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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

Education. 52559 - 1908. A.V.S.

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

WASHINGTON. January 22 1909.

SUBJECT:

Additional information to be given in future quarterly attendance reports.

Mr. Moses Friedman, Supt. Indian School, Carlisle, Pa.

Sir:

It is noted from the attendance reports of your school - form 5-249 - for the months of October, November, and December, 1908, that there were 2% runaway pupils, and 19 were returned to the school during that period.

As it is understood that you have this information recorded, and that it has to be furnished in the settlement of your accounts, you are requested to give the names of all runaway pupils, and the dates they leave and return, so that the number of days absence may be vetverified by reference to your quarterly attendance reports.

Please give this information after the list of discharged pupils in your future quarterly attendance reports.

In your letter of July 31, 1908, reporting on the enrollment of pupils of the Bive Civilized Tribes you gave the name of Albert Exending, Delaware Indian, dismissed from the school, but his name appears on your reports for the 1st and 2d quarters of the present school year as a graduate of Carlisle readmitted to attend Dickinson College.

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Please cite the authority under which you readmitted him.

Very respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

Education. 52559 - 1908. A.V.S.

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON. August 4, 1908.

SUBJECT:
Enrollment of pupils
from Five Civ. Tribes.

The Superintendent, Indian School, Carlisle, Pa.

Sir:

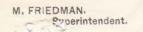
The Office is in receipt of your letter of 31st ultimo, in reply to the question of the enrollment in the Carlisle school of pupils belonging to the Five Civilized Tribes.

You say that Marguerite Leonard, Choctaw Indian, was enrolled from her home at 4718 Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill., and is not under the control of an Agent.

It appears from the last attendance report that she has been on the rolls of the Carlisle school for six years, is reported to be now 14 years of age, and in the 6th grade. Her term at Carlisle seems to have expired. Should she not be returned to her home to continue her studies in the public school?

You say the thirty-two Cherokees enrolled belong to the Eastern Cherokees and are under the control of the Cherokee Indian School, in North Carolina. The Office would like to know under what circumstances those from Leesville, Ia., were received, also their names.

Very respectfully,



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# DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,
INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL,

CARLISLE, PA.

Subject:
Answers inquiry
concerning enrollment of pupils from
Five Civilized Tribes.

August 5th, 1908.

A. KENSLER.

Quartermaster.

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

Sir:

Referring to Office letter dated August 4th, marked "Education, 52559-1908, A.V.S.", Subject: "Enrollment of pupils from Five Civ. Tribes", I respectfully report that Marguerite Leonard was originally enrolled at this School on April 5th, 1902, for a term of five years. On Oct. 8th, 1907, her mother gave her consent to an enrollment for one year longer, so that Marguerite's term of enrollment would expire during the fall of this year, and she will then probably make request to be sent to her home, which will be granted her and her transportation arranged.

Two girls are enrolled from Leesville, Louisiana. They are sisters and their names are Laura and Texie Tubbs. I have made an investigation and find that they were both born at Cherokee, N. C. and that they formerly lived there, but that recently their mother took up her temporary residence at Leesville, La., from which point they were enrolled. These girls are members of the Cherokee tribe, of North Carolina.

Very respectfully,

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Superintendent.

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M. FRIEDMAN. Superintendent.

J. WHITWELL, Principal Teacher.

# DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR. UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE. INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL,

CARLISLE, PA.

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A. KENSLER,

July 31st, 1908.

Subject: Answers inquiry concerning enrollment of pupils from Five Civilized Tribes.

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

Sir:

Referring to Office letter dated July 30, 1908, marked "Education, A. V. S.", Subject: "Enrollment of pupils of Five Civ. Tribes", I respectfully make report as follows:

- The one Choctaw pupil enrolled here, Marguerite Leonard, was enrolled from her home at 4718 Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill. and is not under the control of an Agent.
- The four Delawares enrolled here are not incorporated with the Cherokees, and do not come under the provisions of Section 248, Indian School Rules. George and Guy Ohmert were enrolled from Shawmee, Okla.; Leo Nevitt was enrolled from Olathe, Kans.; and Albert Exendine's term of enrollment has expired since the last quarterly report, and has been dismissed from the School. Albert Exendine was enrolled from Okla.
- 3. The thirty two Cherokees enrolled here belong to the Eastern Cherokees and are under the control of the Cherokee Indian School, in North Carolina. They were enrolled from points, as follows:

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- 28 From Cherokee, N. C.
  - 3 From Clayton, Ga.
  - 2 From Leesville, La.
  - 3 From Whittier, N. C.
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  - 3 From Almond, N. C.

Very respectfully,

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Superintendent.

REFER IN ARPLY TO THE POLLOWING:



#### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

Education A.V.S. OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, WASHINGTON.

SUBJECT: Enrollment of pupils of Five Civ. Tribes.

July 30, 1908.

The Superintendent, Indian School, Carlisle, Pa.

Sir:

Your quarterly attendance reports show that there are Choctaw, Cherokee, and Delaware Indian pupils enrolled at the Carlisle school.

Your attention is called to section 248 Indian school rules, which provides that -

Children of members of the Five Civilized Tribes (Cherokee, Choctaw, Creek, Chickasaw, and Seminole, including Delaware and Shawnee incorporated with the Cherokee) cannot be enrolled in Government Indian schools.

Inform the Office by what authority pupils of the above tribes have been admitted or are retained at your school.

Very respectfully.

Acting Commissioner.