

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

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NUMBER <u>2734</u> 3533	ENGLISH NAME <u>Carrie Petite Abidosh LaComite</u>	AGENCY <u>Chippewa</u>	NATION	
BAND <u>Red Cliff</u>	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS <u>Joe Abidosh, Red Cliff, Wis.</u>		
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT
FATHER, <u>L</u>	MOTHER, <u>D</u>	<u>3/4</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>5-3</u>
			<u>122</u>	<u>35-</u>
				<u>31</u>
				<u>2</u>
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL <u>Dec. 25, 1911</u>	FOR WHAT PERIOD <u>Five years.</u>	DATE DISCHARGED <u>10-25-16</u>	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE <u>Time out</u>	
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS			FROM COUNTRY
<u>9-10-13</u>	<u>J. A. Scott, Narketh, Pa.</u>			<u>4-9-14</u>
<u>7-81-14</u>	<u>Home of Good Shepherd, Reading, Pa.</u>			

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MUSKOGEE, 121071

Months in school before Carlisle, 63Trade entered at Carlisle, 6th

Trade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Catholic

List

NAME Carrie Abedook Sex ~~Male~~ Female.

Tribe Full State Wis Dec 21, 1911

Age 13 years Respiration normal Condition of, Eyes normal

Height 5 ft. 4 ins. Mensuration { Insp. 35 Ears normal

Weight lbs. { Exp. 31 Throat normal

Temperature normal Vaccination successful Cervical glands normal

Pulse normal Vision good Skin normal

Inspection normal

Palpation normal

Percussion normal

Auscultation normal

Heart sound

(Menstruation) normal

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father <u>about</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>good</u>		
Mother			<u>lost</u>	<u>tuberculosis</u>
Brothers <u>none</u>				
Sisters <u>none</u>				

Personal history good

Present condition good

Henry Hamann, M. D.

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

Name _____

Age _____ Sex $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Male.} \\ \text{Female.} \end{array} \right.$ Tribe $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Full} \\ 1/ \end{array} \right.$ _____ Residence _____

(On _____, 19____)

NAME Carrie Abidosh Pettite Sex Female
 Tribe Chippewa State Wisconsin Jan. 10, 1917
 Age 13 years Respiration _____ Condition of, Eyes Suspicious
 Height 5 ft. 3 ins. Ears Normal
 Weight 122 lbs. Mensuration { Insp. 35
 Exp. 31 Throat "
 Temperature 98.2 Vaccination Successful Cervical glands "
 Pulse 88 Vision _____ Skin Normal
 Inspection Well developed and robust looking
 Palpation Normal
 Percussion _____

Auscultation _____
 Heart Good
 (Menstruation) Normal

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Good</u>		
Mother			<u>yes</u>	<u>Tuberculosis (?)</u>
Brothers <u>None</u>				
Sisters <u>None</u>				

Personal history Dysphoid fever a year ago. I treated
pneumonia subsequent.

Present condition Appears to be in excellent condition.

Chas. E. Drabley, M. D.

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(On _____, 19____)

DATE.		SYMPTOMS.			TREATMENT.	DIAGNOSIS.	REMARKS.
19---		T.	P.	R.			History, progress, and termination of the disease.
					Exam made 12/12 for cutting OK. Trachina oper. Sept 1913 for cutting, all, good case.		

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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

Joseph Abidosh

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Carrie Abidosh

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pa.

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

La Pointe, Wisconsin

Date of enrollment, _____, 190

Term of enrollment, five (5) 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 Carrie Abidosh ; female ; date of birth Dec. 14, 1898 ;
(Name of child.) (Sex.)
Chippewa
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>Joseph Abidosh</u>	<u>living</u>	<u>Chippewa</u>	<u>Red Cliff</u>	<u>three fourth</u>
NAME OF MOTHER.				
<u>Mary Abidosh</u>	<u>dead</u>	<u>Chippewa</u>	<u>Red Cliff</u>	<u>three fourth</u>

I, Joseph Abidosh, father , do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to her
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
 enrollment in said school for a period of five 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>Red Cliff Day School</u>	<u>1907</u>	<u>1911</u>	<u>completed course</u>	<u>sixth</u>
<u>Hayward Indian School, 1910</u>	<u>1911</u>	<u>released</u>		
3.				
4.				

Joseph Abidosh
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Red Cliff,

Wisconsin

Two witnesses:

[Signature]
F. V. Holston

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 21 day of Dec, 1901

Henry H. H. H.

Physician at Red Cliff 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 Joseph Abidesh (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of the said child.

This 27 day of December, 1901

J. H. Campbell

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.



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

OUTING SYSTEM

MRS. NELLIE R. DENNY, Manager.
MISS LIDA M. JOHNSTON, Girls' Agent.
MR. D. H. DICKEY, Boys' Agent.

May 10, 1915.

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

Dear Mr. Lipps:-

Sister M.St. Andrew Corsini gave me the following report of Carrie Petite Abidosh who was taken to the House of Good Shepherd, Reading, Pa., July 31, 1914. I visited Carrie Mon May 7, 1915.

Carrie is the most responsive of the three Indian girls placed there. She has made the best progress. She has attended the day school, regular academic work, and is in sixth grade. She plays the mandecello and the piano and has done fairly well. She does very good work in crocheting.

Her worst features seem to be laziness and uncleanness. Carrie looks well and contented. She tells me that she is thinking of becoming a Sister in the institution.

Sister Corsini thinks it better that Carrie should not return to her home as ^{Carrie} she describes conditions there.

Very respectfully,

Lida M. Johnston.

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July 10th, 1914.

Mr. J. W. Dady,
Superintendent, Red Cliff Agency,
Bayfield, Wis.

Dear Mr. Dady:

I have noted the recommendation contained in your letter of July the 6th to the effect that Carrie Abidosh be given permission to come home for a visit. However, before I take any action I want to bring to your attention the information that Carrie's record here has not been at all satisfactory. Several weeks ago it had come to the point where I had addressed a letter to you, inquiring whether Carrie could be cared for at home or whether you would advise placing her in some reform school where she could be trained and restrained. Seemingly penitent I decided to give her one more chance and so the letter I had prepared is yet on my desk.

I will state further that I should prefer to have Carrie taken away from the school here, because her influence is not good at all and because she has evidently not been greatly benefitted, but if she is taken home it will have to be with the understanding that she cannot be returned to Carlisle.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

J. W. Dady, Superintendent.

Will you please let me hear what you desire to have done, because the girl has just come to the age where she is in need of the very best care that can be given her if she is to be of any use in her home community or wherever else she may become located?

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Red Cliff Indian Agency,
Bayfield, Wisconsin,
July 6, 1914.

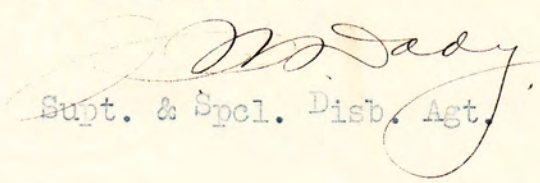
Mr. O. H. Lipps,
Supervisor in Charge,
Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps;

I have a letter from Miss Carrie Abidosh, known to us as Carrie Petite, requesting that she be permitted to come home for a vacation. If it is agreeable to you I have no objection to her coming home for the summer and would so recommend.

On June 20th, 1914, this office sent you a check for \$50.00 for Miss Abidosh for her own use, and in another letter a check for \$50.00 for her signature to be returned for delivery to her mother. I am today making application for \$75.00 to cover her fare from Carlisle to her home and for the return deposit to be left with you. If you do not recommend that she be permitted to come home for a vacation, I will void the application when it is returned from the Washington Office.

Very truly yours,


Supt. & Spcl. Disb. Agt.

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June 15th, 1914.

Mr. J. W. Dady,
Superintendent, The Red Cliff Agency,
Bayfield, Wis.

My dear Mr. Dady:

I regret very much to advise that Carrie Petite Abidosh has given so much trouble lately and has taken so much valuable time to keep her within bounds that it has finally been decided she cannot be kept here any longer. I feel it is my duty to co-operate in having her restrained and cared for in some way, so that she will not be more of a menace if turned loose at her home or some other point. Therefore, I bring this to your attention so that you can let me know whether there is any one at her home who can look after her.

Carrie states that she has a step-father who now lives near the Fond du Lac School in Minnesota, but unless we could be assured by the Superintendent of that school that her people are able to restrain her and care for her I would not consent to her release from school.

If Carrie cannot be cared for by any one else I would have to take the necessary steps to have her sentenced to some reform institution.

-2- Mr. J. W. Dady, Superintendent.

Will you please let me hear from you regarding this case because Carrie seems to be entirely incorrigible and nothing at all seems to reach her?

Very truly yours,

HCM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Copy to Mr. Jos. Petite,

Bed Cliff, Wisconsin.

Mr. Dady:

After withholding the foregoing letter from the mails for more than a month, pending the outcome of renewed promises that were made me at that time by Carrie Petite, I have come to the conclusion that Carrie does not want to make better use of her time and that she can not be helped here.

She informed me that she attended a Catholic School before she came to Carlisle and that she would go back to that school if she had the privilege.

If you can be assured that she will be taken into a school where she would be under the strictest discipline I will release her, but under no circumstances should she be allowed to go uncontrolled.

Will you let me hear from you without delay?

Very respectfully,

HCM.

Supervisor in Charge.

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August 3rd, 1914.

Mr. J. W. Dady,
Superintendent, Red Cliff Agency,
Bayfield, Wis.

My dear Mr. Dady:

This is to report to you that Carrie Petite was taken to the House of Good Shepherd, Reading, Pennsylvania, on Friday, July the 31st, where she was turned over to the Catholic Sisters in charge of that institution.

In view of the fact that contributions are accepted for the maintenance of that institution it is my opinion that Carrie should pay a reasonable amount for her care while she is absent from Carlisle. Will you co-operate with me in the matter by reporting what resources she has and whether any of her funds could be used for such a purpose?

Her name will be continued on our school rolls, so that I will be in a position at all times to take whatever steps are necessary to assist with the care of the girl.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

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REPORT OF Carrie Petite Abidush pupil of Carlisle Indian
 School, who went Sept. 13 to live with Mrs J. A. Scott
(Date) (Patron)
 of Narberth Pa. 119 Woodside Ave.,
(Post Office) (County)
Penn. (State) Railroad Station

Conduct Very poor, impudent and careless

Health Good

Ability Can work but is very lazy

Cleanliness Is improving but is very untidy personally

Economy

Situation of Room 3rd floor front

Condition of Room Very untidy wash stand

Condition of Clothing Good

Wages

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? Catholic

Distance to church Short distance

Is there a Catholic church in locality? yes

Who compose patron's family? Mr. & Mrs. Scott and 2 children

What other help is employed? Washes sheets, table cloths, and pillow slips to laundry

Locality of home Town

Home life and environments Very helpful

Trade at school

Nature of work Wash helper

Pupil's age 16 Experience

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

Carrie is very unsatisfactory to Mrs. Scott.

-2- Sister M. St. Andrew Corsini.

August 15th, 1914.

Sister M. St. Andrew Corsini,
House of Good Shepherd,
Reading, Pennsylvania.

Madam:

I thank you for your favor of August the 12th, calling attention to the fact that Carrie and Gertrude desire to take up music. Gertrude does not have any funds to her credit here and if she does not get a favorable reply from her father I will be pleased to refer her request to the Superintendent who has charge of the Indians' affairs at her home with a view of having it granted.

Carrie has funds to buy an instrument and for other expenditures. I enclose herewith a letter addressed to her, together with enclosures that require her attention. I would thank you to have her return to me the check for an amount of \$100.00 and the receipt to cover the amount of the \$75.00 check. The envelopes I enclose herewith may be used to write to me without affixing stamps, and I should like to receive reports from time to time regarding the progress that is being made by the three girls whose care you have so kindly undertaken.

The samples of material attached to your letter are being handed to the Manager of our Outing Department and just as soon as the request contained in your letter can be carried out

2- Sister M. St. Andrew Corsini.

the supplies that can be used by you for the girls will be sent.

If at any time additional funds are required by Carrie or Agnes I will have checks drawn on their accounts here. At no time, however, can checks for a greater amount than twenty-five dollars be drawn in any one month.

Thanking you for your kind assistance and assuring you that you may call on me for any help I can give you, I am,

Very respectfully,

Encl.

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

House, Good Shepherd
Healing, Pa.
August 12, 1914

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

Dear Sir:-

Your very kind letter at hand and we wish to state that as the Indian girls were not paying anything at your Institution we do not expect them to do so here, but we will be very thankful for dress material or such articles as the government supplies for their use.

Our girls have three ordinary uniforms - two of wash material and a black for Sundays, where you use blue. As our uniform does not change

with the outside style we use from seven to ten yards in each. As you have only the one material on hand we will be most grateful for it for we find it very difficult at times to get enough.

Carrie and Gertrude are most anxious to take up music but I told them they would have to consult you as the girls buy their own instruments. Carrie is writing you and Gertrude has written her father and I think she has asked him for money for her instrument.

Enclosed is what we use for our everyday uniform so should you have anything like this at any time that you might be sending any others here we would be please to have it or as I said before any thing such as shoes, stockings, etc that would help us out.

Thanking you in advance for your kind thoughtfulness and with fervent wishes for the success of your noble work, believe me to be

Most respectfully in our Love
Sr. M. St. Andrew Corsini

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December 1, 1916.

Mr. George W. Cross,
Supt. Fond du Lac School,
Cloquet, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I have had a letter from Carrie Petite Abidosh asking for the balance of the money in my hands. In compliance with her request I am enclosing herewith a check for \$68.55 to be given to her.

Very truly yours,

D/B

Superintendent

Encl.

December 1, 1916.

Miss Carrie Petite Abidosh,

Cloquet, Minn., Box 164

My dear Carrie:

I have your letter asking that your money which I have in bank here be sent to Mr. Cross and I have this morning sent him a letter enclosing a check for \$68.55 made payable to you. I did not deduct the amounts which you asked me to take out because I cannot do this without getting your signature to checks for those amounts. I would advise that after you get your check cashed you send Miss Johnston the money that is due her and send to me the subscription for the Arrow.

With my best wishes to you, I am,

Very truly yours,

D/B

Superintendent

Clagues Mine,
Nov 28, 1916.

Supt O. H. Lipps,
Indian School
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

Excuse me for
not answering your
letter any sooner.

I wish to thank
you for letting me
home, also the privilege
you gave me when
I left. that was the
thing which I did not
expect.

About my future
career I don't know
just yet. what I'm going

I do I'm helping my
mother at the present
time.

My Father is clearing
land which will make
our farm larger in
which we live in.

The money you
asked me about First
& wish you'd take
45 cents and give to
Miss Johnston. and
take take 45 cents and
send me "The Arrow"
then send the rest to
Mr G. H. Cross. he is
our Agent here. dont
send it to Mr Dady. or
I'll never get it.

I will now close
my letter hoping to
hear from you again.
I remain

Yours Truly
Carrie Petite
Cloquet.
Minn.

Box 164.

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL

No.	NAME.	AGE.	TRIBE.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.	NAME OF AGENCY AND RESER- VATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT, POST OFFICE OF FAMILY.
2784	Carrie P. Abidosh	14	Chippewa	3/4	La Pointe

[illegible]

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

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

Remarks: _____

October 24, 1916.

Sister St. Andrew Corsini
House of the Good Shepherd
Reading, Pa.

Dear Madam:-

If satisfactory to you, Miss Johnston will call for Carrie Pettite sometime tomorrow Wednesday afternoon and will bring her to Harrisburg in time to take the 7:10 P.M. train there for Chicago, and her home at Cloquet, Minnesota.

Trusting that this arrangement will be satisfactory and thanking you for all favors in the past, I am

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

October 26, 1916.

Miss Carrie Pettite Abidosh,
c/o Joseph Abidosh,
Cloquet, Minn.

Dear Carrie:

I enclose herewith the trunk check which Miss Johnston did not have time to get for you yesterday. Miss Johnston reports to me that you left the convent in a very grateful and appreciative spirit. I am glad to know this as this is the way I want you to feel. We have all along tried to do that which would help you and make you a better girl and I trust that with the help of the sisters we have accomplished this. I should be glad to hear from you from time to time and to know what your plans for the future are.

You still have to your credit \$37.08 in bank here. What shall I do with it?

Very truly yours,

D/B

Superintendent.

October 24, 1916.

Mr. Joseph Abideah
Cloquet, Minnesota.

Dear Sir:-

In compliance with the request of your daughter
Carrie, I am returning her to your home tomorrow October 25th.

As you know, Carrie has been in a Catholic Institution
for the last two years. I trust that the lessons she has learned
in the last two years will be of lasting benefit to her. I shall
be glad to hear from you when she reaches you.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Copy to Mr. John W. Dady
Bayfield, Wis.

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April 21st, 1915.

Miss Carrie Abidosh,
House of Good Shepherd,
Reading, Penna.

My Friend,

There is enclosed herewith check for \$60.00 just received from your agent together with his letter fully explaining its purpose. If this meets with your approval, please sign the check on the face, endorse it on the back and return to me together with Mr. Dady's letter.

Your friend,

W.H.M.

Supervisor in charge.

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April 26th, 1915.

Mr. J. W. Dady,

Supt. Red Cliff Agency,

Bayfield, Wis.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 16th, enclosing a
check of 60.00 for the signature of Carrie Abidosh.
The check is signed and endorsed and returned herewith
as desired.

Respectfully,

W. H. M.

Supervior in charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Red Cliff Indian Agency,
Bayfield, Wisconsin,
April 16, 1915.

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

Dear Sir:

Will you please inquire from Carrie Abidosh if she will sign a check for \$60 in favor of her father for the purpose of probating two Wills which are in the office and which must be probated in the local court before the Office can approve the Wills. The Wills are for Aw-be-das and Frank Abidosh.

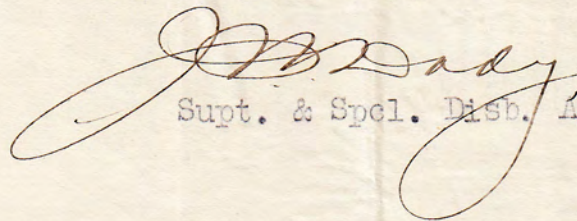
You may advise her that wages have been very low in this district this winter and work has been scarce, so that her father cannot pay for the probating of the Wills. As the Wills involve two allotments and it is necessary to complete the findings in the estates so that one allotment and a portion of the other may be sold.

I would recommend that Carrie help her father to this extent, as the property will be tied up until the Wills have been probated in the local court and report of findings forwarded to the Office for approval. Of course Carrie would have a daughter's interest in the estates should her father die before the property is sold, and if it is sold, I will see that Mr. Abidosh attends to returning the amount advanced

from the proceeds of the sale.

I am enclosing a check for \$60 which has not been countersigned. If Carrie wishes to make the advance, have her sign the check and return it to this office and it will be countersigned, authority requested and used by Joe for the purpose requested.

Very respectfully,


Supt. & Spl. Disb. Agt.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Red Cliff Indian Agency,
Bayfield, Wisconsin,
April 30, 1915.

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

Dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of check for \$60 from Carrie Abidosh to pay for the probating of two Wills in which her father is interested. The same will be applied on the probating of these Wills.

Very truly yours,

J. M. Dady
Supt. & Spcl. Disb. Agt.

S-D

January 4th, 1915.

House of Good Shepherd,

Reading, Penna.

Dear Friends,

There is enclosed herewith check for 50 cents in payment of a dentist bill which has been signed by Gertrude B. Plenty in error. The bill belongs to Carrie Petite and the check should be signed by her. The name of Gertrude has been erased and I will ask you to please secure the signature of Carrie Petie just above the name crossed off and return the check promptly to me.

Very respectfully,

W.H.M.

Supervisor in charge.

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Dec. 1st, 1914.

Miss Carrie Petite,
~~C/o The House of the Good Shepherd,~~
Reading, Pa.

My dear Friend:

I return to you herewith your letter of recent date so that the Sisters' recommendations can be noted thereon for my consideration in connection with your request.

Assuring you that prompt attention will be given your letter if the desired recommendations are returned to me with it, I am, with best wishes,

Yours very truly,

Encl.

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

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July 8th, 1914.

Superintendent,

Red Cliff Agency,

Bayfield, Wis.,

Dear Sir,

I have your favors of June 20th, and July 3rd, enclosing checks of 50.00 each, in favor of Carrie Abidosh, the one to be placed to her account the other to be returned to you for her mother. I am returning the one check herewith as desired together with receipts for both.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Supervisor in Charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Red Cliff Indian Agency,
Bayfield, Wisconsin,
July 3, 1914.

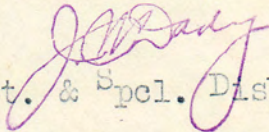
Mr. O. H. Lipps,
Supervisor in Charge,
Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find check for \$50.00, payable to Carrie Abidosh. Please have her sign the check and receipt and place the amount of the check to her credit and let her use the money as you see fit. Kindly return the signed receipt to this office.

Thanking you for this courtesy, I am

Very respectfully,


Supt. & Spl. Disb. Agt.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Red Cliff Indian Agency,
Bayfield, Wisconsin,

June 20, 1914.

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

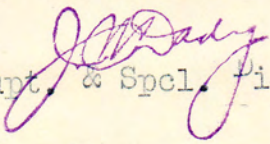
Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find check for \$50.00, payable to Carrie Abidosh. Please have her sign the check and endorse it in favor of her mother, Lizzie Petite. Please return the check to this office and we will forward it to Mr. Cross at Cloquet, Minn., for delivery to her mother. The check is drawn on application of the child dated June 17, 1914.

Thanking you for this courtesy, I am

Very respectfully,

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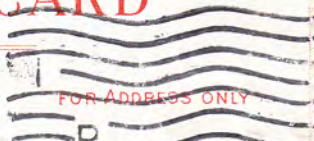

Supt. & Spcl. Disb. Agt.

MAY EASTER JOYS

BE
YOURS



POST CARD



FOR ADDRESS ONLY

Mr. J. A. Scott
Harberth
Miss Curry Petite R.
Indian College.
Carlisle
Perma.

Hello Larry. You are
a snowbird. You are
the girl. The girl-girl?
You are right and Louise.

Give my best regards to all
I hear from many women
one in a while. This is all
I can say. So long. (m)

Etelyn Williams
704 Maryland Ave
N. W.
Washington D. C.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

August 15th, 1914.

Mr. J. W. Dady,
Superintendent, Red Cliff Agency,
Bayfield, Wis.

My dear Mr. Dady:

I transmit herewith correspondence pertaining to Carrie Petite that can probably be used by you to assure her people that she is being well cared for. It also indicates what action has been taken regarding the \$75.00 check you were authorized to issue for Carrie's transportation. Inasmuch as she will not need the money for transportation, being entitled to return home at Government expense after her period of enrolment has terminated, it is believed that it could not be expended for a better service than as is indicated in my letter.

Will you kindly return the enclosures to me when you have noted the contents?

The receipts desired by you for the two checks enclosed with your letter of August the 11th will be sent to you later.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Red Cliff Indian Agency,

Bayfield, Wisconsin,

August 11, 1914.

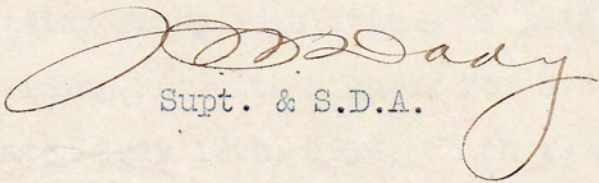
Mr. O. H. Lipps,
Supervisor in Charge,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed are the two checks referred to in my
letter dated August 7, 1914, which through an advertence
were not inclosed in the letter.

Check #2468	amount	\$100.00
" 2469	"	75.00

Very respectfully,


Supt. & S.D.A.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Red Cliff Indian Agency,
Bayfield, Wisconsin,
August 7, 1914.

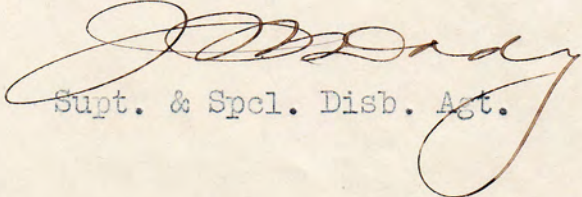
Mr. O. H. Lipps,
Supervisor in Charge,
Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of August 3rd in which you report that Carrie Abidosh was taken to the House of Good Shepherd, Reading, Pa., I am enclosing herewith a check for \$100.00 to be subject to disbursement under your direction for Carrie Abidosh. Authority for the transfer being Paragraph No. 12, of the Individual Indian money regulations of 1913.

I am also forwarding herewith a check for \$75.00 under a special authority dated July 13th, 1914, which is for the purpose of traveling expenses for Carrie Abidosh from Carlisle to her home and return to Carlisle. This may be kept on deposit in your office until such a time as you find use for it.

Very respectfully,


Supt. & Spcl. Disb. Agt.

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August 1st, 1914.

Sister M. St. Andrew Corsini,
House of Good Shepherd,
Reading, Pennsylvania.

Madam:

I enclose herewith a check for \$5.00 drawn on Carrie Petite's account at this school. Will you please have her sign it and endorse it so that it can be turned over to Mr. Meyer to reimburse him for Carrie's share of the expenses that had to be incurred in taking the girls to your Home yesterday? The check may be mailed to me in the envelope herewith.

There is also attached hereto for the information of the girls a copy of the statement that was submitted by Mr. Meyer.

If you will let me know what amount can be used by the girls for incidental expenditures I will have checks drawn on their accounts here and mailed to you.

Thanking you for your co-operation, I am,

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

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April 8th, 1914.

Superintendent,

Red Cliff School,

Bayfield, Wis.,

Dear Sir.

I have your favor of the 3rd, enclosing check of 25.00 in favor of Carrie Abidosh. The same will be delivered to her.

Very respectfully.

W.H.M.

Supervisor in charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Red Cliff Indian Agency,
Bayfield, Wisconsin,
April 3, 1914.

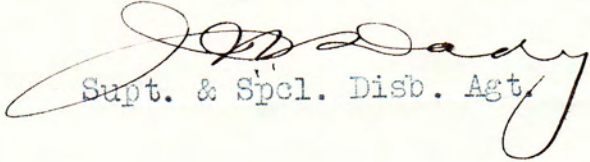
Mr. O. H. Lipps,
Supervisor in Charge,
Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.,

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find check for \$25.00
for Carrie Abidash for the purchase of clothing and
other uses which you may approve.

Very respectfully,

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Supt. & Spl. Disb. Agt.

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May 2nd, 1914.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Petite,
Cloquet, Minnesota.

Dear Friends:

When your daughter Carrie was seen at this office this morning she stated that she has been entirely well, and that the only fault she has to report is that she did not write to you. She has stated, however, that she will write you within a day or two.

Carrie was returned to the school some time ago and she will probably remain here during the summer months.

Trusting that you will hear more frequently from her, and assuring you that I will do what I can to keep her reminded of her duty, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

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Clognet, France,
Apr. 22, 1914.

Mrs. M. Friedman.

Dear Sir -

We wish to know how our daughter, Carrie Petite is getting along, and wish you would kindly inform us as to her condition. We have not heard from her for a very long time, we do not know whether she is now at school or whether she is still at her country home in Harterth, Pa.

Last we heard from her was perhaps a month or so ago and then at that time she was still under the outing system. If she is now at the

in school, we would be much
glad if you would speak to her and
kindly remind her that her parents
are still alive and patiently waiting
for news of her.

With kind regards to yourself

We Remain

Yours Truly

Mrs. J. A. Pettit

Add.

Cloquet, Maine
Carlton Co.

July 7th, 1913.

Superintendent,

Red Cliff Agency,

Bayfield, Wis.,

Sir,

I have your favor of the 2nd, enclosing check for 25.00
in favor of Carrie Abidosh. The same will be placed to her
credit for use as needed.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Superintendent,

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

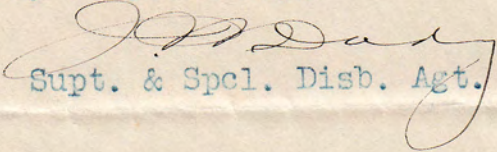
Red Cliff Indian Agency,
Bayfield, Wisconsin,
July 2, 1913.

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

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find check No. 1575, amount
\$25.00, in favor of Carrie Abidosh for such purposes as
she wishes it for and which you recommend.

Very respectfully,


Supt. & Spcl. Disb. Agt.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

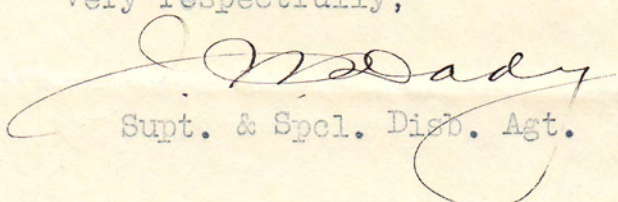
Red Cliff Indian Agency,
Bayfield, Wisconsin,
Sept. 1, 1914.

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

Dear Sir:

Enclosed I am returning your correspondence called for in the second paragraph of your letter of August 15th. All of this correspondence, including your letter to me, was forwarded by me to Mr. Cross, Supt., Cloquet, Minn., in order that Lizzie Petite, mother of Carrie Petite, might read the contents. They were returned to me yesterday.

Very respectfully,


Supt. & Spcl. Disb. Agt.

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Miss Carrie Petite.

August 15th, 1914.

Miss Carrie Petite,
House of Good Shepherd,
Reading, Pennsylvania.

My dear Friend:

I was pleased to receive your letter of August the 12th and to note that you are at last seeing the error of your ways and that you have fully made up your mind to have a good record at the school where you are now located. It is gratifying to know that you have come to so wise a decision and I assure you that you may depend on me to do everything possible to assist in carrying out your resolutions.

Herewith I enclose two checks that were transmitted to me by Superintendent Dady. The one for an amount of \$100.00 is to be signed by you and returned to me to be credited to your account in our bank. The amount of \$75.00 was secured to pay for your transportation to your home, but as you will not need it for that purpose I am sending it to you to be used as may be required from time to time. Your musical instrument can be purchased with a part of what I am sending. Please sign the receipt attached to the \$75.00 check at place

-2- Miss Carrie Petite.

indicated by blue pencil check mark and have it returned to me to be forwarded to your Superintendent.

If at any other time I can be of service to you do not hesitate to write to me. I am anxious to co-operate with the Sisters who are now caring for you, so that when you are believed capable of taking care of yourself you will be well qualified to be a useful member of society wherever you may decide to become located.

You have my best wishes for success in your efforts.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

House of the Good Shepherd
Reading Pa.

Aug 1914

Supt O. H. Lipp.
Ind School
Carlisle
Pa.

Dear Sir,

Just a few lines in
order to ask you whether
you can send me the rest
of my money. That in the
bank I have about \$25.00
left.

I'm going to take up lessons
on a Mando Bass, and want
to buy one. The Price is about
\$35.00 But M. Andrew Corcini

will ^{get} discount ^{on} it which
will be about \$25.00. If
I havent that much let
me know so that I can
write ~~to~~ my Agent to send
me some. And besides
the instrument there are
a few other things I need
but havent the money
to buy them. If I write
to my Agent I'll write so
I'll have enough. but let
me know first how
much I have.

I want to thank
very much for what
you have done for me

in the past. I'm very sorry
of all the trouble I've been
into while I was in Car. Isle.

I'm getting along fine
also with my work. I
get lonesome once in a
while. The Mothers are
nice to me and are helping
me all they can. And
I'm doing the best I can.
I dont know whether
I'll ever go home. If I
do. I know what I'll
be. but I hope I'll
be a good girl after
I get out. as that's what
I'm aiming for.

Well Sir. I'll close
hoping you'll let me
know about the money
I am

Yours Truly
Carrie Pettit

Reading

Pa
House of the Good Shepherd

Sept. 11th, 1914.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Petite,

Box 164, Cloquet, Minnesota.

Dear Friends:

In reply to your letter of September the 8th, this is to advise you that your daughter Carrie was placed in the care of the Catholic Sisters at the House of Good Shepherd, Reading, Pennsylvania, on July the 31st. For the present, therefore, her return home cannot be effected and would not be advisable.

I have learned in letters from Carrie that she is well pleased with the care that is being given her and I have co-operated with the Sisters so that Carrie can be instructed in music in connection with other instruction that will be given her.

While at this school she was incorrigible and practically unmanageable, so it was believed best to protect her by placing her in an institution where she can be cared for and where an improvement in her conduct should be effected.

Very respectfully,

Supervisor in Charge.

HKM.

(Copy to Superintendent Dady)

Cloquet Minn.

Sept. 8, 1917

Supervisor P. H. Lipp
Carlisle Penn

9th Indian School.

Sir: We are asking you
in regard to our daughter
Carrie Petite we have just
received your letter that
was written to the Superinten-
dent Mr. J. W. Dady at Red Cliff
Agency a few days ago and
are writing as soon as we
received the notice. We have
been worrying about her as
we didnt know where she
was at the present time.
We are asking you if she could

home as we think
we will have better care
under us and we shall
try to do our best to keep
her under strict discipline.
We are living now at the
Fond Du Lac Reservation
at Cloquet Minn. So you can
inform the agent here if you
wish.

We wish to know the trouble
she has caused as I cannot
understand what it is by
the letters you have written.
So please inform us through
mail and let us know
whether she will come home
and tell the Supt at Red

of Agency if you say she
will come home. as she will
have the best of care in
our hands.

Thanking you for an early
reply We remain respectfully

Mr. & Mrs Joe Petite

Cloquet

Minn

Box 164.

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

Date of report May 7, 1915 (1) (2) (3)

Name of child Carrie Petite Bertuade (1) (2) (3) Age 17 1/2 (1) (2) (3) Grade 6th (1) (2) (3)

Home post office Boquet Union High School, Keshena, Wis. (1) (2) (3)

Tribe Chippewa Sioux Menominee (1) (2) (3) Degree of Indian blood all Indian all Indian half (1) (2) (3)

How many acres of land do you own _____ Location _____

What is the annual income from your land _____

Do you have any other income _____ How much _____

Is your father living yes (1) (2) (3) yes (1) (2) (3)

Father's name Joseph Adish Charles B. Chuty Frank Wapano (1) (2) (3)

Home post office Bay Field His High School, Keshena, Wis. (1) (2) (3)

Tribe Chippewa Sioux Menominee (1) (2) (3) Degree of Indian blood all Indian all Indian half (1) (2) (3)

Is he a citizen no (1) (2) (3) yes (1) (2) (3)

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 (1) (2) (3) no (1) (2) (3)

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.....⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾

With whom do you make your home ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ *Parents aunt. father*

How many rooms in the house.....⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ *8 5 3*

How many live in the house.....⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ *Two 5 3*

How far is your home from the nearest public school.....⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ *1/2 mi. 2 blocks*

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

How many teachers employed there.....

How many grades maintained.....

How many months of school each year.....⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ *one year 6 mo. 9 mo.*

Did you ever attend a public school.....⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ *yes no yes*

If so, how long.....⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ *one year 1 yr. 2 yr.* Where ⁽¹⁾ *Norbert Penn Bala Pa.*

How many brothers of school age have you.....⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ *2 1 1*

How many sisters of school age have you.....⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ *2 0 1*

Are they in school.....⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ *yes yes yes*

Where.....⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ *Bay Field Mrs. Thandeeva Sallakota Carlisle & Keshwara*

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.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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March 8, 1917

Mr. J. W. Dady, Supt.,
Red Cliff Indian School,
Bayfield, Wis.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith a check made payable to The Red Front Store in the amount of \$6.75 which covers amount due them by Carrie Petite Abidosh. I will thank you to deliver this check to The Red Front Store and get a receipt from them which please mail to Supt. G. W. Cross, Fond du Lac School, Cloquet, Minn.

Thanking you for your attention to this matter, I am

yours very truly,

Chief Clerk in Charge.

CVP:LG

Enc.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL

CARLISLE, PA.

February 27, 1917

Supt. G. W. Cross,
Fond du Lac School,
Cloquet, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith a check which I will thank you to have Carrie Petite Abidosh sign and return to this school.

As you will note this check was made out some time ago but for some unknown reason was held and not sent to her for signature. I will appreciate it very much if you will ask Carrie for the address of "The Red Front" in order that the check may be turned over to them. The clerk who had charge of these accounts is no longer with us and no one here knows anything about this matter.

Thanking you for your attention to this matter,
I am

Yours very truly,

G. W. Cross
Superintendent.

*Please note that
Carrie had previously
signed the check.*

LG

Enc.

*The Red Front Store,
Bayfield Wis*

*Kindly send to Supt Dady & have
him forward receipt to Fond du Lac.*

April 10. 1914

Mr O. H. Lipps

Carle Place Pa

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed find check to your order for credit to account of Carrie Petite for \$2⁵⁰, amount due her. I also enclose a check together with a letter received last December, at that time I wrote to Mr. Friedman, the explanation of Carrie Petite regarding the bill in question and requested him to investigate the matter and that I would hold the check awaiting his reply. I never heard anything further regarding the matter.

Yours truly

Wm Jas A Scott

Warrenton Pa

4533

December 15th, 1913.

Superintendent,
Red Cliff Indian Agency,
Bayfield, Wis.,

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 3rd, enclosing check for 25.00 in favor of Carrie Abidoah. I forwarded the same to her where she is located under the outing and enclose herewith her receipt for the same. There is also a letter from her enclosed stating she does not owe the 6.75 to the Red Front store and is withholding check for the same. Kindly investigate this matter and advise further.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Superintendent,

December 9th, 1913.

Mr. J. A. Scott,
Narberth, Penna.,

Dear Sir,

Two checks are enclosed herewith in favor of Carrie Abidosh. Please have her sign the one for 6.75 in favor of "The Red Front" and return to me to pay the bill attached. The other check for 25.00 is sent for her personal use and she may retain it forwarding me receipt for the same.

Respectfully,

W. H. M.

Superintendent,

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

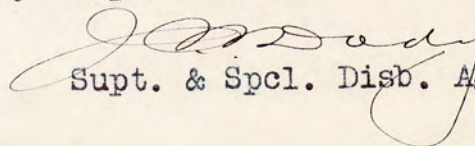
Red Cliff Indian Agency,
Bayfield, Wisconsin,
December 3, 1913.

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

Dear Mr. Friedman:

Enclosed I am sending you a check for \$25.00, drawn in favor of Carrie Abidosh. I am also enclosing a bill against Carrie for articles purchased from the Red Front Store in Bayfield, Wisconsin, just before she returned to Carlisle. Please have her return \$6.75 out of the \$25.00 check either in the form of a money order or check so as to pay for this bill. Check for this amount was forwarded to Carrie to have her sign and return to this office for payment of this bill, but through an inadvertence the check was returned to her again for her use instead of being retained here for payment. Please explain this to her at the time request is again made for check for this amount. The balance of the check please deposit to her credit and permit her to draw on it as you think proper.

Very respectfully,


Supt. & Spcl. Disb. Agt.

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April 17th, 1914.

Superintendent,

Red Cliff Indian School,

Bayfield, Wis.,

Dear Sir,

Attention is respectfully called to letter from this office dated Dec. 15th, 1913 concerning an alleged debt of Carrie Abidosh to the Red Front Store in the amount of 6.75. A check for the amount was drawn but the girl declines to sign it stating she does not owe the amount. Kindly advise in the matter that disposition may be made of the check.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Supervisor in charge.

M. FRIEDMAN, SUPERINTENDENT



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

4533
December 9th, 1913.

Mr. J. A. Scott,
Narberth, Penna.,

Dear Sir,

Two checks are enclosed herewith in favor of Carrie
Abidosh. Please have her sign the one for 6.75 in favor of
"The Red Front" and return to me to pay the bill attached.
The other check for 25.00 is sent for her personal use and
she may retain it forwarding me receipt for the same.

Respectfully,

M. Friedman

W. H. M.

Superintendent,

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4533

February 27, 1917

Supt. G. W. Cross,
Fond du Lac School,
Cloquet, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith a check which I will thank you to have Carrie Petite Abidosh sign and return to this school.

As you will note this check was made out some time ago but for some unknown reason was held and not sent to her for signature. I will appreciate it very much if you will ask Carrie for the address of "The Red Front" in order that the check may be turned over to them. The clerk who had charge of these accounts is no longer with us and no one here knows anything about this matter.

Thanking you for your attention to this matter,
I am

Yours very truly,

Superintendent.

LG

Enc.

~~8794~~
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March 14, 1917

Mr. George W. Cross, Supt.,
Fond du Lac School,
Cloquet, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith a check made payable to Carrie Petite Abidosh in the amount of \$.80 which represents interest just received from the bank for money she had on deposit. I will thank you to deliver this check to Carrie. If the bank wants to charge for cashing the check, I suggest that Carrie sign and endorse it and return it to this school and I will send the amount in postage.

Thanking you for your attention to this matter, I am

Yours very truly,

Superintendent.

LG

Enc.

4533

Cloquet Minn
Oct 23/97

Dear Sir...

Am sub-
scribing for the
Cashier's Arrow. I
am an ex-student.
Enclosed you'll
find a quarter if
it's more than a
quarter let me know
and I'll send the
rest. Let me receive
an Arrow by gift
Wb.

I am

Carrie Petite

Box 164.

Cloquet
Minn

October 26, 1917

Miss Carrie Petite,

Cloquet, Minn.

My dear Carrie:

I have your letter of October 23, 1917 with twenty-five cents enclosed and for which I thank you.

"The Arrow" and the "Red Man" have been combined, making one weekly bulletin, and we have, therefor, been obliged to charge our graduates and ex-students fifty cents a year and all other patrons One Dollar a year. Your subscription has been entered for six months, but upon receipt of an additional twenty-five cents it will be extended to the entire year.

Sincerely yours,

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Superintendent

MME

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Ed-Schools

G A C

January
Seventeenth,
1 9 1 8

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 16, 1918 regarding the recommendation from the Superintendent of the Red Cliff Reservation that he be authorized to approve checks of Carrie Abidosh not to exceed \$125.00 during the calendar year 1917, for clothing and unrestricted use and the statement that Superintendent Dady's recommendation shows that Mrs. Abidosh is a married woman who claims to be 20 years of age at this time.

You request me to advise you in regard to her enrollment, giving my reasons for accepting a married woman, saying whether I recommend the approval of checks for unrestricted use of money on the part of this pupil.

In response you are advised that Carrie Petite Abidosh arrived at this school on December 25, 1911 and departed on October 25, 1916. You may be interested in knowing that Carrie Petite Abidosh was one of the three girls who was sent to the House of the Good Shepherd at Reading, Pa., on Friday, July 31, 1914 for incorrigibility and remained there until the close of her term in 1916. In regard to her being a married woman, the records of the office shows that she was 14 at the time of her enrollment and that there was apparently no information in the hands of those in charge of the school that she was a married woman.

view of the fact that this girl left Carlisle under a cloud and was placed in a reformatory for purposes of reformation, from which institution she went directly home, I do not feel qualified to recommend the use of her funds. It would seem that her local Superintendent who has had personal knowledge of her life since her return from the House of the Good Shepherd would be in a better position to make recommendations in this regard.

Sincerely yours,

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Superintendent

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

WASHINGTON

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Mr. John Francis, Jr.,

Supt. Carlisle School.

My dear Mr. Francis:

The Office is in receipt of a recommendation from the Superintendent of the Red Cliff Reservation that he be authorized to approve checks of Carrie Abidosh not to exceed \$125.00 during the calendar year 1917, for clothing and unrestricted use. Superintendent Dady's recommendation shows that Mrs. Abidosh is a married woman who claims to be 20 years of age at this time. Please advise in regard to her enrollment, giving your reasons for accepting a married woman and saying whether you recommend the approval of checks for unrestricted use of money on the part of this pupil.

Very truly yours,



Assistant Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

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Red Cliff Agency,
Bayfield, Wis.,
Feb. 5, 1918.

Mr. John Francis Jr., Supt.,
Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Francis:

With reference to request to expend funds for Carrie Abidash, which the Office recently wrote you about, wish to advise that the funds were sent to your office while Carrie was attending your school in 1916. Part of the expense was to enable her to go to Washington with other girls of your school to attend inauguration ceremonies of President Wilson. Through an inadvertence reference was not made in our request that the application was to cover an exception taken to our account. This letter is written in order that you will understand the circumstances.

Very respectfully,


Supt. & S. D. A.

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