

APR 281915

April 26th, 1915.

Mr. R. C. Craige, Supt., Turtle Mountain School, Belcourt, No. Dak.

My dear Mr. Craige:

FILED BY C. P. F.

Edward Brien was sent to Carlisle from the Turtle

Mountain School in October of 1913. He has done but very
ordinary work, has caused considerable trouble and lately
has spent much of his time running to town. It was reported to me this morning that he spent the greater part
of yesterday in town and I at once gave instructions to have
him sent home. Arrangements are being made to have him leave
here this evening.

He will be provided with a ticket for passage to Rolla, North Dakota, and \$4.06 of the amount to his credit in our school bank will be handed to him in cash to pay for incidental traveling expenses enroute home. The balance to his credit, \$20.00, will be retained to apply to the cost of his transportation. Just as soon as it is learned what the total cost of his transportation will be you will be requested to assist in collecting what more than the \$20.00 held here will

Noted in & Selver 4/30-15

Esch

-2- Mr. R. C. Craige, Superintendent.

be required to pay for the same.

It is to be regretted that such drastic action is necessary, but Edward claims that he has a farm and as it would be a waste of time and money to keep him here while he is not doing any good or making any effort to profit by the training afforded here he is being given an opportunity to get to work at home. He is 21 years of age and old enough to realize that something definite must be done if he wants to be of use.

It is my opinion that if he does not have any money to his credit with you which can be used to pay the balance due on his ticket he should be put to work to earn what will be needed.

I assure you that any co-operation you can extend in the matter will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

(Copy to Commissioner of Indian Affairs)
( " " Mr. Gregoire Brien, Belcourt, No. Dak.)

