related land issues; the disbursements of tribal funds, entitlements of land to Indians, tribal funds, requesting funds for annuities, and farm issues. These letters are unique from the following series LETTERS SENT, 1878-1914 (Local ID - 2), in that subject matter focuses chiefly on official operational and administrative matters.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Communicating / Administrating

18. Corporate Name Reference:
19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 102.01A

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 1

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 113/05/05

29d. End Loc.: 113/05/05

29e. Cntr. Type: BND

29f. Cntr. Nos.: vol. 1

30. Processing Unit: NRE

31. Microforms:

32. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

33. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 01/25/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: COPIES OF LETTERS SENT

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 6 ft. 3 in. 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 03/12/1878 - 09/18/1914 7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series consists of letter press copies of manuscript and typed letters sent by the Agent (Superintendent) of the Potawatomi Agency to a wide variety of associates, within the Office of Indian Affairs (OIA) and outside of government. The letters chiefly concern matters affecting the personal affairs of the "Prairie" Potawatomi living on the reservation, and administration of the reservation in general. The subject matter of the letters often provides a revealing glimpse of reservation life and OIA administration in the late 19th century, and can be studied as correspondence with the OIA (for those periods that are covered in LETTERS RECEIVED FROM THE OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, 1882-1906; local ID 3) and other parties sending communications to the Potawatomi that are present in numerous "letters sent by" and "letters received by" series in the Potawatomi Agency General Records subgroup.

NOTE: Letters sent to the Office of Indian Affairs (OIA), during the period 1851-1880, are present among the OIA Central Office LETTERS RECEIVED, 1824-1881, microcopy M234, rolls 678-695.

15. Technical Access Requirements:
16. Type of Materials:
17. Process: Communicating / Administrating
18. Corporate Name Reference:
19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:
23b. Other Description:
23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:
26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 102.01A 27. Reference Unit: NRE
28. Local ID: 2 29. Location: NRE
29c. Begin Loc.: 113/05/05 29d. End Loc.: 113/05/07
30. Processing Unit: NRE 29e. Cntr. Type: BND
32b. Generations: 32c. Polarity:
32d. Emulsion & Base: PD. Preparer:
32e. Generation: AMY KREIDLER 01/14/99
32c. Recording Rate/Rate:
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: LETTERS RECEIVED FROM THE OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 12 inches 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 06/23/1882 - 10/08/1903 7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series consists of three bound volumes, and loose letters for the period 1897-1903, received primarily from the Office of Indian Affairs (OIA) or other Federal Agencies, and chiefly addressed to the Indian Agent (agency superintendent). The letters concern the administration of principal authorities and responsibilities of the OIA such as annuities, checks issued to pay on leases, lease agreements, land issues, expenditures, and contracts for goods and supplies. The letters reveal an interesting glimpse of reservation life and OIA administration of the Iowa, and Sac and Fox Indians in the late 19th century, e.g., details of operation include references to agency buildings, layout of the physical plant, surveys and repairs; other communications concern appointment of officials and personnel; and many letters concern the personal affairs of individual Potawatomi living on the reservation.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:
17. Process: Communicating / Administrating

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas / Nebraska

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 102.01A 27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 3 29. Location: NRE


32. Microforms: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

32a. Dimensions: 29c. Begin Loc.: 113/05/07

32b. Generations: 034/01/01

32c. Polarity: 29d. End Loc.: 113/05/07

32d. Emulsion & Base: 034/01/01

32e. Generation: 29e. Cntr. Type: BND/LGL-S


Box 1

PD. Preparer: Amy Kreidler 01/14/99
FORMAT X

1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 1 ft. 3 in. 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 09/03/1897 - 10/14/1936 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by principal date of correspondence.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: Manuscript communications of the Superintendent with a large number of correspondents concerning general operations and business of the Potawatomi Agency. Among the many subjects present in this correspondence, the letters can be grouped according to the following general subjects, as follows: allotment issues and land issues, leases and payments due on rent, Indian funds, education of children, purchases and procurement. After 1903 there is significant correspondence concerning education including reports of runaways, transfers, applications for enrollment, and appointments of educators and staff.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Communicating / Administrating

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
   23a. Finding Aids:
   23b. Other Description:
   23c. Detailed Description:
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26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 102.01A 27. Reference Unit: NRE
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32b. Generations: 29d. End Loc.: 034/01/01
32c. Polarity: 29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S
32e. Generation: PD. Preparer:
32c. Recording Rate/Rate: AMY KREIDLER 01/20/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: LETTERS RECEIVED FROM INDIAN SCHOOLS AND AGENCIES

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 11 in. 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 02/13/1905 - 05/29/1907 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by date of letters.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series consists of two bound volumes of incoming letters received primarily from the Potawatomi Agent’s counterpart at other OIA agencies and schools in the Central Plains Region. The letters relate to matters of heirship, allotment, and other entitlements. In the majority of cases the agent is acting in a “trust capacity” either as the administrator, or conveyor of checks coming to Potawatomi. The other significant subject of the letters concern coordination of education for children under the jurisdiction of the agencies counted among the letters. The records of this series differ from LETTERS RECEIVED FROM THE OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, 1882-1890 (Local ID - 3), chiefly in that the subject matter is almost exclusively concerned with administration of personal affairs of the Potawatomi and not policy or matters of administration of the agency.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Communicating / Administrating

18. Corporate Name Reference:
19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 102.01A

28. Local ID: 5

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:
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32c. Polarity:
32d. Emulsion & Base:
32e. Generation:
32f. Recording Rate/Rate:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

29. Location: NRE
29a. Bldg. Code: NRE
29b. Stack Area: NREK-A
29c. Begin Loc.: 113/05/07
29d. End Loc.: 113/05/07
29e. Cntr. Type: BND

PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 01/14/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: NUMBERED CORRESPONDENCE WITH INDIAN AGENCIES AND SCHOOLS

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 4.5 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 06/25/1901-03/31/1909  7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Series is arranged according to a local numbered filing system.
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: These letters sent and received by the superintendent of the Potawatomi Agency is correspondence that chiefly concerns administration of trust responsibilities between Office of Indian Affairs (OIA) field installations, the private sector, and members of the Potawatomi tribe. Significant correspondence involves OIA schools located in Kansas, and the central United States, including, Potawatomi School, Haskell Institute, Sac and Fox Agency, Carlisle Industrial School, Green Bay Agency, Leech Lake School, Pawnee Agency, Chilocco Agricultural School, Kaw Training School, Omaha and Winnebago Agency, Shawnee Indian Agency, Kickapoo Indian School, Blandin Day School, and Genoa Indian School. Related correspondence concerns payments owed to Indians, appointment of employees, payments due for leases and allotments, and land issues. Although the substance of the correspondence arranged in this series is similar in nature to LETTERS RECEIVED FROM INDIAN SCHOOLS AND AGENCIES, 1905-07 (Local ID - 5, it is, however, distinguished by the numeric classification system apparently developed by the superintendent.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:
17. Process: Communicating / Administering

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description: A detailed list of folders and codes is attached to this series description.

24. NS Accession No.:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 102.01A

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 6

29. Location: NRE
   29a. Bldg. Code: NRE
   29b. Stack Area: NREK-A
   29c. Begin Loc.: 34/01/01
   29d. End Loc.: 34/01/01
   29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S
   29f. Cntr. Nos.: Box 6

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generation:

32c. Polarity: PD. Preparer:

32d. Emulsion & Base: Amy Kreidler 2-1-99

32e. Recording Rate/Ratio:
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7. Sac and Fox Agency (OK) 03/28/1908-11/12/1908  
8. Kickapoo Indian School 07/22/1903-12/22/1908  
9. George L. Williams Superintendent Potawatomi School 12/02/1903-03/25/1908  
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11.  
12. Frank H. Burnbenny (Patents in Fee) 01/07/1908-01/17/1908  
13. Floor and Feed Grain 09/21/1905-03/11/1908  
   2. Fee Simple to Kuh-ko-sah 08/20/1908  
14. Coal, Beef and Floor contracts 06/19/1903-08/16/1907  
15. Conds of Officials 07/15/1904-11/20/1908  
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21. Shipments of Supplies 04/18/1903-05/28/1908  
22. Petition of Shog-naab-go-quah 07/15/1908  
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24. Superintendent of Indian Schools 10/22/1908-12/31/1908  
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26. Blandin Day School 07/23/1908-12/18/1908  
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28. Omaha and Winnebago Agency 07/08/1903-07/29/1908  
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33. Potawatomi Training School 10/31/1908-11/28/1908  
34. Sac and Fox Agency (Iowa) 02/26/1903-11/10/1908  
35. Chilocco Agricultural School 09/02/1903-10/30/1908  
36. Haskell Insititute 09/05/1903-12/30/1908  
37. Green Bay Agency 03/24/1903-04/24/1908  
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38. Leech Lake School 07/07/1903
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40. Inherited and Individual Indian Accounts 09/24/1903-12/19/1908
41. Payment to Indians by Commercial Banks 16/30/1903-06/26/1908
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44. Fairbanks, Morse & Co. 02/08/1908-11/25/1908
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57. Report of Attendance Potawatomi Mission School 01/08/1909
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59. Blackboards 09/28/1908-10/17/1908
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63. Edson Watson 05/23/1908-10/28/1908
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65. Miscellaneous Individual Accounts and Education 06/05/1903-12/22/1905
66. Misc (?) 02/07/1905-12/04/1908
67. Indians at Perkinstown Wisconsin 11/04/1904-12/06/1905
68. Requisitions for Sale of Lands of Noncompetent Indians 09/26/1907-01/15/1908
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85. Sac and Fox Agency (O.T.) 07/02/1903-01/15/1904
86. Liquor on Reservation 01/22/1908
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88.

89. Requests for Authorization to Approve Check for Individual Indians 07/13/1908-12/05/1908
90. Field Work 06/04-15/1908
FORMAT X

1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: SUBJECT CORRESPONDENCE

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 3 ft. 3 in.  
6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 10/25/1883 - 06/17/1940  
7b. Bulk Dates: 1897-1940

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged according to agency subject classification; portions of which are consistent with the OIA standard subject categories commonly used prior to the BIA Standard Decimal Classification System applied after 1925.

9. National Security Classification  
   a. Status: unclassified  
   b. Level:  
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: Administrative correspondence and related records organized by subject, for day-to-day activity of the Potawatomi Agency. Files contain information of various kinds, i.e., annual estimates, authorities for expenditure, agency operations and individual accounts of tribal members; allotments, CCC-ID programs, court of claims awards; education, school inspection reports, student enrollment; employee leaves of absence, employee quarters, employee examinations, appointments and resignations, and, changes in employees; land issues such as land claims, heirship, guardianship, sales, trust patents, farming and grazing leases; correspondence with postmasters, relief programs and religion, licensing of traders, and annual statistics. The records generally continue and supplement the types of communications included in LETTERS RECEIVED FROM THE OIA, AND LETTERS RECEIVED FROM INDIAN SCHOOLS AND AGENCIES, NUMBERED CORRESPONDENCE WITH INDIAN AGENCIES AND SCHOOLS (See Local ID-3; 5; and 6).

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:
17. Process: Communicating / Administrating

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description: A detailed listing of folder headings is attached to this series description.

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.: 26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 102.01A 27. Reference Unit: NRE


32d. Emulsion & Base: 32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate: PD. Preparer: AMY KREIDLER 01/27/99
Box 7
A-I Aug 13, 1926 thru Jul 25, 1930
A-MIS Feb 13, 1931
AD-M Jan 16, 1931 thru Mar 21, 1931
Accounts Oct 25, 1883 thru May 12, 1909
Accounts 2 Sep 8, 1897 thru Aug 24, 1903
Annuity Payments May 8, 1915 thru Aug 23, 1916
CCC-ID Jul 7, 1934 - Dec 2, 1935
CCC-ID Dec 2, 1935 - Jun 26, 1935
CCC-ID Apr 24, 1936 - Jan 29, 1938

Box 8
CCC-ID Dec 21, 1937 - Jul 6, 1939
CCC-ID Jul 3, 1939 - Jun 17, 1940
E-L
Education
Education
Education
Education - Construction
Education - Employees
Education - Employees

Box 9
Education - H
Education - Industries
Education - Industries
Education - L&O
Education - Schools ca. 1910-1912
Education - Schools ca. 1913-1925
Education - Purchases
F-Claims Jan 11, 1902 - Jan 14, 1913
Finance - Bkkg Mar 28, 1917 - Nov 9, 1936
Finance
Finance
Finance - Accounts

Box 10
Finance - Accounts
Finance - Accounts
Finance - Accounts
Finance - Checks and authorities
Gas and Oil Leases

**Box 11**
Industrial
L-A
Land
Land
Land
Land
Land
Land

**Box 12**
Land
Land Contracts
Land Contracts
Land Contracts
Land Contracts
Land Contracts

**Box 13**
Land Contracts
Land Contracts
Land - Exchange of Allotments Jul 1, 1909 - Nov 14, 1914
Land - Pertaining to sales of Allotments
Land - Sales Oct 8, 1909 - Mar 23, 1914
Land - Sales
L.L.
L. Oil & Gas
L-R
M-L
P-S
Per Capita Payment
Correspondence w/ P.M. Kaufman - Phlox, WI
Postmaster - Arpin, WI
Postmaster - McCord, WI
Postmaster - Pittsville, WI

**Box 14**
Purchase
Pur-Trans
Relief
Religion and Missions
Religion and Missions
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: CORRESPONDENCE WITH INDIVIDUAL INDIANS

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 6 ft. 6 in.

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 1895-1936

7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Series is arranged alphabetically by Indian surname.
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: Superintendent’s correspondence that chiefly concerns the affairs Indians of the agency. In subject matter the letters include information about allotments, annuities, claims, affidavits of heirship; individual Indian money, land sales, conveyance, leases, and related issues; education and enrollment of students in the Potawatomi and Kickapoo Training schools; official receipts, purchases and payments made; and Indian health. The correspondence complements related materials described in COPIES OF LETTERS SENT, 1878-1914 (Local ID - 2), that also contains a significant volume of material that is revealing about the personal affairs of the “Prairie Potawatomi” in the late 19th and early 20th centuries

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Communicating / Administrating

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
23a. Finding Aids:
23b. Other Description:
23c. Detailed Description:
24. NS Accession No.: 
26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 102.01A
28. Local ID: 8
30. Processing Unit: NRE
32. Microforms:
32a. Dimensions:
32b. Generation:
32c. Polarity:
32d. Emulsion & Base: 
32e. Recording Rate/Ratio: 
25. FRC Transfer No.:
27. Reference Unit: NRE
29. Location: NRE
29a. Bldg. Code: NRE
29b. Stack Area: NREK-A
29c. Begin Loc.: 34/01/02
29d. End Loc.: 34/01/02
29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S
PD: Preparer
AMY KREIDLER
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: SUPERINTENDENT’S DECIMAL CORRESPONDENCE FILES

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 33 feet 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: ca. 1883-1969 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged by subject according to the decimal classification system established by the Bureau of Indian Affairs for field offices December 11, 1925. Records in this file date from 1883; records apparently being merged into this series from other subject files at the discretion of the agency superintendent.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: The decimal file is a very detailed subject file that captures virtually all categories of administrative activity and official action of the Superintendent of the Potawatomi Boarding School. The decimal file contains chiefly memoranda, studies, correspondence and reports concerning broad subject headings as follows: general and statistical, administration and control, finance and accounts, land, buildings and equipment, supplies and farm stock, military activities, health and social relations, education, industries and employment.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Communicating / Administrating

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POTAWATOMI AGENCY

SUPERINTENDENT'S DECIMAL CORRESPONDENCE, 1883-1969
Local ID: 9

Box 31

000 - No Enclosures
003 - No Enclosures
003 - Miscellaneous Correspondence (1916-1932)
003 - Miscellaneous Correspondence (1926-1933)
003 - Miscellaneous Correspondence (1953-1955)
003 - Miscellaneous Correspondence (1956-1957)
003 - Miscellaneous Correspondence (1958-1959)
003 - Miscellaneous Correspondence (1960-1961)
003 - Miscellaneous Correspondence (1962)
003 - Miscellaneous Correspondence (1963)
004 - Indian Office Correspondence
004 - IOC - Letters to Indian Office (1925)
004 - IOC - Letters to Indian Office (1926) - F1
004 - IOC - Letters to Indian Office (1926) - F2
004 - IOC - Letters to Indian Office (1926) - F3
004 - IOC - Letters to Indian Office (1927)

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005 - Letters to All Others
006 - Status File of Individual Indians - 1926-1933
006 - Status File of Individual Indians - 1927-1929
007 - Miscellaneous - Personal Correspondence of the Superintendent - School (1938-1943)
007 - Miscellaneous - Personal Correspondence of the Superintendent - School (1942-1951)
007 - Miscellaneous - Personal Correspondence of the Superintendent - School (1944-1952)
010 - Publications - 1915-1931
010 - Publications - 1916 & 1921
011 - Indian Office Publications
014 - Maps and Charts (1927 & 1935)
014 - Maps and Charts - Map of Indian School District
014 - Maps and Charts - Map of Potawatomi Reservation
014 - Maps and Charts - Map of Jurisdiction
014 - Maps and Charts - Map of Kickapoo Reservation
014 - Maps and Charts - Map of Iowa Sac + Fox Reservation
014 - Maps and Charts - CC - ID Maps
015 - Directories - County School Directories
015 - Directories - K-State University
015 - Directories - Kansas Federal Agency Directory
020 - Legislation - No Enclosures
021 - Petitions to Congress - No Enclosures
023 - Proposed Legislation
027 - Intoxicant, Drugs (Peyote)
027 - Intoxicant, Drugs - Prin. Federal Law Relating to Liquor Trafficking Among Indians - Kickapoo 1911

Box 33

030 - Departmental Relations - 1899-1924
030 - Departmental Relations - 1925-1936
031.1 - Animal Industry
032 - Interior Dept. - Commissioner's Editorials - Folder 1
032 - Interior Dept. - Commissioner's Editorials - Folder 2
034 - Post Office Dept.
035 - Treasury Dept.
036.0 - War Dept. - Bonds
037 - Numbered Circular Letters - Ninth U.S. Civil Service Region -
037 - Numbered Circular Letters - Ninth U.S. Civil Service Region - Misc. Memoranda and Medical Services

Box 34

039 - Other Dept. And Establishments
040 - Publicity - Folder 1 (No Enclosures)
040 - Publicity - Folder 2
040 - Publicity - Checks from 1917
040 - Publicity - Papers from 1924-1928
042 - Relics and Ruins
042 - Relics and Ruins - Records from 9/1/1933
043 - Article Interviews, etc.
044 - Monuments and Memorials
045 - Speeches
046 - Advertising
047 - Fairs and Expositions
047 - F & E - Potawatomi Indian Fair
048 - Photos and Moving Pictures
049 - Other Misc. Publicity
050 - School Statistics
050 - School Statistics - Reports Correspondence (No Enclosures)
050 - School Statistics - Reports Correspondence (1896-1923)
050 - School Statistics - RC (1918-1919)
051 - Annual Reports
051 - Annual Reports - Correspondence (1916-1919)
051 - Annual Reports - Statistics (1926-1927)
051 - Annual Reports - Quarterly Reports
051 - Annual Reports - 1931-1957
051 - Annual Reports - Credit Funds (1939-1941)

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051 - Annual Reports - Credit Funds (1942-1943)
051 - Annual Reports - Credit Funds (1944)
051 - Annual Reports - Credit Funds (1945-1946)
051 - Annual Reports - Credit Funds (1947-1948)
051 - Annual Reports - Credit Funds (1949-1950)

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051 - Annual Reports - Credit Funds (1951-1952)
051 - Annual Reports - Credit Funds (1953-1956)
052 - Statistical Records and Reports
052 - Statistical Records and Reports - Annual (1930-1935)
052 - Statistical Records and Reports - Annual (1936-1937)
052 - Statistical Records and Reports - Annual (1938-1939)
052 - Statistical Records and Reports - Annual (1940)

Box 37

052.2 - Farmers Reports and Correspondence
052.2 - Farmers Reports and Correspondence - Credit Letters (1939-1945)
052.5 - Farmers Reports and Correspondence - Agency Farmer Kickapoo
052.5 - Supervisor of Indian Education
052.7 - Statistical Report for Industry and Agriculture
052.9 - Other Statistical Reports
052.9 - Other Statistical Reports (No Enclosures)
052.9 - Other Statistical Reports - 1939-1945 (Census Recapitulation)
052.9 - Other Statistical Reports - Delinquency Reports
053 - Historical Data
053.0 - Genealogy and Family History
054 - Census Correspondence
054.0 - Tribal Census - 1930 (Potawatomi)
054.0 - Tribal Census - Statistical (No Enclosures)
054.0 - Tribal Census - 1938 (Index of Enrolles) - Potawatomi Jurisdiction (Folder 1)
054.0 - Tribal Census - 1938 (Index of Enrolles) - Potawatomi Jurisdiction (Folder 2)
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054.0 - Tribal Census (1938) - Index of Enrolles - Potawatomi Jurisdiction (Folder 3)
054.0 - Tribal Census - Families on Iowa, Sac + Fox
054.0 - Tribal Census - Kickapoo
054.1 - School Census - Iowa School (F1)
054.1 - School Census - Iowa School (F2)
054.1 - School Census - School Census Info. from Letters
054.1 - School Census - Potawatomi - Folder 1
054.1 - School Census - Potawatomi - Folder 2
054.1 - School Census - Potawatomi - Sub Agency (Haskell Institute - 1934)

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054.1 - School Census - Kickapoo - Folder 1
054.1 - School Census - Kickapoo - Folder 2
054.1 - School Census - Sac + Fox - Folder 1
054.1 - School Census - Sac + Fox - Folder 2
054.1 - School Census - Census Information - 1937-1938
055 - School Supervisors Annual Reports
060 - Tribal Relations - Folder 1
060 - Tribal Relations - Folder 2
062 - Treaties - 1904-1935
062 - Treaties - 1931
063 - Enrollment
063 - Enrollment - Citizenship Degree of Indian Blood
063 - Enrollment - Indian Citizenship

Box 40

064 - Councils
065 - Elections (General)
065 - Elections - Potawatomi Tribal
065 - Elections - Tribal Sac and Fox
067 - Business Committees
069 - Petitions
070 - Indian Customs
073 - Indian Dances
074 - Language and Dialects
080 - Patents and Trademarks
090 - Organizations Interested in Indians
100 - Administration and Control
100 - Administration and Control - 1883-1897
100 - Administration and Control - 1897-1899
Box 41

100 - Administration and Control - 1900-1912 (Folder 1)
100 - Administration and Control - 1900-1912 (Folder 2)
100 - Administration and Control - 1913-1916 (Folder 1)
100 - Administration and Control - 1913-1916 (Folder 2)
100 - Administration and Control - 1917-1920 (Folder 1)
100 - Administration and Control - 1917-1920 (Folder 2)
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100 - Administration and Control - 1921-1922 (Folder 2)

Box 42

100 - Administration and Control - 1921-1922 (Folder 3)
100 - Administration and Control - 1921-1922 (Folder 4)
104 - Filing Systems
110 - Rules & Regulations
111 - Executive Orders
112 - Indian Office Circulars - Folder 1
112 - Indian Office Circulars - Folder 2
112 - Indian Office Circulars - Folder 3
112 - Indian Office Circulars - Folder 4
112.0 - Treasury Circulars

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112.3 - Circulars - Chief Supervisor of Education
112.4 - Comptroller General Special Relation
113 - Permits to Indian Territory
115 - Hunting and Fishing Licenses
120 - Policy
121 - Visiting Among Indians - Folder 1
121 - Visiting Among Indians - Folder 2
126 - Labor and Drug Traffic
126 - Labor and Drug Traffic - Liquor and Drugs
127 - Indian Competent - Roll of Honor - No Enclosures
127 - Indian Competent
130 - Establishment, Reopening or Abolishment - 1911-1925
130 - Establishment, Reopening or Abolishment - 1926-1928
138 - Location of Address
140 - Communication
141 - Mail Matters
142 - Post Offices - 1926 & 1936
142 - Post Offices - Telegraph Form
143 - Telegrams
143 - Telegrams - Telegraph Services and Rates + Dept. Code
143.0 - Telegrams Duplicate Incoming
143.1 - Telegrams Duplicate Outcoming
143.2 - Telegrams and Confirmation Copies
144 - Telephone Service & Rates
147 - Newspaper Clippings
149 - Roster & Directories - Indian Service Directories - Folder 1

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149 - Roster & Directories - Indian Service Directories - Folder 2
150 - Inspections and Investigations - Folder 1
150 - Inspections and Investigations - Folder 2
150 - Inspections and Investigations - Folder 3
153 - Proselyting and Religious Controversies
154 - Charges Against Employees
155 - Complaints - Folder 1
155 - Complaints - Folder 2 (No Enclosures)
155 - Complaints - Folder 3
156 - Inspections Circulars, Suggestions, and Instructions
157 - Letters to the Honorable Commissioner of Indian Affairs
160 - Officers and Employees - Folder 1
160 - Officers and Employees - Folder 2
160 - Officers and Employees - Folder 3 (Personal Correspondence)

Box 45

160.0 - Official Signature and Bonds of Officers and Employees - Folder 1
160.0 - Official Signature and Bonds of Officers and Employees - Folder 2
160.1 - Details, Travel Orders, and Visits (FY 1949)
160.1 - Details, Travel Orders, and Visits (FY 1950)
160.1 - Details, Travel Orders, and Visits (FY 1951)
160.1 - Details, Travel Orders, and Visits (FY 1952)
160.1 - Details, Travel Orders, and Visits (FY 1953)
160.1 - Details, Travel Orders, and Visits (FY 1954)
160.1 - Details, Travel Orders, and Visits (FY 1955)
160.1 - Details, Travel Orders, and Visits (FY 1956)
160.2 - Itinerary of Traveling Officials
160.5 - Changes in Employees Report - Record from 1918
160.5 - Changes in Employees Report - 2 Records from 1931 & 1933
160.5 - Changes in Employees Report - 1915-1924 (F1)
160.5 - Changes in Employees Report - 1915-1924 (F2)

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160.5 - Changes in Employees Report - 1915-1924 (F3)
160.5 - Changes in Employees Report - 1915-1924 (F4)
160.5 - Changes in Employees Report - Changes in Civilian Personnel (1936-1939)
160.5 - Changes in Employees Report - Changes in Civilian Personnel (1940)
160.5 - Changes in Employees Report - Changes in Civilian Personnel (1940-1941)
160.5 - Changes in Employees Report - Changes in Civilian Personnel (1942)

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160.5 - Changes in Employees Report - Personnel (F1)
160.5 - Changes in Employees Report - Personnel (F2)
160.6 - Compensation
160.6 - Compensation - Increase of Promotions, Compensation, Certificates (F1)
160.6 - Compensation - Increase of Promotions, Compensation, Certificates (F2)
160.6 - Compensation - Increase of Promotions, Compensation, Certificates (F3)
160.7 - Perquisites & Subsistence of Employees and Their Children
160.8 - Membership in Association and Organization
161 - Personnel or Status File - Folder 1 (Form A - Official Signatures and Bonds)
161 - Personnel or Status File - Folder 2 (Form B - Personnel Report from July 1950)
161 - Personnel or Status File - Folder 3 (Form a - Change in Civilian Personnel)
161 - Personnel or Status File - Folder 4 (Enclosures from 1926)
161.0 - Ex-Personnel File

Box 48

161 - Individual Records of A.R. Synder, Superintendent - Position 1
161 - Individual Records of Franklin A. Elkin, Teacher - Position 2
161 - Individual Records of Mrs. Mellie & Mrs. Elkin, Housekeepers - Position 3
161 - Individual Records of Leonard L. Smith, Clerk - Position 6
161 - Individual Records of Bernard W. Topash, Assistant Clerk - Position 7
161 - Individual Records of Anne Hallingford, Financial Clerk - Position 8
161 - Individual Records of French L. Thomas, Farmer - Position 9
161 - Individual Records of Perry Butler, Private - Position 11
162 - Applications for Employment - F1
162 - Applications for Employment (Positions) - F2
162.11 - Farmer (F1)
162.11 - Farmer (F2)
162.13 - Matron
162.16 - Nurse
162.19 - Physician - No Enclosures
162.19 - Physician - 1933
162.19 - Physician - 1935
162.21 - Principal
162.24 - Superintendent
162.28 - Teacher (F1)
162.28 - Teacher - Applications (F2)
162.29 - Other Positions
162.29 - Other Positions - Adelma W. Kerr
162.3 - Carpenter
162.4 - Clerk (F1)
162.4 - Clerk (F2)
162.4 - Clerk - Joseph V. King, Lease Clerk (Pos. 7)
162.5 - Cook
163 - Vacancy Correspondence - 1912-1931
163 - Vacancy Correspondence - 1945-1951
163.10 - Engineer
163.11 - Farmer - Dixie W. Barker
163.12 - Laundress
163.24 - Superintendent

Box 49

163.28 - Teacher (VC) - Folder 1
163.28 - Teacher (VC) - Folder 2
163.29 - Other Positions - Folder 1
163.29 - Other Positions - Folder 2
163.4 - Clerk (VC) - F1
163.4 - Clerk (VC) - Ex-Clerks - F2
163.4 - Clerk (VC) - F3
164 - Leave of Absence - Folder 1 (No Enclosures)
164 - Leave of Absence - Folder 2 (1930-1934)
164.0 - Educational Leave - 1927
164.0 - Educational Leave - 1931 & 1935
165 - Hours of Labor
166.0 - Retirement - Folder 1 (Forms from May 1931)
166.0 - Retirement - Folder 2 (Forms from May 1934)
166.0 - Retirement - Folder 3 - (FY 1948 - Civil Service Reductions)
166.0 - Retirement - Folder 4 - (Retirement Reduction Reports - 1944-1950)
166.1 - Reclassification
167 - Efficiency Reports - 1926-1932
167 - Efficiency Reports - Service Ratings (Folder 1)

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167 - Efficiency Reports - Service Ratings (Folder 2)
168 - Irregular Employees
170 - Law - Folder 1
170 - Law - Folder 2
170 - Law - Folder 3
170 - Law - Folder 4
172 - State Laws - No Enclosures
172 - State Laws - Iowa
172 - State Laws - Kickapoo
173 - Law Courts - F1
173 - Law Courts - F2

Box 51

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173.3 - Calls for Evidence
173.5 - U.S. Attorney and U.S. Marshall - Newspaper Articles
173.5 - U.S. Attorney and U.S. Marshall - 1918-1919
173.5 - U.S. Attorney and U.S. Marshall - 1921-1927
174 - Powers of Attorneys - Letters to Superintendents
174 - Powers of Attorneys - Fines and Penalties
174.00 - U.S. Attorneys - Kansas & Nebraska (F1)
174.00 - U.S. Attorneys - Kansas & Nebraska (F2)
174.01 - County Attorneys
174.03 - All Other County Officers
175 - Offenses and Crimes
175.1 - Suits
175.2 - Fines and Penalties (1916-1917)
175.2 - Fines and Penalties (3/8/1930)
175.3 - Pardons & Parole
178 - Proclamations
180 - Transportation and Passengers - New Bus Line (School Bus & Pick UP) - Folder 1
180 - Transportation and Passengers - Folder 2
180 - Transportation and Passengers - Folder 3
181 - Transportation Requests

Box 52

182 - Officials, Employees, and Pupils
183 - Children to School (F1)
183 - Children to School (F2)
200 - Finance and Accounts - 1896-1916
200 - Finance and Accounts - 1900-1901
200 - Finance and Accounts - 1902-1909 (1)

Box 53

200 - Finance and Accounts - 1902-1909 (2)
200 - Finance and Accounts - 1910-1911
200 - Finance and Accounts - 1912-Apr.1913
200 - Finance and Accounts - May-Sept.1913
200 - Finance and Accounts - Oct.1913-1914
200 - Finance and Accounts - Jan.-Sept.1915

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200 - Finance and Accounts - Oct.-Dec.1915
200 - Finance and Accounts - 1916-1917
200 - Finance and Accounts - 1918
200 - Finance and Accounts - 1918 (2)
200 - Finance and Accounts - Jan.-Mar.1919

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200 - Finance and Accounts - Apr.-Dec.1919
200 - Finance and Accounts - Jan.-July 1920
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200 - Finance and Accounts - 1921(1)
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213.0 - Indian Tribal Trust Funds - 1928 & 1932
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220.2 - Allotments Correspondence - Series 3 - Numerical & Alphabetical Index of Original Allottees (3rd Copy from Jan.-Oct.1940)
220.2 - Allotments Correspondence - Series 3 - Numerical & Alphabetical Index of
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220.2 - Allotments Correspondence - Series 3 - Numerical and Alphabetical Index of Original Allottees (Superintendent Copy of Sac & Fox Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska - 1940)

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220.2 - Allotments Correspondence - Series 3 - Numerical and Alphabetical Index of Original Allottees (Sac Fox Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska -1940) - IIM Account Clerk Copy
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220.2 - Allotments Correspondence - Series 3 - Numerical and Alphabetical Index of Original Allottees (Iowa Tribe of Nebraska and Kansas - Jan.1940) - 2nd Copy
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510.162 - Stoves & Ranges
510.181 - Medicine, Drugs - Record from Feb. 18, 1953
510.181 - Medicine, Drugs - Law & Order
510.190 - School Books & Supplies - 1930-1935
510.190 - School Books & Supplies - 1940-1941
510.192 - Books for Selection & Adoption
510.194 - School Supplies
510.199 - Other Miscellaneous Items
510.211 - Coal, Blacksmiths - Hard or Soft
510.212 - Fuel Oil
510.213 - Wood Fuels
510.214 - Gas & Other Fuels - 1931-1936
510.214 - Gas & Other Fuels - 1950
510.214 - Gas & Other Fuels - 1957-1958
510.214 - Gas & Other Fuels - 1959-1961
510.221 - Electric Current - 1929-1932
510.221 - Electric Current - 1959-1961
510.224 - Automobile Accessories
510.225 - Looms
510.226 - Laundry Machines
510.229 - Other Miscellaneous Purchases

Box 91

520 - Repairs & Improvements Material - Repair Work (Folder 1)
520 - Repairs & Improvements Material - Repair Work (Folder 2)
520.1 - Lumber & Timber Products
520.2 - Brick, Stone, Asphaltum, Adobe, etc.
530 - Livestock
531 - Cattle
532 - Horses & Mules
535 - Hogs
540 - Transportation, Freight, and Express - 1911-1924
540 - Transportation, Freight, and Express - 1934-1956
541 - Bills of Lading, Requests For, etc. - 1928-1930
541 - Bills of Lading, Requests For, etc. - 1943-1950
541 - Bills of Lading, Requests For, etc. - 1952-1961
541.2 - Commercial & Freight Bills of Lading
542 - Delays, Losses or Damages in Transit - 1926
542 - Delays, Losses or Damages in Transit - 1950
545 - Automobile - No Enclosures
545 - Automobile - 1943-1946
545 - Automobile - 1947-1949
545 - Automobile - 1956-1960
545 - Automobile - Bus (1942-1943)
550 - Office Supplies & Equipment
551 - Adding & Calculating Machines
552 - Typewriters
553 - Mimeograph
554 - Stationery & Office Files
555 - Filing Equipment
560 - Printing & Binding
562 - Government - Forms
570 - Seeds, Trees, Shrubbery, and Flowers
571 - Farm & Garden Seed
581 - Automobiles - Passenger
582 - Trucks
590 - Miscellaneous Supplies & Equipment
610 - World War Veterans - Indians in World War (1930)
610 - World War Veterans - Indians in World War (1936)
640 - National Guard
660 - War Relief Work - Red Cross, etc.

Box 92

700 - Health & Social Relations - 1897-1923
700 - Health & Social Relations - 1924-1929
700 - Health & Social Relations - 1930-1931
700 - Health & Social Relations - 1932-1937
700 - Health & Social Relations - 1938
700 - Health & Social Relations - 1939-1945
700 - Health & Social Relations - 1946-1950
700 - Health & Social Relations - 1954-1955
700 - Health & Social Relations - No Enclosures
700 - Health & Social Relations - No Enclosures (2)
701 - Rules & Regulations
703 - Camps & Camping
704 - Child Welfare

Box 93

705 - Physicians, Surgeons, Bills, etc. - 1938-1945
705 - Physicians, Surgeons, Bills, etc. - 1947-1948
705 - Physicians, Surgeons, Bills, etc. - 1954
705 - Physicians, Surgeons, Bills, etc. - Consultants (1954)
706 - Conferences
707 - Sterilization of Feeble-Minded Girls - 1938-1947
708 - Health Bills - Clinics
710 - Sanitation - 1928-1939
710 - Sanitation - Record from April 30, 1947
710 - Sanitation - 1947-1954
710 - Sanitation - 1960-1961
710 - Sanitation - No Enclosures
720 - Relief Work - Folder 1
720 - Relief Work - Folder 2 (1924-1934)
720 - Relief Work - Institutions (1932-1935)
720 - Relief Work - Institutions (1941-1942)
720 - Relief Work - Institutions (1943-1946)

Box 94

720.1 - WPA - Welfare (1936-1963)
720.1 - WPA - Welfare (1939-1947)
720.1 - WPA - Welfare - Brown County
720.1 - WPA - Welfare - Relief Issues
720.1 - WPA - Welfare - Unpaid Bills (Indians)
720.1 - WPA - Welfare - Employment Information
720.1 - WPA - Welfare - Recreation Programs
720.1 - WPA - Welfare - National Youth Administration (NYA Employment for Schools)
720.1 - WPA - Welfare - Fiscal Status Report & Office Record Project
720.1 - WPA - Correspondence (1936)

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720.1 - WPA - Correspondence (1937)
720.1 - WPA - Correspondence (1938) - Folder 1
720.1 - WPA - Correspondence (1938) - Folder 2
720.2 - Indian Reservation - Relief Work
720.3 - Civilian Conservation Corps - 1935
720.3 - Civilian Conservation Corps - 1936-1940

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720.4 - National Youth Administration
720.52 - Boarding Home Care - 1935-1945
720.52 - Boarding Home Care - 1953
720.52 - Boarding Home Care - 1954-1963
720.52 - Boarding Home Care - No Enclosures
720.55 - Welfare in Boarding School - School Dropouts
720.6 - Child Welfare League
720.7 - Welfare - Indians (Folder 1)
720.7 - Welfare - Indians (Folder 2)
720.71 - Indians’ Museum Project
720.723 - Public Assistance - Kansas
720.8 - Report of Contracts Let In Areas of Employment
722 - Hospitals
722.0 - Admission of Reservation Indians - Hospitals (Records from 1931 & 1933)
722.0 - Admission of Reservation Indians - Hospitals (1938-1950)
722.0 - Admission of Reservation Indians - Hospitals (1949 & 1953)
722.1 - Charges or Fees - No Enclosures
722.1 - Charges or Fees - 1936-1960
722.2 - Hospital Reports - 1935-1938
722.2 - Hospital Reports - 1940-1946
722.3 - Minn. General
722.4 - Gillett
722.8 - Maternity Issues
723.0 - Asylum for Insane Indians - 1930
723.0 - Asylum for Insane Indians - Narcotics (1930-1943)
723.1 & 723.2 - Blind, Deaf, and Dumb Indians
723.4 - Aged Persons
724 - Indigent Indians - Marked Wrong

Box 97

724 - Indigent Indians - Destitute Persons (1934-1939) - Folder 1
724 - Indigent Indians - Destitute Persons (1934-1939) - Folder 2
725 - Insurance, Accident, Life, etc. - 1932-1933
725 - Insurance, Accident, Life, etc. - Protection of Indians
726 - Pensions, Old Age
729 - Indian Rehabilitation Correspondence - 1936-1937
729 - Indian Rehabilitation Correspondence - 1940
730 - Diseases and Injuries
731 - Epidemics - 1936-1938
731 - Epidemics - 1949
732 - Medical Examinations and/or Treatment
732.1 - Hospital Authorizations
733 - Dentists and Contract Physicians - Folder 1
733 - Dentists and Contract Physicians - Folder 2
734 - Medical Examinations and Mental - Records Marked 100, 180, & 200
734 - Medical Examinations and Mental - Records from 1942 & 1958
734 - Medical Examinations and Mental - Records from 1947 & 1956

Box 98

736 - Trachoma - Records Marked Wrong or Just in the Wrong Place
736 - Trachoma - Records from 1935-1942
737 - Tuberculosis - 1936-1941
737 - Tuberculosis - Vaccine (1949)
738 - Dental Records
739 - Various Diseases
740 - Social Relations - Vital Statistics (Marked 100 & 150)
740 - Social Relations - Vital Statistics (1924-1934)
740 - Social Relations - Social Workers’ Reports
741 - Births - Birth Certificates (Marked 030, 090, & 100)
741 - Births - Birth Certificates (1935-1947)
741 - Births - Birth Certificates (1942-1944)
741 & 742 - Births and Deaths
742 - Deaths - Marked 100
742 - Deaths - 1935-1951 (Marked Right)
743 - Marriages - Marked 170
743 - Marriages - 1935-1945
743 - Marriages - 1939-1946
745 - Divorces - 1936-1942
745 - Divorces - 1946
747 - Support of Family - County Welfare
749 - Community Meetings - Comm. House

Box 99

750 - Amusements & Athletics - 1915-1920
750 - Amusements & Athletics - 1921-1925
750 - Amusements & Athletics - 1926
750 - Amusements & Athletics - 1927-1936
750 - Amusements & Athletics - July-Aug.1936
750 - Amusements & Athletics - Activities (1948)
751 - Moving Pictures, Films, Supplies, etc. (Record form 1929)
751 - Moving Pictures, Films, Supplies, etc. - 1936-1950
752 - Football
753 - Baseball - Contains Enclosures
753 - Baseball - No Enclosures
757 - School Plays, Entertainment, Dramas, etc.
758 - Athletics Funds

Box 100

760 - Funerals & Burials
761 - Funeral Expenses - Burial (1931-1934)
761 - Funeral Expenses - Burial (1936-1943)
770 - Charities and Benevolence - September 27, 1934
770 - Charities and Benevolence - 1932-1934
780 - Food - Diet (1920-1935)
780 - Food - Diet (Relief Commodities) - 1933-1934
780 - Food - Diet (1934)  
780 - Food - Diet (Relief Commodities) - 1935  
780 - Food - Diet (Relief Commodities) - 1936  
783 - Rationing - Sugar Rationing & Stamp Plan  
784 & 785 - Bureau of Indian Affairs  
790 - Medical Supplies & Meetings (1897-1934)  
790 - Medical Supplies & Meetings (1936-1940)  
800 - Education (Marked 100 - Might Be Incorrect)  
800 - Education - Undated  
800 - Education - 1895-1900

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800 - Education - 1901-1907  
800 - Education - 1908-1915  
800 - Education - 1916-1920  
800 - Education - 1921-1923  
800 - Education - 1924-1925  
800 - Education - 1926-1929

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800 - Education - 1930-1931  
800 - Education - 1932-1933  
800 - Education - 1934  
800 - Education - 1935-1936  
801 - Rules & Regulations - 1956  
801 - Rules & Regulations - Indian School Regulations  
801 - Rules & Regulations - High School Rules  
801.2 - Enrollment w/ Approval of Superintendent - Enrollment

**Box 103**

803 - Public Schools & Contract - Marked 100 & 180 (Also Might Be Incorrectly Marked)  
803 - Public Schools & Contract - Correspondence, etc. (1955)  
803.1 - No Enclosures  
804.1 - School Facilities - Boy Scout Correspondence  
804.1 - School Facilities - Highlights Years Program of Scouting (Folder 1)  
804.1 - School Facilities - Highlights Years Program of Scouting (Folder 2)  
804.1 - School Facilities - Boy Scout Records  
804.1 - School Facilities - Boy Scout Blank Forms  
805 - School Terms, Vacations, Commencements, Closing and Opening Dates, Uniform Examinations - Marked 100 (Might Be Incorrect)  
805 - School Terms, Vacations, etc. - Marked Itself (805) - 1944-1958
806 - Schools - 1914-1927 (One Record Marked 100)
806 - Schools - Iowa, Sac & Fox
806 - Schools - Misc. School Correspondence Not Otherwise Classified (1928-1948)
806 - Schools - Misc. School Correspondence Not Otherwise Classified (1935-1946)
806 - Schools - Misc. School Correspondence (1955-1959)
806 - Schools - Misc. School Correspondence (1959-1962)
806.0 - Reservation Boarding - 1959
806.0 - Reservation Boarding - High School Boarding Contracts
806.0 - Reservation Boarding - High School Enrollment

Box 104

806.0 - Reservation Boarding - Boarding School Enrollment
806.0 - Reservation Boarding - Boarding Home Care
806.0 - Reservation Boarding - Boarding & Room Totals
806.2 - Non-Reservation Boarding Schools Daily Programs - Papers Lost
806.2 - Non-Reservation Boarding Schools - 1941-1955
806.2 - Non-Reservation Boarding Schools - Education Loan Correspondence (Folder 1)
806.2 - Non-Reservation Boarding Schools - Education Loan Correspondence (Folder 2)
806.3 - Catholic Mission
807 - Course of Study - 1935-1956
807 - Course of Study - 1962
808 - School Surveys - Marked 150 & 180
808 - School Surveys - 1941-1959
808 - School Surveys - Families on Potawatomi (pp.1-3)
808 - School Surveys - Families on Kickapoo (pg.1)

Box 105

809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - 1935-1958 (Folder 1)
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - 1935-1958 (Folder 2)
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - 1936
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - 1936-1937
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - 1937-1946
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Horton High Tuition (Folder 1)
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Horton High Tuition (Folder 2)
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Mayetta High Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Powhatan
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Rulo Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Grand Prairie Tuition

Box 106

809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - White Cloud High Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Witchewah Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Kewankah High
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Blandin Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Brewer Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Sunny Brook Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Rock Brook Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Neive Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Miller Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Cedar Yale Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Jackson County School District
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - New Century Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Mayetta Grade Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Green Valley Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Grand View Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Kickapoo Tuition

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809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Corner View Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Nemaha Valley Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Oak Grove Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - White Cloud Grade Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Preston Grade Tuition
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Misc. & Tuition Correspondence
(Folder 1)
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Misc. & Tuition Correspondence
(Folder 2)
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Misc. & Tuition Correspondence
(Folder 3)
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Funds & Tuition Authorities (Folder 1)
809 - Tuition, Government & Public Schools - Funds & Tuition Authorities (Folder 2)
810 - Teaching & Training - 1899 & 1934
810 - Teaching & Training - 1947
811 - Agricultural Teaching & Training - No Enclosures
811 - Agricultural Teaching & Training - Marked 030 (Might Be Incorrectly Marked)
811.2 - Stock Judging
812 - Home Economics
812.2 - Sewing
815 - Academic Training - Returned Students

Box 108

816 - Religious Training
816.1 - Missions, Missionaries, Churches, Mission Schools
818 - Business Training - Marked 100 (Might be Wrong)
818.0 - Commercial Trading - Marked 100 (Might be Wrong)
820 - Pupils - Undated
820 - Pupils - 1896-1917
820 - Pupils - 1918-1921
820 - Pupils - 1922-1929
820 - Pupils - 1930-1932

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820 - Pupils - 1933-1934
820 - Pupils - 1937-1959
820.0 - Attendance Reports - Marked 050
820.0 - Attendance Reports - 2nd Quarter (1941-1942)
820.0 - Attendance Reports - School Pupils (1960-1963)
820.2 - Enrollment & Attendance - 1937-1938
820.2 - Enrollment & Attendance - 1938-1950
820.3 - Calenders & Daily Programs
820.3 - Calenders & Daily Programs - Kickapoo Day School
820.4 - Quotas & Transfer to Non-Reservation Schools
820.5 - Records of Pupils in School - Student Ratings (1935-1936) - Folder 1
820.5 - Records of Pupils in School - Student Ratings (1935-1936) - Folder 2
820.7 - Intelligence Tests for Loans - Education Loans

Box 110

821 - Prospective Students - Enrollment
822 - Misc. Student Matters - May 15, 1930
822 - Misc. Student Matters - 1941-1960
822.3 - Noon-Day Lunch - 1941
822.3 - Noon-Day Lunch - Food Distribution Administration (Kids) - 1943
822.5 - Continuation in School
822.6 - Police Cooperation & Arrests - 1934 & 1935
822.6 - Police Cooperation & Arrests - 1942
822.7 - Alphabetical Index of Old Misc. Indian File - Undated
822.7 - Alphabetical Index of Old Misc. Indian File - 1st Copy Indexed (March 1941)
822.7 - Alphabetical Index of Old Misc. Indian File - 2nd Copy Indexed (March 1941)
822.7 - Alphabetical Index of Old Misc. Indian File - 3rd Copy Indexed (March 1941)
823.1 - Achievements
823.2 - Alumnae Association
824.0 - Discipline
826 - Clubs & Associations - Marked 200
826 - Clubs & Associations - 1925-1943
826 - Clubs & Associations - June 20, 1943
826 - Clubs & Associations - Boy Scouts (1937-1960)
830 - Teachers
834 - Salaries & General Correspondence in Regards to Teachers
835 - Summer Schools for Employees
840 - Conferences - Marked 160
840 - Conferences - 1909-1932
841 - Supervisors Conferences - 1935-1939

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841 - Supervisors Conferences - 1937-1949
841 - Supervisors Conferences - St. Louis Conferences
842 - Schools & Agencies - 1939-1950 (Folder 1)
842 - Schools & Agencies - 1939-1950 (Folder 2)
842 - Schools & Agencies - 1946-1949
842 - Schools & Agencies - Hot Springs Conference (1937)
842 - Schools & Agencies - Tulsa Convention (Feb. 4-6, 1937)
843 - Circular Letters - Supervisors
850 - Day School Inspectors Reports & Correspondence - 1899-1933
850 - Day School Inspectors Reports & Correspondence - 1934-1949
850 - Day School Inspectors Reports & Correspondence - Kickapoo Day School - Correspondence #1 (Folder 1)

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850 - Day School Inspectors Reports & Correspondence - Kickapoo Day School - Correspondence #1 (Folder 2)
850 - Day School Inspectors Reports & Correspondence - Correspondence #2 (Folder 1)
850 - Day School Inspectors Reports & Correspondence - Correspondence #2 (Folder 2)
860 - School Supervisors - 1897 & 1933
860 - School Supervisors - 1941 & 1949
861 - Misc. Correspondence w/ the Field Agent & Superintendent - Carbon Copies
Agency
861 - Misc. Correspondence w/ Field Agent & Superintendent - County Superintendents' Correspondence
865 - Superintendents & Teachers Reports - Circular Letters, County Superintendents
866 - Superintendents Correspondence - Circular Letters, State Superintendents, Public Instruction
870 - Misc. School Correspondence - 1896-1924
870 - Misc. School Correspondence - Jan.4-June 30, 1937
870 - Misc. School Correspondence - Various Subjects (S1) (1931-1935)
870 - Misc. School Correspondence - Various Subjects (S1) (1936)
870 - Misc. School Correspondence - Various Subjects (S1) (1938-1939)

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870 - Misc. School Correspondence - Various Subjects (S2) (1936)
870 - Misc. School Correspondence - Various Subjects (S2) (1937-1939)
870 - Misc. School Correspondence - Various Subjects (S3) (1936)
870.1 - Superintendent of Indian Education - George C. Wells (Folder 1)
870.1 - Superintendent of Indian Education - George C. Wells (Folder 2)

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870.1 - Superintendent of Indian Education - Superintendent Bruce (Folder 1)
870.1 - Superintendent of Indian Education - Superintendent Bruce (Folder 2)
870.1 - Superintendent of Indian Education - Samuel H. Thompson - Correspondence (Folder 1)
870.1 - Superintendent of Indian Education - Samuel H. Thompson - Correspondence (Folder 2)
871 - Education Field Agency - Edna Gerken Reports
890 - Misc. Educational Activities - 1904-1934
890 - Misc. Educational Activities - 1937-1940
891 - Junior Red Cross
896 - Scholarships for Indians - Educational Loans
899 - Field Services
900 - Industries & Employment
903 - Labor Unions & Troubles, Includes Organization
904 - Native Arts - Undated
904 - Native Arts - 1926-1930
904 - Native Arts - 1934-1935
904 - Native Arts - 1935-1939
904 - Native Arts - 1940-1949
904 - Native Arts - No Enclosures

Box 115

910 - Agriculture - 1912-1919
910 - Agriculture - 1920-1936
910 - Agriculture - 1935-1944 (Folder 1)
910 - Agriculture - 1935-1944 (Folder 2)
912 - Cotton - Field Crops
915 - Farms & Farmers
916 - Extension Business - 1940-1946
916 - Extension Business - No Enclosures
918 - Farms & Farming - One Record Marked 040
919 - Agriculture Stats & Production
919 - Agriculture Stats & Production - No Enclosures
920 - Hunting & Fishing - 1933
920 - Hunting & Fishing - Wildlife (1942)
920 - Hunting & Fishing - Records Marked Incorrectly
930 - Stock Raising - 1913 & 1934
930 - Stock Raising - Records Marked 530
930 - Stock Raising - Records Marked 531.1
930 - Stock Raising - 1935 & 1946
931 - Beef Cattle
932 - Daily Cattle or Dairying
934 - Sheep - Folder 1
934 - Sheep - Folder 2
964 - Rugs & Blankets
965 - Beadwork
970 - Field Matrons Work - Domestic Employment

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971 - P.W.A. - Work
980 - Employment - 1895-1919
980 - Employment - 1920-1936 (Folder 1)
980 - Employment - 1920-1936 (Folder 2)
980 - Employment - 1941-1943
980 - Employment - 1942-1956
980 - Employment - 1957
985 - Employment in Building Trades
986 - Employment as Nurses
988 - Agencies, Employment - 1930
988 - Agencies, Employment - 1939-1948
990 - Other Employment & Industries - October 21, 1933
990 - Other Employment & Industries - 1933-1934
990 - Other Employment & Industries - Series 1, Folder 1
990 - Other Employment & Industries - Series 1, Folder 2

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990 - Other Employment & Industries - Series 2 (1935-1944) - Folder 1
990 - Other Employment & Industries - Series 2 (1935-1944) - Folder 2
990 - Other Employment & Industries - Series 2 (1940-1942) - Folder 3
990 - Other Employment & Industries - Series 2 (1941-1944) - Folder 4
990 - Other Employment & Industries - Series 2 (1941-1944) - Folder 5
992 - Students (Female) in Government Services - KC Employment
1. Record Group: 75
2a. Type of Records Unit: series         2b. Type of Description: initial
3. Records Unit Title: RECORD OF EMPLOYEES
4. General Materials Designator: BND
5. Linear Measurement: 2.5 inches         6. Item Count:
7a. Inclusive Dates: 10/10/1883-05/16/1907   7b. Bulk Dates:
8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by employment date.
9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):
10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:
10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:
11. Privacy Act System Status:
12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY
12b. Creating Individuals Name:
13. Functional Subgroup Title: Administrative Records
14. Records Unit Description: The record of employees is a bound register of appointment and other pertinent facts about the personnel of the Potawatomi and Great Nemaha Agencies. The register contains the information about each employee including their name, gender, race, age, marital status, position or occupation, previous occupation, birthplace, residence, where employed, other tribe(s) employed at, date of nomination, approved or disapproved, date of action, commencing service, termination of service, whether or not resigned or discharged, compensation received, and remarks.
15. Technical Access Requirements:
16. Type of Materials:
17. Process: Employing / Administrating
18. Corporate Name Reference:
19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.:

28. Local ID: 10

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:
32a. Dimensions:
32b. Generations:
32c. Polarity:
32d. Emulsion & Base:
32e. Generation:
32f. Recording Rate/Rate:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

29. Location: NRE
29a. Bldg. Code: NRE
29b. Stack Area: NREK-A
29c. Begin Loc.: 113/05/07
29d. End Loc.: 113/05/07
29e. Cntr. Type: BND
29f. Cntr. Nos.: vol. 69

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1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: POLICE RECORD BOOK

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 1 inch

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 10/01/1879-04/15/1880
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Entries are arranged by type of recorded action, and do not conform to any standard arrangement or classification system. Major categories include a chronological record of arrests, but also appointments of police officers, births, deaths and marriages. The volume contains an index that provides page numbers on which individuals and categories are found.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Legal Records

14. Records Unit Description: This volume contains entries that record births, deaths, and marriages; and (apparently) the incidental appointment of police deputies and a record of each deputies involvement in legal actions such as crimes committed, births, deaths, arrests, marriages, and stolen property that took place at the agency. Odd personal statistics and measurements are noted under appointments, including lung size, age, height, weight, whether or not married, and their tribe. Included in the individuals description is what they did either good or bad, including helping to arrest someone, or being arrested for intoxication.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Enforcing / Patrolling / Reporting / Registering / Surveilling
18. Corporate Name Reference:
19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
23a. Finding Aids:
23b. Other Description:
23c. Detailed Description:
24. NR Accession No.:
25. FRC Transfer No.:
26. Disposition Authority No.:
27. Reference Unit: NRE
28. Local ID: 11
29. Location: NRE
29a. Bldg. Code: NRE
29b. Stack Area: NREK-A
29c. Begin Loc.: 113/05/07
29d. End Loc.: 113/05/07
29e. Cntr. Type: BND
29f. Cntr. Nos.: vol. 70
30. Processing Unit: NRE
32. Microforms:
32a. Dimensions:
32b. Generations:
32c. Polarity:
32d. Emulsion & Base:
32e. Generation:
32f. Recording Rate/Rate: PD. Preparer:
32g. Recording Rate/Rate:
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1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: AGENCIES BUILDINGS REGISTER

4. General Materials Designator: TEX; PHO

5. Linear Measurement: 1 inch 6. Item Count: 12 PHO

7a. Inclusive Dates: ca. 1899-06/30/1924 7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Administrative Records

14. Records Unit Description: The "register of buildings" for the Potawatomi Agency, Kickapoo Training School, and the Sac and Fox Indian Reservation, is a bound volume containing standard form descriptive survey sheets (GPO Form 6-4073) that provide specific details about agency buildings and structures at the turn of the century. The information about the buildings includes where the building was located and what type of building it was, capacity and cost; when it was built, materials used, the type of roof and floor; condition of the building, whether or not there was water, laundry or bath facilities included; and a listing of any modifications made to the building, valuation and square footage at that date. The register also includes a list of buildings that cost under $100.00, along with general statements made about the water and sewer system, heating and power plant, and the lighting system used.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Administrating
18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 12

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

29b. Stack Area: NREX-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 113/05/07

29d. End Loc.: 113/05/07

29e. Cntr. Type: BND

29f. Cntr. Nos.: vol. 71

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32f. Recording Rate/Rate:

32g. PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 02/02/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: MARRIAGE LICENSE REGISTER

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: .5 inches 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 11/27/1901-05/26/1905 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged in order by date.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Legal Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series consists of a bound register of marriage licenses issued to members of the Potawatomi tribe by the superintendant. A typical license record includes the Indian and English name of applicants, the name on the allotment roll, age, relationship to each other, blood or nationality, tribe or citizenship, name of the father and mother, and if either one had been previously married. The register also includes a "return of marriage" that contains signature of the witness to the marriage, the statement declaring the date of the marriage, and location of marriage.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Licensing

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.:

28. Local ID: 13

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 113/05/07

29d. End Loc.: 113/05/07

29e. Cntr. Type: BND

29f. Cntr. Nos.: vol. 72

396. Preparer: KREIDLER 02/03/99

AMY KREIDLER 02/03/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: HEIRSHIP RECORDS

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 2.5 inches  
6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 09/1891-02/04/1909; 01/06/1912-11/03/1919

7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arrangement generally conforms to occurrence of death and heirship determination. Volumes contain alphabetical index indicating page number on which the heirship record is entered.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Legal Records

14. Records Unit Description: The heirship record is a manuscript register of heirs in heirship proceedings. Individual heirs are identified by their enrollment number under the name and enrollment number of the deceased. Entries include the date of death, and individuals listed as heirs to the estate of the deceased. Entries in volume two reference probate and allotment, and "heirship law" number recorded under which the inheritance was approved. Personal information about the parties is limited, although degree of blood is included for each claimant.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Probating

18. Corporate Name Reference:
19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 14

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NREK

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 113/04/07

29d. End Loc.: 113/04/07

29e. Cntr. Type: BND

29f. Cntr. Nos.: vols. 73-74

29g. Preparer:

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

32f. Cntr. Nos.: vols. 73-74

PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 02/03/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: CERTIFICATES FOR ANNUITY PAYMENTS (GUARDIANSHIP)

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 4 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 11/07/1899-08/01/1915  
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged generally in order by the date and the number in which the individual stated the claim. The last folder in the series is not arranged in a specific order.

9. National Security Classification  
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Legal Records

14. Records Unit Description: Legal statements recorded on form 5-131 between the Indians and the Agent stating the entitlement rights to the annuity shares of land from the deceased to their heirs. The documents contain the number in which the claim was made, the claim number, date, name(s) of individual(s) to receive the shares, and the agent. The certificates are signed and dated, witnessed, often by an interpreter present during the process. Some forms include a certified seal. Additional documentation is present in the form of correspondence and affidavits of lawful heirs forms 5-179 and 5-180 that include similar information to the above.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Certifying / Probating

18. Corporate Name Reference:
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1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: PROBATE CASE FILES

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: .3 inches  
6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 03/08/1900-01/26/1908  
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged alphabetically by the name of deceased.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Legal Records

14. Records Unit Description: Legal papers and correspondence filed in probate matters involving estates of Indians within the jurisdiction of the Potawatomi Agency. The files include bond papers, "Guardians Accounts of Administration" record sheets, correspondence between the assistant commissioner or assistant secretaries of the Office of Indian Affairs, and the Potawatomi Agency superintendent, lawyers, or parties having an interest.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Probating

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: 1106.01a

28. Local ID: 16

29. Processing Unit: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 034/01/08

29d. End Loc.: 034/01/08

29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S

29f. Cntr. Nos.: Box 110

32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base: PD.

32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate: AMY KREIDLER 02/03/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: RECEIPT AND DISBURSEMENT RECORD

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 2 feet  6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 07/01/1875-08/30/1920  7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by date of transaction. Date spans of some volumes overlap.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Financial Records

14. Records Unit Description: These ledgers record both receipt and disbursement of funds, including receipts from appropriations and other sources and disbursements in the form of salaries, wages, and purchases. Entries recording receipts specify the date, name of person or institution making the payment, the heads of the appropriation and the amount, along with the total amount of the payment. Disbursement entries specify the date, payee, on what account received or disbursed, voucher number, the name of the appropriation fund drawn upon and the amount involved. Later volumes in this series often indicate the totals received or disbursed for each account.

   The volumes are as follows:

   vol.
   1. July 7, 1875-December 30, 1882
   2. July 1, 1882-July 20, 1886
   3. July 22, 1886-December 12, 1888
   4. November 26, 1888-January 27, 1892
   5. February 2, 1892-October 2, 1895
   6. October 1, 1895-June 30, 1898
7. July 1, 1899-June 30, 1900
8. July 1, 1901-May 19, 1909
9. August 14, 1907-September 30, 1915
10. July 18, 1908-June 10, 1913
11. July 1, 1908-January 14, 1914
12. July 1, 1914-December 30, 1916
13. October 1, 1915-February 3, 1919
14. February 15, 1917-August 9, 1917
15. November 16, 1918-August 30, 1920

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Accounting / Administrating

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: 27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 17 29. Location: NRE


32. Microforms: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

32a. Dimensions: 29c. Begin Loc.: 113/06/01

32b. Generations: 29d. End Loc.: 1113/06/01

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base: 29e. Cntr. Type: BND

32e. Generation:

32f. Cntr. Nos.: Vols. 75-89

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 02/03/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: REIMBURSING AGREEMENTS

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: .25 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 06/11/1875-09/10/1875
7b. Bulk Dates: 01/02/1915-12/29/1933

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged in order by date. There is a gap in coverage from 1875 thru 1915, and 1915 thru 1932. The records for 1875 are hand written.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Financial Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains the binding agreements between individual members of the Potawatomi tribe and the Department of the Interior covering property, stock, or equipment purchased for or on behalf of the United States. These purchases chiefly concern the purchase of land and animals with the approval of the Superintendent of the Agency. The agreements completed on forms 5-269 include the date, and how much the Indian owed the Government for the items purchased. The agreement states what the individual borrowed; generally animals and farm equipment, and the breakdown of when the payments were due. Also included are agreements with 4-H members. "4-H" agreements state that the member was furnished an animal for 4-H and was to payback with two animals the following year. The agreements were signed by the parent and the member and dated.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Financing / Contracting
18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 18

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NREK

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 34/01/08

29d. End Loc.: 34/01/08

29e. Chtr. Type: LGL-S

29f. Chtr. Nos.: Box 118

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

34. PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 02/12/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: INDIVIDUAL INDIAN CASE FILES

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 1 ft. 3 in.

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 1913-1945

7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged alphabetically by last name.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: Correspondence and legal instruments concerning matters of entitlement for Potawatomi Indians, administered as a trust responsibility by the agent and other officials of the Office of Indian Affairs. The records are organized as individual case files, each of which contains a variety of correspondence, and personal, legal, and certified documents. The content of the records includes, probate records, employment issues, checks issued, allotments and annuities, death and heirship, land and lease issues, payments due, and education.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Accounting

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1109.01 27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 19 29. Location: NRE


32. Microforms: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

32a. Dimensions: 29c. Begin Loc.: 034/01/08

32b. Generations: 29d. End Loc.: 034/01/08

32c. Polarity: 29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S

32d. Emulsion & Base: 29f. Cntr. Nos.: Boxes 119-

32e. Generation: 141

32c. Recording Rate/Rate: PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 02/22/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: CASH BOOK

4. General Materials Designator:

5. Linear Measurement: 8 inches  
6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 05/16/1859-08/10/1920  
7b. Bulk Dates: 1859-1908

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged by individual account and thereunder chronologically by date of transaction. Each volume except that which covers 1867-68 contains a surname index although there is date gap for the years 1868-1908.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: Potawatomi cash books are a record of funds received and disbursed to individual enrolled members of the Potawatomi tribe under Agency jurisdiction. The records were maintained by the Agency and are very similar to INDIVIDUAL INDIAN MONEY LEDGERS, 1908-55 (Local ID - 21), and may be considered a predecessor series. Recorded entries include the name, age, date, balance, allotment numbers, interest, and if a check was issued. Volume III includes an interesting record of proceeds received by tribal members participating in the sixth annual Potawatomi fair in August 1920.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Accounting

18. Corporate Name Reference:
19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1109.04

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 20

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 113/06/01

29d. End Loc.: 113/06/01

29e. Cntr. Type: BND


30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 03/01/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: GENERAL JOURNAL

4. General Materials Designator:

5. Linear Measurement: 1 inches 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 10/1937-06/1953 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Entries are arranged by type of account-tribal and individual and thereunder by account category.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: This volume is a general accounting ledger recording distribution of funds for the Kickapoo Tribe of Kansas and individual members. Recorded on form 5-835, the "General Journal" differs from Individual Indian Money Account ledgers (Local ID 22-24) in that the account record is maintained for the tribe as a whole, and also for selected individual tribal members. Categorical entries include the record of individual accounts, records of loans, deposits, expenditures, credits, overall tribal and trial accounts, and financial and operating statements.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Accounting

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description: 

24. NR Accession No.: 

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1109-04 

28. Local ID: 21 

30. Processing Unit: NRE 

32. Microforms: 

32a. Dimensions: 

32b. Generations: 

32c. Polarity: 

32d. Emulsion & Base: 

32e. Generation: 

32f. Recording Rate/Rate: 

25. FRC Transfer No.: 

27. Reference Unit: NRE 

29. Location: NRE 

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE 

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A 

29c. Begin Loc.: 113/06/01 

29d. End Loc.: 113/06/01 

29e. Cntr. Type: BND 

29f. Cntr. Nos.: Vol.95 

PD. Preparer: 

Amy Kreidler 07/01/99
FORMAT X

1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: INDIVIDUAL INDIAN MONEY-POTAWATOMI AND KICKAPOO

4. General Materials Designator: BND/TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 25 ft 6. Item Count:


8. Arrangement Statement: Records are arranged alpha-numerically, the letter corresponding to the first letter of the account holders surname, and the number designating a specific individual. The alpha-numeric coding for Kickapoo tribal members is prefixed by the letter "K". Some ledgers contain a name index. Ledgers for the period 1929-1948 and 1955 are loose sheets. There is a gap between 1948-1955. Two of the bound volumes contain entries for Kickapoo tribe.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: Original printed general ledger sheets (form 5-796-a) and cards (form 5-317-a) showing collection, deposits, and withdrawals of funds belonging to individual Indians and Indian credit associations administered by the agency. In addition to providing information on the receipt and disbursement of funds, the ledger sheets and cards also include vital statistics information such as the individuals name, date of birth, and sex. An early version of these records are described as CASH BOOKS, 1859-1908 (Local ID - 20). The ledgers account for funds transferred to individual tribal members living on the agency. The 11 bound volumes are as follows:

Vol.
1. 1908-1918
2. 1908-1918
3. 1908-1912
4. 1911-1924-Kickapoo
5. 1912-1917
6. 1918-1925
7. 1918-1928
8. 1918-1925-Kickapoo
9. 1918-1928
10. 1918-1928
11. 1921-1931
12. 1955

15. Technical Access Requirements:
16. Type of Materials:
17. Process: Accounting
18. Corporate Name Reference:
19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
23a. Finding Aids:
23b. Other Description:
23c. Detailed Description:
24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:
26. Disposition Authority No.: RDH 1109.2 27. Reference Unit: NRE
28. Local ID: 22 29. Location: NRE
32. Microforms: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A
32a. Dimensions: 29c. Begin Loc.: 113/06/01
32b. Generations: 034/01/08
32c. Polarity: 031/01/06
32d. Emulsion & Base: 29d. End Loc.: 113/06/03
32e. Generation: 034/01/10
32f. Chtr. Nos.: vol 96-106 031/01/06
32c. Recording Rate/Rate: Box 122-59

PD. Preparer:
AMY KREIDLER 03/01/99
FORMAT X

1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: INDIVIDUAL INDIAN MONEY AND SPECIAL DEPOSITS LEDGER SHEETS

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 2 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 06/30/1930-06/30/1940

7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: Official Agency copy of Abstracts of Special Deposits recorded on form 5-321. The abstracts are nearly identical to IIM ledger sheets in format, and document receipt and disbursement of individual Indian funds. Entries include the name, check and account number, outstanding liabilities: accounts of individuals, date of check, voucher number, payable to amount, balance at beginning of period, receipts, disbursements, and the balance at the close of the period. Most abstracts include the receipts and supporting correspondence letters that verify deposits made.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Accounting

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: RDH 1109.2

28. Local ID: 23

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:
32a. Dimensions:
32b. Generations:
32c. Polarity:
32d. Emulsion & Base:
32e. Generation:
32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

29. Location: NRE
29a. Bldg. Code: NRE
29b. Stack Area: NREK-A
29c. Begin Loc.: 31/01/06
29d. End Loc.: 31/01/06
29e. Chtr. Type:
29f. Chtr. Nos.: Box 0-2

PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 03/31/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: INDIVIDUAL INDIAN MONEY POSTING AND CONTROL LEDGER SHEETS

4. General Materials Designator: LGL-S

5. Linear Measurement: 1 inch  
6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 1927-1939  
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: The ledger sheets are arranged numerically by control card number.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: Official record copies of documents related to, identified with, and posted to IIM ledger sheets, documenting receipt and disbursement of individual Indian funds. These records chiefly show aggregate totals of records.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Accounting

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1109.2 27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 24 29. Location: NRE


32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate: 34/01/08

29b. Stack Area: NREX-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 34/01/08

29d. End Loc.: 34/01/08

29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S

29f. Cntr. Nos.: Box 157

PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 03/01/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: CHECK REGISTER

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 2 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 12/1907 - 10/1933 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Entries are arranged chronologically by month.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: Monthly register of checks issued by the agent including payments to Individual Indian Money accounts. Entries consist of lists of checks issued by number and including the amount, and monthly balance of accounts. One volume (vol 108) is physically bound with REGISTER OF ALLOTMENT TO MINORS (Local ID - 38), pages 103 thru 201.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Processs: Accounting

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.:

28. Local ID: 25

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32f. Recording Rate/Rate:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 113/06/03

29d. End Loc. 113/06/03

031/01/07

29e. Cntr. Type: BND


Box 0-3

PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 03/15/99
FORMAT X

1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
   2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: CASH DISBURSEMENT RECORD

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: .25 inches  
   6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 07/25/1918-03/05/1925  
   7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by issue date of check.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: This ledger is a bound record (form 5-684) of all checks issued from the Potawatomi Agency on a nearly day-to-day basis, and periodic credits to the Agency. Cumulative disbursements and credits are recorded monthly. Each entry records the date, official receipts number of check drawn for cash, collection vouchers, special deposits, Individual Indian Money, and sundry items, pupils' cashier, total, date, paid to pupils or deposited to official credit with, and the total. This register is physically bound with Local ID - 25, CHECK REGISTER, volume covering years 1917-1925.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Accounting

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: 27. Reference Unit: NRE-K

28. Local ID: 26 29. Location: NRE


32. Microforms: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

32a. Dimensions: 29c. Begin Loc.: 113/06/03

32b. Generations: 29d. End Loc.: 113/06/03

32c. Polarity: 29e. Cntr. Type: BND


32e. Generation: PD. Preparer:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate: AMY KREIDLER 03/01/99
1. Record Group: 75
2. a. Type of Records Unit: series   b. Type of Description: initial
3. Records Unit Title: LETTERS RECEIVED CONCERNING LAND & LEASE
4. General Materials Designator: BND
5. Linear Measurement: 4.5 inches
6. Item Count:
8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically in order by date. The first volume has an index at the back of the book listing names of individuals and the page(s) they could be found on.
9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):
10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:
10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:
11. Privacy Act System Status:
12. a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY
    b. Creating Individuals Name:
13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities
14. Records Unit Description: Original copies of typescript letters received by the Superintendent of the Potawatomi Agency chiefly from the Acting Commissioner of the Office of Indian Affairs concerning land and lease administration on the Potawatomi Agency. The specific subject of letters focus on issues of leases; inherited land, and farming and grazing, employment, allotments of deceased individuals.
15. Technical Access Requirements:
16. Type of Materials:
17. Process: Leasing / Communicating / Administrating
18. Corporate Name Reference:
19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 102.01a

28. Local ID: 27

30. Processing Unit:

32. Microforms:
32a. Dimensions:
32b. Generations:
32c. Polarity:
32d. Emulsion & Base:
32e. Generation:
32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

29. Location: NRE
29a. Bldg. Code: NRE
29b. Stack Area: NREK-A
29c. Begin Loc.: 113/06/03
29d. End Loc.: 113/06/03
29e. Cntr. Type: BND

PD. Preparer: AMY KREIDLER 02/12/99
FORMAT X

1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: LAND & LEASE LETTERS SENT

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 4.5 Inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 08/16/1904-08/24/1914  
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by date of correspondence. The first five volumes contain surname indexes.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: The series consists of eight bound volumes of letters sent from the Potawatomi Agency to government officials and private individuals concerning land and lease matters of the agency. The letters discuss issues of inheritance, checks payable, purchases of beef, patent in fees, sales of inherited Indian lands, deeds from heirs, lawsuits, allotments, lease issues such as farming and grazing, and lease payments. The content of many letters yields information about specific parcels of land with legal descriptions, and identification of owners.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Entitling / Leasing / Communicating

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3. Records Unit Title: LEASED LAND RECORD CARDS
4. General Materials Designator: LGL-S
5. Linear Measurement: 3 inches
6. Item Count:
7a. Inclusive Dates: 1910-1918 7b. Bulk Dates:
8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged alphabetically by name of lessee.
9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):
10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:
10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:
11. Privacy Act System Status:
12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY
12b. Creating Individuals Name:
13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities
14. Records Unit Description: Reference cards for leased land completed on "Lessee's Index" cards (form 5-397). A typical card includes the name, lease number, name of the lessor or allottee, date of expiration, farming acreage; leased, expired, balance in force, and grazing acreage; leased, expired, balance in force.
15. Technical Access Requirements:
16. Type of Materials:
17. Process: Leasing
18. Corporate Name Reference:
19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

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26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1105-13

28. Local ID: 29

30. Processing Unit: NRE

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29f. Cntr. Nos.: Box 158

PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 03/01/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: LEASE REGISTER

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 4 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 03/01/1900-03/01/1915; 1941 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Bound volumes are arranged in order by date. The registers in loose form are arranged alphabetically by date in the 1915 folder and by lease number in the 1941 folder. There is a gap in registration for the years 1904, 1910-1915.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: The registers are contained in three bound volumes that record leases and lease payments made to the Potawatomi Tribe. Each volume contains the following information: lessee name and location, the lessor name and location, allottee name, number, and tribe, the section of land leased, total acreage, and the date span of the lease. Also included are the dates payments were due and how much money was received, along with any remarks made. There are two additional registers for the years 1915 and 1941 that are loose sheets. These registers contain essentially the same information in a variant format.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Registering / Accounting

18. Corporate Name Reference:
19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
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29f. Cntr. Nos.: Vols.120-123
PD. Preparer: AMY KREIDLER 03/03/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: FARM AND GRAZING PERMITS

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 1 inch

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 03/28/1922-09/17/1929 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged alphabetically by last name.

9. National Security Classification  
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: Permits granted on form 5-175 a by the Department of Interior, to individuals (many of whom include non-Potawatomi neighbors of the reservation) giving them the right to farm and graze specific section(s) of reservation land. Permits were issued annually and contain the following: agency name, name and location of individual granted the land, territory and acreage of the land, dates using the land, and amount of to use the land. Also included is a statement of the agency and total amount of money for the land, the date, location permit granted, date, agency and signed by the superintendent and permittee, and record of Bond. The Bond includes the permittee’s name, county, state, and name of surety. It is signed by the permittee, and two sureties.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Contracting

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1105-13

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 31

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29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

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29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S

29f. Cntr. Nos.: Box 158

29g. PD. Preparer: AMY KREIDLER 03/03/99

29h. Processing Unit: NRE

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32a. Dimensions:

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32d. Emulsion & Base:

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1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: INHERITED INDIAN LAND SALES RECORD

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 4 inches
6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 12/15/1902-01/27/1911
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by date of sale. Volumes contain and index showing the order of the transaction.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:
10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY
12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit: The land sales record is a chronological register of actions in the sale of Kickapoo, Sac and Fox, Iowa, and Potawatomi inherited land sold by the heirs of the deceased member and former owner. The entries list the name(s) of the deceased heir and their allotment number, entry number, along with their tribe. Also included is the date, section(s) of land for sale, county, date listed for sales, date the bids were opened, amount of bids received, who executed the deed along with the date, the date the deed was submitted and approved, date delivered on, and the day receipts accomplished.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Registering

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
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389. AMY KREIDLER 03/03/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: TRACT BOOK

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 2 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: ca. 03/28/1892-10/30/1930  
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Entries are arranged by tribe thereunder by legal description of land (for the Iowa tribe) or by consecutive allotment number for the Sac and Fox and Kickapoo entries)

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: Record of land allotted to Indians of the Sac and Fox, Iowa, and Kickapoo Reservations in Nebraska and Kansas under provisions of the Acts of Congress March 3, 1885; January 26, 1887; and February 28, 1891. The majority of the allotments were approved by the Secretary of Interior March 2, 1892 and August 24, 1906 for members of the Sac and Fox Tribes; October 2, 1893 for members of the Iowa Tribe; and May 3, 1895 for Kickapoo Tribe members. Entries vary for each tribe, however, they generally include the legal description of the land and number of acres in the tract, the Indian and/or English name of the allottee, the date the allotment was approved, the date the allotment was reported to the Secretary of Interior, the date of the patent, and the date and type of land transfer. Probate and land sale information is recorded for some tracts as late as October 30, 1930. For the Schedule of Allotments for members of the Iowa Tribe, see (Local ID - 40).

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2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: APPLICATIONS FOR PATENT IN FEES

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: .25 inch

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: ca. 1911

7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
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   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name:

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains applications by Potawatomi allotment holders completed on form 5-106 to receive patents in fee. Related records titled "Report of Superintendent in Heirship Cases" (form 5-107), are included with the applications as well as occasional items of correspondence. A typical application includes the following: name of allottee, agency, allotment number, the land description and value, and personal information concerning the applicant. The superintendents reports in heirship cases contain the following: additional personal information about the applicant including name and tribal affiliation, date of death, and age at death, marital status, allotment and census roll numbers, family information, and names of heirs.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

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2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: PATENT IN FEES

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: .1 inch  
6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 01/19/1892-10/02/1905  
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Grouped by reservation (Potawatomi or Kickapoo) and chronologically by date of certification

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name:

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains official patent in fee documents concerning allotted land administered to Indians living on the Kickapoo and Potawatomi Reservations on government forms 4-457a and 4-182a. By this instrument executed under the provisions of fifth section of an Act of Congress of the 8th February 1887, that the United States would hold the land thus allotted for 25 years at the expiration of which the land would be conveyed by patent to the named Indian or heirs, in fee, and free of all charge or incumbrance. Each patent indicates the date, approved and amended date, the name, section of land, president of the United States signature, recorded volume number and page number, and the date in which the patent in fees was official along with the secretary and the recorder of the General Land Offices signature.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Contracting

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19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
23a. Finding Aids:
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32c. Recording Rate/Rate:
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: LAND DEED ISSUED TO MSUHQUE

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: .1 inch  
6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 03/10/1893  
7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
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10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name:

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains a land patent issued to Msuhque, a Kickapoo woman under the provisions of and conforming to the Treaty of June 28, 1882. The document is completed on form 4-446 includes the lengthy text of grant of patent under the authority of President Grover Cleaveland and attested to by Mr. D. P. Roberts Recorder of General Land Office.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Deeding

18. Corporate Name Reference:

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21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
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23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1105.03 27. Reference Unit: NREK

28. Local ID: 36 29. Location: NRE


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32b. Generations: 29d. End Loc.: 03/01/06

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base: PD. Preparer:

32e. Generation: AMY KREIDLER 03/15/99

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:
FORMAT X

1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: ALLOTMENT AND CENSUS ROLLS

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: .25 inch

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 1863-1869

7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: The allotment roll is arranged numerically by "family" number and thereunder by individual Christian and surname, or Indian name, numbered sequentially 1-1552. Entries 1467 thru 1552 list infants added to the allotment roll after the original count was completed. Entries on the census roll are arranged by head of household and numbered sequentially.

   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: Potawatomi Agency

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: This series consists of two lists of names of members of the Prairie Band of Potawatomi Indians compiled by Allotment Commissioners Edward Wolcott and W. W. Ross. The first list is an approved register of allotments in severalty of lands in Kansas under the provisions of the Potawatomi Treaty of November 15, 1861. The register was compiled during 1863 and approved by the Secretary of the Interior December 10, 1864. Entries include the family unity number, individual allottees number, Indian name of allottee, age, and sex of the allottee. Additions to the roll were approved May 5, 1865, November 26, 1866, and March 15, 1867. The second list is a "census roll" of those members of the Potawatomi Tribe electing to relinquish their allotments in order to hold land in common on the Diminished Potawatomi Reserve; in Kansas. This roll was approved by the Secretary of Interior May 6, 1865, with changes posted to the roll under order of the Secretary April 26, 1869. Entries include the family unit number, Indian name of head of family, and the number of men, women, and children within the family unit. Letters of transmittal, concurrence, and
approval are recorded at the end of each roll with changes posted to the roll in red ink.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process:

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

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26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1105.01 27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 37

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32a. Dimensions: 32c. Polarity: PD. Preparer:


32e. Recording Rate/Ratio:
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series

2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: REGISTER OF ALLOTMENTS TO MINORS

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 1/4 inch

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: ca. 1860

7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: List of minor children receiving allotments. Entries consist of the allotment number (number 710 thru 807), Indian name of allottee, sex, age, legal descriptions of the land and number of acres allotted, and the name of the minor's parent or guardian. Bound with this volume is a CHECK REGISTER (local ID -24).

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process:

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
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23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

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26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1105.01 27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 38 29. Location: NRE


32. Microforms: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A


32b. Generations: 29d. End Loc.: 113/06/04

32c. Polarity: 29e. Cntr. Type: BND


32e. Generation: 109

32c. Recording Rate/Rate: PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 03/15/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: SCHEDULE OF LAND SELECTIONS AND ALLOTMENTS  
   ALLOTMENT REGISTER HALF BREEDS AND MIXED BLOODS

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: .25 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 03/19/1860

7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Entries are arranged numerically by allotment number. The schedule includes an alphabetical name index to allottees.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: Record of selections and allotments of lands in Nebraska made to half breeds and mixed bloods of the Omaha, Iowa, and Otoe Tribes and the Yanckton and Santee Bands of Sioux under provisions of the Treaty of Prairie du Chein, July 15, 1830, and an Act of Congress of July 31, 1854 (10 Stat. 315). The schedule, approved by the Secretary of Interior March 19, 1860, lists for each allottee the allotment number, Indian or English name, legal description of the land and the number of acres allotted. Copies of the letter of recommendation and approval by the Secretary are recorded on the last page of the schedule. For the list of land patents issued see Local ID - 5 LIST OF PATENTS ISSUED, 1861-1868 (Great Nemaha).

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8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged by tribe thereunder by allotment number.

9. National Security Classification
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   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains various lists of allottees from the Iowa, Sac and Fox, and Kickapoo Indian tribes. The information, although on different forms, generally holds the same information such as the name of allottee, age, sex, roll, annuity, and allotment numbers, some include birth and death dates as well as tribe they belong to, and land section.

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24. NR Accession No.: BIA 1105.01

25. FRC Transfer No.:

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29f. Cntr. Nos.: Box 158

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AMY KREIDLER 01/20/99
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2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: SCHEDULE OF ALLOTMENTS

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 1/4 inch 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 03/03/1885-1893 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Entries are arranged numerically by allotment number.

9. National Security Classification
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10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: Record of allotments of lands in Kansas and Nebraska made to members of the Iowa Tribe under provisions of the Acts of Congress of March 3, 1885 and January 26, 1887. Although undated the allottees recorded in this schedule are the same as those listed in Tract Book 1892-1930, (Local ID - 32), suggesting compilation of the schedule between 1887 and 1893. Entries for each allottee include the Tribal Roll number, allotment number, Indian or English name, sex, age, legal description of the land, and the number of acres allotted.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Contracting

18. Corporate Name Reference:

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20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
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22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1105.01 27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 41

29. Location: Central Plains


32. Microforms: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A


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32c. Polarity: 29e. Cntr. Type: BND


32e. Generation: PD. Preparer:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate: AMY KREIDLER 03/15/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series     2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: PUBLIC DOMAIN ALLOTMENT APPLICATIONS

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 1 inch

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 01/10/1916-10/01/1919     7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged generally by date of correspondence.

9. National Security Classification
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10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: TRUST RESPONSIBILITIES

14. Records Unit Description: Individual applications in the form of affidavits completed on document 5-218 along with attached correspondence letters relating to the allotment applications for members of the Iowa, Sac and Fox, and Kickapoo tribes. The application contains the applicant’s name, tribe, who the land was allotted to, age, sex, height, weight, whether married or single, degree of Indian blood, thumb print, a witness to individuals identity, signatures of witnesses, date sworn on, and signed by the superintendent. On the back of the form is the Corroborative Affidavit which includes two names that were well acquainted with applicants requesting allotted land, tribe, acquaintance signatures, date, and superintendents signature. The letters that correspond with the application discuss the applicants certificate approval.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

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1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description:

3. Records Unit Title: ALLOTMENT SURVEY

4. General Materials Designator: TEX / PHO

5. Linear Measurement: 1 inch  
6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 05/20/1922-12/19/1924  
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged by chronologically by date.

9. National Security Classification  
a. Status: unclassified  
b. Level:  
c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: TRUST RESPONSIBILITIES

14. Records Unit Description: Official examination and analysis of Potawatomi and Kickapoo agency allotments conducted to determine improvements and developments of allotments. There is a significant amount of material about the surveys done for the allottees. Each survey contains information about the allottee and the property, often times very informal and subjective opinion. The name of the allottee, a photograph of property if supplied, the allottee number, age, degree of Indian blood, status, and family are included. Along with the general information is a description of the individual, and the property he/she owns.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process:

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1105.01

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 43

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 034/01/10

29d. End Loc.: 034/01/10

29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S

29f. Cntr. Nos.: Box 158

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

FRC Transfer No.:

Reference Unit: NRE

Local ID: 43

Location: NRE

Bldg. Code: NRE

Stack Area: NREK-A

Begin Loc.: 034/01/10

End Loc.: 034/01/10

Cntr. Type: LGL-S

Cntr. Nos.: Box 158

Processing Unit: NRE

Microforms:

Dimensions:

Generations:

Polarity:

Emulsion & Base:

Generation:

Recording Rate:

Preparer: AMY KREIDLER 03/29/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series

2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: ANNUITY APPLICATIONS RECORD BOOK

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: .25 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 12/04/1909-10/30/1910

7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically. A surname index to annuitants is present.

9. National Security Classification

   a. Status: unclassified

   b. Level:

   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: Bound record applications for annuity payments from funds held in trust by the United States. Each entry lists the annuitant’s full name, amount of payment made under treasury warrant, including the warrant number and date.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Administrating

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:  

26. Disposition Authority No.:  

28. Local ID: 44  

30. Processing Unit: NRE  

32. Microforms:  
32a. Dimensions:  
32b. Generations:  
32c. Polarity:  
32d. Emulsion & Base:  
32e. Generation:  
32c. Recording Rate/Rate:  

25. FRC Transfer No.:  

27. Reference Unit: NRE  

29. Location: NRE  
29a. Bldg. Code: NRE  
29b. Stack Area: NREK-A  
29c. Begin Loc.: 113/06/04  
29d. End Loc.: 113/06/04  
29e. Cntr. Type: BND  

PD. Preparer:  

AMY KREIDLER 01/20/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: APPLICATIONS FOR TRIBAL PAYMENT SHARES

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 1.5 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 04/15/1909-07/13/1913 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by date of application.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities.

14. Records Unit Description: Applications completed on form 5-172 and correspondence from the OIA (Office of Indian Affairs) to the superintendent of the Potawatomi Agency or the Commissioner of Indian Affairs requesting trust funds money owed to the Potawatomi living on the reservation. There are different forms of applications used, each, though, containing the essentially the same information. The applications state the agency, date, name of superintendent, allotment number, name of individual, age, and amount of money, names of witnesses, and applicant's signed and dated the application.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process:

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 

25. FRC Transfer No.: 

26. Disposition Authority No.: 

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 45

29. Location: NRE

30. Processing Unit: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

32. Microforms:

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

32a. Dimensions:

29c. Begin Loc.: 034/01/10

32b. Generations:

29d. End Loc.: 034/01/10

32c. Polarity:

29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S

32d. Emulsion & Base:

29f. Cntr. Nos.: Box 159

32e. Generation:

PD. Preparer:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

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Bldg. Code: NRE

Stack Area: NREK-A

Cntr. Type: LGL-S

Cntr. Nos.: Box 159
FORMAT X

1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: ANNUITY PAYROLL

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 1 inch

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: ca. 1887

7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged according to tribe thereunder by tribal enrollment number.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains payments under treaty provisions made to members of the Chippewa and Potawatomi tribes on standard form 5-332b. Included in the payroll is the allotment number, name, relationship to name, age, sex, per capita, amount paid, marks and signatures, signatures of witnesses, date of receipt, and remarks.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process:

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: BIA 1105.01

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1105.01

28. Local ID: 46

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 113/06/04

29d. End Loc.: 113/06/04

29e. Cntr. Type: BND


PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 03/15/99
FORMAT X

1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: PRAIRIE BAND ANNUITY PAYROLL

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 2 inches  
6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 06/26/1900-1909  
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged by quarter thereunder by annuity number.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: General Records

14. Records Unit Description: Bound assemblage of chortle vouchers recording payment on form 5-322 to heads of families, and individuals of the Prairie Band of the Potawatomi tribe. Included on the sheets are the allotment numbers, name, age, sex, per capita, amount paid, marks and signatures, signature of witnesses, date of receipt, and remarks made.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process:

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 11105.01

28. Local ID: 47

30. Processing Unit: NRE

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 113/06/04

29d. End Loc.: 113/06/04

29e. Cntr. Type: BND


32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

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1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: ABSENTEE ANNUITY PAYMENT RECEIPTS

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement:.25 inch 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 09/05/1906-1908 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by principal date of receipt.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains receipts of absentee annuitants (individuals at other agencies than the Potawatomi) of money paid to them by the superintendent of the Potawatomi Tribe on form 5-214. The receipts contain the voucher number, agency name, date, name of annuitant, title of person in charge of the agency, location of agency, amount of money, age, witnesses signatures, signature of annuitant, and is signed and dated by superintendent or acting superintendent.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process:

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1105.01

25. FRC Transfer No.:

28. Local ID: 48

29. Location: NRE

30. Processing Unit: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

32. Microforms:

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

32a. Dimensions:

29c. Begin Loc.: 034/01/10

32b. Generations:

29d. End Loc.: 034/01/10

32c. Polarity:

29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S

32d. Emulsion & Base:

29f. Cntr. Nos.: Box 159

32e. Generation:

PD. Preparer:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

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32f. Generation:
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: TRUST FUND SHARES OF MINORS

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: .25 inch  
6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 09/03/1907  
7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification  
a. Status: unclassified  
b. Level:  
c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains the information concerning the 233 shares of minors in trust funds of the Potawatomi Tribe. Included in the information is the name of the minor, the allotment number, and the amount of the share-$348.58

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process:

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:
23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: BIA 1105.01

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1105.01

28. Local ID: 49

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:
32a. Dimensions:
32b. Generations:
32c. Polarity:
32d. Emulsion & Base:
32e. Generation:
32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

29. Location: NRE
29a. Bldg. Code: NRE
29b. Stack Area: NREK-A
29c. Begin Loc.: 034/01/10
29d. End Loc.: 034/01/10
29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S
29f. Cntr. Nos.: Box 159

PD. Preparer:

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1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: RECORD OF UNPAID ESTATE FUND SHARES

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 2 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 06/18/1906-04/10/1919 
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged by tribe thereunder chronologically by per capita payment date.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Trust Responsibilities

14. Records Unit Description: Series contains a bound ledger on form 6-380 containing funds owed to members of Kickapoo, Iowa, and Potawatomi Indians. Included is the annuity and allotment number, name, relationship, age, sex, amount due, voucher number and year, date of application, date of payment, number of treasury warrant, amount, date of warrant, and remarks made. Incorporated in this series is a related record of “Pro Rata Shares for Millfunds” due tribal members. Entries in this section record essentially the same information as listed above.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process:

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1106.01

28. Local ID: 50

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:

32a. Dimensions:

32b. Generations:

32c. Polarity:

32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32f. Recording Rate/Rate:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 113/06/04

29d. End Loc.: 113/06/04

29e. Cntr. Type: BND


31. Preparer: KREIDLER 03/31/99

FRC Transfer No.:

PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 03/31/99
FORMAT X

1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: DRAINAGE DITCH REPORT

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: .25 inch

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 01/19/1920-03/08/1921
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by principal date of correspondence.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY
12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Tribal Resources

14. Records Unit Description: Reports and correspondence between Office of Indian Affairs (OIA) and the superintendent of the Potawatomi and Kickapoo tribes discussing conditions and improvements made to drainage ditches located on the reservation. Included with the reports are blue prints of drainage districts, and lists that name individuals living on the reservations, payments made to them, the assessment, allotment number, amount paid to drainage company, direct payments made and returned to treasury, check number, and a total sum for the information identified above.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Evaluating

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: BIA 1105-11

25. PRC Transfer No.: 25.

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1105-11

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 51

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

30. Processing Unit: NRE

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

32. Microforms:

29c. Begin Loc.: 034/01/10

32a. Dimensions:

29d. End Loc.: 034/01/10

32b. Generations:

29e. Cntr. Type: TEX

32c. Polarity:

29f. Cntr. Nos.: Box 159

32d. Emulsion & Base: PD. Preparer:

32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate: AMY KREIDLER 03/29/99

32c. Generation:
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: ANNUAL REPORTS OF THE DIVISION OF EXTENSION AND INDUSTRY

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 2 feet

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 12/01/1932-03/22/1950  
7b. Bulk Dates: 1933-1949


9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Indian Services

14. Records Unit Description: Annual reports of the Division of Extension and Industry consisting of narrative statements, statistical tables, and photographs describing and illustrating the progress on various projects. Accompanying the reports are supporting documents including statistical and narrative feeder reports and some correspondence. Subjects and topics vary but chiefly relate to farming, farm production, livestock, weather conditions and its influence of crop production, and home extension activities including 4-H and other clubs and organizations.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Communicating / Administering

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1307-03 27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 52 29. Location: NRE


32. Microforms: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

32a. Dimensions: 29c. Begin Loc.: 03/01/10

32b. Generations: 29d. End Loc.: 03/01/10

32c. Polarity: 29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S


32e. Generation: PD. Preparer:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate: AMY KREIDLER 04/05/99
FORMAT X

1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: CENSUS ROLLS-IOWA, KICKAPOO, POTAWATOMI, SAC & FOX TRIBES

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 1 foot 3 inches 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 1908-1933 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by tribe and thereunder by principal date of census.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Indian Services

14. Records Unit Description: Annual statistical compilations of families and heirship rolls of the Potawatomi, and Iowa, Sac and Fox, and Kickapoo tribes.

Potawatomi tribal censuses include an alphabetized listing by English name and less frequently by Indian name, the allotment number, relationship between members of the family group, date of birth, and gender. Entries for Potawatomi allotments held in trust include living Indians, original allotments, and heirship lands. Potawatomi allotment entries include the legal description of the land and total acreage.

Entries on the Iowa censuses for 1908-1933 are listed alphabetically by English name and less frequently by Indian name, and include relationships between members of the family group, date of birth, and gender. Iowa censuses include heirship allotments, allotment number, name of allottee, date of birth, acreage, and name of heirs. Additional information is included on these census rolls, such as subdivision, section, township, names of parents, father and mother, and tribe. Iowa Tribal censuses include Indian allotments for original lands held in trust and heirship allotments.
Sac and Fox tribal censuses include an alphabetized listing by English name and less frequently by Indian name, the allotment number, relationship between members of the family group, date of birth, and gender. Entries for Sac and Fox allotments held in trust include living Indians, original allotments, and heirship lands.

Information on the Kickapoo census are handwritten and include the legal description of land, surname and given name. Kickapoo censuses for the years 1913, 1917, and 1919 include the allotment number, surname and given name, relationship between members of the family group, age, and sex. From 1921-1931, a supplemental schedule for Indian population is included.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Registering

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1306-06 27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 53 29. Location: NRE


32. Microforms: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

32a. Dimensions: 29c. Begin Loc.: 034/01/10

32b. Generations: 29d. End Loc.: 034/01/10

32c. Polarity: 29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S


32e. Generation: PD. Preparer:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate: AMY KREIDLER 01/20/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: BIRTH LISTS

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: .25 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 07/07/1924-03/27/1933  
7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Health and Welfare Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains the birth lists of children born to the parents enrolled at the Iowa, Kickapoo, Potawatomi, and Sac and Fox Reservations. Included in the lists are the census roll number, surname and given name, date of birth, live and still births, sex, tribe, whether or not wards, degree of blood; name of father, mother, and child, whether or not living at the jurisdiction enrolled, residence on or off the reservation and state.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Registering

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

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23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1306-07

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 54

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NRE

30. Processing Unit: NRE

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 034/01/11

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32. Microforms:

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32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 03/29/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: BIRTH CERTIFICATES

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: .25 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 1918-04/16/1931

7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
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10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Health and Welfare Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains birth certificates on form 8-334 for the Iowa and Potawatomi tribes, and birth reports on form 5-241 for the Iowa and Potawatomi tribes. The certificates hold the vital information of the individual including the place of birth, full name of child, gender, if legitimate, date of birth, father and mothers information; full name and maiden name, residence, color or race, birthplace, occupation, number of children of the mother born alive and living or now dead or still born. Also included is the attending physician or midwife at the birth and signature if given. The birth reports contain the date, name, gender, degree of blood, tribe, place of birth, name of mother, and any remarks made. Copies of birth certificates are included.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Communicating / Administering

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:
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23c. Detailed Description:
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32d. Emulsion & Base:
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32e. Generation:
AMY KREIDLER 03/29/99
32c. Recording Rate/Rate:
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: DEATH LISTS

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: .25 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 1918-01/24/1933
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged alphabetically by tribe thereunder by date.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:
10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY
12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Health and Welfare Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains the lists of deaths of Indians on the Iowa, Kickapoo, Sac and Fox, and Potawatomi tribes. Included on the lists is the year, census roll number, surname and given name, date of death, age at death, gender, tribe, ward, degree of blood, cause of death, the jurisdiction where enrolled, state, and Post Office.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Administrating

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1306-07 27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 56 29. Location: NRE


32. Microforms: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A


32b. Generations: 29d. End Loc.: 034/01/11

32c. Polarity: 29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S


32e. Generation: PD. Preparer:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate: AMY KREIDLER 01/20/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: HEALTH SURVEYS-POTAWATOMI AND KICKAPOO TRIBES

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 1.5 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 12/21/1929-08/07/1939 7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
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10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Health and Welfare Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains vital information of health surveys, reports, and pictures taken on the Potawatomi, Iowa, Sac and Fox, and Kickapoo tribes. The reports discuss the living conditions of the Indians and include deaths, sicknesses, and annual income. Health surveys state family names, degree of blood, members of household, occupation, income, housing sanitation conditions, water supply, family history, health conditions, serious illness in past five years, tuberculosis, medical and dental services, and daily menus, along with pictures of individuals if supplied.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Communicating / Administrating

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1301-04 27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 57 29. Location: NRE


32. Microforms: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A


32b. Generations: 29d. End Loc.: 034/01/11

32c. Polarity: 29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S


32e. Generation: PD. Preparer:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate: AMY KREIDLER 03/31/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: IOWA TRIBE FAMILY STATISTICS

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: .25 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: undated 7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
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10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Health and Welfare Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains statistical information about the families living on the Iowa and Sac and Fox reservations. Information includes tribal affiliation, state and county of residence w/Post Office reference, name of individual, age, gender, degree of blood, roll number, level of literacy, reference to grade level and school; analysis of health, home, rooms and conditions; garden size and type, vehicles owned; land usage including acreage, whether cultivated or not; total earnings and income usage; analysis of types and how much livestock and farm equipment. Additional information detailing the status of the family and miscellaneous comment about parents community cooperation and the land.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Analyzing

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA. 1305-05 27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 58 29. Location: NRE


32. Microforms: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A


32b. Generations: 29d. End Loc.: 034/01/11

32c. Polarity: 29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S


32e. Generation: PD. Preparer:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate: AMY KREIDLER 03/29/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: LETTERS RECEIVED FROM THE OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

4. General Materials Designator: BND


7a. Inclusive Dates: 4/24/1903-06/30/1906  7.b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by date of letters. An index listing correspondence is included in each volume.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Education Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains letters received from the Office of Indian Affairs (OIA) to the Potawatomi Agent serving in the dual capacity as Superintendent of the Potawatomi School. The letters chiefly concern matters affecting the boarding school of the "Prairie" Potawatomi. The subject matter of the letters discuss issues affecting the school and its operation such as, annuities owed, enrollment, attendance, funds. The letters provide a revealing glimpse of school life and OIA administration in the early 20th century.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Communicating / Administering

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

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23a. Finding Aids:

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1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: LETTERS SENT-POTAWATOMI BOARDING SCHOOL

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 1 inch

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 07/02/1888-05/29/1893  
7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
   b. Level:
   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Education Records

14. Records Unit Description: This single bound volume of typed and manuscript letters sent correspondence by the Superintendent of the Potawatomi Boarding School concerns general operations and business of the school. Among the many subjects found among the letters, the majority concerns education of children, annuities owed to the students, finances, employment, appointments of educators and staff, and allotments. Some of the letters are difficult to read due to the letter press copy process.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Communicating / Administrating

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.: 25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1102.01a 27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 60

29. Processing Unit: NRE

30. Bldg. Code: NRE

31. Stack Area: NREK-A

32. Begin Loc.: 113/06/04

32a. Dimensions: 29d. End Loc.: 113/06/04

32b. Generations: 29e. Cntr. Type: BND


32d. Emulsion & Base: 29. Location: NRE


32f. Recording Rate/Rate: 29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

32g. Preparer: amy kreidler 04/05/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: FOOD AND SUPPLIES PURCHASED

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 1 inch

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 1888-1894
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged numerically by Bill of Lading number.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
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   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI BOARDING SCHOOL
12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Education Records

14. Records Unit Description: Record of receipt of articles and goods purchased by the Potawatomi and Kickapoo Boarding Schools. This ledger lists the bill of lading, the description of articles received, the weight, receipt dates, and the official signing for receipt. This record provides a detailed listing of all supplies necessary to keep the training schools in operation each fiscal year.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Procuring

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas
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3. Records Unit Title: RECEIPT AND DISBURSEMENTS LEDGERS-POTAWATOMI AGENCY

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 4 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 10/22/1891-01/26/1911   7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by date of transaction. There are date gaps in the volumes. Indexes at the front of the volumes indicate the page upon which individual accounts or entries are recorded.

9. National Security Classification
   a. Status: unclassified
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   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Education Records

14. Records Unit Description: The series contains three bound volumes of ledgers recording both receipt and disbursement of funds chiefly for supporting education programs. Included are records of receipts from appropriations and other sources and disbursements in the form of salaries, wages, and purchases of supplies for the Potawatomi, Kickapoo, Great Nemaha, and Iowa tribes. Entries recording receipts specify the date, name of person or institution making the payment, the amount, along with the total amount of the payment. Disbursement entries specify the date, payee, and the name of the appropriation fund drawn upon and the amount involved.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Accounting / Administering

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:
20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs

21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

22. Accessioned Indexes, Registers, or Abstracts:

23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

24. NR Accession No.:

25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.:

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 62

29. Location: NRE

29a. Bldg. Code: NREK

29b. Stack Area: NREK-A

29c. Begin Loc.: 113/06/04

29d. End Loc.: 113/06/04

29e. Cntr. Type: BND


30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:

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32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 04/05/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: REGISTER ATTENDANCE

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: .25 in.  
6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 1903-1904  
7b. Bulk Dates:


9. National Security Classification
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10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Education Records

14. Records Unit Description: A monthly record of attendance for students enrolled at the Potawatomi Indian Training School compiled by Superintendent G.L. Williams. Entitled "Standard Register of Attendance and Deportment" the Register of Attendance is monthly report of enrolled students that records their name, age, and degree of Indian blood. Each monthly report also includes a daily record of attendance, with annotations for punctuality, tardiness, and dismissal (usually at the direction of the physician.) Some students are reported as attending “white school,” others are reported as transferred to the Haskell Institute.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Registering

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20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
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29d. End Loc.: 113/06/04

29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S

29f. Cntr. Nos.: vol.143

29g. PD. Preparer:

30. Processing Unit: NRE

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32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

AMy KReIDLER 01/20/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series  
2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: LETTERS SENT TO OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS-KICKAPOO SCHOOL

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 1 inch  
6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 01/05/1905-12/01/1905  
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by principal date of correspondence.

9. National Security Classification  
a. Status: unclassified  
b. Level:  
c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Education Records

14. Records Unit Description: Press copies of letters sent by the Superintendent of the Kickapoo Training School with the Office of Indian Affairs (OIA), concerning general operations and business of the Kickapoo School. Among the many subjects present in this correspondence include education funds, education of children, annuities owed to the students, finances, employment, appointments of educators and staff, land and lease payments due on rent, and allotments. Some of the letters are difficult to read due to the letter press process.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Communicating / Administering

18. Corporate Name Reference:

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3. Records Unit Title: OUTGOING LETTERS-KICKAPOO TRAINING SCHOOL

4. General Materials Designator: BND

5. Linear Measurement: 7.5 inches 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 12/14/1903-12/01/1905 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by principal date of correspondence.

9. National Security Classification
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   c. Special Access Restriction(s):

10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:

10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Education Records

14. Records Unit Description: Manuscript communications by the Superintendent of the Kickapoo Training School with a large number of correspondents concerning general operations and business of the Kickapoo School. Among the many subjects present in this correspondence, are education funds, education of children, annuities owed to the students, finances, employment, appointments of educators and staff, land and lease payments due on rent, and allotments. Some of the letters are difficult to read due to letter press process.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Communicating / Administrating

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

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23a. Finding Aids:

23b. Other Description:

23c. Detailed Description:

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25. FRC Transfer No.:

26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 102.01a

27. Reference Unit: NRE

28. Local ID: 65

29. Location: NRE
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29b. Stack Area: NREK-A
29c. Begin Loc.: 113/06/04
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29e. Cntr. Type: BND

30. Processing Unit: NRE

32. Microforms:
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PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 04/05/99
1. Record Group: 75

2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial

3. Records Unit Title: GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE-KICKAPOO TRAINING SCHOOL

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 4.5 inches 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 02/05/1908-12/28/1917 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged chronologically by principal date.

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11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Education Records

14. Records Unit Description: Manuscript communications by the Superintendent and the Office of Indian Affairs (OIA), containing correspondence, circulars, drafts, and reports of the Kickapoo Training School. Among the many subjects discussed in the correspondence are employment, class schedules, loans, land, and leases, registration of Indians for Military duty, and annuities owed to individuals.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Communicating

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29e. Cntr. Type: LGL-S

29f. Cntr. Nos.: box 170

32. Microforms:

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32d. Emulsion & Base:

32e. Generation:

32c. Recording Rate/Rate:

PD. Preparer:

AMY KREIDLER 04/07/99
1. Record Group: 75
2a. Type of Records Unit: series 2b. Type of Description: initial
3. Records Unit Title: CCC-ID GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE (DECIMAL)
4. General Materials Designator: TEX
5. Linear Measurement: 1 foot 8 inches 6. Item Count:
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9. National Security Classification
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10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:
10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:
11. Privacy Act System Status:
12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY
12b. Creating Individuals Name:
13. Functional Subgroup Title: Civilian Conservation Corps - Indian Division
14. Records Unit Description: The series contains decimal correspondence concerning the Civilian Conservation Corps-Indian Division (CCC-ID) that includes reports, circulars and memorandums from the Office of Indian Affairs and the superintendents at the Potawatomi Agency. The projects correlate with Civilian Conservation Corps effort and provided jobs for Indians during the Great Depression. Within standard decimal headings of general and statistical, administration and personnel, finance and accounts, etc., are files concerning conservation projects for range management, pest control, erosion control, reforestation, and general improvements.
15. Technical Access Requirements:
16. Type of Materials:
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5. Linear Measurement: 2.5 inches

6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 11/21/1934-05/09/1942
7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged alphabetically by folder title and thereunder chronologically by principal date of correspondence.

9. National Security Classification
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10a. Other Legal Access Restrictions:
10b. Terms Covering Use and Reproduction:

11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY
12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS-INDIAN DIVISION

14. Records Unit Description: Letters sent and received, reports, and accounting documents relating to general administration of the Civilian Conservation Corps - Indian Division program. Subject categories include approved projects, machine shed, well development programs, IECW development programs, unmarked records, office copies, 1941-1943 fiscal year reports, emergency conservation programs, and purchase orders.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

16. Type of Materials:

17. Process: Administrating / Constructing

18. Corporate Name Reference:

19. Personal Name Reference:

20. Subject Reference: Indian Affairs
21. Geographic Reference: Kansas

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23c. Detailed Description:

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26. Disposition Authority No.: BIA 1203-07

27. Reference Unit: NRE

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AMY KREIDLER 04/12/99
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3. Records Unit Title: CCC-ID PROJECT FILES

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

5. Linear Measurement: 4 feet 2 inches 6. Item Count:

7a. Inclusive Dates: 1938-1941 7b. Bulk Dates:

8. Arrangement Statement: Arranged alphabetically in folders by project title. Some of the folders are identified with a project number while others are identified by subject or name of individuals on whose land the project is located.

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13. Functional Subgroup Title: CCC-ID Project Files

14. Records Unit Description: Project files of the Civilian Conservation Corporation-Indian Division, operating on the Potawatomi, Iowa, Sac and Fox, and Kickapoo Reservations in Kansas. Each project file contains a project data sheet, project proposal, cooperative agreement or contract, bids, and blueprint and drawings outlining the project. The types of projects undertaken include erosion control, dam construction, terracing, cistern improvement, reforestation, and weed control on lands owned by members of the tribes and on reservation lands. In addition to individual project folders the series includes some general project and program folder which relate to the administration of the CCC-ID under the jurisdiction of the Potawatomi Area Field Office.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

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1. Record Group: 75

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3. Records Unit Title: TRIBAL CHARTERS-IOWA, KICKAPOO, SAC AND FOX

4. General Materials Designator: TEX

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11. Privacy Act System Status:

12a. Creating Organization Unit Name: POTAWATOMI AGENCY

12b. Creating Individuals Name:

13. Functional Subgroup Title: Potawatomi Tribal Council Records

14. Records Unit Description: Individual tribal charters approved by the Secretary of Interior Harold L. Ickes, for the Iowa, Sac and Fox, and Kickapoo tribes outlining the governing process of the tribes. The charters outline corporate existence and purposes, perpetual succession, membership, management, corporate powers, property, dividends, and accounts, amendments, and ratifications, along with who the charter was sent to and date, and the certification agreement.

15. Technical Access Requirements:

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