

Piano Assessment for

Make

Serial #

Year

Structure

Soundboard

- cracked
- OK

Bass Bridge

- cracked
- OK

Tenor Treble Bridge

- cracked
- OK

Pinblock

- cracked
- OK

Strings

Bass

- original
- replaced
- rusty
- missing
- tubby

Wire

- original
- replaced
- rusty
- missing

Tuning Pin Size

Tightness of pins

Tuning

Tone

Sharp or flat

Keys

Whites

- ivory
- chipped
- missing

Sharps

- ebony
- damaged
- missing

Key Bushings

- front rail
- balance rail

Action

Regulation

- let-off
- checking
- lost motion
- drop
- springs
- hammer blow
- level of keys
- dip
- hammers bubbling
- dampers
- alignment
- middle pedal
- damper pedal
- soft pedal

Parts

- jack springs
- loose parts
- missing parts
- bridle straps
- keys loose
- chucking
- hammers
- knuckles
- back checks
- catch leather
- capstans
- key buttons
- hammer shanks

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