

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

4377

NUMBER 2782	ENGLISH NAME Madella Anderson	AGENCY	NATION Suscarora
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Elvira Anderson, Lewiston, N.Y.	
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD Full	AGE 14	HEIGHT 5'2½"
FATHER, D	MOTHER, L	WEIGHT 106½	FORCED INSP. 34
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Sept. 27, 1912	FOR WHAT PERIOD Five years.	DATE DISCHARGED July 6, 1915	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Termination of leave
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS		FROM COUNTRY
4-10-15	M. P. Coats Cochranville Pa.		Pa.
8-29-13	Mrs. A. S. Baker R. F. D. Gap, Pa.		3-9-14
5-1-14	Mary P. Coates, Cochranville, Pa.		8-27-14
6-7-14	On leave		

Months in school before Carlisle, 36

Grade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Baptist

Miles to school - 2.

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BRIEF.

Application of

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Madella Anderson

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

POST-OFFICE ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:

Date of enrollment, _____, 191

Term of enrollment, *Five (5)* years

Application for Enrollment in a Nonreservation School.

(For a child not enrolled at an Agency.)

For and in consideration of the United States assuming the care, education, and maintenance in the United States Indian School at Carlisle, Pa, of Madella Anderson, I, Elvira Anderson, of Lewiston P. O., State of N. Y., do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to her enrollment in said school for a period of five years, and also obligate and bind myself to abide by all the rules and regulations for Indian schools. (Not less than 3.)

I further say that the said child was born at Tuscarora Res on March 2 1898 that the father, Willis Anderson, was a full blood Indian of the Tuscarora Tribe located at N. Y. Agency; that he left the tribe about 5 place unknown that the mother, Elvira Anderson, is a full Indian of the Tuscarora Tribe located at N. Y. Agency, and left the tribe about 1901; that the said child was born and reared in the United States, and now actually resides therein; and that he has attended the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL—PUBLIC, GOVERNMENT, OR MISSION.	LOCATED AT—	DATE OF ENROLLMENT.	DATE OF DISCHARGE.	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE.	GRADE.

This 22^d day of August, 1912
Two witnesses:

Luther W. Jack

Elvira Anderson
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

Robert Anderson

P. O., Lewiston, N. Y.

(NOTE.—Every blank in this application must be properly filled out by the applicant, in his own handwriting, if possible. The signature, whether by mark or otherwise, must be attested by two witnesses.)

AFFIDAVIT.

I, Elvira Anderson, do hereby swear that the statements made in the above application are true.

Elvira Anderson
(Signature of applicant.) (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of August, 1912

Edward H. Cox
Notary Public

(NOTE.—This application and affidavit must be executed before some officer authorized to administer oaths by the parent with whom the child is living; if the parents are dead, by the guardian or next of kin.)

FOR NEW YORK PUPILS.

This blank is to be filled out and signed by a former teacher of the applicant, by a school trustee, a school superintendent, or by some other person conversant with the status of the applicant's school attendance.

This is to certify that Madella Anderson
has attended the Mt Hope Indian (Tuscarora) School at
No. 1. Tuscarora Reserve New York, from Autumn Term 1906
to June 1912. An aggregate of 833 days
Lewiston N. Y.
Aug. 2 1912.

M. L. Brown, Principal
(Sign here.)

Certificate of Physician.

William A. Peart

, a practicing physician of

Sauborn

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, do hereby certify that I have carefully examined

Madella Anderson

child named in this application, and find that *she* is in proper physical condition to attend school, and is not afflicted with tuberculosis or other disease which would be a menace to the health of other pupils.

This *29* day of

August

, 191*2*

Wm A Peart

, M. D.

Vouchers of Disinterested Persons.

VOUCHER NO. 1.

I, *Howard E. Gansworth*, a

(Business, calling, or profession.)

, of

Buffalo N.Y.

, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with

Elvira Anderson

who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his state-

ments therein are true; that I am acquainted with *Madella Anderson*; that

(Name of Child.)

he is known and recognized in the community in which she lives as an Indian; that in my opinion

he can not receive proper and adequate schooling at home for the reason that

The Reservation school does not offer the advantages.

This *19th* day of

Aug

, 191*2*

Howard E. Gansworth

VOUCHER NO. 2.

I, _____, a

farmer

(Business, calling, or profession.)

of

Tuscarora, Res

, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with

Elvira Anderson

, who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his state-

ments therein are true; that I am acquainted with *Madella Anderson*; that

(Name of child.)

he is known and recognized in the community in which he lives as an Indian; and that in my opinion

he cannot receive proper and adequate schooling at home for the reason that

The Reservation school is not, so as to give a necessary training

This *29* day of

August

, 191*2*

Luther M Jack

Certificate of School Physician.

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

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

This _____ day of _____, 191 _____

School Physician.

INDORSEMENT.

A child showing one-sixteenth or less Indian blood, whose parents live on an Indian reservation, Indian fashion, who, if debarred from the Government schools, could not obtain an education, may be permitted in the reservation day and boarding schools, but it is preferable that it be not transferred to a nonreservation school, without permission from the Office. Children showing one-eighth or less Indian blood, whose parents do not live on an Indian reservation, whose home is among white people where there are churches and schools, who are presumed to have adopted the white man's manners and customs, and are to all intents and purposes white people, are debarred from enrollment in the Government nonreservation and reservation schools. Superintendents, in all cases where doubt exists as to the degree of Indian blood of a child proposed for transfer, should fully satisfy themselves of the facts by affidavits from reliable persons, which affidavits must be kept on file at the school.

A pupil who has been regularly enrolled in a nonreservation school must not be taken to any other non-reservation 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.

A pupil dismissed from school for cause must not be enrolled in any other school without the permission of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs. Full facts must be submitted with each request.



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NAME Madella Anderson Sex ~~Male~~ Female.

Tribe ~~Esan~~ Tuscarora State N. Y. Date Sept 27, 1912

Age 14 years Respiration h Condition of, Eyes good

Height 5 ft. 2 1/2 ins. Ears O.K.

Weight 106 1/2 lbs. Mensuration { Insp. 34 Throat O.K.

Temperature 98.2 Vaccination yes Cervical glands O.K.

Pulse 112 Vision h Skin O.K.

Inspection Fairly developed

Palpation normal

Percussion normal

Auscultation normal

Heart normal

(Menstruation) regular

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father			<u>unknown</u>	
Mother	<u>yes</u>	<u>good</u>		
Brothers	<u>2</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>infancy</u>
Sisters	<u>1</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>none</u>	

Personal history Measles, bronchitis, whooping cough
Chicken pox.

Present condition good

H. B. F.rahin, M. D.

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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.

Age _____ Sex { Male. / Female. } Tribe { Full / I / } _____ Residence _____
(On _____, 19____)

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Age Sex { Male. } Tribe { Full } Residence
 { Female. } { / }
 (On, 19....)

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REPORT OF Madella Anderson pupil of Carlisle Indian
 School, who went May 1 - 14 to live with Miss M. P. Coates
(Date) (Patron)
 of Cochranville, Pa., Chester,
(Post Office) (County)

Pa.
(State)

Atglum

Railroad Station

Conduct Very good.

Health Some little throat trouble.

Ability Quite willing and helpful.

Cleanliness Quite clean.

Economy - Fair.

Situation of Room 2d floor.

Condition of Room Very good.

Condition of Clothing Good.

Wages 17 per mo.

Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes.

Are careful accounts kept by pupil?

Number of days at school

Distance to school

Grade or quality of school

Name and address of teacher

Qualifications of teacher

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle?

In what grade is pupil at present?

Attends what church and Sunday school? Attends Friends Meeting with family.

Distance to church

Is there a Catholic church in locality? No.

Who compose patron's family? Miss Coates & brother.

What other help is employed? No other help in home; Harvest hands occasional.

Locality of home Farm.

Home life and environments Very helpful.

Trade at school

Nature of work Quil Maker.

Pupil's age 16 Experience

Very satisfactory.

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

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REPORT OF Madella Anderson pupil of Carlisle Indian
 School, who went Aug. 29-13 to live with Mrs. A. S. Baker
(Date) (Patron)
 of Yap. Pa. (Post Office) (County)
Pennsylvania, Yap & Christiana Railroad Station
(State)
 Conduct Excellent
 Health Good
 Ability Good
 Cleanliness Good
 Economy
 Situation of Room
 Condition of Room
 Condition of Clothing Good
 Wages
 Are careful accounts kept by patron? Yes
 Are careful accounts kept by pupil?
 Number of days at school Good student
 Distance to school
 Grade or quality of school
 Name and address of teacher Miss Nora Martin, P.F.D. #3 Yap. Pa.
 Qualifications of teacher
 In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? Room 10.
 In what grade is pupil at present? 7th Grade
 Attends what church and Sunday school?
 Distance to church
 Is there a Catholic church in locality? no
 Who compose patron's family? Mr. & Mrs. Baker & little girl
 What other help is employed? not any
 Locality of home Farm
 Home life and environments Very good
 Trade at school
 Nature of work
 Pupil's age 16 Experience

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REPORT OF Madellon Anderson pupil of Carlisle Indian
 School, who went Apr. 10 to live with Mrs. M. P. Cortes
(Date) (Patron)

of Cochranville, Pa., Cortessville Parkburg Railroad Station
(Post Office) (County) (State)

Conduct all right - no fault to find in any respect

Health -

Ability good

Cleanliness "

Economy "

Situation of Room - 2nd

Condition of Room good

Condition of Clothing good

Wages \$6 at first - raised to \$7

Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes -

Are careful accounts kept by pupil? -

Number of days at school

Distance to school

Grade or quality of school

Name and address of teacher

Qualifications of teacher

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle?

In what grade is pupil at present?

Attends what church and Sunday school? Prot. yes

Distance to church

Is there a Catholic church in locality?

Who compose patron's family? brother & sister

What other help is employed? none

Locality of home

Home life and environments

Trade at school

Nature of work gen. house

Pupil's age - Experience is inexperienced

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



THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESSEE

Oscar H. Lipps
Supervisor in Charge
U. S. Indian School
Carlisle
Pa.

Mr Lipps

June 5- 1915-

Dear Sir

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I have sent you \$8.50
per P.O. order issued at Auburn N. Y.
for fare for the return of my daughter
Madella as required by you

Please advise me if the
same has been received. the
same has been mailed May 29, 1915-

Yours very truly

Mad. Anderson Elvira Anderson
Lewiston, N. Y.

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April 18th, 1914.

Mrs. Elvira Anderson,

R. F. D. 18, Lewiston, N. Y.

My dear Madam:

Replying to your letter of April the 16th, in which you request the return here for the summer months of your daughters, this is to state that with the opportunity they have here for work during the summer months I believe they would gain by remaining here. However, since you desire that they shall return to you for a visit such arrangements will be made after the close of school if you send what is required to pay for their transportation and with which transportation can be provided for their use at the termination of their period of leave. Not less than \$33.60 would be required to cover the expenditure for transportation alone.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

April 16 1914

Oscar H Lippe

Supervisor in Charge

Carlisle Pa

Sir

About a month ago
wrote you for a permission
for a return of daughter Madella
Anderson, and also be glad
also the return of Melissa Anderson
during the summer vacation
may I hear from at once
and what course I may pursue
to obtain the permit.

Yours respectfully

Elvira Anderson

Lewistown,

R. F. D. #18

N. Y.

Box. 69

March 23 1914

Dear Mr. Lipps
Supervisor in Charge
U.S. Indian School
Carlisle, Pa.,
Sir

Will you please grant
me the return of Madella
Anderson during vacation
this coming summer.

If any, what expenses shall
I have to meet for the same
Yours respectfully
Mother of Madella

Elvira Anderson
Lewiston

N.Y.
{ R. F. D. #18 }
Box 69

April 21 1915
April 28th, 1915.

Mrs. Elvira Anderson,

R. F. D. 18, Lewiston, N. Y.

My dear Madam:

I am sending herewith a blank for your use to replace the one I mailed with my letter of the 15th instant and which has become mislaid.

Referring further to your letter of the 21st instant, this is to state that the cost of transportation from Carlisle to Niagara Falls is now \$8.15 and that not less than that amount should be sent to pay for Madella's ticket.

Very truly yours,

Encl.

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Lewiston,
N. Y.

April 21 1915-

Oscar H. Lipps

Superintendent in Charge Carlisle Pa

Dear Sir

Yours of recent date received
will you please send a duplicate of
application paper for a return of my
daughter during summer vacation
I have mislaid and could not
find it. and please state when
it will be school vacation so I
have my part ready, state amount
of money shall I send for fare from
Carlisle to Niagara Falls

Yours respectfully

Elvira Anderson

Lewiston,

R. F. S. #18

N. Y.

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April 15th, 1915.

Mrs. Elvira Anderson,

R. F. D. 18, Lewiston, N. Y.

My dear Madam:

Having noted in your letter of the 13th instant that you desire to have your daughter Medella at home for the summer vacation months, this is to advise that such arrangements can be made. The blank I enclose herewith may be used to submit a formal request for the leave of absence you desire to have granted to Medella.

Regarding transportation for her use I must state that it is usually required that parents provide a sufficient amount to pay return transportation, but in view of the plea contained in your letter Medella will be given permission to go home if you provide what will be required to pay for her transportation from Carlisle to Lewiston. From the amount to her credit in our school bank a sufficient amount will be retained to pay for the transportation that will have to be provided when her period of leave has terminated.

Very truly yours,

Encls.

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

April, 13, 1915.

Oscar H Lipps

Dear Sir

I hereby appeal to you for return of my Daughter Melilla Anderson during vacation and that she be allowed to pay one fare from Carlisle to home, for the reason that money is hard to get at this time as for the return fare we could have ample time to earn as wages here are from 4 to 7 dollars per week.

May I hear from you at once.

Yours respectfully

Elvira Anderson

Lewiston.

R. F. D. #18

N. Y.

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June 7th, 1915.

Mrs. Ewing:

Madella Anderson is to leave for her home on train at 8.22 this evening. You will please have her reported "on leave".

Respectfully,

(Signed) O. H. LIPPS

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Mr. Kirk.)

Mr. Kirk:

You will please have a conveyance sent to the Girls' Quarters to take Madella Anderson to the train specified above.

Respectfully,

HKM.

Superintendent.

VACATION REQUEST FOR PUPIL.

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I, the undersigned, respectfully request that leave of absence be granted to my
daughter Madeline Anderson
 from Carlisle Pa to Tuscarora Reservation to
 enable her to visit our home. We hereby agree to pay all expenses, including
 round-trip railroad fares, sleeping-car fares, meals, lodging, stage fares, telegraph and telephone messages,
 and other incidental expenses connected with the visit. We further agree that said pupil shall be
 returned to the _____ school on or before the last day of the leave of absence.
 We further agree to deposit with the superintendent of the school sufficient money to defray all expenses
 to be incurred, and should the pupils, or any one of them, fail to return to school at such time as may
 be agreed upon by the parents or guardian and the superintendent of the school in which the pupils
 are enrolled, the amount of money remaining with the superintendent, necessary to the return trans-
 portation of the pupil or pupils so neglecting to return, shall be forfeited to the Government; provided,
 however, that in all cases where it can be shown that there were justifiable reasons for the failure of the
 return of the pupil the forfeiture of the funds shall not take place.

If the pupil neglecting to return is from a reservation, the superintendent of the reservation shall
 certify to the reasons for the nonreturn of the pupil or pupils. If a pupil's home is not on a reservation,
 then the certificate of some reputable, disinterested citizen of the community may be requested as to
 the reasons for the nonreturn of the pupil or pupils.

where about unknown

 Father.
Edwira Anderson

 Mother.

Date: May 29 1915-

 Guardian.

NOTE TO DISBURSING OFFICERS.—All receipts under this agreement must be accounted for officially
 as Individual Indian Money. However, any forfeitures must be transferred to Miscellaneous Receipts,
 Class I, and deposited in the Treasury to the credit of the United States.

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May 29 1915
June 4th, 1915.

Mrs. Elvira Anderson,
Lewiston, New York.

My dear Madam:

I have received the amount of \$8.50 you sent to pay for your daughter Madella's transportation home and it is being arranged so that she can leave here on Monday evening of next week. She will be provided with a ticket to Niagara Falls as you requested and as she is due to arrive in Buffalo at 7.30 on Tuesday morning, June the 8th, you may expect her to be at the Falls before noon of that day.

Regretting that it could not be arranged to have Madella join the party of girls who left here on Tuesday evening of this week, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

May 29 1915

O. H. Vipps

Supervisor in Charge

U.S. Indian School

Dear Sir

yours of April 28th rec'd

Please find in Post Office money
order of \$8.15- for fare request me
to furnish, for the return during of
my daughter Madella Anderson
if I send you more than \$8.15- please
hand the same to her when she
start for home

\$8.50

O.K. O.H.V.

Yours very truly

Elvira Anderson

P.S.

Write me right away
when I can meet her at the train
on about noon

E. A.

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July 26 1915
Lewiston, N. Y.
R. F. D. 18
July 28th, 1915.

Mrs. Elvira Anderson,

R. F. D. 18, Lewiston, N. Y.

Dear Madam:

It has been noted in your letter of July the 26th that you desire to keep your daughter Madella at home permanently and that you request the return to you of the amount of money you placed on deposit to pay for her return transportation to Carlisle.

In reply to your letter your attention is called to the provision contained in the formal request for Madella's leave which you signed and placed on file here that only for good and sufficient reasons shall a student at home on leave be kept out of school permanently and that if such reasons are not justifiable then "the amount of money remaining with the superintendent, necessary to the return transportation of the pupil or pupils so neglecting to return, shall be forfeited to the Government; etc."

It is desired, therefore, that you advise me for what reasons Madella's return to school to complete her term of enrolment cannot be effected.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.



July 26 1915-
Lewiston, N. Y.,
R. F. D. #18

Oscar H. Lipps.

Supt "U. S. Indian School

Dear Sir

I hereby earnestly
ask you to Cancel from
your school roll of my
daughter Madella Anderson
who is at home here, as I
believe is to be the best interest
and welfare for her not to go
back to school this fall, and
sent the amount of money she has
in school Bank in your Charge
Respectfully Yours
Elvira Anderson

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Aug. 5th, 1915.

Mrs. Elvira Anderson,

R. F. D. 18, Lewiston, N. Y.

My dear Madam:

I am having enclosed herewith a copy of the Indian Office's blank "5-240" upon which your application for the return home of your daughter Madella is now on file at this office. The reasons you have given in your letter of the 4th instant for the nonreturn of your daughter cannot be considered sufficient to justify the return to you of the amount of money you placed on deposit with which to provide for her coming to Carlisle at the termination of the period of leave. Therefore, the action newly requested cannot be taken.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

I hope you may consider her case a favorable result.

Respectfully yours.



August 4, 1915.

Lewiston, N.Y. R.F. 8 #18

J.W.D. Stuffs.

Acting Superintendent, U.S. Indian School

Dear Sir

Yours of July 28th an answer to mine of 26th ult. ^{receiving} In answer will you please send me a copy of an Act justifying your course to withhold of the money earned and placed in bank other than the purpose is now you to dispose of,

The reason of my daughter Madella to remain out of school permanently is that she has passed her school ^{age} to be compelled to attend school against her will, and that her health is not in condition as to allow her to stay in school any longer, and further of all the time she has attended school at Carlisle has not been advanced since she left here.

I hope you may consider her case a favorable result.

Respectfully yours.

Elvira Anderson

Home Address

Tribe *Ouscarion*

Shop

Days in School

Conduct

Grade in
School

Ability

Grade of Home	Church
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Health

Earnings

Gap. Pa. P.D.

Dr. 8-29-13 m 2-10-14

Miss Mary P. Coates,
Cochranville, Pa.

5-11-14 8-27-14

Ly	gd
Ly	Sat
Ly	gd
7.00	7.

g	g
g	g
g	g
7.00	7.00
-3	g
g	g
g	g
7	7

ROUTING RECORD — CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

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34 Lewiston, N. Y.
Sept. 30, 1912

M. Friedman,

Dear sir

Will you please
inform me, how is
my daughter Madella
-Anderson at her arrival
at your school. I must
beg pardon for not sending
a message to you at the
^{time} or about she left here &
to her arrival at your
school.

Yours respectfully
Elvira Anderson
Lewiston

R. F. D. #18 N. Y.

P.S. please find letter for Madella
enclosed. E. A.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Jan. 10th, 1916.

Mr. G. H. Ansley,
Special Agent, New York Agency,
Salamanca, N. Y.

My dear Sir:

Complying with the request that is contained in your letter of the 6th instant, there is being enclosed herewith check No. 29726 in the amount of \$17.92 which represents the balance to the credit of Madella Anderson in our school bank.

Upon receipt of the additional information that is referred to in your letter it will be determined what is to be done with the additional amount that is being held here to Madella's credit.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

NEW YORK AGENCY

Salamanca, N. Y., January 6, 1916

Mr. O. H. Lipps,

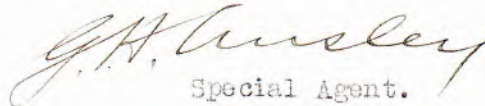
Superintendent, U. S. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Sir:

Your kind favor of December 28, 1915, relative to
Madella Anderson's money, came duly to hand.

From my conversation with these people at a recent
visit to the Tuscarora reservation, I believe, on account of the
condition of her health with reference to her eyes, that the \$17.92
should be sent to me to be paid over to her, and I am this day writing
to the Tuscarora reservation for her to submit a doctor's certificate
relative to her condition, which I will forward to you as soon as
it is received.

Respectfully yours,


Special Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Dec. 28th, 1915.

Mr. G. H. Ansley,
Special Agent, New York Agency,
Salamanca, N. Y.

My dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 22nd instant and to state that in my letter of September 17th, 1915, it was reported to you that Madella Anderson has an amount of \$17.92 to her credit over and above the amount of \$8.85 I shall be compelled to confiscate to the Government if satisfactory evidence of good and sufficient reason for the failure of the mother to return the girl to Carlisle cannot be given.

Of the amount of \$33.92 to the girl's credit on June the 4th she drew \$16.00, which left the \$17.92 yet here. To the amount of \$8.50 that was deposited from the money that was sent here by the mother Madella added an amount of \$8.50 that evidently came from the total of \$16.00 she drew before she left here. The cost of her ticket home, \$8.15, had to be paid from the total of \$17.00 deposited and there is yet left the \$8.85 that has been mentioned in other correspondence.

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

-2- Mr. G. H. Ansley, Special Agent.

The amount of \$17.92 can be sent to you at any time you recommend that such action shall be taken, but the amount of \$8.85 will have to be retained until the satisfactory evidence before mentioned is received here. The entire matter will then have to be submitted to the Office with my recommendation in order that a decision in the case can be reached.

I am anxious to have the accounts closed and will thank you to assist further as may be required.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

NEW YORK AGENCY

Salamanca, N. Y., December 22, 1915

The Superintendent,

United States Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

I have had some correspondence with the United States Indian School relative to certain moneys due Madella Anderson, a Tuscarora Indian of New York, whose mother's name is Elvira Anderson. They are now residing on the Tuscarora reservation. I am informed that the girl was under the outing system at Carlisle and while there earned \$33.92; that her mother applied for leave of absence for her and sent to the School \$8.75 to pay her return fare, which would make to the credit of Madella the sum of \$42.67, \$8.15 of which was used in paying her transportation home and it is claimed on the part of the School that Madella was permitted to draw \$16.00 of her money at the time of leaving. She denies that she received the proceeds of this check. Even if she did, it would seem from the statement of these people that she should have to her credit \$18.52, instead of \$8.85, as claimed by the school. The reason that Madella did not return to the School at the termination of her leave, I am informed, was because she contracted sore eyes while at work in the outing system and the physician near the reservation advised her

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mother that it would be best for her not to return to School on account of the condition of her eyes.

I wish you would write me again relative to this matter, and a little more fully, for if Madella had \$33.92 to her credit that she earned while in the outing system and her mother sent \$8.75 by post office money order, she should have to her credit more than what is stated in a letter which I received under date of September 17, 1915. These people have been so insistent in regard to this matter that I feel that I ought to clear it up for them if it is possible.

Thanking you in advance for your early attention in the matter, I am

Respectfully yours,


Special Agent.

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Aug. 10th, 1915.

Mrs. Elvira Anderson,

R. F. D. 18, Lewiston, N. Y.

Dear Madam:

Referring to your letter of the 9th instant you are advised that on June the 4th a total amount of \$17.00 was placed on deposit to the credit of your daughter Madella to pay for her transportation home and with which to provide transportation for her return to school at the termination of the period of leave. An amount of \$8.15 was required to pay for the ticket that was procured for her use when she went home, and there is now to her credit a balance of \$8.85.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

8-10-15.

my sr -

I don't think we are scared
very much about this. We'll
simply do whatever is in accor-
dance with law, regulation,
and precedent.

Joe D. Hupp

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August - 9 1915.
Leicester, N. Y.
R F L # 18

J. D. D. Huff.

Acting Superintendent

Sir

Yours of 5th inst received with Indian Office's blank "5-240", and that you refuse to consider any application of the 4th inst

Will you please send me a statement of the whole amount of money in Madella Anderson's credit in Bank in your charge together of what you claim from that money and that you do not send me a copy asked for of my 4th inst - a "copy of Law justifying your act in claiming her money."

I still insist all money belonging to Madella be paid over to her without further delay and expense

June 4, 17.00
8.12
8.88

Yours very truly
Elvira Anderson

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

October 27, 1915.

Mr. G. H. Ansley, Special Agent,
New York Agency,
Salamanca, N. Y.

My dear Sir:

Replying to your favor of October 20th, relative to Mrs. Anderson's complaint about our refusal to send her money belonging to her daughter Madella, this is to state that just as soon as we can be assured that the girl's nonreturn to school is advisable, all moneys due her will be forwarded without delay. It was agreed by Mrs. Anderson that she would return her daughter to school, and unless satisfactory explanation of her failure to keep her promise can be made, the amount placed on deposit for return transportation will be confiscated to the Government. Will you let me have your recommendation in the matter?

Very truly yours,

HKM:SR

Acting Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

NEW YORK AGENCY

Salamanca, N. Y., October 20, 1915

Mr. O. H. Lipps,

Superintendent, United States Indian School,

Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Dear Sir:

Referring to your favor of September 17, 1915, relative to the matter of money due Madella Anderson, formerly an enrolled pupil of your institution, and other correspondence in the premises, I beg to advise you that I am in receipt of another letter from Madella's mother and if possible I would like to satisfy her. She states that Madella had to her credit in the bank at Carlisle \$33.92. Mrs. Alvira Anderson advises me that she sent \$8.75 of her own money to you for transportation of Madella from Carlisle to her own home and that you should not take credit for the \$8.15, but only for the \$16.00, which you state she was permitted to withdraw. Although her mother protests against your retaining the \$8.85 for Madella's return transportation to the school, nevertheless she claims that with that deducted there still remains a balance due Madella from her bank account, because she herself claims to have paid her railroad fare from Carlisle to her home amounting to \$8.75.

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I should appreciate it if you will give this matter a little more investigation and advise me of what you find.

Respectfully yours,

G. H. Husley
Special Agent.

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Sept. 17th, 1915.

Mr. G. H. Ansley,
Special Agent, New York Agency,
Salamanca, N. Y.

My dear Sir:

Referring to your letter of the 9th instant, relative to a matter that was brought to your attention by Madella Anderson's mother, this is to advise you that when Madella left here to go to her home in June of this year permission was given her to draw from her account in our school bank ~~an~~ amount of \$16.00, which left her a total balance in bank of \$17.92.

An amount of \$17.00 was deposited to insure Madella's return to school at the termination of her period of leave, in a separate fund from that mentioned above. But \$8.15 was required to pay for the ticket she used in going home and there is yet to her credit the balance of \$8.85 which is to be used to pay for transportation that will be provided as soon as the mother states that she will comply with her agreement to let Madella return to school to complete her period of enrolment.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

NEW YORK AGENCY



Salamanca, N. Y., September 9, 1915

Mr. H. D. Huff,

Acting Superintendent, Carlisle Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of a communication from Mrs. Elvira Anderson in which she states that her daughter, Madella, has been attending the United States Indian School at Carlisle under the outing system and during the time that she was there earned \$26.05,

She was in charge of Mr. Miller. Your letters of August 5th and August 10th addressed to Mrs. Anderson were also enclosed, which seems to have reference to the deposit of \$17.00 by her to pay the transportation of her daughter home and her return to school at the termination of the period of leave.

Will you kindly advise me just what the situation is, so that I may be in possession of the facts and act accordingly. An early reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully yours,

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G. H. Ansley
Special Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

NEW YORK AGENCY

Salamanca, N. Y., January 15, 1916

Mr. J. D. Huff,
Acting Superintendent, U. S. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of check No. 29726
in the amount of \$17.92, representing the balance of money to the
credit of Madella Anderson in your school bank, for which accept
my thanks.

Respectfully yours,

J. H. Husley
Special Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

March 14th, 1916.

Mr. G. H. Ansley,
Special Agent, New York Agency,
Salamanca, N. Y.

My dear Sir:

Noting in your letter of the 9th instant some of the reasons that have been advanced by Madella Anderson's mother for her failure to return the girl to Carlisle as was agreed and believing that sufficient information is now on file to complete our records in the case I have decided to return the deposit left here. You will, therefore, please find enclosed herewith a check in the amount of \$8.85 to close the account.

Very truly yours,

HEM.

Superintendent.

J. H. [Signature]

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

NEW YORK AGENCY

Salamanca, N. Y., March 9, 1916.

*Mr. Meyer -
Return the
money - OKL*

Mr. O. H. Lipps,
Supt., United States Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Referring to your letter of December 28, 1915, relative to the \$8.85 which was retained by your School for the return of Madella Anderson, I note that you state satisfactory evidence of good and sufficient reason for the failure of the mother to return the girl to Carlisle must be furnished before the sum of \$8.85 can be returned. Upon investigation, I find that Madella had trouble with her eyes; that she was advised by a doctor that she had better give up her studies; that she is now residing permanently at home and working for white people as a domestic at the rate of \$5.00 per week.

If you will advise me just what kind of evidence you require in this matter, I will endeavor to obtain it.

Respectfully yours,

G. H. Husley
Special Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

NEW YORK AGENCY

Salamanca, N. Y., March 16, 1916

O. H. Lipps, Superintendent,
United States Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Receipt of your favor of March 14, 1916, is hereby
acknowledged, enclosing check No. 426 of the same date to the order
of Madella Anderson for \$8.85.

Respectfully yours,

J. H. Ansley
Special Agent.

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

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APR 30 1915

Date of report

Name of child Madella Anderson Age 16 Grade 7th

Home post office Lewiston New York.

Tribe Iusearora Degree of Indian blood $\frac{5}{8}$

How many acres of land do you own ☒ X none. Location

What is the annual income from your land X

Do you have any other income ☒ no How much

Is your father living no

Father's name Willis B Anderson

Home post office Lewiston New York.

Tribe Iusearora Degree of Indian blood $\frac{3}{4}$

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 yes.

Mother's name Mrs Elvira Anderson (Miss Elvira Chew)

Home post office Lewiston New York.

Tribe Iusearora Degree of Indian blood $\frac{1}{2}$

Is she a citizen no.

How much land does your mother own 30 acres Allotment No. Not Known

What is its estimated value about \$35. per acre.

What is the annual income from her land *I don't know*
Does she have any other income *I don't know.*
If so, how much *I don't know.*
Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property *No.*
With whom do you make your home *my mother, Elvira Andersen*
How many rooms in the house *six rooms*
How many live in the house *four live in house.*
How far is your home from the nearest public school *two miles*
Why do you not attend that school *Because it was too far to go.*

How many teachers employed there *four teachers.*
How many grades maintained *eight grades.*
How many months of school each year *nine month.*
Did you ever attend a public school *yes, while under the Cutting System*
If so, how long *four months* Where *Gaps Pa. Lancaster Co.*
How many brothers of school age have you *one*
How many sisters of school age have you *none*
Are they in school *yes*
Where *On the reservation.*

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

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.