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Indian Indian School,

Carlisle Pa. June 24. 1898

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Captain 10th Cav'y. Supt.

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Department of the Interior,  
INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,

Carlisle, Pa., June 29th, 1898.

To the Honorable,

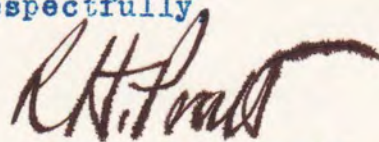
The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I am sorry to have to inform you that one of our boys, Frank Green, an Oneida from Wisconsin, was run over by a freight train at Mexico, fifty miles or more west of Harrisburg, and badly cut to pieces. He evidently died at once. He was at the Buffalo Bill's Show surreptitiously Friday night and after the impedimenta was all off the ground, he tried to persuade one of the other boys, who had run away with him on a former occasion, to go off with the Wild West Show. The other boy declined to go and came out to the school, leaving Frank at the cars. The only other information we have of him is from the railroad company that he was run over by a freight train at Mexico on the main line.

Frank was an exceptionally bad boy. I held on to him last year, hoping that we could turn him into better channels. He ran away from Carlisle some seven or eight times. He was also a thief and broke into the girls' quarters at nights.

Very respectfully



Capt. 10th Cav'y., Supt.

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