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*Carlisle*

MEMORANDUM.

Superintendent Carlisle reports 26 cases having been treated by the open-air method at the Carlisle hospital. These were not necessarily tubercular. The results are as follows:

Improved .....	21	
No improvement ....	4	
Died .....	<u>1</u>	26

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL.

CARLISLE, PA.

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June 29th, 1910.



Open-air treatment.

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

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Sir:

In further reference to Office letter of June 15th and my reply of June 18th, I submit herewith a copy of a report received from former school physician Dr. Shoemaker.

Very respectfully,

*M. Friedman*

Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,



Crow Agency, Montana.

June 23, 1910.

My dear Mr. Friedman:

Your letter of the 18th inst., enclosing correspondence regarding patients who have received balcony treatment at your hospital since July 1st 1909, has just been received.

In reply will say that the hospital records there will show in all cases but perhaps two, the diagnosis and the dates when treatment was begun and when ended, but does not show which were treated on the balcony or whether or not the sputum contained bacilli. I can easily recall, however, the facts in each case. It will be seen that only a few of those given in the list contained bacilli in the sputum as it had been our rule for some time to return to their homes all those cases that had advanced sufficiently far for this to occur. I was so hurried during the last few days of my stay there that the report was not as complete as I should like to have had it.

Name	Diagnosis	Bacilli in sputum	Tuberculin test
Simon Cloud	Pul. Tuberculosis	Absent	Good reaction
Amy Cornelius	Lymph. "	"	"
Alice Redbird	Conjunctivitis	"	"
Ernest Iron	Tuber. Meningitis	"	"
Bessie Printup	Lymph. Tuberculosis	"	"
Virgie Gaddy	Pul. Tuberculosis	"	"
Raymond Hitchcock	Lymph. "	"	"
Nora Ground	Pul. "	"	"
Mabel Hart	Conjunctivitis	"	"
Pierce Yupe	Pul. Tuberculosis	"	"

Name	Diagnosis	Bacilli in sputum	Tuberculin test.
Wm. Walker	Pul. Tuberculosis	Present (home)	<del>Good</del>
John Monhart	Suspicious	Absent	Fair reaction
Ned George	Pleurisy & Tubercul.	(Sent home)	
Charlotte Welch	Suspicious	"	
Lawrence Poody	Pul. Tuberculosis	"	
Bessie Metoxen	"	"	
Edna Bisonette	"	(Sent home)	
Marceline Holstein	"		Good reaction
Ruth Jamison	Suspicious	"	
Jerome Keogima	Chron. Tuberculosis	"	
Alice Sowtea	Lymph. "	"	
Evelyn Gheen	" "	"	
Curtis Redneck	Haemoptysis	"	(Sent home)
Maggie Laughing	Lymph. Tuberculosis	"	
Nora Twomoons	Suspicious	"	
Grace Smith	Not in hospital long enough to make a positive diagnosis.		

I trust this will supply the information wanted. If there is any further information I can give concerning the records, kindly let me know.

Very truly yours,

F. SHOEMAKER



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UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL,  
CARLISLE, PA.

June 18th, 1910.



Open-air treatment.

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

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Carlisle  
Tuberculosis.

Sir:

Office letter of June 15th, last, was referred to Acting School Physician Dr. Allen and he reports as follows:

"In regard to the letter from the Office of Indian Affairs, concerning patients who took the open air treatment on the balconies, I beg to report that the hospital records do not show in any way those that took this treatment or those that had tubercle bacilli in their sputum.

The death of Ernest Irons was due to tubercular meningitis".

*Allen*

However, the matter is being referred to Dr. Shoemaker at the Crow Agency in Montana, and as soon as definite information is received, a further report will be made.

Very respectfully,

*M. Friedman*

HKM.

Superintendent.

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Moses Friedman, Esq.,

Superintendent Carlisle Indian School,  
Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Sir:

The Office is in receipt of your letter of June 7 reporting the total number of pupils in your school who, on account of the condition of their health, were required to sleep on the screened porches at the hospital.

Please report if any of these cases were tubercular and the tubercle bacilli found in the sputum.

Was the death reported in your letter due to tuberculosis?

Very respectfully,

(Signed) C. F. Hauke,  
Chief Clerk.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL.

CARLISLE, PA.

SUBJECT:  
Treatment  
on open-air  
balconies.

June 7th, 1910.



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

Sir:

Before severing his connection with this school, Dr. Shoemaker reported the following list of cases treated on the open-air balconies at the school hospital, with results as noted:

Simon Cloud	Improved to some extent
Amy Cornelius	Improved
Alice Redbird	Very much improved with considerable gain in weight
Ernest Iron	No improvement - death
Bessie Printup	Improved slightly
Virgie Gaddy	Improved somewhat
Ray Hitchcock	Improved - gained 16 lbs.
Nora Ground	Greatly improved
Mabel Hart	Improvement marked
Pierce Yupe	Improvement marked
Wm. Walker	No improvement
Jno. Monhart	Slight improvement
Ned George	No improvement
Charlotte Welch	Improved
Lawrence Poodry	Improved - very much
Bessie Metoxen	Improved
Edna Bissonette	No improvement
Marceline Holstein	Improved very much
Ruth Jamison	Improved somewhat
Jerome Keogima	Improved somewhat
Alice Sowtea	Improved somewhat
Evelyn Gheen	Improvement marked
Curtis Redneck	Condition stationary

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Maggie Laughing	Improvement marked
Nora Two Moons	Improved
Grace Smith	Improved somewhat

Very respectfully,

*W. Friedman*

HKM.

Superintendent.



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MAY 19 1910

Report of open air  
treatment.

M. Friedman, Esq.,

Superintendent Carlisle Indian School,  
Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Sir:

Please have the physician at your school prepare a brief report showing the number of cases of actual or suspicious tuberculosis treated by the open air method during the fiscal year 1910. Show in each case the exact form of the disease with the results of the treatment.

Very respectfully,  
*(Signed) C. F. Hanke.*

Chief Clerk.

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INDIAN OFFICE.

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CARLISLE SCHOOL, 3-17-09 3-19

Requests authority to expend \$300.00  
for medical treatment of pupils.

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Subject:  
Requests  
Authority to  
expend \$500.00  
for medical treatment  
of pupils.

**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,**

Carlisle, Pa., June 22nd, 1909.

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

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Sir:

I respectfully request authority to expend \$ 500.00 , or  
so much thereof as may be necessary, for the following purposes,  
payment therefor to be made from the appropriation :

"Indian School, Carlisle, Pa., 1910."

, of which I have to my official credit  
\$ not needed for other purposes.

For special medical treatments of pupils, for expenses in  
taking pupils to and from Phila. for special treatment and for  
their board while there, and for medicines and special  
articles of diet for pupils in the school hospital.

Very respectfully,

*M. Friedman*  
Superintendent.

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Office of Indian Affairs,  
Washington,

Returned approved; - *JUL -1 1909*  
*for use July 1/1909.*

(Signed) R. G. Valentine,  
Commissioner,  
C. N. S.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,

Subject: Indian Industrial School,  
Requests authority Carlisle, Pa., March 17, 1909.  
to expend \$300.00  
for dental and eye treatment  
of pupils.

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I respectfully request authority to expend \$ \_\_\_\_\_, or  
so much thereof as may be necessary, for the following purposes,  
payment therefor to be made from the appropriation :

"Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior"

, of which I have to my official credit

\$ 3,000.00 not needed for other purposes.

For Special Dental and Eye Treatment of Pupils and for  
Travel Funds to secure purchase of dentures.

*Richard D. Murray*  
Assistant Commissioner

Office of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C. 30, 1909.  
Returned approved:-

*R. M. Anderson*  
Commissioner,