

Carlisle Indian School Hospital.

Name

Evelyn Blackbird

Age _____

Sec. F

Diagnosis

Admitted

Discharged

Apr 14 - 1911

Days in Infirmary

Result

Herb L. Finney
Resident Physician.

(OVER)

4376

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER <i>2412</i> <i>3012</i>	ENGLISH NAME <i>Evelyn Blackbird</i>	AGENCY <i>Rac du Flambeau</i>	NATION <i>Chippewa</i>	
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS <i>apt. M. N. Sickles,</i> <i>Rac du Flambeau, Wis.</i>		
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD <i>F</i>	AGE <i>15</i>	HEIGHT <i>5' 7 1/2"</i>	WEIGHT <i>126 1/2</i>
FATHER, <i>D</i>	MOTHER, <i>D</i>	FORCED INSP. <i>33 1/2</i>	FORCED EPXR. <i>30 1/2</i>	SEX. <i>F</i>
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL <i>Aug. 31, 1909</i>	FOR WHAT PERIOD <i>Three years</i>	DATE DISCHARGED <i>June 24, 1912</i>	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE <i>Time out</i>	
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS			FROM COUNTRY
<i>4-7-'10</i>	<i>Mrs. C. D. Loveland, Hammonston, N.J.</i>			<i>9-15-'10</i>
<i>4-29-'11</i>	<i>M. C. James, West Chester, Pa.</i>			<i>9-15-'11</i>

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MUSKOGEE, 79104

Months in school before Carlisle, *Rac du Flambeau '00-'09* *8th. gr.*

Grade entered at Carlisle, *4th.*

Grade at date of Discharge, *8th.*

Trade or Industry, *None*

Church, *Cath.*

Miles to sch. *None*

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

Re-admitted

NUMBER <i>2770</i>	ENGLISH NAME <i>Evelyn Blackbird</i>	AGENCY <i>Lac du Flambeau</i>	NATION <i>Chippewa</i>		
BAND <i>Lac du Flambeau</i>	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS <i>Lac du Flambeau, Wis.</i>			
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD <i>Full</i>	AGE <i>18</i>	HEIGHT <i>5-4½</i>	WEIGHT <i>138</i>	FORCED INSP. <i>35-</i>
FATHER, <i>D</i>	MOTHER, <i>D</i>				FORCED EXPR. <i>32½</i>
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL <i>Sept. 20, 1912.</i>	FOR WHAT PERIOD <i>Three years</i>	DATE DISCHARGED <i>6-1-15-</i>	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE <i>Time out.</i>		
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS				FROM COUNTRY
<i>5-1-13</i>	<i>R. E. Wheeler,</i>				<i>8-29-13</i>
<i>9-10-13</i>	<i>Miss E. D. Edge, Downingtown, Pa.</i>				<i>4-9-14</i>
<i>5-29-14</i>	<i>Mrs. C. D. Loveland, Hamonton, N. J.</i>				<i>5-29-15-</i>

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MILWAUKEE WIS. 491071

Months in school before Carlisle,.....

Trade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,.....

Trade or Industry,.....

Church,.....

PHYSICAL RECORD,

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL.

4376

NAME OF PUPIL Blackbird Evelyn DATE Mar 15 1910

AGE 17 YEARS { NEW STUDENT. TRIBE Chippewa STATE Wis

DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD full

INSPECTION + air development. small

goiter front of neck

PALPATION Normal

PERCUSSION normal

AUSCULTATION { RESONANCE Normal

{ RESP. MURMUR Normal

HEART SOUNDS normal

MENSURATION { INSP. 35

{ EXP. 32 1/2 RESPIRATION 28 PULSE 68

TEMPERATURE 98.8 degs. HEIGHT 5 FT 4 1/2 IN. WEIGHT 138 LBS.

VISION good VACCINATION good

MENSTRUATION Regular

FAMILY HISTORY:

	Living.	Condition of Health.	Dead.	Cause of death.
FATHER			yes	Consumption
MOTHER			yes	?
BROTHERS {			1	?
SISTERS {	2	good		

PERSONAL HISTORY:

REMARKS:

HOSPITAL RECORD.....

EXAMINATION FOR OUTING:

DATES:	CONDITION:
Mch. 15 - 1910	Good
3/7/1911	Good.
April 21, 1911	Good
4/16/13	O.K. 2 good scars
Sept 8 1913	" " " 148"

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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

Evelyn Blackbird

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Evelyn Blackbird

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle Pa

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Lac du Flambeau Wis

Date of enrollment, _____, 190

Term of enrollment, _____ (_____) years.

NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

Position, _____

APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT IN A NONRESERVATION SCHOOL.

(For a child enrolled at an Agency.)

For and in consideration of the Government of the United States assuming the care, education, and maintenance in the United States Indian School at Carlisle Pa

of Evelyn Blackbird; female; date of birth 1894;
(Name of child.) (Sex.)
Chippewa
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>Blackbird</u>	<u>Dead</u>	<u>Chippewa</u>	<u>Lac du Flambeau</u>	<u>free</u>
NAME OF MOTHER.	<u>Dead</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>

I, Evelyn Blackbird, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to my
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
 enrollment in said school for a period of three years, and also obligate myself to abide by
(Not less than 3.)
 all the rules and regulations for Indian schools.

The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL.	DATE OF ENROLLMENT.	DATE OF DISCHARGE.	CAUSE.	GRADE.
1. <u>Lac du Flambeau</u>	<u>Jan 1900</u>	<u>Aug 1909</u>	<u>Transfer</u>	<u>8th</u>
2.				
3.				
4.				

Evelyn Blackbird.
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: _____

Two witnesses:

H. J. Egbert.
M. N. Dickel

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find her to be in proper physical condition to attend school, and not afflicted with tuberculosis or any disease which would be a menace to the health of other pupils.

This 23rd day of Aug., 1909

J. W. Pinch

Physician at Lac du Flambeau Agency.

CERTIFICATE OF AGENT OR BONDED SUPERINTENDENT.

I hereby certify that the statements made in the foregoing application and certificate, to the best of my knowledge and belief, are true; that the consent of Evelyn Blackbird was voluntary; and I recommend the transfer of the said child.
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

This 29th day of Aug., 1909

W. N. Dickels

Agent or Superintendent.

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

I hereby certify that on _____, I made a careful examination of the physical condition of _____, the child named in the foregoing application, and found _____ to be _____

(As soon after arrival as possible.)

I therefore recommend that the said child be _____ enrolled in this school.

This _____ day of _____, 190

School Physician.

SPECIAL NOTE.

This form must be executed in duplicate when a child is transferred from a reservation to a nonreservation school. The Superintendent of the nonreservation school will retain the original for his files, and the duplicate shall be deposited in the Agency records. The agent will then send to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs his certificate as provided by law. All the blanks must be properly filled in every case.

If the information called for on any part of the blank is not known, that fact should be stated. No space should be left unfilled. Whether the parents are living or dead, their names must be given.

The person who signs the blank as consenting to the transfer should indicate his relation to the applicant by marking out the word "parent," "guardian," or "next of kin," leaving unmarked only the title appropriate to the signer.

INDORSEMENTS.

The laws relating to the transfer of Indian children from reservations and schools are as follows:

That hereafter no Indian child shall be sent from any Indian reservation to a school beyond the State or Territory in which said reservation is situated without the voluntary consent of the father or mother of such child if either of them are living, and if neither of them are living without the voluntary consent of the next of kin of such child. Such consent shall be made before the agent of the reservation, and he shall send to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs his certificate that such consent has been voluntarily given before such child shall be removed from such reservation. And it shall be unlawful for any Indian agent or other employee of the Government to induce, or seek to induce, by withholding rations or by other improper means, the parents or next of kin of any Indian to consent to the removal of any Indian child beyond the limits of any reservation. (28 Stats., p. 906.)

Provided, That hereafter no Indian child shall be taken from any school in any State or Territory to a school in any other State against its will or without the written consent of its parents. (29 Stats., p. 348.)

The rules provide that—

A pupil who has been regularly enrolled in a nonreservation school must not be taken to any other nonreservation school without the consent of both Superintendents and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and Superintendents will be held to strict accountability for such pupils taken to their schools.

An Indian boy or girl 18 years old and over may, without the consent of parents or others, personally sign the application form on its being changed to suit the case; but in all cases where the parents are living they should first be consulted.

This form is to be used only in transfers from reservations or Indian schools to nonreservation schools.

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APPLICATION OF

Evelyn Blackbird

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Evelyn Blackbird

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle Pa.

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Lac du Flambeau

Date of enrollment, *Sept. 18*, 191 *2*

Term of enrollment, *three* (*3*) years.

NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

Position, _____

APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT IN A NONRESERVATION SCHOOL.

(For a child enrolled at an Agency.)

For and in consideration of the Government of the United States assuming the care, education, and maintenance in the United States Indian School at _____

of Carlisee Pa
Evelyn Blackbird; female; date of birth 1894;
(Name of child.) (Sex.)
Chippewa
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>Na wadji giji</u> <u>John Blackbird</u> NAME OF MOTHER.	<u>D</u>	<u>Chippewa</u>	<u>Lac du Flambeau</u>	<u>full</u>
<u>Waie Kwa giji go Kwe</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>

I, Evelyn Blackbird, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to _____
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
 enrollment in said school for a period of three years, and also obligate myself to abide by
(Not less than 3.)
 all the rules and regulations for Indian schools.

The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL.	DATE OF ENROLLMENT.	DATE OF DISCHARGE.	CAUSE.	GRADE.
<u>Lac du Flambeau</u>	<u>1900</u>	<u>1909</u>	<u>Transferred Carlisee</u>	
<u>Carlisee</u>	<u>1909</u>	<u>1912</u>	<u>Term expired</u>	<u>6th a.</u>
3.				
4.				

Evelyn Blackbird.
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Lac du Flambeau

Two witnesses:

Wis

GOVERNMENT PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find her to be in proper physical condition to attend school, and not afflicted with tuberculosis or any disease which would be a menace to the health of other pupils.

This 18th day of Sept, 1912

Physician at Lady's Lamb

RESERVATION BONDED SUPERINTENDENT'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that the statements made in the foregoing application and certificate, to the best of my knowledge and belief, are true; that the consent of Evelyn Blackbird (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of the said child. The economic conditions of this pupil's home are (here state facts which will enable the Superintendent of the nonreservation school to give the pupil such instruction and training as may best prepare him to meet these conditions, if he is to return to them):

This pupil does not have any parents or home of her own. Has two married sisters on this Reservation by names of Mrs. John Whitefish & Mrs. Wm Sky.

This pupil should be fitted to earn her own living.

This 18th day of Sept, 1912

W. N. Dickes
Superintendent.

NONRESERVATION SCHOOL PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that on _____, (As soon after arrival as possible.) I made a careful examination of the physical condition of _____, the child named in the foregoing application, and found _____ to be _____

I therefore recommend that the said child be _____ enrolled in this school.

This _____ day of _____, 191 _____

Nonreservation School Physician.

SPECIAL NOTE.

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Provided, That hereafter no Indian child shall be taken from any school in any State or Territory to a school in any other State against its will or without the written consent of its parents. (29 Stats., p. 348.)

That no Indian pupil under the age of fourteen years shall be transported at Government expense to any Indian school beyond the limits of the State or Territory in which the parents of such child reside or of the adjoining State or Territory. (35 Stat. L., 781.)

The rules provide that—

A pupil who has been regularly enrolled in a nonreservation school must not be taken to any other nonreservation school without the consent of both Superintendents and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and superintendents will be held to strict accountability for such pupils taken to their schools.

An Indian boy or girl 18 years old and over may, without the consent of parents or others, personally sign the application form on its being changed to suit the case; but in all cases where the parents are living they should first be consulted.

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REPORT OF Evelyn Blackburn pupil of Carlisle Indian
School, who went Sept 1911 to live with Mrs. Edwin James
of West Chester, Delaware, West Chester Railroad Station
(Date) (Patron) (Post Office) (County) (State)
Conduct Very Good
Health Excellent
Ability Ability Fair
Cleanliness Good
Economy "
Situation of Room 2nd
Condition of Room Good
Condition of Clothing "
Wages 8
Are careful accounts kept by patron? Yes
Are careful accounts kept by pupil? No
Number of days at school
Distance to school 1 mile
Grade or quality of school
Name and address of teacher
Qualifications of teacher
In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? 5th
In what grade is pupil at present? "
Attends what church and Sunday school? Cath.
Distance to church 2 miles
Is there a Catholic church in locality? Yes
Who compose patron's family? My + Mrs. J. 3 chil. all grown
What other help is employed? Lanery put out
Locality of home Town
Home life and environments Very good
Trade at school
Nature of work Gen. housework
Pupil's age 19 Experience 2 yrs summer

Any general statement or wishes of patron or pupils, together with Agent's estimate of place, people, and pupil:

A pleasant farm here 2 miles
from town. Mrs. Palmer, a practical
Common sense woman, an ex-
posed Refug. says E. is fairly sat-
isfied. She has a peculiar dis-
position, but by carefully dealing with
is improving she is glad. Palmer
would like to keep her here Oct.
until she finishes preparing & carrying.
Every is willing to stay until then
but does not want to go to school
in country.

Walter V. Hayther
Field Agent

Jan 27-1911.

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REPORT OF Evelyn Blackbird pupil of Carlisle Indian
School, who went 4-7-10 to live with Mrs. C. W. Loveland
(Date) (Patron)

of Hammonton
(Post Office) (County)
New Jersey, Hammonton Railroad Station
(State)

Conduct Genilly Good

Health Good

Ability Fair

Cleanliness " - improving

Economy " -

Situation of Room 3rd floor

Condition of Room Fair

Condition of Clothing Good

Wages \$6.00

Are careful accounts kept by patron? Yes

Are careful accounts kept by pupil? No

Number of days at school

Distance to school 3 blocks

Grade or quality of school Graded

Name and address of teacher

Qualifications of teacher

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? 5th

In what grade is pupil at present?

Attends what church and Sunday school? Catholic

Distance to church 2 blocks

Is there a Catholic church in locality? Yes

Who compose patron's family? Mr & Mrs S. Schild - 9 men -

What other help is employed? Starched ironing put out

Locality of home in town

Home life and environments Good

Trade at school

Nature of work General helper

Pupil's age 18 Experience

Any general statement or wishes of patron or pupils, together with Agent's estimate of place, people, and pupil:

pleasant home, nice shaded grounds. Patin
a kind practical woman; also ^{has} a sum-
mer home Sea Isle City New Jersey; says
Evelyn is fairly satisfactory, a little
sullen at times; is improving some in
disposition and work.

Evelyn likes her home, says father
and daughter are kind

June 1st 1940

Mellie S. Gauthier
Field Agent

REPORT OF Evelyn Blackbird pupil of Carlisle Indian
 School, who went Sept. 1914 to live with Miss E. D. Edge.
(Date) (Patron)
 of Donnington, Chester,
(Post Office) (County)
Penn., Donnington Railroad Station
(State)

Conduct Excellent
 Health Excellent - Run down when she went to Miss Edge
 Ability Excellent
 Cleanliness Excellent
 Economy Is learning
 Situation of Room 2d floor -
 Condition of Room Very good
 Condition of Clothing Good -
 Wages 10 in summer - 1/2 per week during winter
 Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes
 Are careful accounts kept by pupil? -
 Number of days at school See remarks
 Distance to school
 Grade or quality of school
 Name and address of teacher Miss Edge - Donnington, Pa.
 Qualifications of teacher Of the highest type -
 In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? Room 11
 In what grade is pupil at present? Freshman
 Attends what church and Sunday school? Catholic
 Distance to church Has to drive to Cratsville or can take trolley
 Is there a Catholic church in locality? as stated above

Who compose patron's family? Miss Edge and her two Indian girls
 What other help is employed? No other help
 Locality of home Countryside - 2 1/2 miles from town
 Home life and environments Couldn't be better
 Trade at school
 Nature of work Quil helper
 Pupil's age 20 Experience Considerable

Any general statement or wishes of patron or pupils, together with Agent's estimate of place, people, and pupil:

Miss Edg's home - its advantages and environments - needs no comment. A girl who is placed in this home may indeed consider herself most fortunate.

Erlyn is the sixty-fifth Indian girl to be under the care of this noble woman. This fall on her return from the seashore Erlyn seemed to ^{be} nervous and unstrung - she has regained her usual health, is doing well in her school work under the guidance of Miss Edg. As this is Erlyn's last year in connection with Carlisle, and she has no near relatives, save a married sister, both Miss Edg and Erlyn feel that some steady employment should be secured shortly after her arrival at her home.

Erlyn does the cooking under Miss Edg's direction.

L. M. Johnston,

Acting Agent.

Feb. 26. 1912.

M-June - to go home.

(Mrs. E. Devigne)
Name *Blackbird, Evelyn* *4376* Age *20* Deg. Ind. blood $\frac{4}{4}$
Address

Information from

Date *July 11* 191*5*

State *Wisconsin* Agency *Lac du Flambeau* Tribe *Chippewa*
POSITIONS FOR WHICH LISTED. SUITABILITY IN ORDER NAMED.

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| 1. | 2. |
| 3. | 4. |

Remarks:

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

apt. W. N. Sickle

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Name of Student Evelyn Blackbird Home Address Lac Du Flambo, Wis. Tribe Chippewa

Age at Entrance	Date of Entrance	Shop	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL OR AVERAGE
16	8-31-'09														
Patron	Locality	Days in School													
Mrs. C. D. Loveland															
Address	R. R. Station	Conduct													
Hammonton, N.J.															
Recommended by	Grade in School	Ability													
Grade of Home	Church	Health													
	Catholic														
Date of Outing	Date Returned	Earnings													
4-7-'10	9-15-'10														

Wages

M. C. James
West Chester, Pa.

4-29-'11 9-15-'11

Mrs. R. E. Wheeler
Atlantic City, N.J.

5-1-'13 8-29-'13

Miss E. S. Edge
Sewaringtown, Pa.

9-10-'13 4-9-14

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Tribe *Chippewa*

7.9

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10.00

Regulon study

v.g.	dg	y	y	y	y	y	y	y	y	y
"	gd	s	s	s	s	s	s	s	s	s
"	v.g.	y	y	y	y	y	y	y	y	y
17.00	12.	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4

8-27-14. 5-29-15.

NAME

TRIBE.

PARENT OR GUARDIAN.

DATE ENROLLED.

TERM.

AGE.

HOME ADDRESS

DATE OF RECORD

ACADEMIC DEPARTMENT.

INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.

DORMITORY.

OUTING

SPECIAL REMARKS.

ROOM
NO.

Scholarship

Conduct.

Shop.

Ability.

Conduct.

Room
No.

Neatness

Conduct.

Ability.

Conduct.

Jan. '10

4 1/2

Ex

V. Good

Sew

Good

Ex

15

Good

Ex

V. Gd

Fair

July '10

5

Outing

V. G.

Sew

V. G.

V. G.

7

7

7

V. Gd

Fair

Jan. '11

6

V. G.

V. G.

Sew

V. G.

Ex

7

7

7

V. Gd

Fair

July '11

7

Outing

V. G.

Sew

V. G.

Ex

7

7

7

V. Gd

Fair

Dec. '11

7

Outing

V. G.

Sew

V. G.

Ex

7

7

7

V. Gd

Fair

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Hayward Indian School,
Hayward, Wisconsin.
Oct. 2nd, 1913.
Sept. 29, 1913.

Mr. Wm. A. Light,
Superintendent, Hayward Indian School,
Hayward, Wis.
Supt. Carlisle Indian School.

Sir: My dear Sir:

Will you please advise whether the contract
you enclosed with your letter of September the 29th
is to be signed by the girl who was enrolled here
from the Lac du Flambeau Agency by the name of Evelyn
Blackbird? Evelyn is now at one of our Outing homes,
and could not be questioned direct.

Prompt attention will be given your request upon
receipt of the additional information referred to above.

Very truly yours,

JJH.

Superintendent.

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Hayward Training School,
Hayward, Wisconsin.
Sept. 29, 1913.

M. Friedman,

Supt. Carlisle Indian School.,

Sir:

I am enclosing herewith contract for the cutting of timber on the allotment of Na wad ji gi jig (dec'd), on of the heirs to whose estate is Evaline Black who is now at your school. Please get the signature of this girl to the four copies of the contract. Have her sign under the signature of Ni zet, and have the signature witnessed by two persons.

Giving their P.O. address

Very respectfully,

Wm. A. Light
Superintendent.

JJH.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Hayward Training School, Wis.,

Dec. 2, 1913. Nov. 24th, 1913.

Supt. H. Friedman,

Perth Amboy, Pa.

Dear Mr. Wm. A. Light,
Superintendent, Hayward Indian School,
Hayward, Wis.

Your letter of November 24th received. In reply
to Mr. Friedman so that this matter has been referred

My dear Sir:
On October the 2nd I wrote you as follows:
and receiving his reply will write you further.

"Will you please advise whether the
contract you enclosed with your letter of
September the 29th is to be signed by the
girl who was enrolled here from the Lac
du Flambeau Agency by the name of Evelyn
Blackbird? Evelyn is now at one of our
outing homes, and could not be questioned
direct.

CBB/AFI
Prompt attention will be given your re-
quest upon receipt of the additional in-
formation referred to above."

As the contract referred to is being retained
here I would thank you to advise me what action you
desire to have me take.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Hayward Training School, Wis.,

Dec. 3, 1913.

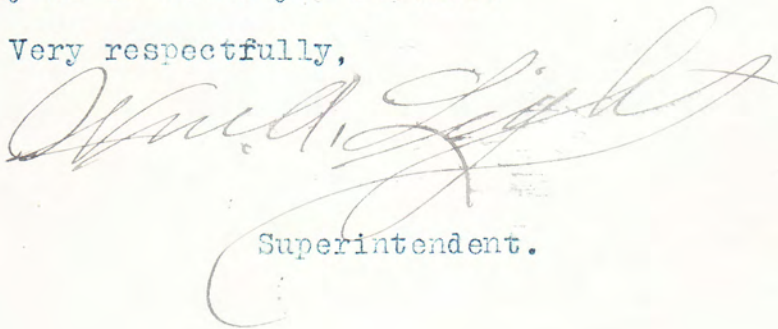
Supt. M. Friedman,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of November 24th received. In reply to which will advise that this matter has been referred to Superintendent Sickles of Lac du Flambeau, Wis., and upon receiving his reply will write you further.

Very respectfully,



Superintendent.

OBB/AFL

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Hayward Training School

Dec. 16th, 1913.

Hayward, Wis., Dec. 9, 1913.

Mr. M. Mr. Wm. A. Light,
Supt. and Superintendent, The Hayward School,
Hayward, Wis.

My dear Sir:

Sir:

I return herewith the timber contract
Referring to the correspondence in regard to
that was forwarded to me with your letter of
Evelyn Blackbird, and in reply to your letter of the
September the 29th. It has been duly signed
5 inst. will advise that it is evident that Evelyn
by Evelyn Blackbird and otherwise executed as
Blackbird is the person to sign the contract as she
was requested in your letter of December the
is one of the heirs as the estate of Na wa ji gi jig,
9th.
deceased,

Very respectfully,

I will appreciate an early receipt of the
Encl.
contract in question properly signed. Superintendent.
HKM.

Very respectfully,

Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Hayward Training School,

Hayward, Wis., Dec. 9, 1913.

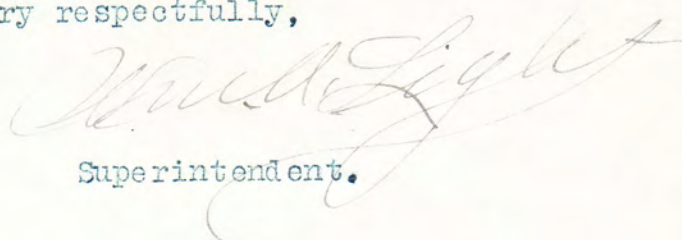
Mr. M. Freidman,
Supt. Carisle Indian School,
Carisle, Penn.

Sir:

Referring to the correspondence in regard to Evelyn Blackbird, and in reply to your letter of the 5 inst. will advise that it is evident that Evelyn Blackbird is the person to sign the contract as she is one of the heirs to the estate of Na wad ji gi jig, deceased,

I will appreciate an early receipt of the contract in question properly signed.

Very respectfully,



Superintendent.

OBB

Dec. 12th, 1913.

Miss E. B. Edge,

Downingtown, Pennsylvania.

My dear Miss Edge:

I submit herewith a timber contract that requires the signature of Evelyn Blackbird. If the conditions of sale specified therein are satisfactory to her please have her sign each of the four copies below the signature "Ei-zet" at places indicated by blue pencil check mark. I would also thank you to sign the paper with another subscribing witness to Evelyn's signature between the parentheses to the left of the space marked for Evelyn's signature.

The papers may be returned to me in the envelope herewith enclosed.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

INFORMATION REGARDING RETURNED STUDENTS

PART 1

REPORT BY NONRESERVATION SUPERINTENDENT OR RESERVATION SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

SCHOOL, _____, 191

Name, Evelyn Blackbird; Sex, 7; Age, 18; Deg. Indian Blood, Full

Belongs: State, Wis.; Agency, Lac du Flambeau; Tribe, Chippewa

Home address, whose care, etc., W. N. Sickles, Lac du Flambeau

Grade in school, VI B; health, very good; height, _____; weight, 133 3/4

Number months instruction given pupil in each school department, including music, _____

Course completed, _____; years in this school, 3

Years spent in other schools and names of schools, _____

Character and disposition, Good

Recommended for what positions, suitability in order named: 1. General housework

2. _____; 3. _____; 4. _____

Remarks: _____

_____, Supt.

PART 2

REPORT BY RESERVATION SUPERINTENDENT

AGENCY, _____, 191

Date pupil returned from school, _____; employed since return as follows: _____

Are home and local conditions favorable? _____

Should he receive assistance to find employment? _____

At what employment do you think he would do best? _____

Remarks: _____

_____, Supt.

SUGGESTIONS FOR SUPPLYING THE INFORMATION REQUESTED ON THIS BLANK

1. The report of nonreservation school Superintendent should be made at the time or a little before the pupil leaves school, whether at the end of the school year or during the school year, provided the pupil is 18 years of age or over, or younger, if for any special reason the pupil is quitting school permanently. As soon as this report is received, or at least very soon after the pupil returns home, the Supervisor of Indian Employment will correspond with the returned student for the purpose of getting more in personal touch with him and finding out something about his wishes, etc. His answer will be attached to and filed as part of this report.

2. Health, height, and weight of returned students are sometimes very important in placing them properly; height and weight could be approximated very satisfactorily, though from the pupil records now in use all information called for in part 1 of this blank can readily be obtained and be definite.

3. The State, agency, and tribe are important, and where the pupil is not attached to any agency this fact should be stated and the Superintendent should give all available information as to the home and local conditions surrounding the pupil.

4. Where the outgoing pupil has passed the civil-service examination for any position, this fact should always be noted, giving position for which examination was taken.

5. It should be remembered that the Supervisor of Indian Employment can but seldom have a personal acquaintance with the outgoing student, and that he must depend on the information furnished in this report for his basis of action in behalf of the pupil.

6. The degree of Indian blood should always be given, as this fact largely determines how much effort will be made on behalf of any particular returned student; qualifications being equal, or nearly so, the preference will be given to those having the greatest degree of Indian blood.

7. This report should be forwarded promptly to the Supervisor of Indian Employment, Denver, Colo.

8. Reports on students from reservation schools should be made only as to those who leave the schools at 18 years of age, or older, and who will probably not go away to school.

9. If part 1 of this report is made out by the principal of a reservation school, the reservation Superintendent should supply information called for in part 2 if the principal is not informed as to home surroundings and local conditions. Such information is essential to a proper understanding of the difficulties and needs of the pupil.

10. When part 1 is made out by a nonreservation Superintendent, this blank will be sent by the Supervisor of Indian Employment to the Superintendent of the reservation where the outgoing student belongs. He should fill out part 2 and return the blank as promptly as possible, for practically nothing can be done until the information called for in part 2 is supplied.

Information under the heading "Employed since return as follows," will be valuable only in cases where the pupil has been home for some time.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,

September 26th, 1913.

Sep. 28, 1913.

Miss E.D. Edge,

Downingtown, Penna.

Dear Madam,

I am just in receipt of a letter from Evelyn Blackbird, Downingtown, Pa., where she appears to be located for the winter under your outing system. She is asking for funds to have some dental work done. A few days ago, I sent a \$25.00 check for her in your care. There is enclosed herewith check for 25.00 which kindly have Evelyn Blackbird sign, on the face also endorse on the back and return to me for her account. If she desires to draw any of it request should be made in the usual manner.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Very respectfully,

Superintendent,

SUPERINTENDENT.

WHS/VBA

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,
Lac du Flambeau, Wis.
Sept. 18, 1913.

Supt. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

I am just in receipt of a letter from Evelyn Blackbird, Downingtown, Pa., where she appears to be located for the winter under your outing system. She is asking for funds to have some dental work done. A few days ago, I sent a \$25.00 check for her in your care. Please forward this to her at Downingtown and oblige.

Very respectfully,

W. N. Sickels

SUPERINTENDENT.

WNS/VEA

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,

September 19th, 1913.

Sup^t. Indian School,
Superintendent,
Carlisle, Pa.
Lac du Flambeau, Wis.

Dear Sir,

Enclosed find checks Nos. 797 & 798 for \$25.00 each, to order of Corinne Star and Evelyn Blackbird, which I have your favor of the 16th, enclosing checks of 25.00 each in favor of Corinne Star and Evelyn Blackbird.

please deliver to them for purchase of clothing &c.

Respectfully,

Very respectfully,

W.H.M.

Superintendent,

WHS/VBA

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,
Lac du Flambeau, Wis.
Sept. 16, 1913.

Supt. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed find checks Nos. 797 & 798 for \$25.00 each, to order of Corrine Star and Evelyn Blackbird, which please deliver to them for purchase of clothing etc.

Very respectfully,

W. N. Sickel

SUPERINTENDENT.

WNS/VEA

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,
Lac du Flambeau, Wis..

Oct. 27, 1913

October 27th, 1913,

M. Friedman, Supt.
Carlisle, Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.
Superintendent,

Dear Sir,
Lac du Flambeau, Wis.,

Dear Sir, I enclose herewith two checks, in amounts of \$50.00 each, for Agha wa si no kwe Star and Evelyn Blackbird, for their incidental needs during the school year. I have your favor of the 21st, enclosing checks of 50.00 each to credit the accounts of Agha wa si no kwe Star and Evelyn Blackbird. Receipts in triplicate, and return the same to this office, enclosed herewith.

Very respectfully,
Respectfully,,

W. H. M.
SUPERINTENDENT
Superintendent,

W.H.M.

ARS/VEA

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,
Lac du Flambeau, Wis.,
Oct. 21, 1913.

M. Friedman, Supt.
Carlisle, Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith two checks, in amounts of \$50.00 each, for Agha wa si no kwe Star and Eveline Blackbird, for their incidental needs during the school year. Kindly sign the attached receipts, in triplicate, and return the same to this office.

Very respectfully,

H. N. Dickels

SUPERINTENDENT.

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ARS/VEA

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,

Lac du Flambeau, Wis.

March 5th, 1914.

Mr. W. N. Sickles,

Superintendent,

Dear Sir,

Lac du Flambeau, Wis.,

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 26th, ult. enclosing check of 50.00 transfer of funds to credit the account of Evelyn Blackbird. The check has been sent to her at Downingtown for her signature and will be placed to her credit as soon as returned.

Very respectfully,

W.H.M.

Supervisor in charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,
Lac du Flambeau, Wis.
Feb. 26, 1914.

Supt. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed find check #856 drawn to your order against the account of Evelyn Blackbird, a pupil in your school, in the sum of \$50.00. This sum is to be placed to her credit, and used for such purposes as desired under your supervision. This girl is now located at Downingtown, Pa., care of Miss E.D. Edge, and check must be sent to her for signature.

Very respectfully,

W. N. Dickel

Superintendent.

7/ Downingtown Pa
March 6 194

Dear Sir.

I have signed and
return the check as
directed

Very Respectfully
 Evelyn Blackman

March 5th, 1914.

Miss E.D.Edge,

Downingtown, Penna.,

• Dear Madam,

There is enclosed herewith check for 50.00
which please have Evelyn Blackbird sign and return to me
to place to her credit. This money is sent from her agent
and is for her use from time to time as she needs it.

Very respectfully,

W.H.M.

Supervisor in charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,
Lac du Flambeau, Wisconsin.

December 10th, 1914.

Dec., 5, 1914.

Superintendent,

Lac du flambeau,
Carlisle, Penna.
Wis.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 5th, enclosing check for 10.00 for Evelyn Blackbird which will be forwarded her as desired.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Supervisor in charge.

proper.

Marie Foupart left here for your school on the evening of December 4th. I hope she will arrive there without mishap.

Sincerely,

L. W. White

Superintendent.

LWW/ML

Encl. (1)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,
Lac du Flambeau, Wisconsin,

Dec., 5, 1914.

Supt.O. H. Lipps,

Carlisle, Penna.

Dear Mr. Lipps:-

I am in receipt of a letter from Evelyln Blackbird who is at Downingtown, Penna., asking for ten dollars for spending money. It is not my desire to send any money direct to school children. I am therefore, sending a check for Evelyln to you which you may send her if you think proper.

Marie Poupart left here for your school on the evening of December 4th. I hope she will arrive there without mishap.

Sincerely,

L. W. White
Superintendent.

LWW/ML

Encl. (1)

-2- Miss Evelyn Blackbird.

March 24th, 1915.

held on a certain fixed date. Will you please talk the matter over with Miss Edge and then advise me accordingly?

Miss Evelyn Blackbird,

Downingtown, Pennsylvania.

My dear Friend:

I am pleased to have your letter of March the 21st and to note therein that you are anxious to be appointed to a position in the Indian School Service after you have enjoyed a short visit at your home during the summer vacation months. You have had the training to fit you for a position and I assure you I will do what I can to help you get properly located.

It will probably be advisable to have you take a Civil Service examination before you leave for your home. Your application for an appointment will then be filed in the Office at Washington and whenever a suitable vacancy occurs your qualifications can be considered. Such an examination can be given you at Downingtown or here at Carlisle. If it is arranged for you to be examined here it might delay the time of your going home several days longer than otherwise because it would be a difficult matter to complete all arrangements in order to have the examination

Dunningtown, Pa.
C/o Miss E. D. Edge
March 21, 1918

-2- Miss Evelyn Blackbird.

Mr. C. H. Lippa

held on a certain fixed date. Will you please talk the matter over with Miss Edge and then advise me accordingly? Only one-half day will have to be taken by you to appear for your examination and very little more time than that might have to be given to the filling of your application blank.

Assuring you that I will gladly do what I can to co-operate with you because I believe you are capable of being more useful as an employee in some school than you would be in an unofficial capacity among the people on your home reservation, I am, with best wishes,

Your friend,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

I have been encouraged to ask for this position by Miss Edge, the lady with whom I am living. He thinks it will be much better to have regular employment than to spend all the time on the reservation. I shall be grateful if you can assist me in obtaining such a position. Very Respectfully Evelyn Blackbird

Downingtown, Pa,
C/o Miss E. W. Edge.
March 21, 1915

Mr O. H. Phipps
Carlisle, Pa,
Dear Sir:-

My time at Carlisle will expire in June, and I expect to return to my home in Lac du Flambeau, Wisconsin.

I am a full Chippewa. My parents are dead and I have no near relative except a married sister. After a short visit among my friends I shall be glad to have a position in an Indian School as assistant matron or as a diningroom matron. I am in good health, 27 yrs old, 5 ft 8 inches in height.

I have been encouraged to ask for this position by Miss Edge, the lady with whom I am living. She thinks it will be much better to have regular employment than to spend idle time on the reservation.

I shall be grateful if you can assist me in obtaining such occupation.

Very Respectfully - Evelyn Blackbird.

-2- Miss Evelyn Blackbird.

April 15th, 1915.

you would do in case a boy or girl in the quarters under your charge was found to be ill with an attack of measles the object of the question would be to see what you could do in an emergency. What the examination is intended to find out from you is whether you have been so trained in
Miss Evelyn Blackbird,
Downingtown, Pennsylvania.
My dear Friend:

general that you could handle the work in the position for which Replying to the letter you addressed to Mrs. Denny at this school on April the 11th, this is to state that if you want me to have it arranged so that you can be examined at Downingtown before you return to Carlisle you should let me know without delay. It will take several weeks to get the examination authorized and the proper papers to the examining secretary at Downingtown.

HEN. Having noted that you want to be given some idea as to the examination to qualify for appointment to a position as matron, I must state that government employees are forbidden to give such information. I will say, however, that the training you have been given at Carlisle and the practical experience you have had in housekeeping under the Outing System are believed sufficient to enable you to make a good average. General questions may be given you to test your ability to act quickly on your own initiative in an emergency. For instance, if you were asked to state what

Downingtown, Pa,
April 11, 1915

C/o Miss E. P. Edge

-2- Miss Evelyn Blackbird.

Dear Mrs. Henry,

you would do in case a boy or girl in the quarters under your charge was found to be ill with an attack of measles the object of the question would be to see what you could do in an emergency. What the examination is intended to find out from you is whether you have been so trained in general that you could handle the work in the position for which you intend to qualify and whether you would know how to care and train the students with whom you would have to work. The recommendations that can be given you will aid very materially your chances for an appointment.

Hoping I shall hear from you soon, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Very Respectfully,

Evelyn Blackbird.

Downingtown, Pa,
April 11, 1915
C/o Miss E. Pedge

Dear Mrs Henry.

A few weeks I wrote to Mr Lipps and told him that my enrollment at Carlisle would expire in June and asked him if he would help me in getting a position in the Indian Service, and I received a kind letter from him saying that I would have to take Civil Service examination before my application would be filed in Washington. He thought it would be better for me to take the examination out here in Downingtown.

I am writing to you to ask a favor if you would write and give me a little information neither Miss Edge or myself know what the examination would cover for a matron or for a dining room matron, Would it be on Domestic Sciences? I shall be very glad to hear from you and will be very thankful to you, if you can inform us.

Very Respectfully,

Evelyn Blackbird.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,

Lac du Flambeau, Wisconsin. February 10th, 1915.

February 6, 1915.

Mr. L. W. White, H. Lipps,

Superintendent, Penn.

My dear Lac du Flambeau, Wis.

Dear Sir, Enclosed herewith find check No. 1043 drawn in favor of I have your favor of the 6th, enclosing check of \$15.00 for Evelyn Blackbird, which will be handed to her as desired. for you to allow her in your own discretion.

Respectfully,

Respectfully,

W. H. M.

Supervisor in charge.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,

Lac du Flambeau, Wisconsin.

February 6, 1915.

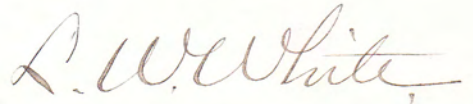
Supervisor O. H. Lipps,

Carlisle, Penn.

My dear Mr. Lipps:

Enclosed herewith find check No. 1043 drawn in favor of Evelyn Blackbird for the sum of fifteen (\$15.00) dollars. She asks for this as spending money and I am sending it to you for you to allow her in your own discretion.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "L. W. White".

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,
Lac du Flambeau, Wisconsin.
March 26, 1915 March 31st, 1915,

Mr. L. W. White, or O. H. Lipps,

Supt. Lac du flambeau,

Dea Wisconsin.

Dear Sir, I am herewith enclosing a check amounting to
\$25. I have your favor of the 26th, enclosing check
of 25.00 in favor of Eveline Blackbird. is properly en-
dorsed by her and then turn Respectfully, to be
used by her under your supervision.

W. H. M.

Supervisor in charge.

Respectfully,

L. W. White

ML
Encl. (1)

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,
Lac du Flambeau, Wisconsin.
March 26, 1915.

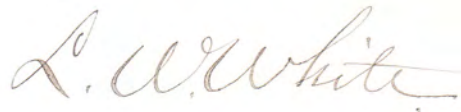
Supervisor O.H.Lipps,

Carlisle, Penna.

Dear Sir:-

I am herewith enclosing a check amounting to \$25. account of Eveline Blackbird which I would kindly request you to see that it is properly endorsed by her and then turned over to her to be used by her under your supervision.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "L. W. White".

Superintendent.

ML
Encl.(1)

Downingtown, Pa.
April 17, 1915
C/o Miss E. D. Edge

April 21st, 1915.

Miss Evelyn Blackbird,
Downingtown, Pennsylvania.

My dear Friend:

I have received your favor of the 17th instant, advising that you desire to take the examination about which we have been in correspondence. Accordingly, I have requested the Office at Washington to have the same authorized and have recommended that it be arranged so that you can be examined at Downingtown.

An application form will be mailed to you when the examination is authorized and when you have been examined by a physician and you have filled out each part of the form send it to me to be forwarded. The "vouchers" which will be included in the application can also be filled out here if you desire to have it so done.

Hoping that you will hear soon when the examination is to be held and assuring you that I will gladly assist further as may be necessary, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Downington, Pa.,
April 17, 1915.

C/o Miss E. D Edge

Mr C. H. Lippe.
Carlisle Pa.,

Dear Sir.

Your kind letter was received
and I will say in reply that I am willing
to take the Civil Service Examination for dining-
room matron in Downington.

Respectfully.

Evelyn Blackbird.

Lac du Flambeau,
Wisconsin

June 5 1915

Mr C. H. Lipps
Cubicle, Pa.

Dear Sir.

I reached here safely
Thursday morning and I was
met by my sister at the
depot and my folks are all
very glad to have me back
again but I do not expect to stay

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here all the time and is nothing, so
I am going to the Indian Agent and
see what he can do for me. I shall
be very glad if he can find something
for me to do.

It is rather lonesome
here. I have just written to Miss Edy
too.

Well Mr. Appz I am very glad to
have met you and talk to and now
I feel as if I had known you all my
life. I shall always be glad to hear from
you and what Carlisle is doing

Very Respectfully

Evelyn Blackbird.

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May 31st, 1915.

Dr. L. W. White,
Superintendent, U. S. Indian Agency,
Lac du Flambeau, Wis.

My dear Sir:

Evelyn Blackbird has been enrolled for the full period for which she was returned here in 1912 and is entitled to go to her home. Accordingly it has been arranged so that she can leave here tomorrow evening with the party of girls who are to start then to go to their homes for the summer vacation months. Transportation for her passage to Lac du Flambeau will be provided for her use.

In this connection I will also report that Evelyn has recently taken an examination to test her fitness for appointment to a position as assistant matron in the Indian School Service. If there is anything you could find for her to do while she is awaiting an appointment it would be the best for Evelyn. She is full of life and energy and must be kept busy.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

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May 8th, 1915.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that Evelyn Blackbird, a member of the Chippewa Tribe at Lac du Flambeau, Wisconsin, Downingtown, Pennsylvania.

was enrolled as a student at Carlisle from August 31st of 1909 to June the 24th of 1912. She was reenrolled

on Sept. I have your letter of the 30th ultimo and am enclosing herewith a statement which should answer the purpose you refer to in your letter.

HKM. It is to be regretted that this reply has been so long delayed and it is hoped you have not been inconvenienced thereby. Please let me hear if I can be of assistance in any other way.

Very truly yours,

Encls.

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that Evelyn Blackbird, a member of the Chippewa Tribe at Lac du Flambeau, Wisconsin, was enrolled as a student at Carlisle from August 31st of 1909 to June the 24th of 1912. She was reenrolled on September 20th of 1912 and is now a student here.

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

May the eighth, 1915.

Please see

I have just been answering

the question to my application for

an appointment in the Indian Service

and ask for a certificate of attendance

of the last Indian to the school attended.

Does this mean that I must have

a certificate to send to Washington? By so

please send me a certificate.

*Wm. B. H. Hays
Carlisle, Pa.*

*Received from Mr.
C. H. Hays
April 30, 1915*

Dawson, Pa.
C/o Miss E. D. Edge,
April 30, 1915

Mr D. H. Phipps
Carlisle, Pa.,

Dear Sir

I have just been answering

the questions to my application for
an appointment in the Indian Service
and it asks for a certificate of attendance
at the last Indian or other school attended.

Does this mean that I must have
a certificate to send to Washington? If so
please send me a certificate

And oblige.

Respectfully

Evelyn Blackbird

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,

Lac du Flambeau School April 30th, 1915.
Lac du Flambeau, Wisconsin,
April 28, 1915.

Mr. Superintendent,
Indian School.
Lac-du-flambeau, Wis.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 28th, enclosing
check of \$25.00 in favor of Evelyn Blackbird.

Enclosed find check \$25.00 drawn on the

The First National

Bank of Crandon

W.H.M.

Wisconsin, in your favor in the sum of \$25.00
Supervisor in charge.

Enclosed find check \$25.00 drawn on the
The First National Bank of Crandon, Wisconsin, in your favor in the sum of \$25.00
Kindly give this to Eveline Black-

bird.

Yours very truly,

L. W. White

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Supt. & Spl. Disb. Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,

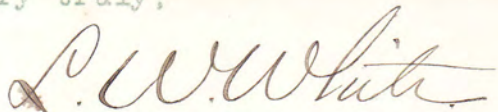
Lac du Flambeau School & Agency,
Lac du Flambeau, Wisconsin,
April 28, 1915.

Mr. Lipps,
Indian School.
Carlisle, Penna.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed find check No. 1129 drawn on the
The First National Bank of Crandon
Wisconsin, ~~in your favor~~ in the sum of \$25.--
~~in settlement of~~ Kindly give this to Eveline Black-
bird.

Yours very truly,



Encls- (1)

Supt. & Spl. Disb. Agent.

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INFORMATION REGARDING RETURNED STUDENTS

PART 1

REPORT BY NONRESERVATION SUPERINTENDENT OR RESERVATION SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

SCHOOL, Carlisle, Pa., July 1, 1915, 191

Name, Blackbird, Evelyn; Sex, F; Age, 20; Deg. Indian Blood, Full
 Belongs: State, Wisconsin; Agency, Lac du Flambeau; Tribe, Chippewa
 Home address, whose care, etc., C/o Supt. Indian School, Lac du Flambeau, Wisc.
 Grade in school, VIII; health, good; height, No data; weight, No data.
 Number months instruction given pupil in each school department, including music, Outing 23;
laundry 9.

Course completed, Laundering; years in this school, 2-2/3
 Years spent in other schools and names of schools, No data.

Character and disposition, Only fairly satisfactory.

Recommended for what positions, suitability in order named: 1. _____
 2. _____; 3. _____; 4. _____

Remarks: _____

Chippewa, Supt.

PART 2

REPORT BY RESERVATION SUPERINTENDENT

AGENCY, _____, 191

Date pupil returned from school, _____; employed since return as follows:

Are home and local conditions favorable? _____

Should he receive assistance to find employment? _____

At what employment do you think he would do best? _____

Remarks: _____

_____, Supt.

SUGGESTIONS FOR SUPPLYING THE INFORMATION REQUESTED ON THIS BLANK

1. The report of nonreservation school Superintendent should be made at the time or a little before the pupil leaves school, whether at the end of the school year or during the school year, provided the pupil is 18 years of age or over, or younger, if for any special reason the pupil is quitting school permanently. As soon as this report is received, or at least very soon after the pupil returns home, the Supervisor of Indian Employment will correspond with the returned student for the purpose of getting more in personal touch with him and finding out something about his wishes, etc. His answer will be attached to and filed as part of this report.

2. Health, height, and weight of returned students are sometimes very important in placing them properly; height and weight could be approximated very satisfactorily, though from the pupil records now in use all information called for in part 1 of this blank can readily be obtained and be definite.

3. The State, agency, and tribe are important, and where the pupil is not attached to any agency this fact should be stated and the Superintendent should give all available information as to the home and local conditions surrounding the pupil.

4. Where the outgoing pupil has passed the civil-service examination for any position, this fact should always be noted, giving position for which examination was taken.

5. It should be remembered that the Supervisor of Indian Employment can but seldom have a personal acquaintance with the outgoing student, and that he must depend on the information furnished in this report for his basis of action in behalf of the pupil.

6. The degree of Indian blood should always be given, as this fact largely determines how much effort will be made on behalf of any particular returned student; qualifications being equal, or nearly so, the preference will be given to those having the greatest degree of Indian blood.

7. This report should be forwarded promptly to the Supervisor of Indian Employment, Indian Office, Washington, D. C.

8. Reports on students from reservation schools should be made only as to those who leave the schools at 18 years of age, or older, and who will probably not go away to school.

9. If part 1 of this report is made out by the principal of a reservation school, the reservation Superintendent should supply information called for in part 2 if the principal is not informed as to home surroundings and local conditions. Such information is essential to a proper understanding of the difficulties and needs of the pupil.

10. When part 1 is made out by a nonreservation Superintendent, this blank will be sent by the Supervisor of Indian Employment to the Superintendent of the reservation where the outgoing student belongs. He should fill out part 2 and return the blank as promptly as possible, for practically nothing can be done until the information called for in part 2 is supplied.

Information under the heading "Employed since return as follows," will be valuable only in cases where the pupil has been home for some time.

Information regarding pupils to test eligibility and whether in need of Federal aid.

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Date of report May 3, 1914

Name of child ^{student} Evelyn Buckbird Age Grade Seventh

Home post office Lac du Flambeau Wisconsin

Tribe Chippewa Degree of Indian blood Full

How many acres of land do you own I dont know Location I dont know

What is the annual income from your land I dont know

Do you have any other income I dont know How much

Is your father living no

Father's name

Home post office

Tribe Degree of Indian blood

Is he a citizen

How much land does he own Allotment No.

What is its estimated value

What is the annual income from his land

Does he have any other income

If so, how much

Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property

Is your mother living no

Mother's name

Home post office

Tribe Degree of Indian blood

Is she a citizen

How much land does your mother own Allotment No.

What is its estimated value

What is the annual income from her land.....

Does she have any other income.....

If so, how much.....

Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property.....

With whom do you make your home..... *I have no home. I visit my sister.*

How many rooms in the house.....

How many live in the house.....

How far is your home from the nearest public school.....

Why do you not attend that school.....

How many teachers employed there.....

How many grades maintained.....

How many months of school each year.....

Did you ever attend a public school..... *No.*

If so, how long.....

Where.....

How many brothers of school age have you.....

How many sisters of school age have you.....

Are they in school.....

Where.....

Remarks and recommendations of superintendent with reference to eligibility and need of Federal aid:

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Superintendent.

NOTE.—One of these blanks should be filled out by each pupil at Government boarding schools, preferably with the assistance of the superintendent or some one designated to act as his representative. If the superintendent is of opinion from the information given that the pupil is entitled to enrollment he should so indicate by signing the blank in the proper place and filing in the individual pupil's folder. In the case of pupils concerning whose eligibility or need of Government aid there is some doubt, superintendents should make proper remarks and recommendations in the space indicated and forward the form to the Indian Office for consideration.