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UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL

CARLISLE, PA.

OUTING SYSTEM

MRS. NELLIE R. DENNY, Manager.

MISS LIDA M. JOHNSTON, Girls' Agent.

MR. D. H. DICKEY, Boys' Agent.

E-SCHOOLS

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July 13, 1915.



To the Homorable Commissioner of Indian Affairs Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

FILED BY C. P. F.

Replying to your letter of the 12th inst relative to a lost trunk belonging to Brown Eagle, I submit herewith copies of all the letters relating to this matter.

As the correspondence will show, I am now waiting for a description of the trunk and its contents so that a claim may be brought against the Express Company.

Assuring you that we are doing all we can to get track of the trunk, I am

Very respectfully

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Carlisle, Pa. May 24, 1915. FILED SWEETVISOR In Charge

Adams Express Company. Morrisville, Penna.

Dear Sir:

I have a way bill showing that a trunk was shipped on May 13th from Morrisville to Carlisle. Pa. This trunk has not yet reached Carlisle. Please trace it.

Very truly yours,

MRD: LFR

Carlisle, Pa. June 2, 1915.

Mr. D. H. Dickey. Newtown. Pa.

Dear Friend:

Will you please personally look into the matter of Brown Eagle's trunk. It has not yet reached us, I have had no word from either Mrs. White or the express Company at Morrisville.

Very truly yours,

NRD: LFR

Supervisor In Charge.

Carlisle, Pa. June 7, 1915.

Mr. D. H. Dickey. Newtown, Pa.

Dear Friend:

I am arranging to send Brown Eagle away from the school as soon as his trunk comes in. Will you please look into this matter immediately and if the trunk is lost as it appears to be, have the express company trace it. I enclose the waybill which you can use to have the express company trace it.

Very truly yours,

NRD: LFR

Supervisor In Charge.

O. H. Lipps, Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed find express receipt for Brown Eagle's trunk. I called at the express office today on account of this trunk and the agent tells me a tracer has been sent but no word of its being found has come to him.

I am sorry this delay has put Brown Eagle to so much trouble, but he will understand it could not be helped. The trunk was started promptly by Percy White.

Very respectfully,

D. H. Dickey

Carlisle, Pa. June 26, 1915.

Adams Express Company, Morrisville, Pa.

Dear Sirs:

I have yet had no reply to my inquires regarding a trunk which was shipped to Carlisle May 13th. This trunk has not yet been received at Carlisle. Please let me hear from you at once regarding this.

Very truly yours,

NRD: LFR

Supervisor In Charge.

Carlisle, Pa. July 7, 1915.

Brown Eagle, C/o Clyde Lee, Kenmore, Ohio.

Dear Friend:

I have a letter from Mr. Dickey today and he has been to the express office at Morrisville again regarding your trunk. They have not been able to find it yet. They want you to give a description of the trunk, to tell if there were any markings on the trunk and also give the value and what was inside of the trunk. You can send this letter to me and I will forward it to Mr. Dickey.

Very truly yours,

Mr. F. S. Brubaker, Agent Adams Express Co., Clinton Street Depot, Trenton, N. J.

Dear Sir:

The trunk belonging to Brown Eagle which was shipped to Carlisle by P. White of Morrisville, Pa. on April the 29th has not yet been received here. I have written to Brown Eagle who is now located at Kenmore, Ohio asking him to give a description of the trunk and a list of the contents. As soon as I hear from him I will write you again.

Very truly yours,

NRD: LFR

Superintendent.

Trenton, N. J. July 7, 1915.

Brown Eagle, C/o Indian School Carlisle, Pa. Morrisville, Pa. trunk, April 29th 1915.

Supt. Indian School, Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir: -

We have as yet been unable to locate any record of the above shipment and in order to facilitate matters would thank you to have us furnished, if possible, a complete description of this trunk together with a list of contents.

Yours truly,

F. S. Brubaker,

Agent Cooper.

Trenton, N. J. July 7, 1915.

Brown Eagle. c/o Indian School Carlisle, Pa. from Percy White, Morrisville, Pa. trk, April 29th, 1915.

Agent, Carlisle, Pa.

Under date of May 15th and again on June 29th
we sent you tracer covering the above shipment, as yet we
have received no reply as to whether the trunk has been delivered or whether same is on hand at your office.

Kindly advise your record at once as it is very

important that we locate this trunk without delay.

Yours truly, F. S. Brubaker,

Agent C.

Carlisle, Pa. June 11, 1915. Brown Eagle. c/o Pennsylvania R. R. Co's Agent. Altoona. Pa. My dear Friend: I enclose herewith the prepaid order for your ticket from Altoona to Akron, Ohio., I referred to in my letter of the 9th instant. It was necessary to secure the rate between the two points before the order could be issued and the delay could not be avoided. Hoping you will keep us informed where you can be located so that your trunk can be forwarded if it is found. Very truly yours, Encl. Superintendent.

HKM.

Carlisle, Pa. June 17, 1915.

Brown Eagle. c/o Clyde Lee. Kenmore, Ohio.

Dear Friend:

Your letter to Mr. Lipps comes to me for attention in Mr. Lipps absence. Your friends here are glad to know that you have secured a job with your friends.

Mrs. Denny has just called up the express office and asked them about your trunk but they tell her that it is not there. Mr. Dickey writes that he had the express company at Morrisville look it up and they are doing this now. I am sorry that you had this trouble regarding your trunk but as we have told you before you left Carlisle, it is a matter over which we have no control. This happens to other people too and the express company will make up the loss by givingyou some thing for it if it does not turn up. I will write you as soon as I know any thing regarding it.

With kind regards and best wishes for your success, I am

Very truly yours.

NRD: LFR

Assistant Superintendent.

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W. Oscar H. Lipps,

Supervisor in Charge,

Carlisle School.

FILED BY C. P. F.

My dear Mr. Lipps:

There is here ith enclosed a letter from Brown Eagle who was sent to your school in December last and who left Carlisle for Akron, Ohio early in June.

It appears that his trunk has been lost and he is asking the Government to help him find it. Please advise the Office in regard to this matter and return the enclosure with your answer.

Very truly yours,

(Signed)E.B.Meritt

Assistant Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL 1 4 1915

CARLISLE, PA.

June 11th. 1915.



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

Sir:

FILED BY C. P. F.

Referring to the Office's letter of the 3rd ultimo, relative to Brown Eagle who was sent to this school earlier in the year, I respectfully report that the young man was provided with transportation on Monday of this week to go to Altoona. Pennsylvania, to look for work with the understanding that transportation could probably be provided for his use from Altoona to Akron, Ohio, in case he should not be successful in finding work at Altoona. At Akron, Ohio, he claimed to have friends with whom he had lived before this.

Being advised by Brown Eagle that he cannot find work at Altoona a prepaid order for transportation from that point to Akron is being mailed him as previously agreed upon.

Very respectfully.

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Superintendent

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MAY -3 1915

Mr. Oscar H. Lipps.

FILED BY C. P. F.

Supervisor in Charge, Carlisle School.

My dear Mr. Lipps:

The Office has received your letter of April 22 asking instructions in the case of Brown Eagle who is now in the guard-house at Carlisle.

It is obvious that this young man does not wish to take advantage of the privileges afforded him at Carlisle and if you think it advisable to send him to the Navajo country where it appears he belongs and where his people are located, you may do so. Perhaps you can arrange with his Superintendent to have him attend a school nearer his home. If you feel that he should be sent away from Carlisle, the Office will concur in your action.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) E.B. Meritt

Assistant Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Brown Eagle.

UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL

CARLISLE, PA.

April 28thCF915

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The Honorable, FILED BY C. P. F. Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Brown Eagle, the Indian young man who was sent to Carlisle by the Office in December of 1914, has again become obsessed with the desire to enter some so-called Wild West Show. He is now in the guard-house here for safe keeping.

Brown Eagle has conducted himself properly while here, but has made no progress. While in his present state of mind it will be absolutely impossible to do anything for him and I desire to be instructed what shall be done with him.

Very respectfully.



HASKELL INSTITUTE

UNITED STATES INDIAN TRAINING SCHOOL LAWRENCE, KANSAS

December 10. 1914.

The Honorable

Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Washington, D. C.

Sir:

FILED BY C. P. F.

Office letter dated December 3. 1914. relative to the enrollment at Carlisle of Brown Eagle, a Navajo Indian 23 years of age, has been forwarded to me here. Regarding this matter, I have to state that if Carlisle is the only school in which Brown Eagle can receive the training he desires and that is best suited to his needs, all things considered, I am willing to waive our rules and admit him. If, however, he can be provided for in some of the smaller schools nearer the Navajo country, I should think it would be the part of economy, and for the general welfare of the service to require him to go to either Albuquerque or Santa Fe. In any event, he would have to pay his own transportation from his home to the school as he is more than 21 years of are. We are very anxious at Carlisle to enroll only those who have completed the 4th grade, and except in cases where dull students desire to learn some trade which they cannot learn at any other school, we would prefer not to enroll any students below that grade.

Very respectfully.

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Mr. Oscar H. Lipps,

Supervisor in Charge, Carlisle School.

My dear Mr. Lipps:

FILED BY C. F. F.

Replying to your letter of December 7, relative to Brown Eagle, a Navajo Indian, about whom you were written on November 5, you are advised that the Office has decided to enter this Indian at Carlisle and you are therefore authorized to take him up on your rolls. He will report to you immediately.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) E. B. Meritt

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Assistant Commissioner.

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FILED BY C. P. F.

Mr. Oscar H. Lipps,

Supervisor in Charge, Carlisle School.

My dear Mr. Lipps:

The bearer of this letter, Brown Eagle, is the Navajo Indian referred to in Office letter of December 8 authorizing you to enroll him at your institution.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) E. B. Meritt

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Assistant Commissioner.

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December 8, 1914.

Purchase:

FILED BY C. P. F.

Please furnish transportation request covering one trip from Washington, D.C., to Carlisle, Pennsylvania, for Brown Eagle, payable from "Indian Schools Transportation".

Assistant Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL



December 7, 1914.

The Honorable

the Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

FILED BY C. P. F.

Sir: -

In reply to the Assistant Commissioner's letter (129387-1914) of the fifth instant, relative to Brown Eagle, a Navajo Indian, I will say that there are here at present six young Indians who are not sufficiently advanced to warrant their being classified above Grade I. Some time ago, the undersigned was advised by the Supervisor in Charge that, in accordance with arrangements made with the Honorable the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, no more students would be admitted to Carlisle who were unable to qualify for at least Grade Four. It has been our desire to eliminate Grade I from this school within a few months from now. If Brown Eagle were to enter now, he would be three months behind the six who are carried as Grade I pupils. However, if it is the Honorable Commissioner's wish that Brown Eagle be admitted here, we shall enter no objection and shall cheerfully do the best we can for him.

Very respectful/y,

Principal Teacher, Acting for & in the Absence of the Supervisor in Charge.

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Mr. Oscar H. Lipps,

FILED BY C. F. F. Supervisor in Charge, Carlisle School. My dear Mr. Lipps:

The Office is in receipt of the letter from Mr. DeMuff, dated December 4, relative to the admission to Carlisle of Brown Eagle, a Navajo Indian.

Immediately upon receipt of this letter please inform the Office whether there is such a class at Carliste as that mentioned in Office letter of December 3, and the Office will then decide as to the advisability of entering Brown Eagle as a pupil.

Very truly yours,

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(Signed) E. B. Meritt Assistant Commissioner.



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UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL

CARLISLE, PA.

Dec. 4th, 1914.



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

Sir:

We are in receipt of the Assistant Commissioner's letter of the third instant relative to Brown Eagle, the Navajo Indian who wishes to enter school; and in the belief that this letter should be answered by the regular head of this institution we have forwarded it to Mr. Lipps, who is now making a trip among the Indian schools and reservations in the West.

Very respectfully,

JDDeH-HKM.

Principal Teacher, in Charge.

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DEC -3 1914

Mr. Oscar H. Lipps,

FILED BY C. P. F.

Supervisor in Charge, Carlisle School.

My dear Mr. Lipps:

Brown Eagle, a Mavajo Indian, twenty-three years of age, has appealed to the Office for permission to enter one of our Indian schools.

His parents are dead and he has not been with his people for approximately ten years, having spent practically all of this time with shows. He was enrolled at Haskell Institute about ten years ago but after staying there two years ran away. He has no education, being unable to either read or write, and seems to realize the necessity for acquiring this knowledge.

The Office has no objection to his enrollment at Carlisle provided you so recommend, as it is understood you have a class at your school for students who are advanced in years but deficient in education.

Please reply immediately, submitting your recommendation.

Very truly yours

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