

REPORT OF Rachael Scheudering pupil of Carlisle Indian School, who went Apr. 1916 to live with Ms. P. J. Kirk of Nottingham of Pennsylvania, Nottingham, Rising Sun, Md. Railroad Station

Conduct See remarks. Not impertinent in words but manner.

Health Looks to be in excellent health.

Ability Very good at first but soon grew very slack. Lazy.

Cleanliness Most untidy and really not clean.

Economy Has no ideas of economy.

Situation of Room 2d floor. Voice pleasant room.

Condition of Room Very very bad.

Condition of Clothing Fair.

Wages No. up to Ms. Patron says she is not worth her board.

Are careful accounts kept by patron? Yes.

Are careful accounts kept by pupil? No.

Number of days at school Summer outing.

Distance to school

Grade or quality of school

Name and address of teacher

Qualifications of teacher

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle?

In what grade is pupil at present?

Attends what church and Sunday school? Methodist - Family Friends.

Distance to church Very short distance.

Is there a Catholic church in locality? No.

Who compose patron's family? Ms. & Mr. Kirk - 4 children. Mr. Kirk's Uncle.

What other help is employed? No other help.

Locality of home Farm - About 3 miles from Rising Sun, Md.

Home life and environments See remarks.

Trade at school

Nature of work Gen'l helper

Pupil's age 18 Experience First

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

Mrs. Kirk may not be a first class house keeper but she gives a girl a good home and takes good care of her. The home is a good one for a certain type of girl. Mrs. Kirk has a quiet disposition and is too easy with her present girl, Rachael, who needs constant prodding.

Rachael has been using some kind of "Walnutta Juice" to dye her hair and wears her hair in a most untidy fashion to do her work. I talked with her about this and even made her sit down while I coiled it up for her in a neat way and told her to wear it that way around her work. It surely was greasy and oily. She promised to do better, I told her to get her head washed and try to keep herself clean. She came down stairs with me and promised Mrs. Kirk to do better.

Three hours later as I was returning from another call, I passed the home, ^{again} Mrs. Kirk informed me that shortly after I left Rachael flew upstairs and remained in her room the whole noon hour and later only appeared when called but wearing her hair in the same red untidy fashion.

Of course, were Mrs. Kirk a little sterner in discipline she could control this and like situations but the truth of the matter is, that I doubt if any other patron would have kept so dirty and lazy a girl as Rachael has proven to be.

L.M. Johnston -
Aug. 1916.

August 9, 1916.

Rachel Schenderlin:-

I have a special report about you from Miss Johnston and am sorry to learn that you have not been doing as well as you should. Our girls in the country have nearly all made good records this summer. We have had just two reports so far that were not good and one of them is yours. We have 98 girls under the outing and all have made good records but you and one other. I should be ashamed of such a record, Rachel. If you and this other girl had behaved yourselves, we could have had a ~~clean~~ record for our girls. But this is not the worst trouble. You have had an opportunity this summer and have not made use of it. There are many things you need to learn about housework and cooking and because you have not tried to learn, you have practically wasted this summer.

Miss Johnston reports that you are especially untidy about your hair. This matter will be reported to the matron here so that she can correct this fault when you return to the school. I would advise that you begin at once to correct it yourself so that you will have no trouble when you get back here. I want your next report to be better than the last one.

Very truly yours

NRD

Chief Clerk in Charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

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Sept. 21st, 1915.

Mr. Evan W. Estep,
Superintendent, U. S. Indian Agency,
Crow Agency, Mont.

Dear Mr. Estep:

I thank you for your letter of the 14th instant and for the complete information contained therein about Rachel Schenderline. A copy of the letter is being forwarded to the Office at Washington with my recommendation that authority be granted to pay for the girl's transportation and to keep her at Carlisle as you request.

I hope I can report soon that favorable consideration has been given the request.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Crow Agency, Montana,

September 14, 1915.

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

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of September 9, returning application for the enrollment of Rachel Schenderline, and of George Pease, Jr.

I have inserted in the application of George Pease the information concerning the date of his birth. I do not have a record of school attendance and suggest that the information necessary to complete this portion of the application be secured from the pupil himself.

I have looked up the record of Rachel Schenderline and find that she is in fact ^{of} one-eighth Indian blood. When I talked to you concerning her I was under the impression that her mother was half blood, though I did not look it up until receipt of this application, upon which she herself has entered her degree of Indian blood as one-fourth. However, I believe it very desirable that this application be approved and

that the girl be enrolled and kept at Carlisle for as long a time as practicable. As will be noted from her application, she has passed the fifth grade, which is about as high as our Agency School can give with advantage to the pupil. The public schools of the reservation will not admit Indian children. The girl appears to be bright and can make good use of further education which her parents do not have the means to give her in private school. It is also exceedingly desirable that girls of this age be removed from local environment with its exceedingly harmful influences. I think the home influences of this particular girl are not as desirable as might be expected, considering the opportunities of the parents. I urgently recommend that Rachel's enrollment in Carlisle be approved.

Very truly yours,

Evan W. Estep
Superintendent.

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Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully

BRIEF.

Application of

Martha Chatham

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Rachel Siederling

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Date of enrollment 191.....

Term of enrollment *Three years* (*3*) 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 Indian school, Carlisle Pennsylvania of Rachel Schenderling; she; date of birth March 13, 1900

(Name of Child)

(Sex)

(Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER (Both Indian and English)	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<u>Theodore Schenderling</u>	<u>dead</u>	<u>white</u>		<u>white</u>
<u>Martha Chatham</u>	<u>living</u>	<u>Crow Indian</u>		<u>1/4 Indian</u>

I, Martha Chatham do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to Rachel 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.
(Not less than 3)

The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL	DATE OF ENROLLMENT	DATE OF DISCHARGE	CAUSE	GRADE
<u>1. St Xavier</u>				<u>1st grade</u>
<u>2. Crow Agency</u>				<u>2nd grade</u>
<u>3. Rapid City</u>				<u>2nd grade</u>
<u>4. Lodge Grass</u>				<u>5th grade</u>

Martha Chatham
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: Lodge Grass

Two Witnesses:

Mrs Laura Covington
Mrs Ellen Pease

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 25 day of August, 1915

Edward Lawrence

Physician at Crow 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 Martha Chotano
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This 25th day of August, 1915

Evans W. Estep
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.

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.

NAME *Rachel Scheudelin*

Sex Male Female

Tribes ^{Full} *Acorn* State *Montana*

Aug 25, 19*15*

Age *10* years Respiration *normal*

Condition of Eyes *Slight hypermetropia*

Height *5* ft. *3* ins. Mensuration { Insp. *34*

Ears *normal*

Weight *117* lbs. Exp. *31*

Throat *normal*

Temperature *98 3/5* Vaccination *yes*

Cervical glands *normal*

Pulse *72* Vision *normal*

Skin *normal*

Inspection *Possibly Pyoderma alveolaris*

Palpation *normal*

Percussion *normal*

Auscultation *normal*

Heart *normal*

(Menstruation) *yes*

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father	<i>yes</i>	<i>good</i>	<i>no</i>	<i>Heart Disease</i>
Mother	<i>yes</i>	<i>good</i>		
Brothers <i>3</i>	<i>22</i> <i>20</i> <i>18</i>	<i>fair</i> <i>good</i> <i>good</i>		
Sisters <i>no</i>				

Personal history *Always been in good health*

Present condition *Good health*

Edward Lawrence, 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.

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL ✓

No. *3058 5123* NAME. *Schenderlin Rachel* AGE. *15* TRIBE. *Crow* DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD. *1/4* NAME OF AGENCY AND RESERVATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT, POST OFFICE OF FAMILY. *Crow Agency*

DATE ENTERED.	Months in school before enrollment here.	IN WHAT GRADE OR ROOM.		Distance to nearest public school from pupil's home.	REMARKS.		
		On entering here.	At date of this report.		(Temporarily absent, outing, deserters, on sick leave, special authorities for enrollment, etc.)		
					To COUNTRY	FROM COUNTRY	DATE DISCHARGED
<i>Sept. 1916</i>	<i>7 mo.</i>	<i>V</i>	<i>V</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>MAR 31 1916</i>	<i>MAY 25 1917</i>	
			<i>VI</i>		<i>APR - 6 1918</i>		

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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*								
Department..... standing*								
Physical condition								

Remarks:

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Sept. 9th, 1915.

Mr. Evan W. Estep,
Superintendent, U. S. Indian Agency,
Crow Agency, Mont.

Dear Mr. Estep:

It is noted on the application for the enrolment at Carlisle of Rachel Schenderline that a claim of but one-eighth degree of Indian blood is made. If that is a mistake please have the application corrected. I enclose it herewith.

If only the one parent of the girl was of one-fourth Indian blood I would thank you to let me have without delay such facts as will justify me in recommending to the Office that the special authority required to keep her here be granted.

The application for the enrolment of George Pease is also being returned to you so that there can be noted thereon the additional information regarding the date of birth and school attendance required to make it complete.

Both young people arrived here today, although I have not yet seen them at my office.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

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Oct. 4th, 1915.

Mr. Evan W. Estep,
Superintendent, The Indian Agency,
Crow Agency, Mont.

My dear Sir:

I am having returned to you herewith for the files at your office the duplicate of the application you submitted for the enrolment at Carlisle of Rachel Schenderline. Our School Physician has noted thereon that he too found the girl in satisfactory physical condition.

I also take this opportunity to advise you that the Office at Washington has granted me authority to pay for the girl's ticket from Government funds and to make her enrolment at Carlisle permanent for the period of time specified on the application.

Very truly yours,

Encl.

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

File R. Schenderlin

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Nottingham Pa.

May 28. 1917

Supt. Carlisle School.

Dear Friend.

I hope Rachel arrived all safe on the 25th and I hope she will do better, than she did for me. She would put on white waists and aprons to wash or clean up on Saturdays and when I told her she should wear her work aprons and dresses she gave me a saucy answer. When the dishes needed replenishing she would jerk the dish from my

hand and slam the
door after her. I never
let on I noticed her doing
so. For it would only
make her worse. When
she rec. a check from home
she came down dressed
to go out. I asked her where
she was going. "To Town" she
replied. I said wait till
after dinner and I will
take you. No I am going
now and she did. When
she came back curled up
in bed and staid until
I asked her to help me
get supper. In the
mornings she would not
get up unless I called.
Her and when I did

she would not come down
until I had breakfast all
ready. She would leave
me right in the busiest
time of day and go to her
room and comb her hair
and powder her face.

She took the worst looking
underclothes back that
ever went from here, she
would not wash them
clean. Now I just tell you
a few of these things
that you may know
how she did. When I sent
her up stairs to sweep
a room and bath and call

she did my part in about
1/2 hour then went to
her room and stayed
the balance of the
morning and if I
said any thing to her
she would be as ugly
as she could be.

I hope my next pupil
will be more pleasant
any way.

I am Very Respt,
Mrs P. J. Kirk
Nottingham
Pa.

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REPORT OF Rachael Schudelin pupil of Carlisle Indian

School, who went 3-31-16 to live with Ms. P. J. Kirk

of Nottingham Pa. Chester

Penn. Nottingham Pa. Railroad Station

Conduct Variable - see letter sent to Supt.

Health Excellent

Ability Lazy - Does not

Cleanliness Very very poor.

Economy Knows nothing of being careful.

Situation of Room 2nd floor.

Condition of Room Very poor.

Condition of Clothing " "

Wages 75 per mo.

Are careful accounts kept by patron? Yes.

Are careful accounts kept by pupil?

Number of days at school Summer Outing -

Distance to school

Grade or quality of school

Name and address of teacher

Qualifications of teacher

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle?

In what grade is pupil at present?

Attends what church and Sunday school? Methodist near home.

Distance to church near home

Is there a Catholic church in locality? No.

Who compose patron's family? Mr. and Mrs. Kirk, 4 children - Mrs. Kirk's Uncle.

What other help is employed? No other help.

Locality of home Farm.

Home life and environments Good - Mrs. Kirk has little force discipline.

Trade at school

Nature of work Girls Helper

Pupil's age Experience First from Carlisle.

Aug. 1916 - L. M. Johnson - Girls Field Agent

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

A series of horizontal dotted lines for writing.

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December 13, 1917.

Mrs. Martha Chatham
Ledge Grass, Montana.

Dear Madam:-

Your letter to Superintendent Asbury concerning your daughter Rachel Schenderline and a copy of Mr. Asbury's letter to you, came to me several days ago. These letters have been referred to our school physician Dr. Menger. He has examined her and reports that she had had a few attacks of appendicitis in the past but at present is doing nicely. He suggests that we get your permission to operate upon her at any time in the future that it seems necessary to do this. If you want the doctor to operate when it is necessary, please write me to that effect.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Copy to Superintendent C.H. Asbury
Crow Agency, Montana.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle Penna..

Dec. 10th 1917.

Mr. John Francis Jr. Supt.

Dear Sir:-

Rachel Schenderlin has had a few slight attacks of appendicitis in the past but at present is doing nicely. I would suggest that we receive permission to operate at any time in the future should occasion for the same arise.

Respectfully yours,

Edw. F. Meyer.
Physician.

Dr. Menger:- Will you please make a report on Rachel Schenderlin so I may tell her mother, her exact condition. Resp.

N.R.Denny

Crow Agency, Mont.,

Nov. 30, 1917.

Mrs. Martha Chatham,

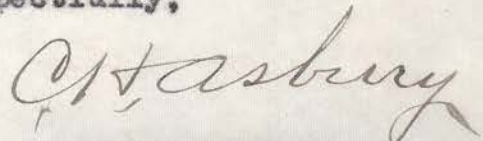
Lodge Grass, Mont.,

Dear Madam:

I have your letter in reference to your daughter, who seems to be at Carlisle School though your letter is rather indefinite. The question of your daughter coming back, if that is what you have in mind, would have to be taken up with the Superintendent of the Carlisle School. I do not believe that you daughter's condition is serious or the school authorities there would have given it attention, and if she has appendicitis it is probable that she could get better attention there than she could at Lodge Grass.

I am sending your letter with a copy of this to the Superintendent of Carlisle from whom you will doubtless hear in due time.

Very respectfully,



Superintendent.

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Lodge Grass, Mont.

Nov. 27, 1917

Dear Sir,

I thought I would write and see if you would let my daughter at Carlisle Penn. She been having the appendicitis for the last three or four months. There is gal to be something done befor it goes to long. I thought I would write to you to see if you can do something

Yours truly
Martha Chatham

Rachel Schendeluil

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March 11, 1918.

Mr. C. H. Asbury
Superintendent Crow Agency
Crow Agency, Montana.

Dear Sir:-

I have a letter from Mrs. Martha Chatham of Lodge Grass, Montana, requesting that her daughter Rachel Schenderline, be returned to her home this coming summer. She claims she needs her daughter's help.

Rachel was enrolled here in September 1915, for a period of three years which would entitle her to go home this coming June. Up until this last winter, she has been unsettled and unwilling to take hold of the work required of her here and at times has given us considerable trouble by her disobedience and heedless-ness. During this last winter, she has settled down to work and has made wonderful improvement. She has voluntarily signed to go under the outing for the summer and I will be glad to give her another trial in an outing home for I believe she would do better now than she did last year.

I feel that if her mother could be persuaded to allow Rachel to stay here another year or two, we could do a whole lot more for her now that she shows a willingness to learn, than we have done for her in the last three years.

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Could you have a talk with her mother and then
write me ?

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Lodge Grass, Mont.

Feb 27. 1918

Dear Sir,

I would like for you to
send my daughter Rachel
Schenderlin home when
her term is up for I need
her very much

From Mrs Martha Chatham

Lodge Grass
Mont

Please let me know
when her term is up.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Crow Agency, Mont.,

March 18, 1918.

Mr. John Francis, Jr., Supt.,

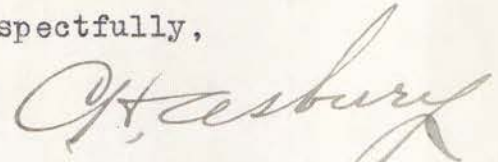
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of March 11 in reference to Rachael Schenderline whose mother has written to you questioning you about her return home. It is some distance from here to where Mrs. Chatham lives and I may not be able to see her for a few days, but will refer this matter to our Farmer in that district and I will see her as soon as possible. I would suggest that you take no action looking to the girl's return for the present.

We have had several cases here that have been brought to my attention, similar to this one. The girls have stayed in school just about long enough to become interested in their work and then have returned home with the positive promise to the school and with the real intention to return, but the reservation influence has been such that they have weakened in that resolve and did not continue their school work. This would probably be the case with this girl if she came back. From what you say of her I have no doubt but that the best thing would be for her to stay if you can arrange it.

Very respectfully,



Superintendent.

CHA/AB

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April 2, 1918.

Mr. C. H. Asbury
Supt. Crow Agency
Crow Agency, Montana.

Dear Sir:-

I wrote you sometime ago that Rachel Schenderline had signed to go under the outing this coming summer. This I think is evidence that she wants to remain longer at Carlisle and it is my opinion that her mother need have no fear that she is acting against her daughter's wishes when she signs her application for re-enrolment. However if she wants to wait until she hears from Rachel, this will be all right.

We have found an outing home for Rachel and she will leave here this coming Saturday with the party of outing pupils. I am told that she seems very happy about going out and I think she will be contented.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Crow Agency, Mont.,

March 27, 1918.

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

Dear Sir:

Referring to your letter of March 11 in reference to Rachael Schenderline, I sent the correspondence down to our Farmer in that district and am just now in receipt of a letter from him as per copy enclosed. From this it appears that if the girl will express her desire to remain, her mother will sign the application form.

I am in favor of the girl remaining for another term or two or three years, as I have observed here that the girls who return after one enrollment are seldom convinced to go back, as their people bring so much force to bear to have them remain. I had some cases of that kind last fall which were really pathetic.

Very respectfully,



Superintendent.

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Lodge Grass, Montana,

March 23, 1918.

Supt. C. H. Asbury,

Crow Agency, Mont.

Dear Sir:

As per your request I interviewed Mrs. Chatham regarding the matter of allowing her daughter Rachael to remain at Carlisle School.

Mrs. Chatham states that she is willing for Rachael to remain at school for two or three years if the girl wishes to remain and that she will write Rachael so advising her. Mrs. Chatham would not sign application for enrollment until she heard from the girl, so if the officials at the school can persuade the girl to stay I believe that there will be no trouble as far as Mrs. Chatham is concerned.

Very respectfully,

(Sgd) S. P. Cope

Farmer.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Crow Agency, Mont.

April 8, 1918.

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

Dear Sir:

Referring to your letter of April 2, you are advised that I have sent application blanks to our farmer in the district in which the mother of Rachel Schenderline lives, and asked the farmer to secure the mothers signature thereto, if she wishes to do so.

Very respectfully,

C. H. Asbury
Superintendent.

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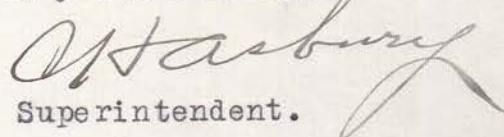
Crow Agency, Mont.

Supt. Carlisle School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Referring to your recent request that we secure the signature of the mother of Rachel Schenderline for the enrolment of Rachel for an additional term, I regret to advise you that the mother has refused to sign this paper. I believe that this decision is chiefly based on correspondence she has had with her daughter and if Rachel should decide to enroll for another term, that a letter from her, requesting her mother to sign, would get you the necessary signature.

Very respectfully,


Superintendent.

B/W

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Mont. 419

Name of Student Rachel Schenderlin

Home Address Martha Chatham Lodge Travo Tribe Crow

Age at Entrance	Date of Entrance	Shop	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JUL.	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL OR AVERAGE
15	9-9-15														
Patron	Locality		Days in School												
Mrs. P. J. Kirk			10		19½		16								
Address	R. R. Station		Conduct												
Nottingham, Pa.			y y y		7 y y		7 y y		7 y y		7 y y		7 y y		
Recommended by	Grade in School		Ability												
			y 7 y		7 y 7		7 y 7		7 y 7		7 y 7		7 y 7		
Grade of Home	Church		Health												
			y y y		y y y		y y y		y y y		y y y		y y y		
Date of Outing	Date Returned	Wages	Earnings												
3-31-16			6.00 6.00 6.00 6.00		6.00 6.00		6.00 6.00		6.00 6.00		6.00 6.00		6.00 6.00		

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Gatesville, Pa.

My dear Miss Johnson, Aug. 17 - 1918.

I have just seen my sister and she says that blue skirt that Rachel had - belongs to her coat suit. The coat is in fine condition but of course is no good without the skirt.

Will you mail it to her, please?
Miss Leva M. Portner, Gap, Lancaster Co., Pa.

I am very sorry to give you this trouble. I should have taken it when I was there, of course, but I was so nervous and upset that I hadn't any idea whether the skirt was an old one or a good one.

The reason Rachel held on to her little

nd bag so carefully was because
of that of string of beads. They were
Mildred's. We have not found
any one to search for those rings
yet but I almost doubt Rachel's
word about them - however we
will have the place cleaned.
We appreciate your kindness to us,
very much.

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. H. M. Scott — Marie P. Scott,

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CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

June 14, 1918.

This certifies that Rachel Schenderlin

(Name of student.)

has made the following record in Carlisle Indian School

(Name of school.)

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.

GRADE.

RATING.

English

Sixth

80

General Exercises

"

61

Arithmetic

"

37

Geography

"

77

Physiology

"

66

Penmanship

"

85

Drawing

"

75

History

"

64

General Average

"

64

Effort

Department

DETAILS SERVED.

LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.

RATING.

Industrial

69

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

grade or year vocational.

John ... Superintendent.

Principal.

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JULY 24, 1917.

July 24, 1917.

Mr. Evan W. Estep
Superintendent Crow Agency
Crow Agency, Montana.

Mr. W. A. Bender
Ticket Agent G.V.R.R.
Gallatin, Pa.

My dear Mr. Estep:-

Dear Sir:-

The following is a copy of a letter which I received from Mrs. Martha Chatham of Lodge Grass, mother of Rachel Schenderlin, one of our pupils.

"I want my girl Rachel Schenderlin to come home. I am not well and would like to have her with me so if anything happens she would be here and she would take care of me. Telegraph me what her fare would be and I will send it so she can come home at once if possible and let me know when she can start. "

Will you please let me have your advice and recommendation in this case.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Lodge Grass July 14/1914

Mr John Francis supt

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yours respect

Martha Chatham

By J. S. Chatham

Lodge Grass
Mont

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

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Crow Agency, Mont.,

July 27, 1917.

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

Dear Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of July 24 with reference to the request of Mrs. Martha Chatham that her daughter, Rachael Schenderline, be allowed to return home.

As far as I am aware, Mrs. Chatham is not in great need of the help of this daughter at this time and I believe it decidedly for the best interests of the daughter to remain at Carlisle until her term of enrollment shall have expired. This girl, though mostly white, is from a home where she is not under the best influences and it would be advisable to keep her away at school for a term of years if possible.

Very truly yours,

Evan W. Testep
Superintendent.

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Carlisle, Pa. August 13, 1918.

Mrs. H. M. Scott
RFD. Coatesville, Pa.

My dear Mrs. Scott,--

I note in your July report of Rachel Schenderline that there is a balance of \$17.25 due her. Inasmuch as Rachel has stolen from you articles the value of which is far in excess of the wages she has earned, it is decided that you keep this money in part payment for some of the stolen articles which she has lost or destroyed.

Rachel has confessed to Miss Knight that she did take the two missing rings, intending to keep them but one day about a month ago, she became angry at you and threw them in the back yard toilet, on the left hand side.

She has not made any confession regarding the other stolen or missing articles.

I am sorry that our relations should end so unsatisfactorily but it seems to have been unavoidable.

Very truly yours

Trav. Aud. in Charge.

NRD

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CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 3058		ENGLISH NAME Rachel Schenderlin			AGENCY		NATION Crow		
BAND		INDIAN NAME			HOME ADDRESS Mother-Martha Chatham Lodgegrass, Mont.				
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD 1/4	AGE 15	HEIGHT 5-5	WEIGHT 117	ED INSP. 34	FORCED EXPR. 31	SEX F	
FATHER	NO	MOTHER	Y	DATE DISCHARGED		CAUSE OF DISCHARGE			
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Sept. 9, 1915		FOR WHAT PERIOD Three years							
TO COUNTRY		PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS					FROM COUNTRY		
3-31-16		P. J. Kirk, Nottingham, Pa. Rtd.					5-25-17		
4-6-18		H. M. Scott, Coatesville, Pa.							

SHAW-WALKER, WILFRED, WICHITA, KANSAS 40245

Months in school before Carlisle, 7 yrs.

Grade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Presbyterian

1 mi. to public school