CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

5063

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER	ENGLISH NAME	AGENCY	NATION
3054	Nora Edwards	Kiowa	Wichita

BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS
		Father - Willis Edwards. R.#4, Box 5, Anadarko, Okla.

PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX
FATHER L	MOTHER D	full	16	5-4¼		33	30	Female

ARRIVED AT SCHOOL	FOR WHAT PERIOD	DATE DISCHARGED	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE
Sept. 6, 1915	Three years	~~May~~ June 9, 1918	Time out

TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS	FROM COUNTRY
11-6-17	Agnes K. Fox, Glenside, Pa.	6-8-18

SHAW-WALKER, MUSKEGON, MICHIGAN 43445

Months in school before Carlisle, 40

Grade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Catholic

¼ mi. to school

5063 CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL ✓ 37

No.	Name.	Age.	Tribe.	Degree of Indian Blood.	Name of Agency and Reservation, if Enrolled; if not, Post Office of Family.
3054	Edwards Nora	16	Wichita	4.	Anadarko. Kiowa

Date Entered.	Months in school before enrollment here.	In What Grade or Room. On entering here.	In What Grade or Room. 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.) To Country	From Country	Date Discharged
SEP 6 1915	40	VI		1/4			
Sept. 1916	—	—	VI	—	NOV - 6 1917	JUN - 8 1918	JUN - 9 1918
							Cath.

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

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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

Willie Edwards

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Nora Edwards

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Kiowa Agency, Oklahoma

Date of enrollment, ..., 191

Term of enrollment, three (3) years.

NAME OF PERSON ARRANGING FOR THE TRANSFER:

Jesse W. Smith,

Position, Supervising Principal

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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, Pennsylvania

of Ethel Hunter Edwards (Nora Edwards); female; age 16; date of birth 1899;

Wichita

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
Willie Edwards	living	Wichita	xxxx	One-half
NAME OF MOTHER.				
Dora Hunter Edwards	dead	Deleware	xxxx	Full

I, Willie Edwards, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to her enrollment in said school for a period of three years, and also obligate myself to abide by 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. Anadarko Boarding	1904	1910	Term expired	Second
2. Presbyterian Mission	1910	1912	Term expired	Third
3. Chilocco Indian	1912	1915	Term expired	Sixth
4.				

Willie Edwards
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Anadarko, Okla, R.R. #4, Box 5

Two witnesses:

Jesse M. Smith

6—870

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find Ker 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 18 day of August, 1915

Claude S Shrewder

Physician at Klowa *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 _____ (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) was voluntary.

(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.)

_____

_____

_____

_____

I recommend the transfer of the said child.

This 20 day of Aug., 1915

D. V. Stumbaugh

Agent or Superintendent.

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

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

_____

_____

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

This _____ day of _____, 191

_____

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. 6—870

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.

NAME Mora Edwards

Sex {Male. / Female.}

Tribe {Full / 1/} Wichita State Okla. Aug-18, 1915

Age 11 years | Respiration 20 | Condition of Eyes Trachoma

Height 5 ft. 4 1/4 ins. | Mensuration {Insp. 33 / Exp. 30} | Ears Neg

Weight ... lbs. | Throat Laryngitis

Temperature 99 | Vaccination Ill. N.L. | Cervical glands Palpable

Pulse 82 | Vision 20-20 | Skin Neg

Inspection Neg

Palpation Neg

Percussion Neg

Auscultation Neg

Heart Neg -

(Menstruation) Have app. 13 yrs. regular 4 day

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father	yes	Good		
Mother	yes		yes	Pul T.B.
Brothers	1	Good		
Sisters			1	Pneumonia

Personal history Had Measles

Present condition Good

Clark D. Chunn, 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.

6—1955

CASE RECORD, 5—354.

Name Nora Edwards

Age 16 Sex {Male. / Female.} Tribe {Full / 1/} Wichita Residence

(On ....., 19.....)

DATE.	SYMPTOMS.				TREATMENT.	DIAGNOSIS.	REMARKS.
19.....	T.	P.	R.				History, progress, and termination of the disease.

6—1955

C. V. STINCHECUM,
SUPERINTENDENT

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MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO
J. PRICKETT, SPECIAL DISB. AGENT

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

KIOWA INDIAN AGENCY

ANADARKO, OKLAHOMA

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May 25th, 1917.

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

My Dear Mr. Francis:

I have your letter of the 18th inst, relative to the desire of Willie Edwards to have Nora Edwards return home this summer.

Willie is a very notorious drunkard, and a bad influence for a young girl like Nora. It is true that the old Grandmother is a fine old lady, but it is equally true that the family cannot afford the expense of a trip of this kind.

I am trying to establish the policy of not allowing the pupils enrolled in the distant non-reservation schools to come home during the term of their enrollment, and last year allowed the Haskell and Chilocco pupils to come home only dur- the last month of the vacation period. Visits home during the entire summer frequently destroy the good accomplished during the school year. I therefore do not believe that Nora should be permitted to return this year, especially as she is not particularly anxious herself.

Very truly yours,

C. V. Stinchecum

Superintendent.

January 3, 1917.

Mr. C. V. Stinchecum
Superintendent Kiowa Agency
Anadarko, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter dated December 30th enclosing a check for Twenty Five Dollars ($25.00) for Nora Edwards and have to inform you that this amount has been placed to her credit.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Kiowa Agency.

Anadarko, Okla., Dec. 30, 1916.

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

Dear Mr. Lipps:

I am enclosing herewith check No. 904, in your favor for Nora Edwards, in the amount of $25.00, the same being a transfer from this agency.

Please acknowledge receipt of the same.

Very respectfully,

P. V. Stumpf

Superintendent.

SFM

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Jan. 4th, 1916.

Mr. C. V. Stinchecum,
Supt., Kiowa Indian Agency,
Anadarko, Okla.

My dear Sir:

When Nora Edwards was seen at this office this morning in regard to her failure to write to her people, to which attention is called in your favor of the 30th ultimo, she stated that since she came out of our Hospital the day before Christmas Day she has written to her aunt and her grandmother.

Nora was confined to the Hospital for a week with an attack of the grippe, but is now well as usual.

Thanking you for bringing the matter to my attention and hoping that Nora will not again neglect her relatives, I am,

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Kiowa Indian Agency,

Anadarko, Oklahoma, Dec. 30, 1915.

Mr. O. H. Lipps,

Supt. Carlisle Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Adeline Edwards, the Grandmother of Nora Edwards of your school, is anxious to hear from the girl as she has been told by a woman in Anadarko that Nora is in the hospital.

Adeline informs me that neither she nor her daughter Eliza have heard from Nora since she went to school and I would suggest that you advise Nora to drop one of them a letter each month as they are splendid people and very much interested in her.

Very truly,

R. V. Stuckmann

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Superintendent.

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May 4th, 1916.

Mrs. Adeline Edwards,
112 West Washington Street,
Anadarko, Okla.

Madam:

Noting in your letter of the 1st instant that you desire to have your granddaughter, Nora Edwards, at home with you for the summer vacation months I must state that I would prefer not to grant your request because it has been my experience that students make the most satisfactory progress if they continue uninterruptedly with their school duties during their entire period of enrolment. However, your own need in this case must be taken into consideration so it is respectfully suggested that you see Superintendent Stinchecum about your request. He can then file his recommendation with me and further consideration can be given your need for Nora's services.

Very truly yours,

HKM. Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Stinchecum.)

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Anadarko. Okla.
May. 1st 1916.

Mr. Lipps.
Carlisle. Penn.

Am writing you this letter, in asking you. if you. could let. Nora Edwards, Come home this summer. As you know I'm getting old. and sickly. all the time. And I like to have her home. again. that is if you can let her come, if so. I will send enough money to pay her carfare and to eat on, And she can go back when school

begins, Well, Mr. Sipps,
Please let me know about
I've ask you.

Will close.

Respectiful.

Adeline Edwards,

Anadarko.

112. W. Washington. Okla.

Grandma of Nora.

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Sept. 6th, 1916.

Mr. Thos. J. Pritchett,
U. S. Indian Service Farmer,
Fort Cobb, Okla.

My dear Sir:

I am returning to you herewith the application for a lease you forwarded here with your letter of August 28th to be signed by Nora Edwards. Her signature thereon has been secured as was requested and the paper is otherwise executed.

Very respectfully,

Encls.

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Stinchecum.)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Fort Cobb, Okla.

Aug.28, 1916.

Supt.Carlisle School

Carlisle ,Penn.

Dear Sir:

There is enclosed an application for a lease for a term of three years from Jan. 1st. 1917, on the SE¼ of Sec. 29, 12,-13 which is the allotment of Nora Edwrads Jr. who is a puple in ypur school .Will you please ~~kaxa~~ submit this to her for her signature and after witnessing same please return to me atyour earliest convenience. Thanking you for this kindness

I am your Very resptfully,

Thos J Pritchett

Farmer, Fort Cobb Okla

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Sept. 15th, 1916.

Mr. Thos. J. Pritchett,
United States Indian School Farmer,
Fort Cobb, Okla.

My dear Sir:

I am having enclosed herewith the application to lease you forwarded with your letter of the 8th instant for Nora Edwards's signature. The same has been signed as was requested.

Very respectfully,

Encl.

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Stincheeum.)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Fort Cobb, Okla.
Sept. 8, 1916.

Supérintejdent

Carlisle School
arlisle Penn.

Dear Sir:

There is enclosed an application for a three year lease on the Dora Hunter Edwards, deceased allotee land which covers the NW¼29,-12,-13 for which plese secure the signature of Nora Edwards one of the heirs the other two having signed.
Please return application at earliest convenience.

Thanking you for this kindness I am

ery truly,

Thos Pritchett

Farmer, #7

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November 27, 1916.

Mrs. Adeline Edwards,
112 Washington St.,
Anadarko, Okla.

Dear Madam:

I enclose herewith a check for $20.00 made payable to Kemp & Company from the account of Nora Edwards. This is the amount you said she owes the store. Will you please see that Kemp & Company get the check?

Very truly yours,

D/B

Superintendent

Encl

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October 30, 1916.

Mr. C. V. Stinchecum
Superintendent Kiowa Agency
Anadarko, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:-

Nora Edwards, a pupil of this school, comes to me and makes application for Twenty Dollars from her funds in your hands to pay a bill for this amount which she owes Kemp and Company of your town. You can send this money to me and I will have Nora sign another check to send to Kemp and Company.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

agent.

Anadarko. Okla
Oct. 27. 1916

Supt Supps
Carlisle
Pa.

Sir:-

I would like to know if it would be any objection of me asking you. if Nora. could send. $20.00 to where she runs here. at a place called. Kemps & Co. this been over a year now and they kindly asked me to see Nora about it but I thought it was best for me to write to you about. I am not able to pay it I cant hardly

pay my own depts. I am getting old and sickly. and she is young. She promised she would pay it before she went off to school. I would be glad if she would clear her dept. Could you talk to her about it. I guess shes forgotten about it.

well that is all I would like to tell you. and let me know me know what could be done.

Resp.

mrs Adeline Edwards.

112. W. washington

Anadarko

Okl.

October 30, 1916.

Mrs. Adeline Edwards
112 Washington St.
Anadarko, Okla.

Dear Madam:-

I have your letter saying that Nora Edwards, your grand-daughter, has a bill of Twenty Dollars with Kemp and Company of your town and that you would like to have her pay this bill. I have seen Nora and she has requested me to write Mr. Stinchecum fromsome of her money so she can pay this debt. I have done this and when the money comes here, I will see that Nora pays her debt.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

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KIOWA INDIAN AGENCY

Anadarko, Oklahoma,

November 16, 1916.

Mr. O. H. Lipps,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Complying with your request of October 30 I am sending you herewith check on the account of Nora Edwards as follows:

Ck.766, O. H. Lipps Supt $50 Acct.8142

Very respectfully,

D. J. Stuckmann

Superintendent

PW

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December 19, 1916.

Mr. C. V. Stinchecum
Superintendent Kiowa Agency
Anadarko, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your letter relative to Nora Edwards' request for Twenty Five Dollars, I have to say I have had her at the office and talked with her and find that she has spent the Fifty Dollars which you sent her the last of November, all but a few dollars. Twenty Dollars of this money was sent to Kemp and Company of Anadarko to pay a debt she has had there for sometime. One Dollar and Twenty Nine Cents was paid out for glasses. Twenty Five Dollars was sepnt by her for Christmas presents. She tells me she has ordered a coat and she needs another Twenty Five Dollars to pay for it.

If she has sufficient funds in your hands, I have no objection to her having the amount requested. If she does not have mych, we will have to ask her to cancel her order for the coat.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

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1.29
8-25.00

RECEIVED
DEC 14
KIOWA AGENCY
ANADARKO, OKL.

Returned to
Supt. for
his recommendation

Carlisle. Pa., Dec. 10, 1916.

Mr. C. V. Stuechium.
Kiowa Agency.
Anadarko,
Okla.

Dear Sir:

I am asking a favar from you. I have $10 in this bank which I am saving for christmas. I went down town yesterday and ordered a coat but I dont have the money for here. So please send me $25.00 as soon as possible before the 23rd of this month.

My father has never answered my letter! So I am not going to depend upon them, because it seems he doesn't care enough for me

Respectfully yours.
Nora Edwards.
C. I. V. S.
Carlisle
Pa.

O. H. LIPPS, SUPERINTENDENT

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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.

December 19, 1916.

Mr. C. V. Stinchecum
Superintendent Kiowa Agency
Anadarko, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your letter relative to Nora Edwards' request for Twenty Five Dollars, I have to say I have had her at the office and talked with her and find that she has spent the Fifty Dollars which you sent her the last of November, all but a few dollars. Twenty Dollars of this money was sent to Kemp and Company of Anadarko to pay a debt she has had there for sometime. One Dollar and Twenty Nine Cents was paid out for glasses. Twenty Five Dollars was spent by her for Christmas presents. She tells me she has ordered a coat and she needs another Twenty Five Dollars to pay for it.

If she has sufficient funds in your hands, I have no objection to her having the amount requested. If she does not have much, we will have to ask her to cancel her order for the coat.

Very truly yours

O. H. Lipps
Superintendent.

NRD

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January 3, 1917.

Mr. Thomas J. Putetuit
Fort Cobb, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:-

In compliance with your request contained in letter dated December 28th, I have had Nora Edwards sign Lease No. 14690 and enclose herewith the four copies.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Inclosures

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Dec 28–16

Fort Cobb Okla.

Superintendent

Carlisle School,

Carlisle, Penn,

Dear Sir

Please have Nora Edwards, a visiting Indian girl in your School, sign enclosed card, witness, and acknowledge same, and return to me at your earliest convenience.

Thanking you for this kindness,

I am very truly

Thos J Pritchett

Farmer #7

Fort Cobb Okla,

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January 20, 1917.

C. V. Stinchecum,
Supt. Kiowa Indian School,
Anadarko, Okla.

Dear Sir:

I am returning herewith lease #14690 covering the allotment of Nora Edwards this time with the affidavit properly executed.

Regretting that this error was made and trusting that you have not been inconvenienced thereby, I am,

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

Enc.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

KIOWA INDIAN AGENCY

Card 14690
Wich. 595

Anadarko, Oklahoma,

January 15, 1917.

Superintendent O. H. Lipps,

Carlisle Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps:

I am returning herewith Lease No. 14690, covering the allotment of Nora Edwards, for the reason you have failed to sign affidavit in quadruplicate, as to taking the acknowledgment of the lessor.

Respectfully,

R. O. Stewart

Superintendent.

Inclosure:

1-LK-15

Born 1899.

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February 27, 1917.

Father Feeser,
St. Patricks Rectory,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith a copy of the letter which I have received from Nora Edwards, one of our present pupils.

As the records show that Nora is past eighteen years of age according to the rules there is nothing for me to do but to grant her request.

Very truly yours,

Superintendent.

D:R

ENC.

cc Nora Edwards

Carlisle Pa., Feb 11, 1917.

Lipps.

Superintendent.

Dear Sir.

I am a member of the Catholic church, and would like indeed to get permission to change.

I will state my reasons. I have been a Catholic ever since I was eight years of age. I was sent to convent after the death of my Mother, and of course then I was made a Catholic with out the consent of my father. Both of my parents were protestants. And that is one reason I am anxious. While home I always attend the church there at home. And when I am here I attend the protestant meetings. And was compelled to go to the Catholics.

I thought I would stay there and see if I liked it. But sorry to say I do'nt believe in their belief. So therefore I am interested in the protestants.

Respectfully.

Nora Edwards

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March 10, 1917.

Mr. Thomas J. Pritibett,
Farmer, #7,
Fort Cobb, Okla.

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith the lease which you sent for the signature of Nora Edwards, a pupil of this school. It has been properly signed and executed.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Fort Cobb, Okla.

Febuary, 28, 1917.

Superintendent Carlisle School,

Carlisle Penn?

Dear Sir:

There is herewith a lease for the signature of Nora Edwards a Wichita girls in your school please have he her sign all four coppies on line so indiacted by pencil check mark, and return to me at ~~your~~ earliest convenience Thanking you for this kindness, I am very truly,

Thos. J. Faithorn

Farmer, #7 Ft. Cobb, Okla.

Please take acknowledgement and witness same.

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May 2, 1917.

Mr. C. V. Stinchecum
Superintendent Kiowa Agency
Anadarko, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter relative to a complaint which Nora Edwards' grandmother makes because Nora has not written to her. I have sent a copy of your letter to Nora with instructions that she write to her grandmother at once.

If the grandmother calls upon you again you can tell her that Nora is in excellent health and that she is getting along nicely with her work. She has asked to be allowed to work under the outing this coming summer and I think the experience will be a good one for her.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

May 1, 1917.

Nora Edwards:-

The following is a copy of a letter received from Mr. Stinchecum,-

Dear Mr. Francis:-

> Nora Edwards, a pupil from this reservation, enrolled in your school does not write very frequently to her grandmother. The old lady came to see me and requested that I ask you to see that Nora correspond more frequently with her home folks, as the old lady is quite attached to the girl and is a fine old woman."

I hope you will write to your grandmother immediately upon receipt of this note. I also hope that it may not be necessary for me to remind you of this duty to your anxious home folks again.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

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SUPERINTENDENT

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MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO
J. PRICKETT, SPECIAL DISB. AGENT

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

KIOWA INDIAN AGENCY

ANADARKO, OKLAHOMA

April 25,1917.

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

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Very respectfully,

P.O. Stumbaugh
Superintendent

CVS/SFM

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May 18, 1917.

Mr. C. V. Stinchecum
Superintendent Kiowa Agency
Anadarko, Okla.

Dear Sir:-

I have a letter from Willie Edwards, Anadarko, Oklahoma, requesting that his daughter Nora, be allowed to spend this coming summer vacation at home. Will you please advise me in this matter.

As I wrote you a few weeks ago, Nora is in excellent health and is getting along all right in every way.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Andarko Okla -
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May 15-1917.

Mister John Francis

Dear Friend
I will write you a letter
let you know that I dont
git now letter from my
Doughter for a long
time and I would like
to know how She is getting
and I dont git now
home letter from her

and would lik for to
Come home this Sumer
because my mother
wount to see her
and She is not well
She is Sickly and
would like to know
if you could let her
Come hom and this
is all your frind

Willie Edwards

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June 22, 1917

Adeline Edwards,
R.F.D.#5, Box #8,
Anadarko, Okla.

Dear Madam:

Several weeks ago I took up the matter of Nora Edward's return home for the summer with Mr. Stinchecum. He advised against her going home for the summer and as Nora was getting along nicely here and in good health, I also discouraged her going. Unless there is a very good reason for her going home at this time it seems best to adhere to the decision reached in her case earlier in the spring.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

Anadarko. Okla.
June. 17. 1917.

Mr. Francis Jr.
Carlisle
Pa.

I will now drop a few lines to you. only to ask you. if you can let, Nora Edwards come home for the summer, As the other Supt. promised she would come this summer, But I see you are the new Supt. I would sure like for to come home As I seen other students comes home that lives here only my granddaugh always left behind.

I am the gardian over her.

so I would be very thankful
and happy if she could come home
only for few months with me. any.
way. I am getting old and
sickly ss.

So will close hoping to
get an early reply.

Resp.

Adeline Edwards
Anadarko
Okla.

R5. Box 8.

C. V. STINCHECUM
SUPERINTENDENT

5-1142

MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO
J. PRICKETT, SPECIAL DISB. AGENT

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

KIOWA INDIAN AGENCY

ANADARKO, OKLAHOMA

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Sept 5 1917

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

My dear Mr. Francis:-

I am enclosing herewith several lease checks payable to the order of Nora Edwards and are listed as such:

Check No.	Payable to	Amount
29858	Nora Edwards	$150.00
21548	" "	150.00
22119	" "	41.67

Very truly yours,

J. Prickett
Acting Superintendent.

B-Encls.

O.P. 321

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December 1, 1917.

Mrs. Adeline Edwards
321 E. Oklahoma St.
Anadarko, Oklahoma.

Dear Madam:-

I have your letter objecting to your grand-daughter's being in one of our outing homes.

I fear you do not understand the conditions under which our girls are placed in outing homes. In the first place, we do not send them under the outing unless they ask to go out. Nora wanted to go out and signed a paper to that effect. We then arranged for her to go.

She has been to a Philadelphia Hospital to have her eyes operated upon. As soon as she recovers from this operation, she will continue her school work. This is another thing perhaps you do not understand, that while our girls are in outing homes, they attend public school regularly. They have the privilege of going to school all day and can oftentimes make better progress in their school work out there than they can here where they have only a half day in school.

Trusting that this information will make you feel better concerning Nora, I am
Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Gradarko. Okla
Nov. 26. 1917.

Mr. John. Francis.
Carlisle Pa.

Dear sir.

Mr. Francis, I was certainly disa-
pointed to learn of Nora Edwards. being sent
out to the country; You may be glad
to see her out there. but I am not. I think
Nora, was getting along fine in her report
cards every month. I was sure proud of her
cards. when I get them. You. ought nt to
let her go. for she was doing fine there.
For I know my self. its not much of a.
pleasure to be working out in a family and
attending sch. too its rather hard its not like
being right at the sch... Nora has such
a weak eyes. she ought to be where she
can have them treated every day.

Mr. Francis. If you can do me a
favor. please send her back to the

school where she belongs. and let her take up her school work's again I would be very much thankful if you sent her back to the Carlisle I dont like it much. her working like a servant.

I'm the guardian + grandma of her.

respectful.

Mrs Adeline Edwards

Anadarko.

321 E. Okla. Okla.

PS. hoping to hear from you soon.

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December 1, 1917.

Superintendent in Charge
Orthopaedic Hospital
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of a bill for professional services rendered Nora Edwards, one of our Indian pupils now living in an outing home with Miss Agnes K. Fox, Glenside, Pennsylvania, in which I note a charge of $5.00 for use of operating room.

Miss Johnston, our outing agent, when she took two Indian pupils to you recently, was informed that our Indian pupils would not be charged for the use of the operating room. She is away on annual leave now and I am not able to get the exact facts regarding this. Will you please give me the correct information concerning this matter.

I will hold Nora's bill until I hear from you.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

C C to Dr.L. Webster Fox
303 So. 17th St.

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December 11, 1917

Orthopaedic Hospital,
Cor. 17th & Summer Sts.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Gentlemen:

I am enclosing herewith check No. 37101 in the amount of $10.50 to cover board for Nora Edwards, a pupil of this school, for one week.

Yours very truly,

Superintendent.

LG

encl.

Philadelphia, 12/4 191 7

Miss Ora Edwards Dr.

To The Philadelphia Orthopaedic Hospital and Infirmary for Nervous Diseases

N. W. Cor. 17th and Summer Streets

Board Bills are payable weekly in advance
Medicine Bills are rendered monthly or on application
Patients are requested to secure a full statement of their account before leaving the Hospital
Make Checks to order of "Orthopaedic Hospital"

For one weeks board to 11/26 $10.50

Pd ch # 37101.

ways Return Bill

Philadelphia Orthopaedic Hospital and Infirmary for Nervous Diseases

Date of Payment 191

Name Miss Flora Edwards

Board $ 10.50 To 1/26

Medicine ..... " .....

Spl. Nurse ..... " .....

Rlf. Nurse ..... " .....

Op. Room .....

Salvarsan .....

Treatments .....

Extras .....

Do not Detach Stub

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February 4, 1918.

Miss Agnes K. Fox
Glenside, Pa.

Dear Madam:- Please have Nora Edwards sign the enclosed check for $9.38 made payable to H.H.Boyd and Company and see that the bill is paid. Send the receipt to me to be filed with Nora's file.

Very truly yours

NRD

Superintendent.

Inclosures.

TELEPHONE 292

PHILADELPHIA, 1/19/18

M Carlisle Indian School
Carlisle Pa.

TO H. H. BOYD & CO., DR.

MANUFACTURING OPTICIANS

120 S. THIRTEENTH STREET

4008

BOYD'S PATENTED
EYE GLASS AND
SPECTACLE
MOUNTINGS

GRINDERS OF
AMETHYST TINTED
LENSES

1 pair Gold Eyeglasses. Toric Lenses. 12 50
Zyl. Rims 25% 3 12 9 38

1-8-18

Nora Edwards.

H. H. BOYD & CO.
Per HJG

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March 9, 1913.

Miss Agnes K. Fox
Glenside, Pa.
Dear Madam:-

Please have Nora Edwards endorse the enclosed check for $41.67 drawn in her favor and return the same to me for deposit here.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD-Inc.

292

March 4, 1918.

Miss Agnes K. Fox
Glenside, Pa.
Dear Madam:-

Please have Nora Edwards sign the enclosed check for $2.80 made payable to H. H. Boyd and Company and send the check to the Company to pay the bill for glasses enclosed. Instruct them to return the receipted bill to the school.

Very truly yours

NRD

Superintendent.

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Glenside, Pa.

Dear Madam:-

Please have Nora Edwards endorse the enclosed check from her home for $150.00 and return the same to me for deposit to her credit here.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Inclosures.

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

My dear Mr. Francis:

I understand that the enrollment contract of Nora Edwards expires at the close of this year. The grandmother of this girl has asked me to write you in an effort to find out just when the girl will return to her home.

Will you please advise me so that I may in turn advise the grandmother?

Very truly yours,

C. V. Stinchecum

CVS:G

superintendent.

Telegram

Nora Edwards left Carlisle last evening for Anadarko.

Frances

June 10.

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Anadarko Okla
June. 7. 1918

Mr J. Francis Jr.
Carlisle
Pa.

Sir:-.

Will drop a few lines to ask you when. will. Nora Edwards. be home again;-
I ask. C V Stingecum he said she would be home soon. he would look after it,. when. the time, He was busy then. Saying
So I thought I would write to you also. I sure would like for her to come home. she's been 3 years.
So will close. hoping to get an early reply
resp.

Adeline Edwards.
Anadarko
321 E. Okla. Okla

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April 30, 1918.

Miss Agnes K. Fox
Glenside, Pa.
Dear Miss Fox,

Complying with Nora Edwards' request and your approval of the same, I enclose herewith a check for $25.00 from her account, this money to be used for her personal needs.

Very truly yours

NRD-Inclosure

Superintendent.

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your approval or disapproval
rn letter.

215 N. Willow Grove Pike.
Glenside, Penn.
April 24, 1918

Mr. John Francis Jr:
Supt. Indian School.
Carlisle, Penn.

Dear Sir:

May I draw the amount given here $25.00, as I did not draw last month.

Thanking you in advance.

Very truly
Nora Edwards.

#008

213 N. Willow Grove Pike
Glenside, Pa., Apr 28, 1914

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

Dear Sir: I am enclosing Nora Edwards' letter with my approval. I have been trying to teach Nora to save her money, that simply because she has a large Funds account, is no reason to check as much out every month, as she says she has done, until she came here with me, and she has done

well, indeed, along this line. However she does need this $25.00 for some clothes and other articles. She told me she had not written for any money in April, so had not drawn any for a month and a half.

Very truly,

(Miss) Agnes F. Fox

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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. ◯
3. Mail copy to your Supervising Field Office, if any.

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 Paid | Word Day (Day or night.) | Government rate—Toll, $

Sent by—

Western Union Telegraph Co.
(Name of company.)

Carlisle, Pa. June 10, 1916
(Place.) (Date.)

To Stinchcomb, Superintendent
Anadarko, Oklahoma

From John Francis, Jr.
(Print or typewrite name of sender.)

Superintendent
(Title of sender.)

Nora Edwards left Carlisle last evening for Anadarko.

Carlisle Indian School, Pa.

Charge :
(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:

6—4690

July 16, 1918.

Mr. C. V. Stinchecum
Supt. Kiowa Agency
Anadarko, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:-I have a letter from Nora Edwards requesting all but $100 of her money in bank here. I enclose herewith a check for $325.70 which complies with her request. Will you please see that this money is credited to her account there or give to her, according to your discretion.

Very truly yours

Trav. Aud. in Charge.

NRD-Inc.

wants all but
$100 of her money
NRD

311 East Oklahoma Ave.
Anadarko, Oklahoma
July 11, 1918

Mr John Francis Jr.
Supt Carlisle Indian School.

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly send my money to the Kiowa Indian Agency. I were at the office twice to see if my money were there.

I also ask please hold back a hundred dollars so I may have something to spend in the Fall.

Very Respectfully
Nora Edwards.

Hoop
#325.70

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CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

May 24, 1917, 191

This certifies that Nora Edwards
(Name of student.)

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

Subjects—Academic and Vocational.	Grade.	Rating.
English	V1	81
General Exercises		74
Arithmetic		76
Geography		69
Physiology and Hygiene		79
Writing		80
Drawing		81
History		72
Sewing		73
Cooking		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.)

grade or year vocational.

6—4659

Superintendent.

Principal.

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