



## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

## UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL,

CARLISLE, PA.

Education-Schools. CHS

March 19th, 1912.

Pupil excused to visit father.

FILED BY & B.E.

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

Sir:

Referring to Office letter of March the 13th, I respectfully convey the information that Rose Lyons does not desire to expend any of her earnings in paying for the expenses in connection with a visit to Washington. She has very little money and has expressed the hope that her father pay her expenses.

If any arrangements can be made by the father to provide for her expenses she can travel without an escort.

Very respectfully.

Superintendent.

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March 16, 1912.

Memorandum.

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Are there any funds applicable for the purpose?

Chief Education Division.

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Mr. Francis,

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Mr. Moses Friedman.

for Mr. Pears FOR FILE Superintendent Carlisle Indian School.

Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

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Sir:

The father of Rosa Lyons, a Chippewa of the Missipsippi band, enrolled at your school from White Oak Point, Minnesota, is in the City and wishes very much to see his daughter before returning home.

As he is unable to stand the expense of a visit to the school or to pay the daughter's way to Washington, it has occurred to the Office that perhaps the girl may have sufficient funds to her credit at the school to ray her exponses to this City and return.

If she has sufficient funds to cover her entire expenses for a day's visit here, and if in your judgment it is safe for her to make the journey without escort, you may excuso Rosa Lyons from school duty for this purpose.

Please advise the Office of the action you take in this matter.

Respectfully,

(Signed) F. H. Abbott. Assistant Commissioner.

INDIAN OFFICE.

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