

## DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

4931

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SHAW-WALKER, MUSKEGON, MICHIGAN. 43445

Months in school before Carlisle, ..... 8 yrs.

Grade entered at Carlisle.

Grade at date of Discharge, .....

Trade or Industry.

Church, *Catholic*

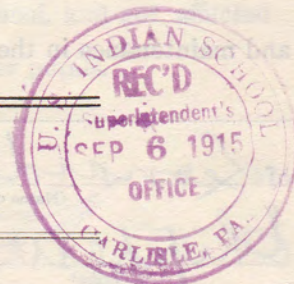
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# Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully

## BRIEF.



### Application of

*Sarah V. Bresette*

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

*Leonard F. Bresette*

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

**Carlisle, Pennsylvania**

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Date of enrollment..... 191.....

Term of enrollment..... (.....) years

Printed by Carlisle Indians.

**Important**—Only those students who desire to come to Carlisle because they have a definite purpose in view will be admitted. Applications for enrollment must be submitted in all cases for consideration before transportation can be made available. Time will then be taken to find out the records students have made in the schools previously attended, and to secure recommendations as to their *moral character* and their worthiness for further attendance at a Government institution.



# Application for Enrollment in a Non-reservation 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, Penn.

of Leonard F. Bresette; Male; date of birth Oct. 24, 1900.  
(Name of Child) (Sex)  
Chippewa  
(Tribe)

| NAME OF FATHER<br>(Both Indian and English) | Living or<br>Dead | TRIBE           | BAND             | DEGREE OF<br>INDIAN BLOOD |
|---------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------------|
| <u>Leonard F. Bresette</u>                  | <u>Living</u>     | <u>Chippewa</u> | <u>Bad River</u> | <u>1/2</u>                |
| NAME OF MOTHER                              |                   |                 |                  |                           |
| <u>Sarah V. Bresette</u>                    | <u>Living</u>     | <u>Chippewa</u> | <u>Bad River</u> | <u>1/2</u>                |

I, Sarah V. Bresette, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to his  
 enrollment in said school for a period of three years, and also obligate myself to abide by all  
(Not less than 3)  
 the rules and regulations for Indian Schools.

The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:

| NAME OF SCHOOL          | DATE OF<br>ENROLLMENT | DATE OF<br>DISCHARGE | CAUSE              | GRADE      |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|------------|
| 1. <u>Public</u>        |                       | <u>1915</u>          | <u>Want to</u>     | <u>7th</u> |
| 2. <u>School, Odawa</u> |                       |                      | <u>go Carlisle</u> |            |
| 3. <u>His</u>           |                       |                      |                    |            |
| 4.                      |                       |                      |                    |            |

Sarah V. Bresette <sup>Mother</sup> Guardian  
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: Odawa, Wis.

Two Witnesses:

Henry J. Key



## PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find him 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 2 day of Sept, 1915

Physician at Danah Agency.

## CERTIFICATE OF AGENT OR 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 Parent  
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)  
was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This 2nd day of Sept, 1915

Agent or Superintendent.

## SPECIAL NOTE.

This form must be executed in duplicate when a child is transferred from a reservation to a non-reservation 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.

*NOTE.*—Age limits, fourteen to twenty years. Preferably fourteen to eighteen. Students must be at least one-fourth Indian, preferably full Indian. Special cases beyond the age limit will be given consideration. An industrial course only can be taken and the term reduced to three years, in exceptional cases.



# Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully

## 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 is living, and if neither of them is 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.

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

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NAME Lawrence F. BessetteSex { Male.  
Female.Tribe { Full } Chippewa  
1/2State WisconsinSept 2, 1925Age 15 yearsRespiration 21Condition of, Eyes O.K.Height 5 ft. 6 1/2 ins.Mensuration { Insp. 34Ears O.K.Weight 109 lbs.Exp. 30Throat O.K.Temperature 98 2/3Vaccination YesCervical glands O.K.Pulse 73Vision O.K.Skin O.K.Inspection Fair developmentPalpation Vocal fremitus increased over left sidePercussion Dullness more marked at base of left lung than in normal cases.Auscultation Rales from old pleurisy over left lung.Heart O.K.

(Menstruation)

## FAMILY HISTORY.

|                      | LIVING.    | CONDITION OF HEALTH. | DEAD. | CAUSE OF DEATH. |
|----------------------|------------|----------------------|-------|-----------------|
| Father               | <u>yes</u> | <u>good</u>          |       |                 |
| Mother               | <u>yes</u> | <u>good</u>          |       |                 |
| Brothers <u>Two</u>  | <u>yes</u> | <u>good</u>          |       |                 |
| Sisters <u>Three</u> | <u>yes</u> | <u>good</u>          |       |                 |

Personal history Measles, Mumps, Chicken Pox.Pleurisy with effusion on left side 1914 Mon-  
tuberculosis.Present condition GoodJ. J. J. J., M. D.

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

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

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



(On \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_)



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November 27, 1915.

Expenses incurred by Wallace Denny in returning two run-aways, Leonard Bresette and Paul Henny, from Hershey, Pa. to Carlisle, November 26, 1915.

|                                                         |         |
|---------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| Trolley fare Carlisle to Harrisburg, Pa. for self       | \$ .31  |
| Trolley fare Harrisburg to Hershey, Pa. for self        | .25     |
| Breakfast at Hershey for two boys                       | .85     |
| Trolley fare Hershey to Harrisburg, Pa. self and 2 boys | .75     |
| Lunch at Harrisburg for self and 2 boys                 | .90     |
| Car-fare Harrisburg to Carlisle for self and 2 boys     | 1.44    |
| Total                                                   | \$ 4.50 |



# CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL

4931

No. 5449

NAME.

Bresette, Leonard

AGE.

15

TRIBE.

Chippewa

DEGREE  
OF  
INDIAN  
BLOOD.

1/4

NAME OF AGENCY AND RESER-  
VATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT,  
POST OFFICE OF FAMILY.

La Pointe

DATE ENTERED.

Months  
in  
school  
before  
enroll-  
ment  
here.

IN WHAT GRADE  
OR ROOM.

On  
entering  
here.

At date  
of this  
report.

Distance  
to nearest  
public  
school  
from  
pupil's  
home.

REMARKS.

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

Sept. 1916

8 yr.

VII

VIa

1/2 m.

TO COUNTRY

FROM COUNTRY

DATE DISCHARGED

11-23-15 = Ran

11-26-15 = R

JUN 19 1916

9/18/16

MAY 28 1917

SEP 22 1917

JUN - 8 1918

Cath 1639

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\*

Deportment standing\*

Physical condition

Remarks:



## CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

May 24, 1917

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This certifies that Leonard Bresette

(Name of student.)

has made the following record in Carlisle Indian School

(Name of school.)

| SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL. | GRADE.   | RATING. |
|-----------------------------------|----------|---------|
| English                           | V1       | 84      |
| General Exercises                 |          | 82      |
| Arithmetic                        |          | 80      |
| Geography                         |          | 84      |
| Physiology and Hygiene            |          | 83      |
| Writing                           |          | 87      |
| Drawing                           |          | 79      |
| History                           |          | 83      |
| Carpentry                         | 2nd Voc. | 77      |
|                                   |          |         |
|                                   |          |         |
|                                   |          |         |

Effort \_\_\_\_\_

Deportment \_\_\_\_\_

| DETAILS SERVED. | LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH. | RATING. |
|-----------------|-------------------------|---------|
| _____           | _____                   | _____   |
| _____           | _____                   | _____   |
| _____           | _____                   | _____   |
| _____           | _____                   | _____   |
| _____           | _____                   | _____   |
| _____           | _____                   | _____   |
| _____           | _____                   | _____   |

and is ~~not~~ eligible to pursue work in the First Year Vocational grade, academic; and  
(Cancel one.)Third~~year~~ year vocational.



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Oct. 26th, 1915.

Mr. P. S. Everest,  
Superintendent, The La Pointe Agency,  
Ashland, Wis.

My dear Sir:

Leonard Bresette has come to this office to inquire about the amount of money I requested you to send here for his use in my letter of the 5th instant. Will you please have me advised what consideration is being given Lenoard's request, so that the information can be conveyed to the young man?

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Transmits  
check.

La Pointe Agency,  
Ashland, Wis.  
October 30, 1915.

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

Dear Mr. Lipps:

The Leonard Bresette check as referred to in your letter of October 26th, was forwarded to you yesterday. As Leonard is a minor his mother had to sign the check and some delay was occasioned in getting her to the Office in order to secure her signature. The folks live in the country on the farm and do not come to town very often.

Respectfully,



Supt. & Spl. Disb. Agent.

E/D.  
Encl.



Oct. 5th, 1915.

Mr. P. S. Everest,  
Superintendent, La Pointe Agency,  
Ashland, Wis.

My dear Sir:

(Leonard Bresette) one of the young men who came to Carlisle last week with Arnold Holliday, has come to this office with a request that you be asked to send him an amount of about \$15.00 for personal expenses. It is respectfully recommended, therefore, that you transfer such an amount to this school to be used by Leonard as is required from time to time.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.



# ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY

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AND CONVENIENCE

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CURRENCY  
FOREIGN REMITTANCES  
BY DRAFTS OR MONEY ORDERS  
AT MARKET RATES

## FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

SUPERIOR SERVICE  
FOR  
SHIPMENTS ABROAD

### UNIFORM EXPRESS RECEIPT

Receiving Form 21  
June, 1915

# ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY

## NON-NEGOTIABLE RECEIPT

CARLISLE, PA.

1915

Received from U S Indian School subject to the  
classifications and tariffs in effect on the date hereof,

value herein stated and warranted by  
shipper to be 1 gross Dollars.  
(See foot note)

Consigned to Mr J. A. V. Breese  
at Omaha Neb. Charges one

which the Company agrees to carry upon the terms and conditions printed on the back hereof,  
to which the shipper agrees, and as evidence thereof, accepts and signs this receipt.

Shipper.

For the Company.

**NOTE** —The Company's charge is based upon the character of the property, of which its value is an element, and its value must be declared in writing by the shipper unless its character is otherwise disclosed. When goods are hidden from view by wrapping, boxing or other means and the company is not notified of the character thereof, the shipper's declaration of value may be made by notation, "not exceeding \$50.00" or "not exceeding \$50.00 or 50 cents per pound, actual weight."



## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. The provisions of the receipt shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the consignor, the consignee and all carriers handling this shipment, and shall apply to any reconsignment or return thereof.

2. The rate charged for carrying said property is dependent upon the actual value of the property which must be specifically stated in writing by the shipper, and applies only upon property of an actual value not exceeding fifty dollars for any shipment of one hundred pounds or less, or not exceeding fifty cents per pound, actual weight, for any shipment in excess of one hundred pounds. If the actual value is greater than fifty dollars for any shipment of one hundred pounds or less, or exceeds fifty cents per pound, actual weight, for any shipment in excess of one hundred pounds, such actual value must be specifically stated in writing by the shipper, and excess charges for such greater value must be paid therefor in accordance with the lawfully published tariffs of the Company.

3. Said property is accepted as merchandise only, and the Company shall not be liable for the loss of money, bullion, bonds, coupons, jewelry, precious stones, valuable papers or other matter of extraordinary value, unless such articles are enumerated in the receipt, as the Company does not transport such articles except through its money department.

4. Unless caused by its own negligence or that of its agents, the Company shall not be liable for —

- a. Difference in weight or quantity caused by shrinkage, leakage or evaporation.
- b. The death, injury or escape of live freight.

5. Unless caused in whole or in part by its own negligence or that of its agents, the Company shall not be liable for loss, damage or delay caused by —

- a. The act or default of the shipper or owner.
- b. The nature of the property, or defect or inherent vice therein.
- c. Improper or insufficient packing, securing or addressing.
- d. The Act of God, public enemies, authority of law, quarantine, riots, strikes, perils of navigation, the hazards or dangers incident to a state of war, or occurrence in Customs warehouse.
- e. The examination by, or partial delivery to, the consignee of C. O. D. shipments.
- f. Delivery under instructions of consignor or consignee at stations where there is no agent of the Company after such shipments have been left at such stations.

6. Packages containing fragile articles or articles consisting wholly or in part of glass must be so marked and be packed so as to insure safe transportation by express with ordinary care.

7. If no express company has an agency at the point of destination, said property may be carried to the agency nearest or most convenient thereto and the consignee notified.

8. Claims for loss, damage or delay must be made in writing to the carrier at the point of delivery or at the point of origin within four months and suits must be instituted within two years after delivery, or, in case of failure to deliver after a reasonable time for delivery has elapsed.

Unless claims are so made and suits so brought the carrier shall not be liable.

9. If any C. O. D. is not paid within thirty days after notice of non-delivery has been called to the shipper, the Company may, at its option, return the property to the consignor and collect the charges for transportation both ways.

10. The Company shall not be required to make free delivery at points where it maintains no free delivery service nor at any point beyond its established and published delivery limits.

### Special Additional Provisions as to Shipments Forwarded from the United States to Places in Foreign Countries.

11. If the destination specified in this receipt is in a foreign country, the property covered hereby shall, as to transit over ocean routes and by their foreign connections to such destination, be subject to all the terms and conditions of the receipts or bills of lading of ocean carriers as accepted by the Company for the shipment, and of foreign carriers participating in the transportation, and as to such transit is accepted for transportation and delivery subject to the acts, ladings, laws, regulations and customs of oversea and foreign carriers, custodians and governments, their employees and agents.

12. The Company shall not be liable for any loss, damage or delay to said shipments over ocean routes and their foreign connections, the destination of which is in a foreign country, occurring outside the boundaries of the United States which may be occasioned by any such acts, ladings, laws, regulations or customs.

13. It is hereby agreed that the property destined to such foreign countries, and assessable with foreign, governmental or customs duties, taxes or charges, may be stopped in transit at foreign ports, frontiers or depositories, and there held pending examination, assessments and payments, and such duties and charges, when advanced by the Company, shall have become a lien on the property.



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Jan. 6th, 1916.

Mr. P. S. Everest,  
Superintendent, La Pointe Agency,  
Ashland, Wis.

My dear Mr. Everest:

Leonard Bresette has come to this office with another request for money. He desires to have an amount of \$25.00 sent here for his use.

In view of the fact that the amount of \$15.00 you sent him in November was evidently expended judiciously I shall not object to your sending him the amount requested if the funds to his credit with you may be expended so freely for personal needs.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.



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November 4th, 1915,

Mr. P. S. Everest,  
Supt. LaPoint Agency,  
Ashland, Wis.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 29th, ult. enclosing  
check of 15.00 to credit the account of Leonard Bresette.  
Will take it up as voluntary deposit as requested.

Respectfully,

W. H. M.

Acting Superintendent.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Funds for  
Leonard F.  
Bresette.

La Pointe Agency,  
Ashland, Wis.  
October 29, 1915.

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

Dear Mr. Lipps:

Referring to your favor of October 5th, I  
enclose herewith check for Leonard<sup>?</sup>Bresette, \$15.00.

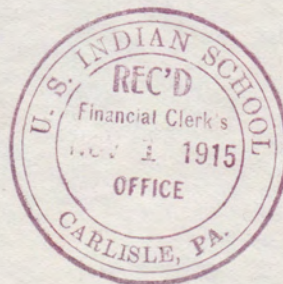
Do not take this up as a transfer from this  
School as same is not issued on authority for trans-  
ferring funds, but on the authority for disbursing  
same. If you take it up, please do so as a voluntary  
deposit from Leonard F. Bresette.

Respectfully,

**P. S. EVEREST,**

Supt. & Spl. Disb. Agent.

S/D.





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Febr. 23rd, 1916.

Mrs. Sarah V. Bresette,

Odenah, Wis.

My dear Madam:

When your son Leonard was seen in my office at noon today he stated that he has not been feeling well and requested that arrangements be made so that he can go home. His complaint was referred to our school physician and I submit below a copy of the statement that has been issued by the physician relative to the condition of Leonard's health:

Leonard has been in the hospital with the mumps, followed later by bronchitis. He is now picking up and I think will soon be in his usual health. There seems to be no good reason for sending the boy home at this time."

As the report from the physician is so favorable and Leonard is now gaining in weight I cannot consider his request to go home, but the information regarding the improvement he is making is conveyed to you so that you may have the facts in the case before you.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.

Feb 23rd., 1916.

Mr. Meyer:

*Bresette*  
Leonard has been in the hospital with the mumps, followed later by bronchitis. He is now picking up and I think will soon be in his usual health. There seems to be no good reason for sending the boy home at this time.

Respectfully,

*Walter Rindtorff M. A.*



March 16th, 1916.

Mr. P. S. Everest,  
Superintendent, La Pointe Agency,  
Ashland, Wis.

My dear Sir:

(Leonard Bresette) has come to this office with a request that he be allowed to purchase a clarinet for his use and it has been learned from our Band Director that a very good instrument can be secured for an amount of \$51.75.

In view of the fact that Leonard claims to have more than four thousand dollars to his credit under your jurisdiction it is believed that his request may be granted with the assurance that it will be a good investment for him. I recommend, therefore, that favorable consideration be given the request if he has the funds reported.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.



ORCHESTRA  
DEPARTMENT



GEORGE F. TYRRELL  
DIRECTOR



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



March, 16th, 1916.

Mr Harvey Meyers.

Dear Sir,

Leonard Bressette has asked me give you the price of a Clarinett.  
The cost of a Clarinett with the discount off would be about \$51.75.  
including the case. of course the express would be extra, that of  
course would be very little.

Yours&c

TYRRELL.



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April 5th, 1916.

Mrs. Sarah V. Bresette,

Odanah, Wis.

My dear Madam:

I have received your letter of the 3rd instant and have noted therein your request that permission be given your son Leonard to return home next month for a vacation. In reply to your letter I must state that I intend to grant very few such requests this year because I believe it is advisable to have boys and girls continue uninterruptedly with their work when they come to Carlisle. It has frequently been our experience that students have not done as good work when they returned from a vacation as they were doing when they left for such a period of leave.

In your son's case let me suggest that you take the matter into consideration with Superintendent Everest and then let me hear from you again, submitting with your request the Superintendent's recommendation. As Leonard is making so excellent a record here I am anxious to <sup>do</sup> that only



-2- Mrs. Sarah V. Bresette, Odanah, Wis.

which will give him the best possible chance to make the most of his time while he remains in school. This is the time when Mr. Bresette and you, as well as Leonard himself, must make some sacrifices in order that the best preparation can be given him to be a useful citizen when his school days are over.

Thanking you for the kind personal wishes from Mr. Bresette, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Everest.)





Odangh Wisc.  
Apr. 3<sup>rd</sup>. 1916.

Mr. O. Lipps,

Dear Sir,

I am writing  
you to find out if my  
boy Leonard will be allowed  
to come home next month  
or for vacation. We would  
like to have him home  
for a while. -

Mr. Everest, our Agent will  
send Leonard's fare <sup>home</sup> and  
return fare, or enough  
money for his traveling  
expenses, if you will please  
write to him for Leonard.  
Mr. Bresette is afraid that



you wont allow Leonard to  
come home this year on  
account of him running away  
last fall. But Mr. Lippe  
we hope you will allow him  
to come home as he wrote  
us and promised that he  
will never run away again  
and I am sure that he will  
keep his word. He was  
always a good boy at  
home and never gave  
us any trouble.

We didnt intend to let Leonard  
go to Carlisle last fall  
we wanted him to remain  
at home one more year  
and then let him go, but



Mr. Lipps, he begged so hard  
to go that we couldn't  
refuse him, and we are  
very glad now that he  
did go. and he writes  
often and tells us that  
he likes it there at  
Carlisle,

I hope you will not refuse  
to let him come home for  
his vacation.

Regards from Mr. Brewster  
Respectfully

Mrs. Sarah V. Brewster



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February 7th, 1916.

Superintendent,  
LaPointe Indian Agency,  
Ashland, Wis.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 3rd, enclosing  
check of \$25.00 for Leonard F. Bresette. Will take  
it up as voluntary deposit as desired.

Very respectfully,

W.H.M.

Superintendent,



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

La Pointe Indian Agency, Wisconsin,  
Ashland, February 3, 1916.

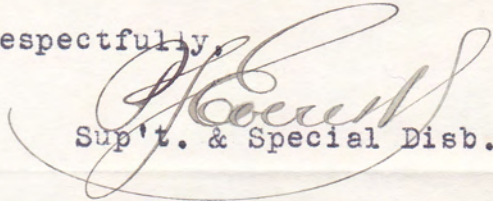
Superintendent Lipps,  
Carlisle School,  
Carlisle, Penn.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find check, Leonard F. Bresette,  
\$25.00, for clothing.

If it is necessary to take this up in your account,  
do so as voluntary deposit, not as transferred from this  
School.

Respectfully,

  
Sup't. & Special Disb. Agent.



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June 14th, 1916.

Mr. P. S. Everest,  
Superintendent, The La Pointe Agency,  
Ashland, Wis.

My dear Sir:

Leonard Bresette brought a letter from his mother to this office this morning in which is contained the request that your Mr. Rodman be asked to send the amount required to pay Leonard's fare home in order that he can spend the vacation months with his parents. No objection to Leonard's going home will be interposed if it is believed advisable at your office that the vacation be allowed. Money for transportation would have to be deposited.

Will you please let me hear from you at your convenience what action shall be taken?

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Acting  Superintendent.

(Copy to Mrs. Bresette.)



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Summer Vacation  
Leonard Bresette

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

La Pointe Indian Agency,  
Ashland, Wis., June 16, 1916.

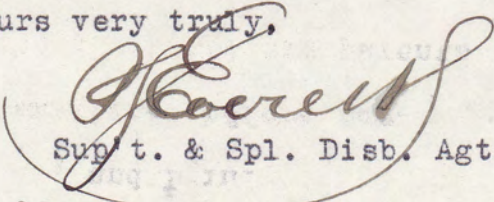
Sup't. O. H. Lipps,  
Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Dear Mr. Lipps:

Referring to your **letter** of June 14th regarding Leonard Bresette's summer vacation. It is noted that, on the same date your letter was written, check for \$65.00 was mailed to you to pay the round trip railroad expenses of Leonard, and I infer that your office has received the remittance before now.

Inasmuch as both the pupil and his parents are willing that Leonard should return to Carlisle in the Fall, I am willing to recommend that your office grant the vacation requested by his parents.

Yours very truly,

  
Sup't. & Spl. Disb. Agt.

E-G

Cy - Sarah V Bresette, Odanah



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Sept. 12th, 1916.

Mrs. F. E. Bresette,  
Odanah, Wis.

My dear Madam:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 9th instant, stating that a ticket for Leonard's use may now be made available. Therefore, it is being arranged so that a ticket can be given him at Odanah for his use to Carlisle upon presentation of an order from Superintendent Everest's office. It can probably be arranged by telephone so that the ticket will be ready whenever Leonard is to start.

Allow me to state further in this connection that Mrs. Emily La Pointe desires to have her son Francis come on to Carlisle with Leonard. It is suggested, therefore, that it be arranged so that the boys can travel together.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Everest.)



Odanah Wisc.

Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> 1916.

C. H. Lipps,

Dear Sir.

Leonard is not feeling well at all he has been laid up in bed the last two days and I don't know when he will be able to go back to Carlisle, but you may forward his fare any time now. Regards from Mr. Brissette and Leonard.

Yours truly

Mrs. F. C. Brissette



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June 16th, 1916.

Mr. P. S. Everest,  
Superintendent, The La Pointe Agency,  
Ashland, Wis.

My dear Sir:

The amount of the check that was enclosed with your letter of the 14th instant has been credited to the account of Leonard F. Bresette and will be used to defray the expenses that must be incurred to have him come to his mother's home for the summer vacation months.

When Leonard was seen at this office at noon it was arranged with him so that he can leave here on Monday evening of next week. A ticket for his use to Odanah will be procured and he will be accompanied as far as Chicago by another boy from this school.

Trusting Leonard will return here in September and that we can secure other boys as desirable as he is to have in school, I am,

Very respectfully,

H.M.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Mrs. Bresette.)



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

La Pointe Indian Agency,  
Ashland, Wis., June 14, 1916.

Sup't O. H. Lipps,  
Carlisle, Penna.

Dear Mr. Lipps:

Enclosed please find check, Leonard F. Bresette,  
\$65.00, to pay his fare to Odanah and return. Also  
balance of the check for his personal use on his way.

Please take this up as a voluntary deposit.

Respectfully yours,

P.S. EVEREST,

Sup't. & Spl. Disb. Agt.

S-G

enclosure

Rec'd \$65.00  
B.V. Bell 6/16/16

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Aug. 25th, 1916.

Mrs. Frank E. Bresette,  
Odanah, Wis.

My dear Madam:

The letter you addressed to Mr. Meyer at this school on the 23rd instant has been received and it has been noted that your son Leonard will probably not be able to return here in time to begin his studies on the opening day of school on September the 5th. I am sorry to learn that he has not been entirely well during the vacation months, but I hope I shall hear soon that no further treatment is necessary and that we may expect him to arrive here soon.

Kindly convey my best wishes to Leonard.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.



Odanah Wisc

Aug. 23<sup>rd</sup>. 1916

H. K. Meyer.

Dear Sir.

Leonard recieved  
your letter some time ago  
and I will write for him.  
He is at present taking  
treatment from the doctor  
for sores, and he has  
to take treatment also, for  
his eyes. They are bothering  
him a good deal. So  
when ever the eye Doctor  
tells him that his eyes  
are cured he will be  
ready to go back to



Carlisle, I will write  
again and let you know  
when he is to go.

Respectfully,  
Mrs. Frank E. Brewster



John Francis, Jr.,  
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April 10, 1917

Mr. P. S. Everest, Supt.,  
La Pointe Indian Agency,  
Ashland, Wis.

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of the  
6th instant enclosing a check for \$25.00 for  
Leonard F. Breette.

Yours very truly,

Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

La Pointe Indian Agency,

Ashland, Wisconsin,

April 6, 1917.

Superintendent,

Carlisle Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the request of Sarah V. Bresette, mother of Leonard F. Bresette, a pupil in your school, there is enclosed herewith check drawn in favor of Leonard F. Bresette for \$25.00 properly signed and endorsed by his mother.

This check is to cover his Easter needs.

Respectfully,

**P. S. EVEREST,**

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Supt. & Spl. Dis. Agt.

Enc.



Leonard Bressette.  
Francis Augé.

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*Bressette*

April 16, 1917.

Dear Leonard:

Mr. Everest has written me relative to your request for \$65.00 from your funds in his hands, this amount to be used to defray your expenses home this summer.

He has had a talk with your mother and they both discourage your going home this summer and advise that instead you go under the outing.

Respectfully,

D:R

Superintendent.



DEAR FRANCIS:

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

La Pointe Indian Agency,

Ashland, Wisconsin,

April 12, 1917.

John Francis, Jr., Supt.,

Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Francis:

In relation to Leonard Bresette's request for \$65.00, with which to return to his home during the summer vacation, as mentioned in your letter of the 7th instant, I talked with Leonard's mother today, and she advises that it might be best to have Leonard remain at Carlisle this summer, and take advantage of the outing system. She says that this will be his last year, and as he returned home last summer, it might be an unjustifiable expense to have him come back this summer, and especially so in view of the associations that the boy might be thrown with while staying at Odanah during the summer months.

By this, Mrs. Bresette does not wish to convey that she would not like to have the boy come home for a visit, but she feels that the environment at

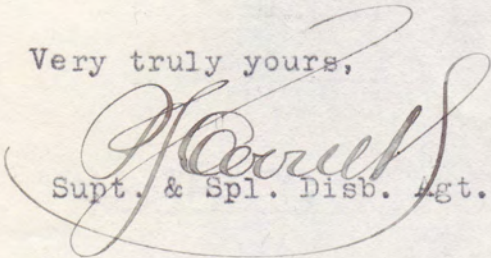


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Carlisle by possibly having the boy placed in the outgoing class this summer would be for his own best good. She is willing to let the matter remain this way, at least till she hears further from Leonard.

The case of Francis Auge, also mentioned in your letter of the 7th, I think was fully disposed of in my recent communication to you, wherein it was stated that the mother preferred to have her adopted son remain at your school during the summer, rather than undertake an unnecessary and expensive trip away out to California.

Very truly yours,

  
Supt. & Spl. Disb. Agt.

E:W



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May 1, 1917

Mrs. F. E. Bresette  
Odanah Wisconsin.

Dear Madam:-

I have your letter saying that you have decided to have your son Francis return to you for the summer as his father will need him on the farm. I have not heard from Mr. Everest relative to this but will let you know when I do.

You can fill out the enclosed Vacation Request blank and return it to me for our files. As you know, Francis will not be allowed to leave here until after the close of school. As far as I know now, I can arrange for his return about the 5th or 6th of June, but will write you definite arrangements later.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Inclosure.

Copy to Mr. Everest.



Odayah Wis.  
April 25<sup>th</sup> 1917

Mr. J. Francis. Supt.  
Dear Sir.

About two weeks ago, I was up to see Mr. Everest about Leonard, and I thought at first that it would be better for Leonard to remain at Carlisle this summer, but Mr. Bresette and myself have changed our minds and we want and need Leonard at home, his brother has been sick all winter



and is now under the  
Doctor's care so he won't  
be any help to his father  
on the farm, and Leonard  
will have to help the same  
as he did last summer  
he was a good boy while  
at home and a great  
help. I have already  
written to Mr. Everest  
about sending that sixty  
five dollars to Leonard  
to come home, and I  
suppose he will expect  
a letter from you  
about it. We hope you will  
let him come, for we need  
him. Respectfully  
Mrs. F. E. Presette



Return home of  
Leonard Bresette for  
vacation.

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La Pointe Indian Agency,

Ashland, Wisconsin,

April 30, 1917.

Sarah V. Bresette,

Odanah, Wis.

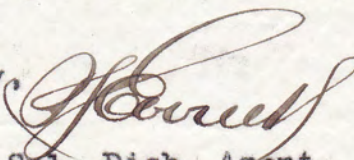
Dear Madam:

In reply to your letter of April 28th, asking that your son Leonard be allowed to come home as soon as possible, it is recalled that your recent interview with me indicated that you preferred to have the boy stay in Carlisle this summer.

However, as you now request that he be allowed to come back for a vacation, I presume the Superintendent of the Carlisle School will grant this request at the time school lets out for vacation.

I understand, however, that this will be sometime in June, and therefore there is plenty of time yet for Leonard's return. I will await the request of Superintendent Francis for funds later on, to deposit to the credit of the school as return expenses for the boy, and also as a deposit to guarantee his return to school in the fall. I sent Leonard \$25.00 the other day for his incidental expenses.

Yours truly,



Supt. & Spl. Disb. Agent.

E. W.  
Carbon to Supt. Francis.



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May 29, 1917.

Philip S. Everest, Supt.,  
La Pointe Indian Agency,  
Ashland, Wis.

Dear Sir:

I sent Leonard Bresette home last evening at his request.

I paid \$26.14 for his ticket to Odanah and gave him \$5.00 for incidental expenses enroute, leaving a balance of \$18.86 which is \$7.28 short of paying for his return ticket in the fall.

Will you please send me a check for this amount so that I may have a sufficient amount on deposit.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.



Transmits checks Nos. 5567 & 5566.  
Return of Leonard Bresette. 5-1142

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

La Pointe Indian Agency,

Ashland, Wisconsin,

May 26, 1917.

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

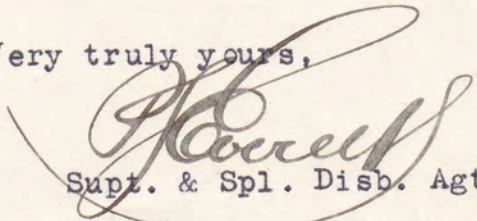
Dear Mr. Francis:

Leonard Bresette's mother was in the office this morning and asked to have enough funds sent to the boy for his expenses home during vacation. I am therefore enclosing two checks drawn for \$25.00 each against Leonard's account, duly signed by his mother as natural guardian, and approved by my counter-signature.

If this \$50.00 remitted is not sufficient to meet the requirements of the School in the way of a deposit to secure Leonard's return fare in the fall, if you will let me know to this effect, I will draw an amount sufficient to meet such requirements.

Leonard's folks tell me that he would like to return to the reservation with Francis La Pointe, his cousin.

Very truly yours,

  
Supt. & Spl. Disb. Agt.

E/W  
Enclosures.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

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La Pointe Indian Agency,

Ashland, Wis., August 17, 1917.

Mr. John Francis, Jr.,

Supt., Carlisle Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Mr. Francis:-

Enclosed please find check of Leonard F.  
Bresette, for \$7.28, in payment of the balance due for return ticket.

Very respectfully,

**P. S. EVERETT**

Supt. & Spl. Dis. Agt.

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August 27, 1917.

Mrs. F. E. Bresette  
Box 65  
Odanah, Wisconsin.

Dear Madam:-

I have your letter relative to the return to this school of Leonard Bresette and Francis La-Pointe and have to advise that I will have tickets placed for the use of these two boys as soon as you can also arrange for your daughter to come with them. Please fill out the enclosed application blank. have Mr. Everest approve and return to me.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD



Adanah Wisc.  
Aug. 24, 1917.

Mr. John Francis, Jr.  
Dear Sir,

Leonard would like to have you forward his ticket, also Mrs. LaPointe asked me to send for Francis to be sent with Leonard's. And I would like to know if you would take Leonard's sister Emily she has been attending the Public School here and passed the seventh grade she is fourteen yrs. of age. Please let me know as soon as possible.

Yours truly  
Mrs. F. E. Bretzette  
Adanah  
Wisc.

P. O. Box 65.



Funds:  
Emily Bresette,  
Leonard "

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La Pointe Indian Agency,  
Ashland, Wisconsin,  
Oct. 8, 1917.

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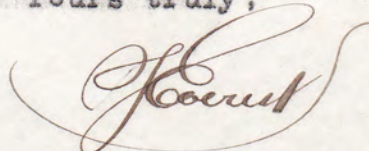
Sarah V. Bresette,  
Odanah, Wis.

Dear Madam:

In relation to your request that both your daughter Emily and son Leonard be furnished with \$25.00 each while they are in attendance at the Carlisle School, it will be necessary to have their requests forwarded through the Carlisle Superintendent with his approval endorsed thereon. It is found that your son Leonard has been paid \$117.28 since the first of July this year, for clothing and incidental expenses. He was given \$50.00 in the month of August before he left for Carlisle to buy clothing and incidental articles. This sum is considered quite sufficient to meet his needs, especially inasmuch as he is furnished with clothing and other wearing apparel while he is in attendance at the School.

However, I will await a request from the Superintendent, submitted in the regular way, before taking any action in the matter of making a request for Emily and Leonard to receive \$25.00 with which to buy shoes and clothing.

Yours truly,



SUPT. & SPL. DISB. AGENT.

E:W

Carbon to Supt., Carlisle. ✓



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November 3, 1917.

Mr. Philip S. Everest  
Superintendent LaPointe Agency  
Ashland, Wisconsin.

Dear Sir:-

If it meets with your approval,  
Leonard Bresette would like to have \$25 of  
his funds in your hands transferred to his  
account here.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD



Transmits check

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

47  
La Pointe Indian Agency,

Ashland, Wisconsin,

Nov. 8, 1917.

John Francis Jr., Supt.,

Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find check, Leonard  
F. Bresette, for \$25.00, for personal use, as  
per your request of Nov. 3, 1917.

Respectfully,

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**P.S. EVEREST**

Supt. & Spl. Disb. Agt.

S:W

Enclosure.



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# VACATION REQUEST FOR PUPIL.

We, the undersigned, respectfully request that leave of absence be granted our son  
Leonard F. Bresette  
 from June to \_\_\_\_\_ to  
 enable him to visit his 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 Carlisle 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.

Frank E. Bresette  
 Father.

Sarah V. Bresette  
 Mother.

Date: May 4<sup>th</sup> 1917

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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March 7, 1918.

Mr. P. S. Everest  
Supt. LaPointe Agency, Odanah, Wis.  
Dear Sir:-

I am enclosing herewith for your advice and recommendation, a letter which I have received from the mother of Leonard and Emily Bresette, in which she requests that they be sent to her during this coming vacation season.

Very truly yours

NRD  
Copy to Mrs. Bresette.

Superintendent.



Odanah Wis.  
March 8<sup>th</sup>.) 18

Mr. John Francis, Supt.  
Dear Sir,

I am writing  
to find out - at what time  
the children are to leave  
for home. They havnt  
wrote anything about it  
themselves, but we hear  
that the Carlisle students  
are to leave there next  
month, and we are  
very anxious to know if  
the report is true or not.  
This is Leonard's third  
year at Carlisle - and  
Emily's first year, and



we hope to have them both  
at home as soon as  
possible. Need Emily's  
help real bad, as I  
am hardly able at times  
to get around, and we  
cannot afford to hire  
any one, and Leonard's  
help is also needed.

Please write and let  
us know when they  
can come home.

Respectfully Yours

Mrs. F. E. Burette,  
P. O. Box 65. Orono.  
Wis.



*Odanah Wis*

*April 15<sup>th</sup> 1918*

April 18, 1918.

Mrs. Sarah V. Bresette  
Odanah, Wisconsin.

Dear Madam:-

I have your letter asking that  
your children, Leonard and Emily be allowed  
to return to you now.

It will not be advisable for me  
to grant your request. I want to hold the  
children here until after school closes.  
They should take their examinations so that  
they can be graded properly for next year's  
work.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD



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Odanah Wis

Apr. 15<sup>th</sup> 1918

Mr. John Francis Jr. Supt.

Dear Sir,

Could you not allow  
my children to come home  
next month, as I must  
have some one to keep  
house for me while  
Mr. Bissette and myself  
work on the farm.

Respectfully  
Mrs. Bissette.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

La Pointe Indian Agency,  
Ashland, Wisconsin,  
March 18, 1918.

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

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Dear Mr. Francis:

In compliance with the request of Leonard  
F. Bresette, I send to you herewith a check for \$25.00  
to pay his contribution to the Knights of Columbus.

Respectfully,

P. S. EVEREST.

MW

Superintendent & S.D.A.

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Received the above check April 18, 1918.

Leonard F. Bresette.



March  
Twenty-eighth,  
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Mr. C. F. Reitling,  
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith check  
No. 38077 in the amount of \$5.50, same  
being in payment of glasses furnished  
Leonard Bresette, a pupil of this school.

                      
Yours very truly,

Superintendent.

EDS  
encl.



Carlisle Pa March 18 1918

Mr Leonard Bresette

C. F. Reitting

Dr.

Memorandum.

heads. N<sup>o</sup> 10.

To 1 Pair Rein lenther Eyeglasses

4 50

" 1 - Eyeglass Chain

1 00

5 50

Ready for delivery on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup>

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make check for this also.



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May 21, 1918.

Mrs. F. E. Bresette  
Odanah, Wis.

Dear Madam:- Leonard's term of enrolment has expired and he will be sent home this summer, at government expense.

The money for Emily's expenses home and also for her return in the fall, should come from you. The amount necessary is \$55.86. This does not include money for incidental expenses.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

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Odanah Wis.

May 16<sup>th</sup> 1918.

Mr. John Francis Jr.

Dear Sir,

If you have not already written to Mr. Everest for Leonard's and Emily's checks for their fare and expenses home, will you please do so now.

Respectfully Yours,  
Mr. F. E. Brusette.



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May 25, 1918.

Mr. P. S. Everest  
Superintendent LaPointe Agency  
Ashland, Wis.

Dear Sir: ~~Leonard Bresette's~~ term of enrolment at this school expires this coming month and he intends to go home. He would like to have \$25.00 from his funds in your hands so that he can purchase some necessary clothing and have some cash to pay his incidental expenses home.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

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Check; Leonard Bresette.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

La Pointe Indian Agency,  
Ashland, Wisconsin.

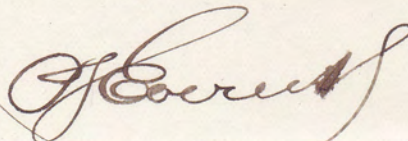
May 29, 1918.

John Francis, Jr.,  
Supt. U. S. Indian School,  
Carlisle, Penna.

My dear Mr. Francis:

The same day your letter of May 25th was written requesting \$25.00 for return expenses of Leonard Bresette, we mailed check drawn in his favor transferring \$50.00 to your hands. You have therefore no doubt received the remittance before now.

Yours very truly,



Supt. & Spl. Disb. Agt.

E:W



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CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

June 14, 1918.

This certifies that Leonard Bresette

(Name of student.)

has made the following record in Carlisle Indian School

(Name of school.)

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.

GRADE.

RATING.

English

1st Yr. Voc.

77

Arithmetic

"

45

Geography

"

93

Botany

"

69

General Exercises

"

83

General Average

"

72

Effort

Deportment

DETAILS SERVED.

LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.

RATING.

Industrial

Second Year

95

and ~~is~~ is not eligible to pursue work in the 2nd Year Vocational grade, academic; and

(Cancel one.)

grade or year vocational.

*John Francis Jr.*

Superintendent.

*Wm. Blair*

Principal.