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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL
CARLISLE, PA.



September 20, 1917.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of April 28, 1917, in which you direct attention to that paragraph of the Declaration of Policy in the Administration of Indian Affairs which refers to Indian students who have completed their course of instruction in the Government schools, being declared competent.

In accordance with these directions I have the honor to report that Agnes Hatch, a $\frac{3}{4}$ blood Chippewa Indian, 18 years of age, passed her examinations and on May 24, 1917, was graduated from this school in Home Economics in accordance with the Tentative Course of study.

Agnes is the daughter of Charles and Catherine Cadotte Hatch of Sault St. Marie, Michigan. She has graduated from the Mt. Pleasant Indian School and worked in all of the industrial departments there. During the past two years she has worked in the sewing room at Carlisle and likes it very much. She does not like dishwashing. She would like to be either a school teacher or a seamstress.

Principal Blair reports that Agnes is a bright girl with considerable initiative and self-confidence enough to carry a thing through. She is conscientious about her work and takes pride in doing it well. She usually measure up to expectations. She needs competition to do her best as she is ambitious to excel.

Agnes is in good health, but not robust, she is careful in spending money.

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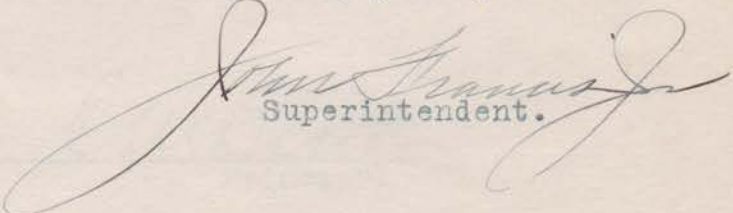
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Matilda G. Ewing reports that Agnes is a very refined and capable girl. She is pleasant, of a happy disposition and her ideals are high. She is industrious and economical. She is a capable seamstress, she makes friends and keeps them.

Superintendent Cochran reports that Agnes was at one time a pupil at the Mt. Pleasant School, and that she has no lands or allotments as far as he knows. He also advises me that she comes of poor parents and her home life was not of the best.

In view of the fact that Agnes is a Michigan Indian, with no property under the control of the government it would seem advisable to remove any restrictions upon her person, by the issuance of a certificate of competency as soon as practicable.

Very truly yours,


Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE



June 28, 1917

COMPETANCY STATEMENT

Agnes Hatch is a bright, active girl with considerable initiative and self-confidence enough to carry a thing through. She is conscientious about her work and takes pride in doing it well. She usually measures up to expectations. She needs competition to do her best as she is ambitious to excel. She is honorable and deserving. She came to Carlisle in December 1913.


Principal



Agnes Hatch.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL

CARLISLE, PA.



June 24, 1917.

Agnes Hatch is a very refined and capable girl. She is pleasant, of a happy disposition and her ideals are high. She is industrious and economical. She spends her money carefully. I think she will make a good teacher. She is also a very capable seamstress. She makes friends, and keeps them. She is healthy.

Matilda G. Ewing
Matron.