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Reports death of Clarissa Winnie  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL,  
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT.

Carlisle, Pa., Feb. 20, 1907.

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

Sir:

I regret to have to report the death, at the school hospital shortly before six o'clock yesterday evening, of one of our oldest and best pupils, Clarissa Winnie of the Seneca tribe, Lawtons, N.Y. The cause of death is stated by the physician to have been acute general tuberculosis--not pulmonary. She entered the hospital on January 24th and her illness was peculiar in that the usual symptoms of tuberculosis were wanting. At the time of entering the hospital she was troubled with constant, uncontrollable vomiting with fever which grew gradually worse and the case finally developed into one with very high fever, delirium and other nervous symptoms; also extreme weakness and profuse expectoration. She had been more or less ill for a month before entering the hospital but made no complaint to any one.

Her father, David Winnie, came on from his home and at his earnest request arrangements have been made for him to take the remains back with him to his home in New York today for burial.

Very respectfully,

*J. R. Wise*

Acting Superintendent.

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