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CARLISLE SCHOOL.

Return of Matilda Hancorne to her home.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL,

CARLISLE, PA.

SUBJECT:
Request for
authority to return
pupil to her home.

March 20th, 1909.

The Honorable,
Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.



Sir:

I respectfully request that authority be granted me to return Matilda Hancorne to her home at Orick, California.

This girl was sent to this school by Superintendent Kyselka of the Hoopa Valley School and was enrolled here on the 25th of last December. During the month of February we had a letter from her step-brother stating that he suspects her to have had improper relations with an Indian at her home and after examination by our school physician she was found to be in a pregnant condition and must have been before her transfer.

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On February 26th I wrote to the step-brother, requesting that he should place money to her credit to reimburse the Government for the expense of her transportation but he has failed to reply.

In view of the fact that her condition is becoming quite serious and that it will soon not be advisable to have

her undertake the long trip to her home, I respectfully recommend that this authority should be granted without delay.

Very respectfully,

M. J. Quinn

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Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

Washington, D. C.,

March 22, 1909.

To Friedman,
Superintendent,
Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Your letter twentieth. Send Matilda Hancock to
California.

SEND BY POSTAL.

Valentine
Acting Commissioner.

CHARGE INDIAN OFFICE,
G. R.

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Confirming
telegram.

Moses Friedman, Esq.,

Superintendent Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Sir:

Telegram to you of March 22 reads as follows:

Your letter twentieth. Send Matilda Hancock to Cali-
fornia.

Authority granted as requested in your letter of

March 22.

Very respectfully,

Fannie I. Peter

Acting Chief Education Division.

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