

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

Enclosure

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

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OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

May 29, 1908.

Subject: Rel to money due Lottie R.
Styles and her transportation home
from Carlisle.

Supt. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Sir:

Your letter of the 25th instant, with reference to Lottie
R. Styles, one of the Indian girls attending the German Hos-
pital in Brooklyn, New York, is received.

There is enclosed herewith for your information a letter
addressed to Miss Styles.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) C. F. Larrabee.

Acting Commissioner.

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Miss Lottie R. Styles,
St. Nicholas Ave, Stanhope & Stockholm Sts.,
Brooklyn, New York.

My Friend:

Your letter of the 15th instant, asking if the money that would have been spent in paying your traveling expenses home could not be placed to your credit and used by you for incidental expenses, was received, and referred to the Superintendent of the Carlisle School for consideration and report.

It seems from his report that you had \$76.92 to your credit in the bank, but that \$25 were recently drawn out in settlement of a dental account and for some other little expenses, leaving a balance of \$51.92 for use in case of emergency and for miscellaneous expenses if needed. Practically all of your expenses are paid while you are attending the hospital learning a profession, and your present bank account should be sufficient for any small incidental payments that may have to be made.

The Office would have no authority to place to your credit the sum that would have been used for your transportation home. You should try to limit your expenses to the minimum in order that the amount you now have in the bank may go as far as

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possible in paying for your little incidental necessities. As you say, you are now struggling for yourself, and there is a very bright outlook for you to gain an honorable and independent profession. When the time comes for you to make a visit home, the Office will see what can be done in the way of helping you to pay your traveling expenses.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) C. F. Larrabee

Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,



Subject- Indian Industrial School,

Proposition of Carlisle, Pa., May 25, 1908.
Lottie R. Styles
concerning her de-
parture from Carlisle

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

Sir:-

In reply to Office letter marked Education 33378 1908, J.H.D., dated May 22, 1908, concerning the proposition of Lottie R. Styles in connection with her departure from Carlisle, I respectfully advise that her account has been examined and it is found that until May 21, she had in the bank \$76.92. I receive a letter from her at that time stating that she had a dentist's bill and other little expenses which amounted to \$25.00 and asked that that sum be transmitted to her. This leaves to her credit in the bank the sum of \$51.92 for use in case of an emergency and to defray miscellaneous expenses.

As I understand that practically all her expenses are paid while she is at the German Hospital, I do not think she will need very much additional money.


It has been found that quite often when students waive their right to transportation back to their homes and remain in the East for three or four years, they finally make up

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their minds to go back to their people for a temporary or permanent visit, and at times, request has been made of this office for transportation.

In lieu of giving her the transportation which is due her in kind, I would suggest that if, at any future time, she needs money, she make out an application, and I shall request the trustees of a fund which we have here for the education of Indian students to act favorably upon it. I think that we can take care of her very nicely. The tuition to business college of Guy Cooley, who has been appointed messenger in the Indian Office will probably be paid in this way.

Very respectfully,


Superintendent.

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P.S. As requested, I herewith return the letter of Miss Styles.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

Education
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J.H.D.

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

WASHINGTON. May 22, 1908.

SUBJECT:

Proposition of Lottie R.
Styles in connection with
her departure from Carlisle.

Supt. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Sir:

I inclose a letter from Lottie R. Styles, one of the pupils of your school who enrolled for a course at the German Hospital in Brooklyn, New York. She wishes to know whether she could not receive some of the money which would have been used to pay her expenses home had she decided to go there instead of enrolling in the hospital.

Please make a report with reference to this case, and return the letter.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) C. F. Larrabee.

Acting Commissioner.

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Hon. J. E. Leupp:-

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Dear sir I wish

write concerning my
ticket, from Carlisle to
the German Hospital.

When I finished Carlisle
if I had decided to go
home my expenses would
have been paid, which
would have amounted to
at least forty dollars.

Instead of going home
to North Dakota, I came
here to take up nursing
and my expenses amounted

to a little over five dollars
and I wish to know if
some of the money that
would have paid my
way home could be sent
to me.

I need it very much
to meet my expenses
here, for books and other
necessary articles and
I thought of this plan.

I do not get any
help from my people
or receive any money
from the government.
I have a small bank
account but I wish to
save it in case of
emergency, so I have

written for your assistance
and advice of my plan.

Of course I am out
struggling for myself
now and I hope the
day will come when I
will be independent, and
that is what I am
aiming for.

Write and tell me
what you think of my
plan and I will be
satisfied whatever you
think is best.

Yours Respectfully
E.R. Styles

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