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REPORT OF Hettie Fealhu- pupil of Carlisle Indian

School, who went 6-10-16 to live with Mrs. J. W. Parker.

of Beverly, N.J. (Post Office) , (County) ,

N.J. (State) , Beverly , Beverly Railroad Station

Conduct Not satisfactory - Did not apply her knowledge full at times.

Health Excellent.

Ability Very good especially in sewing.

Cleanliness Not tidy.

Economy Needs much training.

Situation of Room 3rd floor.

Condition of Room Very good.

Condition of Clothing Very good.

Wages 10 per mo.

Are careful accounts kept by patron? Yes.

Are careful accounts kept by pupil? Yes.

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.

Distance to church Short distance.

Is there a Catholic church in locality? Yes.

Who compose patron's family? Mr. & Mrs. Parker and 5 daughters.

What other help is employed? Large laundry piece sent.

Locality of home Country town - summer at seashore.

Home life and environments Excellent - Old patron.

Trade at school

Nature of work Girls' Helper.

Pupil's age Experience Considerable.

Hettie can do very well but did not like her home and thus did not exert herself. Aug. 1916 - L. M. Johnston - Girls' Field Agent

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REPORT OF Hettie Feather pupil of Carlisle Indian School, who went May 10 to live with Mrs. W. F. Mitchell of West Chester (Post Office), West Chester (County), West Chester (State) Railroad Station

Conduct vg
Health "
Ability "
Cleanliness "
Economy "
Situation of Room 3rd
Condition of Room 3rd good
Condition of Clothing good
Wages "
Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes
Are careful accounts kept by pupil? "
Number of days at school
Distance to school
Grade or quality of school
Name and address of teacher
Qualifications of teacher
In what grade was pupil at Carlisle?
In what grade is pupil at present?
Attends what church and Sunday school? yes
Distance to church
Is there a Catholic church in locality?
Who compose patron's family? h - wife & 2 little boys
What other help is employed?
Locality of home
Home life and environments
Trade at school
Nature of work gen. house
Pupil's age 18 Experience good

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REPORT OF Hettie Feather pupil of Carlisle Indian School, who went May 10-13 to live with Mrs. W. F. Mitchell of 212 Price St., West Chester, Chester, Penn., West Chester Railroad Station

Conduct Very good; stubborn at times

Health Some eye trouble; generally good health.

Ability Good.

Cleanliness Quite tidy.

Economy No idea of economy.

Situation of Room

Condition of Room Fair

Condition of Clothing

Wages

Are careful accounts kept by patron? Yes.

Are careful accounts kept by pupil?

Number of days at school Began in Sept. Regular attendance - 86 1/2 days.

Distance to school Short distance.

Grade or quality of school Graded school.

Name and address of teacher Miss Lillian Barton, West Chester, Pa.

Qualifications of teacher West Chester normal Grad.

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? Room 8

In what grade is pupil at present? 6th grade.

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

Distance to church

Is there a Catholic church in locality? Yes.

Who compose patron's family? Mr. & Mrs. Mitchell and two small boys.

What other help is employed? Washwoman every week.

Locality of home Town -

Home life and environments Apparently very happy.

Trade at school

Nature of work Gen'l helper.

Pupil's age 18 Experience First winter.

REPORT OF Hettie Feather pupil of Carlisle Indian
 School, who went 5-10-18 to live with Mrs. W. F. Mitchell
(Date) (Patron)
 of West Chester, Cherter
(Post Office) (County)
Penn., West Chester Railroad Station
(State)

Conduct Variable - Very disagreeable at times. See remarks
 Health Excellent
 Ability Very good - when she tries
 Cleanliness Has made progress in tidiness under Mrs. Mitchell's care.
 Economy Not particularly careful.
 Situation of Room 3^d floor
 Condition of Room Very good
 Condition of Clothing Very good
 Wages 6 when not at school.
 Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes
 Are careful accounts kept by pupil?
 Number of days at school Can have 7 Full attendance the whole year - Vocational Course.
 Distance to school About 4 squares.
 Grade or quality of school Graded school.
 Name and address of teacher
 Qualifications of teacher
 In what grade was pupil at Carlisle?
 In what grade is pupil at present? Seventh - Grade.
 Attends what church and Sunday school?
 Distance to church Short distance
 Is there a Catholic church in locality? yes.

Who compose patron's family? Mrs. & Mr. Mitchell and two little boys.
 What other help is employed? No other help
 Locality of home Town.
 Home life and environments Excellent.
 Trade at school
 Nature of work Lint Helper -
 Pupil's age 18 Experience None.

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

Hettie has been given the best school advantages. This year 1914-15 she was allowed to take the vocational course and has done well in her school work. Cooking and sewing were the two branches in the vocational course. In her home life Hettie has been at times quite disagreeable, impertinent and careless. This spring she had to be watched because of her inclination to meet boys. She has too large a correspondence for any good purpose. It would be well to return Hettie ^{to} Carlisle at the first opportunity. She has not appreciated her country privilege. When Hettie was first placed, her country mother refused to keep her because she knew so little so she was transferred to Mrs. Mitchell's home where she has remained until now.

L.M.J.

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

5233

NUMBER 2846	ENGLISH NAME Betty Feather	AGENCY Cherokee	NATION Cherokee	
BAND Smis	INDIAN NAME with guardian	HOME ADDRESS Gallie Shell (Guardian) Cherokee, N.C.		
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD Free	AGE 16	HEIGHT 5-4 1/2	WEIGHT 136 1/2
FATHER, L.	MOTHER, D.	FORCED INSP. 38	FORCED EXPR. 33	SEX. F.
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Jan. 23. 13	FOR WHAT PERIOD Three years	DATE DISCHARGED	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE	
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS			FROM COUNTRY
4-10-13	Jas. Walker Menden, Hall, Pa.			Pa.
5-10-13	W. F. Mitchell, Price St., West Chester, Pa.			6-5-15
6-10-16	J. W. Parker, Beverly, N. J.			9-15-16
6-2-17	Auting - Mrs. W. F. Mitchell, West Chester			8-30-17
6-15-18	W. F. Mitchell, West Chester, Pa.			

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MURKESON 121071

Months in school before Carlisle, 702

Grade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Baptist

Miles to school 20

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BRIEF.

Application of

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Hettie Feather.

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

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

Term of enrollment..... (5) years

Printed by Carlisle Indians.

This pupil lives with Salie Shell.

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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, Pennsylvania,

of Hettie Feather; (Name of Child) ; date of birth 1896 (Sex)
Eastern Cherokee (Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER (Both Indian and English)	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<u>Lawyer Feather</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Eastern</u>	<u>Full</u>
NAME OF MOTHER	<u>Dead</u>	<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Eastern</u>	<u>Full</u>

I, Sallie Shell do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to her enrollment in said school for a period of Three years, (Not less than 3) 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
<u>Cherokee Boarding School</u>	<u>1903</u>	<u>1913</u>	<u>Enrollment Carlisle.</u>	<u>4th,</u>
2.				
3.				
4.				

Sallie Shell
(Parent or Guardian next of kin)

P. O. address: Cherokee, N. C.

Two Witnesses:

Witnesses:
J. H. Henderson,
Emp. Employee
W. H. Koppelka
Emp. Employee
Cherokee, N. C.

Wick

This pupil lives with Sallie Shell.

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 20 day of Jan., 1913

Clifford E. Waller
Physician at Cherokee Agency.

School

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 Sallie Shell
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This 20th day of Jan., 1913

Frank Kyselka
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.

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.

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

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Date of report.....

Name of child *Hettie Feather* Age *18* Grade *7*

Home post office *Cherokee, North Carolina.*

Tribe *Cherokee* Degree of Indian blood *full*

How many acres of land do you own..... Location.....

What is the annual income from your land.....

Do you have any other income..... How much.....

Is your father living *yes*

Father's name *Lloyd Feather.*

Home post office *Cherokee, North Carolina.*

Tribe *Cherokee,* Degree of Indian blood *full.*

Is he a citizen.....

How much land does he own..... Allotment No.....

What is its estimated value.....

What is the annual income from his land.....

Does he have any other income.....

If so, how much.....

Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property.....

Is your mother living *yes*

Mother's name *Mary Feather*

Home post office *Cherokee, North Carolina.*

Tribe *Cherokee,* Degree of Indian blood *full*

Is she a citizen.....

How much land does your mother own..... Allotment No.....

What is its estimated value.....

What is the annual income from her land.....

Does she have any other income.....

If so, how much.....

Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property.....

With whom do you make your home..... Mrs. & Mrs. John Shell

How many rooms in the house..... 1

How many live in the house..... 4

How far is your home from the nearest public school..... about a mile and half.

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

How many teachers employed there..... 3

How many grades maintained..... 1st to 8th grade

How many months of school each year..... 10

Did you ever attend a public school..... Yes,

If so, how long..... 14 mos. ^{out} of 20

Where..... West Chester, Pa.

How many brothers of school age have you..... 1

How many sisters of school age have you..... 1

Are they in school..... 1 in school

Where..... Cherokee, North Carolina

Remarks and recommendations of superintendent with reference to eligibility and need of Federal aid:

Superintendent.

NOTE.—One of these blanks should be filled out by each pupil at Government boarding schools, preferably with the assistance of the superintendent or some one designated to act as his representative. If the superintendent is of opinion from the information given that the pupil is entitled to enrollment he should so indicate by signing the blank in the proper place and filing in the individual pupil's folder. In the case of pupils concerning whose eligibility or need of Government aid there is some doubt, superintendents should make proper remarks and recommendations in the space indicated and forward the form to the Indian Office for consideration.

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Carlisle, Penna. Sept. 10th, 1913.

Mr. James E. Henderson,
Superintendent,
Cherokee, N. C.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 5th, enclosing checks
of 32.00 and 46.67 in favor of Hettie Feather and John
Welch respectively. The same will be placed to their credit.

Respectfully,

W. H. M.

Superintendent,

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Eastern Cherokee Indian School,
Cherokee, North Carolina,
September 5, 1913.

Mr. M. Friedman, Superintendent Carlisle School,
Carlisle, Pa.,

Dear Sir:

In compliance with authority from the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, I am sending you herewith a check for thirty-two dollars (\$32) drawn in favor of Hettie Feather who is a student in your school. This authority was granted for the reason that Hettie needed some work done on her teeth. Will you please place the money to her credit on your accounts and acknowledge the receipt of the check.

Very respectfully,

James E. Hudson
Superintendent.

MW.
Incl.

Hettie-Feather

W.H.M.

September 13th, 1913.

Mr. W. F. Mitchell,
West Chester, Penna.,

Sir,

Please have Hettie Feather endorse the enclosed check and return to me to credit her account. Amount of check \$32.00.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Superintendent,

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215 Price St. West Chester, Pa.

Oct. 4th, 1913.

Mr. P. R. Wadsworth,
Cherokee, N. C.

Dear Sir-

After

your extreme kindness in sending Battie Feather's check (\$32) to Carlisle, Mr. Friedman has not sent any towards the payment of Battie's debt bill.

I feel quite ashamed to ask the Gentlman to wait longer as he has now been waiting since July.

Why Mr. Friedman has neglected or avoided this matter I do not see and I will greatly appreciate any further effort on your part to see that this bill gets paid.

It seems large, but when one considers her teeth had had no attention whatever his service was very reasonable. She is quite proud of them now and has had every comfort since they have been fixed.

Thanking you for your past favor and trusting it is within your power to assist us further,

I remain

very respectfully
Mrs W. S. Mitchell
West Chester, Pa.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,

Eastern Cherokee Indian School,
Cherokee, North Carolina,
October 6, 1913.

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

Sir:

I hand to you herewith a letter from Mrs. W. T. Mitchell of West Chester, Pa. the patron of Hettie Feather a student of your school, with reference to funds for paying a dentist bill which has been incurred for Hettie by her.

Under date of September 5, 1913 I forwarded to you a check for thirty two dollars to be placed to Hettie's account and used in the paying of the said dentist's bill. In fact when we asked the Department for the authority to transfer these funds we gave dental work as the reason for asking for them.

I know that this matter has been overlooked and that you will see to it that the bill is paid.

Very respectfully,

James E. Anderson
Superintendent & S.D.A.

JEH/MW
Incl.

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October 10th, 1914.

Mr. James E. Henderson,
Superintendent, Cherokee, N.C.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 2nd, enclosing check of
44.75 which has been placed to the credit of Hettie Feather.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Supervisor in charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Cherokee Indian School,

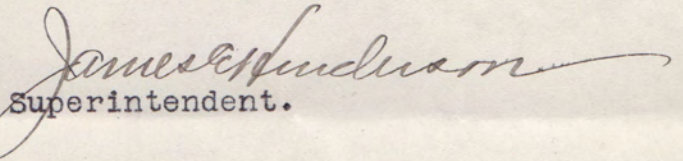
Cherokee, N.C., October 2, 1914.

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

Dear Sir:

There is enclosed herewith a check drawn in your favor
in the sum of \$44.75, the same being for transfer of funds
from this School, of Hettie Feather, now a student at Carlisle.

Very respectfully,


Superintendent.

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Sea Isle City, N. J.
Sept 13, 1916.

Mr. O. H. Lipps
Supt. of Carlisle Ind. Sch.
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

As my time was up last June, but decided to go out the country for the summer instead of going home, so I should like to go home this fall. I return to the school Friday, Sept 15th I am anxious to get back. I have gotten along nicely here with my patrons and I shall always think of the days I spent under the outing. It is hard to think that I have gain something since I came to Carlisle three and half years. I certainly have learned a whole lot, but there can be little more improvement yet.

(2.)

I certainly am glad to have
been with Mrs. Parker, as
they are very nice people.
I sure have enjoyed bathing
in the ocean. I shall
be glad when the time
comes for me to go back
and will ask to go to your
office after I return.

Sincerely,

Hattie Heather.

CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

May 24, 1917, 191

This certifies that Hattie Feather (Name of student.)

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

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.	GRADE.	RATING.
English	2nd Voc.	77
General Exercises		68
Arithmetic		64
Commercial Geography		75
United States History		70
Soils and Soil Fertility		75
Cooking		79
Sewing		86

Effort _____

Department _____

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

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

_____ grade or year vocational.

John Francis
Superintendent.

Wm. Blair
Principal.

CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

----- May 24, 1917 -----, 191

This certifies that ----- **Hattie Feather** -----
(Name of student.)

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

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.	GRADE.	RATING.
English	2nd Voc.	77
General Exercises		68
Arithmetic		64
Commercial Geography		75
United States History		70
Soils and Soil Fertility		75
Cooking		79
Sewing		86
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Effort -----

Department -----

DETAILS SERVED.	LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.	RATING.
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and is ~~or is not~~ eligible to pursue work in the **Third Year Vocational** grade, academic; and
(Cancel one.)
----- grade or year vocational.

Superintendent.

Principal.

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West Chester, Pa.

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Miss Hattie F. Fisher

Dr.

To Wm. K. Thorp, D. D. S.

20 Years Instructor in Operative Technics Penn'a College Dental Surgery, Philadelphia

For Dental Services	1	Essent Filling	\$	57
	3	Silvers		1.50
				<hr/>
				2.00

Received Payment,

Wm K. Thorp
per L.

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CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

June 14, 1918., 191

This certifies that Hattie Feather (Name of student.)

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

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.	GRADE.	RATING.
<u>English</u>	<u>3rd Yr. Voc.</u>	<u>87</u>
<u>Physics</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>86</u>
<u>Chemistry</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>78</u>
<u>General Exercises</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>76</u>
<u>General Average</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>83</u>

Effort _____

Department _____

DETAILS SERVED.	LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.	RATING.
<u>Cooking</u>		<u>88</u>
<u>Sewing</u>		<u>82</u>

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

(Cancel one.) _____ grade or year vocational
John Stanning Superintendent. Arthur Blair Principal.

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August 22, 1918.

Miss Hettie Feather
West Chester, Pa.

Dear Madam:--

Your letter to Mrs. Denny comes to this office for attention. Your time has expired and you are entitled to go home if you think that is the best thing for you. I presume there will be quite a number of Cherokees who will want to go home instead of being transferred to another school. We are arranging to send quite a few Cherokees to Haskell. I will put your name on the home list unless I hear to the contrary from you.

Our time is so limited just now, I would suggest that you see Mr. Guth, the photographer about the picture you want, when you return to Carlisle. You can leave your order for whatever ones you want, with him.

Very truly yours

Trav. Aud. in Charge.

NRD

410 W. Union St.,
West Chester, Pa.
Aug. 18. '18.

Henry:

I am writing telling
you that I had a pleasant
summer. You know the
following week after I
got here my country mother
and I picked nearly 40 yds.
of cherries and canned them.
At times we've been very
busy except when the days
^{were} very hot then we accomplished
very little.

Well time is drawing nearer
and nearer when some of
us will perhaps never see
each other. I surely do miss
the society meeting & being a
Susan and will always be
a true Susan.

I have many things to be thankful for what Carlisle has done for me. My thoughts will wander back to Carlisle after we've all departed, one cannot help think of it being located on such a beautiful spot.

Well Mrs. Denny, my idea of writing to you was this. Since I have stayed my full term there at Carlisle of (5) years. I will be glad to know whether I will be permitted to go home this fall. I am anxious to go home, ~~since~~ I have been away since 1913. If I go out west it means more expenses to come back home, then it does now so I would rather go home this fall.

I don't suppose we will have much time to do shopping during that week. There are several things that I want to get before leaving Carlisle. Will you please get me the Susans picture and the Red Cross picture and get the money out of my wages I was unable to get them at that time. I don't want them a card board I want them so they can be rolled up to put in my trunk.

How is the school I imagine it is very quiet now so few there.

I got the Senior book Sat.

and was sure glad to get
it. I enjoyed it very much.
Is Mrs. Foster still there?
you see I haven't heard from
any one from there since
I left this is why I am
anxious to know.

I got an invitation to a
party on Wed. 2:30 to 5 down
at Mary Choates country ^{and}.
She is going to give a party
for the Cahill girls. Expect
a joyful time.

Oh! yes, I must not forget
to tell you that I made
a sweater for the Red Cross
here. Every little helps. I made
within three weeks.

I am hoping to hear from you.

I remain, Sincerely,
Hattie Heather.

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September 2, 1918.

Mrs. W. F. Mitchell
West Chester, Pa.

Dear Madam:-

I enclose herewith Hettie Feather's check
for \$6.00 which is to pay the bill for the same
amount, also enclosed.

Very truly yours

Trav. Aud. in Charge.

NRD-Incl.