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Death of pupil.

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Mr. Moses Friedman,

Superintendent Carlisle Indian School, Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Sir:

The Office is in receipt of your letter of October 20, reporting the death of Mabel Hart, a pupil of your school, from tubercular meningitis following an abscess at the base of the skull.

It is noted that the body was shipped to her former home at Pinconning, Michigan.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) J. H. Dortch,

Chief Education Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL,

Death of Mabel Hart.

CARLISLE, PA.

October 20th, 1910.



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

Sir:

I respectfully submit below a copy of a report made by School Physician A. R. Allen:

> "I beg to report that Mabel Hart was admitted to the school hospital July 29, 1910, with an abscess at the juncture of the skull and spinal column. This abscess was deep and involved the bones. It was opened and drained with improvement. About October the third she was put to bed with an increased temperature, and in a few days symptoms of tubercular meningitis developed. She gradually grew worse, becoming unconscious, and died October 17th at one o'clock A. M."

I also beg leave to report to the Office that when the parents of the girl requested that her body be sent to her former home. arrangements were made to do so. and after brief funeral services on the morning of October 18th, such shipment was made.

Mabel Hart was a half-blood member of the Chippewa Tribe, and was enrolled at Carlisle in September of 1908. She was fifteen years of age at the date of her death and her former home was at Pinconning. Michigan.

Very respectfully,

Clark to the Superintendent.

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