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CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 3143	ENGLISH NAME Clara Wakefield	AGENCY	NATION Chippewa	
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS White Earth Minn		
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD 1/2	AGE 14	HEIGHT	WEIGHT
FATHER	MOTHER	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX.
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL 10-5-16	FOR WHAT PERIOD	DATE DISCHARGED	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE	
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS			FROM COUNTRY

Months in school before Carlisle. 40

Trade entered at Carlisle.

Trade at d. of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church. Catholic

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No.	NAME.	AGE.	TRIBE.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.	NAME OF AGENCY AND RESERVATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT, POST OFFICE OF FAMILY.		
	Wakefield, Clara	14	Chippewa	1/2	Waubun, Minn.		
DATE ENTERED.	Months in school before enrollment here.	IN WHAT GRADE OR ROOM.		Distance to nearest public school from pupil's home.	REMARKS. (Temporarily absent, outing, deserters, on sick leave, special authorities for enrollment, etc.)		
		On entering here.	At date of this report.				
10/5/16	40	1-000	1-000	1/4	To COUNTRY	FROM COUNTRY	DATE DISCHARGED
			VK				
							Catholic

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: _____

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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

Edward P. Wakefield,

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Clara Wakefield,

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle Indian School, Penna.

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

White Earth Agency, Minnesota,

Date of enrollment, _____, 191

Term of enrollment, three (3) years.

NAME OF PERSON ARRANGING FOR THE TRANSFER:

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 Indian School,
Carlisle, Penna.

of Clara W. Wakefield; Female; age 14; date of birth 1902;
(Name of child.) (Sex.)

Chippewa
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>Edward P. Wakefield</u> NAME OF MOTHER.	<u>Living</u>	<u>Chippewa</u>	<u>White Oak Point</u>	<u>1/2</u>
<u>Martha S. Wakefield</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Chippewa</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>1/2</u>

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

The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL.	DATE OF ENROLLMENT.	DATE OF DISCHARGE.	CAUSE.	GRADE.
1. <u>Public Schools</u>				
2. <u>at Waubun, Minn.</u>	<u>1908</u>			<u>7th</u>
3.				
4.				

Edward P. Wakefield
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Waubun,
Minnesota.

Two witnesses:

B. P. Six

NAME Clara F. Wakefield Sex ~~Male~~ Female

Tribe ^{Full} Chippewa State Minnesota Aug 14, 1916

Age 14 years Respiration Normal Condition of, Eyes OK

Height 5 ft. 6 ins. Mensuration { Insp. 36 Ears OK

Weight 148 1/2 lbs. { Exp. 34 Throat ''

Temperature Normal Vaccination Yes Cervical glands ''

Pulse '' Vision Good Skin ''

Inspection ''

Palpation ''

Percussion ''

Auscultation ''

Heart ''

(Menstruation) OK

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father <u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Good</u>		
Mother	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Good</u>		
Brothers <u>None</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Good</u>		
Sisters <u>None</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Good</u>		

Personal history Negative

Present condition Good

P. T. Robertson, 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.

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 *14* day of *Aug*, 191*6*

P. M. Robertson

Physician at *White Earth* 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 *Edward P. Wakefield* was voluntary. (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

(Here state whether the child lives within reach of a public school, whether the State laws permit it to enroll therein, and if it lives near the public school why it can not attend such school.)

The child lives within one mile of the public schools at Wauken, Minn., where 8 grades are taught. ~~and she can attend those schools~~ The father is financially unable to support his family and send her to school.

I recommend the transfer of the said child.

This *18th* day of *August*, 191*6*,

John H. Hinton
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 _____

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

This _____ day of _____, 191 _____

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 reservation school records. The reservation superintendent should 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.)

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

The rules provide that—

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

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

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.

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October 27, 1916.

Dr. Rendtorff

We have an inquiry from the parents of Clara
Wakefield regarding her health. Please let me have a
report, a copy of which I can send Mr. Wakefield ?

Respectfully

N R Denny.

Mrs. Denny : In answer to your inquiry will
say that Clara Wakefield suffered with an
acute tonsillitis. She was dismissed from
the hospital today and is in her usual
health. Please reassure her mother.

Respectfully,

Walter Rendtorff M.D.

Mr. D. H. Bennett, Wash. D.C.
Mr. W. H. Hunt, Wash. D.C.
Mr. J. M. Smith, Wash. D.C.
Mr. G. M. Jones, Wash. D.C.

OFFICE OF THE

CARLETON, PA.

UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

October 21, 1886.

Dr. Rendtorff

Dr. Rendtorff

Respectfully

W. H. Hunt

[Faint handwritten notes and signatures, including a large signature at the bottom right.]

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October 27, 1916.

Mr. E. P. Wakefield
Waubun, Minnesota.

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter regarding your daughter Clara and have had her come to the office to make a little report of herself. She has been in our school hospital where she has been taking treatment for eczema and having her eyes examined. She has a little touch of eczema on one hand but she tells me it is getting well. Prior to her going to the hospital she had been going to school one half a day and working in the sewing room the other half, according to our regulations. She entered the 1st year vocational class.

It will not be necessary for you to furnish her clothing. The school furnishes good substantial clothing for all its pupils. It may be that sometimes she will want a few extra little things which the school does not furnish, in which case there will be no objection to your sending her what she needs or money to ^{buy} the things here.

She can take music lessons but will have to pay for these at the rate of \$.25 per lesson, one lesson a week.

Clara insists that she does not like it here but I think it is because she is still homesick. She looks well

Mr. E. P. Wakefield--2

and talked quite cheerfully about her plans when up at the office this morning. She is desirous of taking a business course but as she is young and we do not have that course in our curriculum now, that was discouraged. If she wants to take up this work, there will be ample opportunities after she graduates here. We have quite a good Business School in town and she could either take up work here and board at the school or she could enter one of the big schools in Philadelphia under our cutting.

I note what you say about the enrolment of Henry and Leonard Thompson. If Henry wants to come to Carlisle, I will be glad to take him. Under the new departmental ruling, I cannot take the other boy. If he is a pupil of the Genoa school, he must complete the course there before he can attend any other non-reservation school. If Henry is interested, you can have him write me.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

FACULTY:
P. M. PAQUETTE, PRINCIPAL
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GLADYS L. GOULD

WAUBUN CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

DISTRICT NO. 2, MAHNOMEN COUNTY

WAUBUN, MINN.

DIRECTORS:
D. E. KANE, CHAIRMAN
L. D. DAVIS, TREASURER
E. P. WAKEFIELD, CLERK

Oct 20 - '16

Supt Lipps,
Carlisle Pa.

Dear Sir:-

My daughter Clara writes that she had arrived at your school alright, and further states that she does not like the school.

We expected this and possibly more for this is her first trip away from home when some one of the family were not with her. We have written her to resign herself to the fact that she must stay at Carlisle for the full term or longer, I think she will be OK as soon as she overcomes the first attack of home sickness.

Kindly let me know whether or not I am to furnish her clothing. What are your arrangements for Musical training? Will you please give me an acct line of school work being given to Clara and also what home and other training she is to receive.

Yours Respectfully
E P Wakefield

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April 28, 1917.

Dr. Sheplar:

Will you please examine Clara
Wakefield and make a report to me so that
I may inform her parents of her health con-
dition.

Respectfully,

D:R

Superintendent.

Mrs. Ewing:- Will you please find out if Clara's periods
are regular so that I may write the mother.

Respectfully

N.R.D.

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DISTRICT No. 2, MAHNOMEN COUNTY

WAUBUN, MINN.

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April 23-1917

To The Supt. Industrial Indian School
Carlisle Pa.

Dear Sir:-

For some time we have heard
indirectly that my daughter Clara is sick
or was confined to the school Hospital.

Will you kindly inform me as to her
true condition, some hint was made to the
effect that her menstruation was irregular and
on that account my wife fears that it may
be the first symptoms of developing tuberculosis.
If there is any prospect of that or any other
disease developing I hope you will be frank
and so state. Hoping that these fears are unfounded

I remain Very truly yours
E. P. Wakefield

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May 2, 1917.

Mr. E. P. Wakefield,
White Earth, Minn.

Dear Sir:

Your letter relative to the health of your daughter Clara has been referred to our school physician who gives me the following report this morning:-

"I have examined Clara Wakefield and find her in good health."

I have also consulted the matron relative to Clara's general health and she tells me that outside of some trouble with eczema Clara has been in good health.

You can tell Clara's mother that she is regular in her periods and that she need not worry on that account.

Mrs. Ewing, the matron, further states that Clara is doing nicely in her work,- her duty this month being in the clothing room which is quite a responsible place.

I trust that you may be assured that your daughter is in good condition and that we are

Mr. E. P. Wakefield

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trying to take good care of her.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Mr. J. Francis Jr. ^{Apr - 30 - 1917}

I have examined Clara Wakefield,
and find her in good health.

Sincerely,

J. M. Keefe M.D.

FACULTY
F. M. PAQUETTE, PRINCIPAL
MARGARET FAIRBELL
MARY E. DAVIES
ETHEL M. FLYNN
GLADYS L. GORD

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May 19, 1917.

Mr. E. P. Wakefield,
Waubun, Minn.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your inquiry concerning your daughter Clara, I have to advise that in all probability we will keep her at the school this coming summer as she has eczema on her hands and I fear that if she should go out under the outing the kind of work she would have to do might increase her trouble.

She seems to be getting along very well here and I think would enjoy the summer at the school.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

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E. P. WAKEFIELD, CLERK

May 16 - 1917

Supt John Francis Jr
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of the 2nd inst.
relative to my daughter Clara's health is
at hand, for which accept the hearty
thanks of my wife and I, we are very
pleased to know that she is getting on so
nicely.

Will you keep her at the school this summer
or will you give her the benefit of your
Oetting System?

Yours Respectfully
E P Wakefield

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UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

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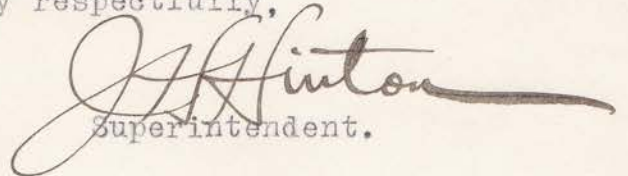
White Earth, Minn., June 5, 1917.

John Francis, Jr.,
Sup't Carlisle Indian School
Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Dear Sir:

In replying to your telegram of the 4th inst., in which you advise that Clara Wakefield and Margaret Keezer desire to come home on vacation, I have to advise that Clara Wakefield's parents have not made a formal application for her to come home during vacation, and that Margaret Keezer is an orphan. In view of these facts I do not approve of their coming home during vacation.

Very respectfully,


Superintendent.

JHH*L

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July 21, 1917.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

The receipt is acknowledged of your letter of July 19, 1917, (Education-Schools, 60351-17 A V S) regarding the ~~petition~~ of Mr. E. P. Wakefield against the use of the money of his daughter who is enrolled in this school for the purposes of a summer vacation.

In response you are advised that Clara Wakefield is now at the school. Early in the year she requested to be permitted to take a vacation. The matter was taken up with Superintendent Hinton to determine whether she had the funds necessary under the regulations to make the trip and to ascertain his views on the subject.

He advised me that Clara's father protested against her return home. On June 18, 1917, Mr. Wakefield likewise wrote me objecting to his daughter having a vacation. Clara was told that in view of the objection of her parents she would not be permitted to return home.

I have written Mr. Wakefield concerning the matter.

Very truly yours,

JF:R

Superintendent.

TO THE FOLLOWING:

A-Schools
60351-17
A V S

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

WASHINGTON

JUL 19 1917

Mr. John Francis, Jr.,


Supt., Carlisle School.

My dear Mr. Francis:

The Office has a letter dated June 18, from Mr. E. P. Wakefield, in which he says that he has a letter of recent date from his daughter who is enrolled in the Carlisle School, informing him that she is to be sent home to Waubun, Minnesota, to spend the summer vacation, and he protests against the appropriation of her money to pay transportation expenses.

Please report to the Office at your earliest convenience the facts in this case and advise whether there is anything further to be done.

Very truly yours,


Assistant Commissioner.

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July 23, 1917.

Mr. E. P. Wakfield,
Waubun, Minn.

Dear Sir:

Clara

An examination of the correspondence concerning your daughter shows me that no action was taken on your letter of June 18, 1917, regarding the use of certain funds of your daughter on deposit with Mr. Hinton for returning to her home during the vacation period, because of the feeling that your decision in the matter should govern and that nothing further need be done.

We will certainly not permit your daughter to use these funds to return home in the middle of a term without your consent.

I note your suggestion that you had some thought of letting Clara have a short visit later on in the year. However, in view of the fact that the vacation period will be over very shortly and as Clara is getting along very well, I should think it would be inadvisable to expend the sum necessary for such a short period.

Very truly yours,

JF:R

Superintendent.

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June 18-1917

Supt Francis
Carlisle Pa.

Dear Sir:-

My daughter Clara writes
me that plans are under way whereby
\$62⁰⁰ of her money (in the hands of
Supt J. H. Hinton) is to be drawn for the
purpose of sending her home for the
vacation months.

Should this be true I earnestly protest
against this action being taken.

On the grounds of, 1st - I should be
consulted before an expenditure of this kind
is made. 2nd I have already an applic-
ation before the Commission of Indian

Wakefield

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E. P. WAKEFIELD, CLERK

Affairs, of Washington D.C. for Clara's
Money and that of my other two minor
children to use in payment of delin-
quent taxes that, if not paid will cause
the loss of our home,

I will leave it ^{to} you - would it not be
much better that their money be used
for that purpose than to spend it for any
other purpose?

We did think some of letting Clara have a
short vacation when arrangements can
be made whereby it is planned that she
go and visit her name-sake Mrs. Clara
Wakefield - Foster now of Toronto, Canada
Always remembering the courteous treatment
accorded me by the officers of your school I am
Very Respectfully Yours
E. P. Wakefield

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Edward Wakefield

October 22, 1917.

Mr. E. P. Wakefield
Waubun, Minnesota.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your note "Give me the address of a reliable shoe store" in your letter dated October 16, 1917, I give you the following,-

P.A. Garber, North Hanover St.
W.C. Stuart, West Main St.
Herman's, East Main St.
Strom's, South Hanover St.

My understanding is that you wanted the names of dealers in Carlisle.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

WAUBUN CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

INDEPENDENT DISTRICT No. 2, MAHNOMEN COUNTY

WAUBUN, MINN.

DIRECTORS:

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H. P. JENSON, VICE-PRES.
L. D. DAVIS, TREASURER
J. J. CABA, MEMBER
JOSEPH NECAS, MEMBER
E. P. WAKEFIELD, CLERK

NETTE, SUPT.
DIXON
MARET FARRELL
ADYS L. GOULD
MARY E. DAVIES
ETHEL M. FLYNN

Oct 16th 1917

Supt John Francis Jr.

Carlisle Pa

Dear Sir:-

In the early part of this month my daughter Clara sent me her Sept. 1917 report card. by which I am pleased to note a very appreciable improvement.

I fully appreciate the care and consistent training that my daughter has received at your hands.

Much has been said first and last tending towards the abolishment of the Government schools. no argument can convince me that it is time to discontinue these schools.

I thank you very much. I am

Very cordially yours

P.S. Give me the address of a

E. P. Wakefield

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February 18, 1918.

Mr. E. P. Wakefield

Waubun, Minnesota.

Dear Sir:- Clara, your daughter, has come to me with the request that I write to Superintendent Hinton for \$50 of her funds at the Agency. She will have a dental bill of \$2.25 to pay and wants the balance deposited here so she can draw upon it from time to time. She was reminded that her request should go through you but claimed that you had not written to her for a long time. I thought best to write you however to take whatever action you deemed best.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Doctor: Will you please have Dr. Line estimate what it will take to have Clara's teeth fixed so I may know how much to request from her superintendent.

Mrs. Denny

Amount \$25
G. M.

Feb. 5th, 1918.

Mr. J. Francis:

Will you please send to J. H. Hinton, at White Earth, Agency Minnesota, for about \$50.00 of my money, because I need it to pay for my music lessons and some dental work.

Thanking you.

Clara Wakefield

WAUBUN CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

FACULTY:

P. M. PAQUETTE, SUPT.
SARA M. DIXON
MARGARET FARRELL
GLADYS L. GOULD
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Ebry 26-1918

Supt. John Francis Jr.
Carlisle Pa.

Dear Mr. Francis:-

Yours of the 18th inst
asking my consent that \$50.00 of my daughter
Clara's funds may be asked for from Supt
Hinton of this Agency is before me.
In reply will state that I made application
for this money to be used for a more
urgent purpose. This matter is yet pending.
In a few days I shall send some money
with which to pay Clara's bills.

Thanking you for your courtesy, I am

Very cordially yours,
E P Wakefield

TO OFFICER SENDING TELEGRAM.

1. Keep copy on this form for your files.
 2. Mail confirmation to addressee indicating that purpose by check mark in this circle.

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**MEMORANDUM COPY
 OF OFFICIAL TELEGRAM.**

Will NOT be accepted if presented by Telegraph Company attached to bill for tolls, in lieu of original message.

Receiver's No.—	Time Filed—	Paid <u>Yes</u> Word <u>Night</u>	Government rate—Toll, \$
Sent by— <u>Becker-Mahnomen Telephone Co.</u> (Name of company.)		Telegraph Co.	<u>White Earth, Minn., May 6, 1918.</u> (Place.) (Date.)
To <u>John Francis, Supt.,</u> <u>Indian School, Carlisle, Pa.</u>	From <u>John H. Hinton,</u> (Print or typewrite name of sender.) <u>Superintendent.</u> (Title of sender.)		

Your telegram, May 2. Indian Office has authorized use of funds of Ida, Clara and Willaim Wakefield to pay dilinquent taxes on home of their father and to take assignment of tax title from Minnesota and sub-rogate its rights to three children mentioned.

Hinton
 Superintendent.

Strike out method not applicable.

Charge: Carlisle Indian School.
 (If not paid in cash, or sent collect, insert name of office to which bill should be presented for payment.)

Collect from addressee.

PAID _____ By SENDER.

Appropriation: _____
 (Insert "In cash," if so paid.)

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Receiver's No.—	Time Filed—	Paid Paid Word Day <small>(Day or night.)</small>	Government rate—Toll, \$
Sent by— Western Union <small>(Name of company.)</small>		Telegraph Co.	Carlisle, Pa. May 2, 1918. <small>(Place.) (Date.)</small>
To Hinton, Superintendent		From John Francis, Jr. <small>(Print or typewrite name of sender.)</small>	
White Earth, Minnesota.		Superintendent. <small>(Title of sender.)</small>	

Clara Wakefield requests you invest in Liberty Bonds of third issue, one hundred dollars of her funds in your care. Wire action.

Charge : **Carlisle. Indian School, Pa.**
(If not paid in cash, insert name of office to which bill should be presented for payment.)

PAID _____ By **SENDER.**
(Insert "In cash," if so paid.)

Appropriation: _____

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

Confirmation of Telegram

White Earth, Minn., May 6, 1918.

Mail to Supt. Francis,
Carlisle, Pa.

Your telegram May second. Indian Office has authorized use of funds of Ida, Clara and William Wakefield to pay delinquent taxes on home of their father and to take assignment tax, title and subrogate its rights. Three children mentioned.

Hinton, Supt.

Collect, night Govt. rate.
OFFICIAL BUSINESS

GOVERNMENT RATE { PAID
 COLLECT .

Charge.....

Sent M.
(Eastern time.)

By
(Name of Telegraph Company)

.....
Superintendent.

Per

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FACULTY
P. M. PAGETTE, SUPT.
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LLOYD W. GOSWOLD
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ETHEL W. FLYNN

August 5, 1918

Mr. J. H. Hinton,
Supt. Indian Agency,
White Earth, Minn.

Dear Sir:

Complying with the request of E. P. Wakefield,
I have to advise that his wishes will be complied
with. I will arrange to send his daughter, Clara,
to him the last of this month.

Very truly yours,

D-E

Trav. Aud. in Charge

CC to Mr. Wakefield

WAUBUN CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

INDEPENDENT DISTRICT No. 2, MAHNOMEN COUNTY

WAUBUN, MINN.

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E. P. WAKEFIELD, CLERK

July 30 - 1918

Supt. J. H. Ninton
White Earth.



Dear Sir:-

My daughter Clara who is enrolled as a student in Carlisle Industrial School writes home stating that the Carlisle institution is to be changed from an Indian school to a military hospital.

In view of this change I hereby request that my daughter be sent home without completing the three years for which she was signed.

The privileges of a good public school awaits her here.

She has been at Carlisle two years. I am

Very Respectfully yours
E. P. Wakefield

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

White Earth, Minn., August 1, 1918.

Superintendent,
Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Sir:

I enclose herewith a letter addressed to this agency by E. P. Wakefield, requesting that his daughter, Clara Wakefield, be sent home and relieved from the contract of completing her three years at Carlisle, owing to the fact that the school is to be closed.

The letter is submitted to you for such action as you deem advisable.

Very respectfully,

J. H. Hinton
Superintendent.
Per R. C. S.

BPS*K

Encl.

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Mr. E. V. Peck
Carlisle Pa

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Sept 2th 1918

Dear Sir:-

acknowledging your ratification of my daughter Clara's departure from the Carlisle School came in due time, Clara arrived here Saturday morning at one o'clock.

She was directed on to the wrong train at St Paul, Minn. a little way out of the city she was put off the train to find her way the best she could, not only that, from Minneapolis she came on the Soo Line, her ticket read to Waubun Minn. They put her off at Ogema Minn. 6 miles south from here! at mid night. She should have come on the 5.37 a'clock train Friday. Thank you for the courtesy shown. Sincerely,
Very Truly Yours,
E P Wakefield

JOHN FRANCIS, JR.
SUPERINTENDENT

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Mrs. Wakefield
pay taxes

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL

CARLISLE, PA.

May 2, 1918

Dear Sir:-

I am enclosing herewith a request of Clara Wakefield
a student of this school, that you invest \$100. net
funds in your possession, as Superintendent, in U.S. Liberty
Bonds of the third issue.

I am not advised of the funds of this person in your
possession or their amount. This request, however, shows the
attitude of the student in this patriotic task and I am sending
the request to you for such action as you may deem advisable in
the premises. I will be glad to be advised of the action taken
by you.

Very truly yours

J.H.Hinton
White Earth, Minn.

Superintendent.

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CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

June 14, 1918., 191

This certifies that Clara Wakefield
(Name of student.)

has made the following record in Carlisle Indian School
(Name of school.)

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.	GRADE.	RATING.
English	Sixth	84
General Exercises	"	82
Arithmetic	"	70
Geography	"	76
Physiology	"	75
Penmanship	"	83
Drawing	"	86
History	"	62
General Average	"	76

Effort _____

Department _____

DETAILS SERVED.	LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.	RATING.
Industrial		66

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

(Cancel one.)

_____ grade or year vocational.

John ...

Clara ...

Superintendent.

Principal.

CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

May 24, 1917, 191

This certifies that Clara Wakefield

(Name of student.)

has made the following record in Carlisle Indian School

(Name of school.)

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.	GRADE.	RATING.
English	V	81
General Exercises		81
Arithmetic		74
Geography		70
Physiology and Hygiene		86
Writing		84
Drawing		86

Effort

Department

DETAILS SERVED.	LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.	RATING.
Sewing		74

and is ~~not~~ eligible to pursue work in the Sixth grade, academic; and grade or year vocational.

James Francis Superintendent.

Chas. Blair Principal.

CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

May 24, 1917, 191

This certifies that Clara Wakefield (Name of student.)

has made the following record in Carlisle Indian School (Name of school.)

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.	GRADE.	RATING.
English	V	81
General Exercises		81
Arithmetic		74
Geography		70
Physiology and Hygiene		86
Writing		84
Drawing		86

Effort

Department

DETAILS SERVED.	LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.	RATING.
Sewing		74

and is ~~not~~ eligible to pursue work in the Sixth grade, academic; and grade or year vocational.