

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

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NUMBER 2850		ENGLISH NAME Lucenda Reed			AGENCY Cherokee, N.C.		NATION Cherokee		
BAND		INDIAN NAME			HOME ADDRESS Cherokee, N.C.				
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD 1/2	AGE 16	HEIGHT 5 1/4	WEIGHT 107	FORCED INSP. 32	FORCED EXPR. 28	SEX. F.	
FATHER,		MOTHER,			DATE DISCHARGED Jan. 28, 1915		CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Pregnant		
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL 5-18-13		FOR WHAT PERIOD			DATE DISCHARGED		CAUSE OF DISCHARGE		
TO COUNTRY		PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS					FROM COUNTRY		
5-23-13		Elij. S. Roberts Sainsbury, Pa							
6-3-13		Ran from outing					Ret to school 7-21-13		
9-10-13		Mrs. A. H. Holcomb, Cynwyd, Pa.					8-27-14		

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MUSKOGEE 121071

Months in school before Carlisle, 90

Grade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Baptist

Miles to school 6

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CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL

No. 2850

NAME.

AGE.

TRIBE.

DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD. 1/2

NAME OF AGENCY AND RESERVATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT, POST OFFICE OF FAMILY: Cherokee

Lucinda Reed

16

Cherokee

Cherokee

DATE ENTERED.

Months in school before enrollment here.

IN WHAT GRADE OR ROOM.

On entering here.

At date of this report.

Distance to nearest public school from pupil's home.

REMARKS.

(Temporarily absent, outing, deserters, on sick leave, special authorities for enrollment, etc.)

Mar. 18, '13

90

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6 mi

TO COUNTRY

FROM COUNTRY

DATE DISCHARGE

Sept. 14

11

9-10-13

8-27-14

1-28-15

Cresby

~1639~

Progress from _____ (Date) _____, to _____ (Date) _____

FIRST YEAR IN THIS SCHOOL	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.
Class or grade								
Academic standing*								
Industrial standing* (Department)								
Musical: Band standing*								
Vocal standing*								
Orchestra standing*								
Department standing*								
Physical condition								

Remarks:

PUPIL'S HEALTH REPORT.

This blank is issued so that the school authorities may keep in touch with the health of the pupil. The patron is requested to fill this blank out on the first of MAY, JULY, SEPTEMBER, NOVEMBER, JANUARY, and MARCH, and send it to the school with the outing report for the month.

Patron's name and address Mrs. A. H. Holcombe, Gwynedd, Pa.

Pupil's name Lucinda Reed

General health of the pupil Excellent

Has pupil been ill the past two months? No

Name of disease.....

Name and address of the physician in attendance.....

Does the pupil have a cough? No

For how long has he had it?.....

Give the pupil's weight 113

Has the pupil any trouble with the eyes? No

Are the eyelids inflamed? No

Remarks:.....

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Date June 30, 1914

In cases of serious illness, notify the school at once and have the physician in attendance send in a written report of the case.

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Patron's name and address Mrs. A. S. Holcomb, Gyro, Pa.

Pupil's name Lucinda Reed

General health of the pupil Excellent

Has pupil been ill the past two months? No

Name of disease.....

Name and address of the physician in attendance.....

Does the pupil have a cough? Yes

For how long has he had it? One week

Give the pupil's weight 2

Has the pupil any trouble with the eyes? No

Are the eyelids inflamed?.....

Remarks: We have given Lucinda eight medicine and her cold is leaving her slowly.

Date.....

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Patron's name and address *Mrs. A. B. Holcomb, Synnott Pa.*

Pupil's name *Lucinda Reed*

General health of the pupil *Good*

Has pupil been ill the past two months? *No*

Name of disease _____

Name and address of the physician in attendance _____

Does the pupil have a cough? *No*

For how long has he had it? _____

Give the pupil's weight *112 lbs.*

Has the pupil any trouble with the eyes? *No.*

Are the eyelids inflamed? _____

Remarks: _____

Date _____

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Patron's name and address..... *Mrs. A. H. Hohomke*

Pupil's name..... *Lucinda Reed*

General health of the pupil..... *Excellent*

Has pupil been ill the past two months?..... *No*

Name of disease.....

Name and address of the physician in attendance.....

Does the pupil have a cough?..... *No*

For how long has he had it?.....

Give the pupil's weight..... *115*

Has the pupil any trouble with the eyes?..... *No*

Are the eyelids inflamed?..... *No*

Remarks:.....

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Date.....

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Patron's name and address *Ms. A. B. Holcombe Cynwold Pa.*

Pupil's name *Lucinda Reed*

General health of the pupil *Excellent*

Has pupil been ill the past two months? *No*

Name of disease.....

Name and address of the physician in attendance.....

Does the pupil have a cough? *No*

For how long has he had it?.....

Give the pupil's weight *110 lbs.*

Has the pupil any trouble with the eyes? *No*

Are the eyelids inflamed? *No*

Remarks:.....

Date *March 1, 1914*

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Patron's name and address..... *Elizabeth J. Roberts*

Pupil's name..... *Lucind Reed*

General health of the pupil..... *Very good*

Has pupil been ill the past two months?..... *No*

Name of disease..... *None*

Name and address of the physician in attendance..... *None needed*

Does the pupil have a cough?..... *No*

For how long has he had it?.....

Give the pupil's weight..... *109 1/2 a month ago*

Has the pupil any trouble with the eyes?..... *No*

Are the eyelids inflamed?..... *No*

Remarks:.....

Date.....

In cases of serious illness, notify the school at once and have the physician in attendance send in a written report of the case.

near Mar 18-1913

NAME Lucinda Reed Sex ~~Male~~ Female.

Tribes ^{Enth} 1 1/2 Cherokee State North Carolina Mar 19, 1913

Age 16 years Respiration 18 Condition of, Eyes O.K.

Height 5 ft. 1 1/4 ins. Mensuration { Insp. 32 Ears O.K.

Weight 107 lbs. { Exp. 28 Throat O.K.

Temperature 98.4 Vaccination 3/21/13 Cervical glands O.K.

Pulse 72 Vision _____ Skin O.K.

Inspection Fairly well developed

Palpation O.K.

Percussion O.K.

Auscultation O.K.

Heart O.K.

(Menstruation) regular.

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father			yes	unknown
Mother			"	" not T. B.
Brothers	1	good	0	
Sisters	0		0	

Personal history measles Jan 1913. mumps, pneumonia 5 yrs ago

Present condition good

H. B. Fraley, M. D.

This form is for the record of the physical condition of pupils of boarding or nonreservation Indian schools. It should be filled in by the school physician at the time of the admission of the pupil.

Physicians in the field should use this form to record the examination of pupils for transfer to nonreservation schools. It should accompany the pupils' transfer blanks.

The reverse side is intended as a card-index case-record for use by all Service physicians.

Name

Age

Sex

{ Male.
Female. }

Tribe

{ Full
I }

Residence

(On, 19.....)

DATE.	SYMPTOMS.			TREATMENT.	DIAGNOSIS.	REMARKS.
19....	T.	P.	R.	History, progress, and termination of the disease.		

May 6, 1913 for testing OK,
Sept 4, 1913 " " " " good skin

NO.

United States Indian School Hospital
Carlisle, Pennsylvania

YEAR 1914

TRIBE

FULL ONE

NAME Lucinda Reed

AGE

DIAGNOSIS Bronchitis

ADMITTED Sept 16th

DISCHARGED Sept 19th

RESULT Recovery

VISITING PHYSICIAN:

RESIDENT PHYSICIAN:

Walter Rudolph

REMARKS:

Case No.

DIAGNOSIS

Bronchitis

Revise.....

Notes of Case

Name *Lucinda Reed* M.F.

Age..... S.M.W.

Nativity.....

Occupation.....

Residence.....

Date of admission *Sept. 16, 1914*

Diet

Treatment

Tuberculin test -

Von Pirquet - negative

BOWELS movements	M E M E M E M E M E M E M E M E M E M E M E M E M E M E M E M E M E																														
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Patient Lucinda Reed Carlisle, Pa. Sept. 16 191 4 Physician Dr. Rendtroff,
 Address _____ Nurse Mrs. Hyde,

H.	T.	P.	R.	H.	Medicine	H.	Nourishment	H.	Remarks
					10.00 AM admitted.				Sleeps in balcony
					12:30 ^{PM} Olive oil $\frac{zj.$ with $\frac{f}{4}$ qt of Flower sol. with milk. $\frac{zj.$ & P. C. Sept. 17, - 14.				Patient out in Sunlight. 8 PM. Sponge bath. Patient has slight cough.
					7.00 AM Olive oil $\frac{zj.$ with $\frac{f}{4}$ qt of Flower sol. $\frac{zj.$ & P. C. Sept. 18 - 14.				
					9 ^{PM} 6.30 Olive oil $\frac{zj.$ with $\frac{f}{4}$ qt of Flower sol.		General diet. at all meals.		

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Cherokee Indian School,

Cherokee, N.C., June 11, 1914.

Mr. O. H. Lipps,
Supervisor in Charge,
Carlisle Indian School.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith you will find check No. 41, drawn on the Central Bank & Trust Company of Asheville, North Carolina in your favor for \$32.00, the same being for transfer of account of Cindy Reed to your School. Cindy is a student at Carlisle and has written me for money. I am enclosing her letter herewith.

Very respectfully,

James C. Henderson
Superintendent.

June 15th, 1914.

Mr. James E. Henderson,
Supt. Cherokee School,
Cherokee, N.C.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 11th, transferring 32.00
to credit the account of Lucinda Reed.

Very respectfully,

W.H.M.

Supervisor in Charge.

June 7, 1914.
Lynwood, Pa.

Mr. J. A. Henderson, Supt.

Dear Sir:

As I am in need.

I must ask for a part of the
money left, that which I
was to receive \$32.00⁰⁰₁₀₀
given to each personally in
1912. I did not get my share.
So I will ask if you will kindly
send me about half of the money.
Not for pleasure uses, but
to pay the expenses for the

work done on my teeth
amounting to \$20.50 recently.

If I can only get half which
will be \$10.00 why I can pay
the other part from my
spending money. I do not
wish to spend on the earning
so far I have not drawn any,
and am saving of it. So it
will be a great help to me.
If it is convenient for you to
go to the trouble of sending it.
I will be thankful if you possibly
without much trouble can send it
by the 10th of this month June.
If you think I am welcome to it,

If I am not mistaken I
think Brother Lloyd said
when I was leaving home
that you said you would
send it later on. So I
hope this will not give you
too much trouble. I am in need
of the money to pay the
teeth expenses and nothing
else. I have a very nice
home and am learning to be
a good housekeeper especially
a good cook. Will be looking
for the reply soon and will
be much oblige.

Truely yours,
Lucinda Reed,

Written to Miranda Reed.

ROBERTSON & CO. BIRMINGHAM, ALA.



The Tutwiler

Birmingham, Ala.

Dec. 1, 1914.

Dearest friend:

I will write a few lines this afternoon as I can not think of any thing else but my little girl and I hope that she is having as good a time as I am. We left Boston Sunday night at five and we did not stop no where only to get our car switched and one or two places but not long enough to get any cotton which we were so anxious to get. I was lucky enough to get a few bolls but they are not very nice still they are better than none. Oh yes Mr. Lipps joined us in Washington and he told us what good



The Tutwiler

Birmingham, Ala.

wishes you all sent. Well
 we just arrived a little while
 ago as we have just ate dinner
 I feel better. Tell sis. I wish
 Hello. At 3 o'clock we are going right
 seeing in automobiles through the
 city if you were only with me.
 wouldn't we have a time. Well I guess,
 Tomorrow we will have our first
 game and I hope we will win don't
 you. Well dearie I will have to close
 from your dear old friend
 XXXXX and then some.

David Bird.

Mrs. Denny; The inclosed \$10 is for Lucinda Deul. Mrs.
Brown has given her \$200 cash since she came to us,
which was Oct. 4. This is then payment to Jan 4, 1915.

Denny
A. B. Brown

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Mrs. Perry
The enclosed is a copy of the
report of the committee on
the subject of the
proposed
amendment to the
constitution of the
State of New York.

Very respectfully,
Wm. Perry

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Mr Meyer—

I decided
to hold Lucinda Reed
until Thursday as
Miss Hagan will
then accompany
her as far as Washington.
I have notified Mr.
Henderson to have
her met—

You may have to
exchange this ticket
for a new one.

OKL

W.D.

Dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter
of the 10th inst. in relation
to the above named matter.

I am sorry to hear
that you are unable to
attend to the business
of the office at present.

I have no objection
to your absence from
the office for the
present.

I am, Sir,
Very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
W.D.

W.D.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

CHEROKEE INDIAN SCHOOL

Cherokee, N. C. April 9th, 1915.

Mr. O. H. Lipps,
Supervisor in Charge,
Carlisle, Pa.,

Dear Mr. Lipps.

Receipt is acknowledged of check in favor of
Lucinda Reed, in the amount of \$36.26.

Very respectfully,

vf

James E. Anderson
Superintendent.
Per. W

Supervisor Lipps: I regret to say that
Lucinda Reed is pregnant
please make arrangements to
send her home -

Respectfully,

Walter Rindorf

Jan. 7th, 1915.

Mr. James E. Henderson,
Superintendent, The Cherokee Agency,
Cherokee, N. C.

My dear Mr. Henderson:

I regret very much to advise you that Lucinda Reed, who is enrolled here from the Agency under your jurisdiction, is in a pregnant condition and that I must ask you to co-operate with me in caring for the girl. I understand that her parents are dead, so before arrangements are made to send her to her home I would thank you to advise me what can be done to insure proper protection and care if she is sent home. Your prompt consideration of this request will be appreciated.

In brief Lucinda's story is about as follows: It seems that when she was at her Outing home at Gynwyd last summer it was the custom for her to go across the street from her home each Sunday afternoon to the home where another of our girls, Margaret Brown, was staying and that then both girls went on to Bala to visit with Jane Owl during the afternoon. About the last Sunday in July, it is claimed by Lucinda, Margaret Brown had already left her home when she (Lucinda) got there and that then she

-2- Mr. James E. Henderson, Superintendent.

started off by herself ~~ix~~ for her usual visit with Jane.

On the way she seems to have met a young man who greeted her. After she had answered his greeting he engaged her in conversation with the result that she accompanied him for a walk and spent the afternoon with him.

Lucinda claims that she had never seen the young man before and that she has not seen him since, and that he refused to tell her his name when she asked him to do so.

Mrs. A. H. Holcombe of Cynwyd, with whom Lucinda spent the summer, has been asked to make an explanation and it is hoped additional information can then be gotten which may result in identifying the young man who is evidently responsible for the girl's downfall.

Assuring you that I will be pleased to have you suggest what can be done in this unfortunate affair, I remain,

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

January 3, 1915.

Mrs. A. H. Holcombe
Cynwyd, Penna.

Dear Mrs. Holcombe:-

I regret to inform you that Lucinda Reed is pregnant. Her confession reveals the fact that she became thus while living under your care and protection last summer. She claims that her intimacy was with a strange man she met while on her way to visit Jane Owl in Bala and that she does not know the name of this man.

Can you give me any further information ?

Very truly yours

Supervisor in Charge.

NRD

me to go to the Penn - Indian
game in Phila. He did not
mention his name. I have
a great deal of sympathy for
this poor girl but I am much
disappointed that she would
attempt to throw the blame for
her trouble on my lack of
watchful care while she was
with me. I am sorry that
I can give you no further
information. I shall be interested
when you discover the real truth
of the matter.

Very sincerely

Margaret C. Holcomb

Cynwyd, Pa
Jan 10, 1915-

Q. H. Kipps

Supervisor in Charge
Carlisle, Pa

My dear Mrs Henry:-

Your letter is received
and I cannot tell you
how sorry I am to hear
of Lucinda Reede's trouble.
I greatly regret that she
claims that it happened
before she returned to Carlisle
last August. I feel

sure that she is not
telling the truth in reference
to this. She never went to
visit Jane Cowl in Bala
except in daylight on
Sunday afternoons and
the walk between the homes
is along much travelled
streets. She was never allowed
to go even to the Post
Office except with one or
more of our children.

She was unwell about
the middle of August as
her last napkins were
scalded just before she
returned to school.

Miss Johnstone will recall that
I spoke to her (she felt Lucinda
came to me), about Lucinda's
suggestive correspondence
with a boy named Harold
Gilbert. She also was very fond
of one of the young men in
the foot-ball squad and
wrote to me on Nov. 23rd of her delight
at having been his selected

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CHEROKEE INDIAN SCHOOL

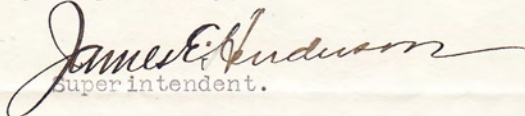
Cherokee, N. C. January 11, 1915.

Mr. O. H. Lipps,
Supervisor in Charge Carlisle School,
Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Mr. Lipps:

Referring to the condition of Lucinda Reed, a pupil at your school, I will say that I will take the matter up with her brother and grandfather and see whether or not they will take her. It will be some ten days before I can answer you since I am being called away from the reservation.

Very respectfully,


Superintendent.

JEH/vf

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Jan. 16th, 1915.

Mr. James E. Henderson,
Superintendent, The Cherokee Agency,
Cherokee, N. C.

Dear Mr. Henderson:

Replying to your letter of the 13th instant
relative to the care that can be given Lucinda ~~Welch~~,
this is to state that she will be sent home some day
next week. You will be notified just when she may be
expected to arrive at her destination.

Reed

The matter of providing clothes for her child
will be taken up after Lucinda has been gotten away
from school and the outfit that is prepared will be
sent to you.

Assuring you that it is gratifying to know that
some care and protection can be given her by her grand-
father, I am,

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Cherokee, N.C., Jan. 13, 1915.

Mr. O. H. Lipps, Supervisor In Charge,
Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Mr. Lipps:

With further reference to your letter of the 7th, Inst. with reference to the condition of Lucinda Reed, I will say that her grandfather tells me that he is willing to take her. It goes without saying that the old man is very badly hurt over the fall of his granddaughter.

I would suggest that you provide her with an outfit of clothing for herself and for her child. She is coming to a place where they have no sewing machine and where money is exceedingly scarce. The clothing mentioned would prevent her and her child from suffering. I will do all I can to see that she is well cared for and receives the proper medical attention.

Very respectfully,

James C. Anderson
Superintendent.

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HOTEL DENNIS
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.

Jan 25, 1915

Dept. O. H. Rupp.

Dear Sir

It was my intention to come to Carlisle after Miss Johnston's visit to me but my health was such that a trip to Atlantic City was advised and I will not be able to come as planned. After consultation with my

sister who was in our house the last ten days of July I feel that Lucinda has not told the truth as to the happenings on Sunday July 19th. That week my sister took her in company with our three little girls to an amusement park. She recalls the fact that she wore her only white dress shirt and on Sabbath wore a blue serge shirt and that I spoke of it when I returned late that afternoon. Also that Margaret Brown left the home

wish her and returned work her.
on July 26th. This date is surely
fixed as it was the closing day
of my trip to Lake Mohawk. I spoke
to Miss Johnstone about this trip
but put it one week earlier,
hence the letter which I feel I must
write. We trust that Lucinda

has already told you the truth
in regard to the matter.

Sincerely

Margaret A. Holcomb

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL
CARROLL, PA.

January 28, 1915.

Mrs. M. R. Halcombe,

Cynwyd, Pa.

Dear Friend:

I have your letter dated the 25th, regarding Lucinda Reed.

Last evening I had Lucinda over in my room for about an hour, but I failed to get any other story from her, than that which she has already told others. The child adheres to this story in such a way that we cannot doubt her word. She goes to her home in Cherokee, N. C., this afternoon and, I suppose, the truth, if there is any other story, will never be known. She seems very penitent and I think she has learned a lesson.

I am sorry to know that you have ~~been~~very well, but I hope it is nothing serious.

Very truly yours,

NRD:MRK

OUTING MANAGER.

January 28, 1915.

Mr. J. E. Henderson, Supt.,
U. S. Indian School,
Cherokee, N. C.

Dear Mr. Henderson:

Referring to previous correspondence relative to Lucinda Reed, I have to advise that she will leave here Thursday afternoon at 2:11, January 28th, with transportation to Whittier. One of the teachers will accompany her as far as Washington, D. C. If you will have someone meet her at the railway station there, we will pay any expenses incurred thereby, upon receipt of the properly prepared voucher. The matron has taken considerable pains to have prepared for Lucinda's need articles of clothing, so that she is well outfitted. Later a package too will be sent to you for her use. This whole affair is to be regretted, but there appears to be no one to blame but Lucinda herself.

In this connection, I desire to call your attention to the importance of sending to Carlisle only such students as have some purpose and ambition. We have expended a great deal of money this year in weeding out undesirable pupils, and unless we can fill the school with students who desire to profit by the opportunities here offered, it is a waste of time, energy and money. I believe more real good for the

Mr. J. E. H....#2.

Indian race would be accomplished with only a few hundred desirable students, than to undertake to crowd the school with a lot of undesirables.

Generally speaking, however, I believe the students we receive from your reservation are very desirable and in spite of all precautions I realize that occasionally we will get one who is not desirable. Just now we are taking in no students at Carlisle who are not especially recommended, and we have been turning away a great many who have school advantages near their home, or who for other reasons are not deemed desirable to enroll at Carlisle.

With kind regards and best wishes, I remain,

Very respectfully,

OHL:SR

Supervisor in Charge.

Jan. 28th, 1915.

Mrs. Ewing:

Lucinda Reed is to leave for her home on train at 2.11 this afternoon, to be accompanied by Miss Hagen.

You will please have Lucinda's name reported "dropped".

About six dollars of the money now to her credit in bank is to be given her, but she should not spend a cent of it except enroute home.

Lucinda's ticket and baggage check are being sent to the Hospital. The check for her trunk is herewith.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

(Copy to Mr. Griffiths)

Mr. Griffiths:

Please arrange so that a conveyance will be sent to the Hospital in time to take Lucinda Reed to the train leaving the Carlisle Station at 2.11 this afternoon. The girl's trunk is at the Girls' Quarters.

Miss Hagen is to accompany the girl.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

(Copy to Mrs. Ewing)

April 6th, 1915.

Mr. James B. Henderson,
Superintendent, The Cherokee Agency,
Cherokee, N. C.

Dear Mr. Henderson:

Referring to your letter of March the 30th, this is to state that Lucinda Reed has to her credit here an amount of \$36.26. A check for that amount is being enclosed herewith.

At the time Lucinda left here the money was withheld from her because it was believed that she would be in need of it at a later date. Thru an oversight it has been held longer than was intended and I trust she has not had to be deprived of necessities because funds were lacking.

Very truly yours,

Encl.

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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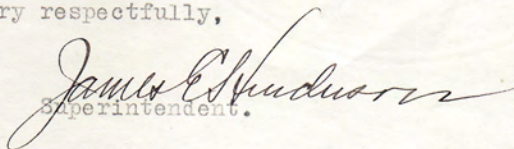
Mr. O. H. Lipps,

Supervisor Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Mr. Lipps:

Lucinda Reed was in to see me yesterday regarding her money. She seems to think that she still has some funds on deposit at Carlisle. I told her that I was under the impression she had gotten all of her money, but, that I would write you about it.

Very respectfully,


Superintendent.

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Lucinda Reed

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January 26, 1916.

Mr. A. H. Holcombe
Cynwyd, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of your letter dated the 19th
inst.

While I regret very much the injustice to your
boy, I am powerless to control the opinion of people regarding
this matter. It is the intencion to recall Olivan April 1st
the date set for our next outing changes.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

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Phila., Jan. 19th 1916

Mr. O. H. Lipps,
Superintendent Indian School,
Carlisle, Penna.

Dear Sir:—

It is impossible to express our annoyance and surprise at learning from Miss Johnston that it is now being rumored that our son is the father of the child born to Lucinda Reed last year. We can not understand how such a maliciously false tale could be started except as an indirect result of the absolutely false and rotten story, which we learn has been told by Eva Jones. Your files contain a letter which Mrs. Holcombe found on Eva's desk which intimates very plainly that she and Jane Owl had a secret scheme to get back to Carlisle before Christmas 1914. Your records will show how Mrs. Philip's handled this matter with her girl and at about the same time Mr. Dickey took Eva from our home because of her continual defiance and insubordination in school and at home. Our son is an active boy of 16 years who leads his class in High School and whose spare time for several years has been spent in the work of the Boy Scouts. He has never had much time for girls and has never shown more than common civility to any of your pupils who have been in our home. It is a

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perfect outrage that irresponsible people should circulate such false rumors against us in a way from which we have no defense. Mrs. Holcombe and I have always taken a great deal of interest in the girls you have sent us and have faithfully tried to help them in every way not only to learn as much as possible but also to build strong characters. We have tried to treat them not as servants but as helpers in our home and they have been allowed as much as possible to share in our family pleasures. Eva Jones however was so filthy about her person that our children did not wish to be near her. We were much grieved last year to learn of Lucinda's trouble but we cannot feel that it was brought about by any carelessness in our observance of the rules of the Outing System. It seems so unfair after all this time to allow malicious rumors to be given credence. Our present pupil Olivia Arch has been well cared for in every way and we feel she has some very desirable traits. She has seemed satisfied in our home and she says that she has not made any statements which would injure or annoy us. You, who have sons of your own, can readily understand our desire to shield our boy from such absolutely false and unfair accusations which are being made after all this lapse of time.

Very truly yours,
A. H. Holcombe

