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Information.

Miss Josephine B. Hufford,
1844 College Avenue,
Spokane, Washington.

Madam:

The Office has your letter of August 7 inquiring if it would be possible for you to be received in one of the Indian High Schools in order to continue your educational work and possibly learn a profession.

The Indian Service does not maintain high schools and its nonreservation boarding schools are equivalent only to the ordinary public schools below the high schools so far as academic instruction is concerned. At these schools some domestic science is taught but it is doubtful if there would be any special work or course in this line which would help you especially at your present age, and with the education which you appear to have had already.

There will be no objection to your corresponding with the Superintendent of Sherman Institute, Riverside, California, if you wish and he will give you full information concerning the school under his charge.

Respectfully,

(Signed) F. H. Abbott:

Acting Commissioner.

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Dear Sir:

I would like to have you kindly inform me what rights the Indians of California have.

I am a quarter Indian. My grandmother was a full Indian woman. I was born in California in the year 1890. My mother died when I was but one year old, and my education has been neglected somewhat. I went to the public grammar school and worked my way in a Seventh Day Adventist Academy for one year and a half. There I studied music and the usual high school studies. I am anxious to continue my education but I have no money. I would like to know if it were possible for me to enter one of the Indian high

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The agent of the Spokane Indians here advised me to write you about getting me to write you about getting me into one of the Indian schools. I am over eighteen years old, but can you not arrange for me to attend one of the schools? I would be so grateful. I prefer going to the Carlisle, Penn. school, but would go to the one which you would choose.

My father lives at Orick, Humboldt County, California. None of us have never been given any privileges which some Indians enjoy.

Thanking you in advance for your kindness, I am

Sincerely yours,

Josephine B. Hufford.

1844 College Ave.

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