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pupils at Carlisle.

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Dr. E. L. Clark,
Faxon, Oklahoma.

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FOR FILE

Sir:

The Office has received your letter of April 15, 1912, requesting the privilege of enrolling your boys, one 12 and the other 8 years of age, at the Carlisle School, also a playmate of your boys who is not an Indian.

You are informed that in accordance with the present law regarding enrollment of Indian pupils in non-reservation training schools, the age of 14 is the minimum at which pupils may be transported at Government expense. Such enrollment is also contrary to the practice of the Office.

Another reason for denying them enrollment is that the Office is now limiting the attendance of pupils at Indian schools to such Indians as are without public school facilities near home. The Office is quite sure that you must be able to find satisfactory schools much nearer your home than Carlisle.

Regarding the white boy whom you wish to take to

38098/12 Carlisle 870

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Carlisle, it need only be said that it would not be wise to enroll him because our schools are not equal now to the demands made upon them by Indian pupils.

Respectfully,

(Signed) C. F. Hauke.

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Second Assistant Commissioner

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near home. The Office is quite sure that you must be able to find satisfactory schools much nearer your home than Carlisle and, ~~therefore, suggests that you try elsewhere.~~

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Respectfully,

4-KAV-26

Second Assistant Commissioner

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Taxon Oklahoma

April 15 1912

Hon Commissioner Ind Affairs
Washington D C



Sir

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Being desirous to place
1 or 2 of my boys in
the school at Carlisle Pa
One 12 and the other 8
years old.

I have one boy here,
the son of a nephew of
mine, a good square boy
a playmate of my boys
although not an Indian
Can I take them there?
Of course I will pay in advance
the probable expense of the
white boy. Respectfully,
E. L. Clark

I am a White man
Married to a Comanche
woman and in good stand-
ing.

Respectfully
Dr E L Clark

P.S

My 2 boys are half breed
Comanche Indians.

I would take the three there
at my own expence without
the Hon Commissioner would
pay their transportation.
E L Clark

P.S

I think there are some
others who would send some
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