

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

5667

NUMBER 2897	ENGLISH NAME Cora La Blanc	AGENCY Sisseton	NATION Sioux	
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Nanny MaKa Mother-Havana S.D.		
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT
FATHER, NO	MOTHER, L	full	17	5-5 $\frac{1}{4}$
				117 $\frac{1}{4}$
				35 $\frac{1}{2}$
				33
				7
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL	FOR WHAT PERIOD	DATE DISCHARGED		CAUSE OF DISCHARGE
Oct. 1, 1913	Three years			
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS			FROM COUNTRY
5-1-14	Mrs. H. W. Abbott, Beverly, N. J.			9-1-15
	Re-enrolled Aug. 4th for one year.			
8-31-16	Hannali Haines, Moorestown, N. J.			6-2-17
6-8-18	Mrs. G. J. Penrock, Lansdowne, Pa.			

THE SHAW-WALKER CO. HUSBKRON 42107.1

Months in school before Carlisle,

Trade entered at Carlisle,

Trade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Presbyterian

Presby. ~1639~

(Date)

(Date)

Class or grade

Academic-----standing*

Industrial _____ standing*
(Department)

Musical: Band....standing*

Vocal.....standing*

Orchestra.....standing*

Department.....standing*

Physical condition

Remarks: _____

Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully

BRIEF.

Application of

Cora LaBlanc

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Herself

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Sisseton, South Dakota.

Date of enrollment..... **May 16, 1918.** 191.....

Term of enrollment..... **Three** (**3**) years

Printed by Carlisle Indians.

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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, Pa.

of **Cora LaBlanc** ; **F** ; date of birth **Nov. 9, 1896**
(Name of Child) (Sex)

Sioux
(Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER (Both Indian and English)	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
Peter LaBlanc	Dead	Sioux		$\frac{1}{2}$
NAME OF MOTHER				
Nancy Maka	Living	Sioux		Full

I, Cora LaBlanc do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to my enrollment in said school for a period of 3 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
¹ Good Will Mission-1904	1907			
² Sisseton Bdg. Schl-1907	1913		Close of term	Seventh
³				
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Cora LaBlanc
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: Edin, So. Dak.

Two Witnesses:

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find.....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.....day of....., 19.....

Physician at.....Agency.

CERTIFICATE OF AGENT OR SUPERINTENDENT.

I hereby certify that the statements made in the foregoing application and certificate, to the best of my knowledge and belief, are true, that the consent of.....
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This.....day of....., 19.....

Agent or Superintendent.

SPECIAL NOTE.

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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 reservations, 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 reservations. (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 nonreservations 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.

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BRIEF

Application of

Bona Ze Blane

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

herself

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Sisseton Agency, S. D.

Date of enrollment.....

Aug. 4th 191*6*

Term of enrollment.....

One (*1*) years

Printed by Carlisle Indians.

Ed. June 13-6000

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of Barlisle Pa.
Cora La Blane; 7 ; date of birth Nov. 9, 1897
(Name of Child) (Sex)
Sioux
(Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER (Both Indian and English)	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<u>Peter La Blane</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>Sioux</u>		<u>1/2</u>
NAME OF MOTHER <u>Nancy Mc Gill</u> <u>Maka</u>		<u>"</u>		<u>1/4</u>

I, Cora La Blane, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to my
enrollment in said school for a period of one years, and also obligate myself to abide by all
(Not less than 3)
the rules and regulations for Indian Schools.

The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL	DATE OF ENROLLMENT	DATE OF DISCHARGE	CAUSE	GRADE
1				
2				
3				
4				

Cora La Blane
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: Wavona

North Dakota

Two Witnesses:

Harvey K. Meyer

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find.....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.....day of....., 19.....

Physician atAgency.

CERTIFICATE OF AGENT OR SUPERINTENDENT.

I hereby certify that the statements made in the foregoing application and certificate, to the best of my knowledge and belief, are true, that the consent of.....
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This.....day of....., 19.....

Agent or Superintendent.

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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—

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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

Nancy Maka

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Cora LaBlance

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pa.

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Sisseton, S. D.

Date of enrollment, _____, 191

Term of enrollment, _____ (3) years.

NAME OF PERSON ARRANGING FOR THE TRANSFER:

Position, _____

APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT IN A NONRESERVATION SCHOOL.

(For a child enrolled at an Agency.)

For and in consideration of the Government of the United States assuming the care, education, and maintenance in the United States Indian School at Carlisle,

of Cora LaBlance; F; age 17; date of birth Nov. 9 1896; 1896
(Name of child.) (Sex.)

Sisseton-Wahpeton
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>Peter LaBlance</u>	<u>Dead</u>	<u>Sisseton</u>		<u>3/4</u>
NAME OF MOTHER.				
<u>Nancy Makana</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Sisseton</u>		<u>Full</u>

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

The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL.	DATE OF ENROLLMENT.	DATE OF DISCHARGE.	CAUSE.	GRADE.
<u>1. Good Will Mission</u>	<u>1904</u>	<u>1907</u>		
<u>2. Sisseton Bdg. Schl</u>	<u>1907</u>	<u>1913</u>	<u>Close of term</u>	<u>seventh</u>
<u>3.</u>				
<u>4.</u>				

Nancy Makana
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Havana

Two witnesses:

Albert Hunsinger
Pearl Pruitillo

N.D.

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find him to be in proper physical condition to attend school, and not afflicted with tuberculosis or any disease which would be a menace to the health of other pupils.

This 27th day of Sept., 1913

Ar. O. O. O. O. O.

Physician at Sisseton 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 Nancy Makaence was voluntary.
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

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

Lives about one-half mile from public school.

I recommend the transfer of the said child.

This 24 day of Sept., 1913

J. E. Miller

Agent or Superintendent.

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

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

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

This _____ day of _____, 1913

School Physician.

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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.

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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—

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Cora LaBlanc

-1918-

Senior

I was born on the 9th of November, 1897, in a small village in northeastern South Dakota. My father is Peter LaBlanc, and my mother is Nancy LaBlanc. I had six sisters and five brothers.

I spent the first seven years of my life at home. At the age of eight I was sent to the Good Will Mission School, which school I attended four years, the next year I went to the Sisseton Boarding School, which I attended three years, both schools are in South Dakota, at the end of my seventh year I was in the seventh grade.

During the fall of 1913 I came to Carlisle and remained one year and then I spent two years under the Outing and now I am on my last year, during this time I expect to graduate.

Cora LaBlanc is slow, but a good worker and a capable girl. She is very good in academic branches. She is very quiet and reserved, a typical Indian in appearance. I think she is as capable as the average in looking after her own affairs.

Principal

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REPORT OF Cora La Blanc pupil of Carlisle Indian
 School, who went 8-27-14 to live with Mrs. H. J. Smith
(Date) (Patron)
 of Cinnaminson,
(Post Office) (County)

New Jersey
(State)Riverton

Railroad Station

Conduct ExcellentHealth ExcellentAbility Very goodCleanliness Very goodEconomy Is quite carefulSituation of Room 3d floorCondition of Room Very goodCondition of Clothing Very goodWages Cora would like to be transferred in June for higher wages.
14 men work in school.Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes

Are careful accounts kept by pupil?

Number of days at school Regular - can go the entire termDistance to school About 1/4 mileGrade or quality of school Graded Country school

Name and address of teacher

Qualifications of teacher

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? Room 9In what grade is pupil at present? 8th - Will complete this yearAttends what church and Sunday school? Attends non-sectarian church near homeDistance to church Very short distanceIs there a Catholic church in locality? Not in immediate vicinity - 2 milesWho compose patron's family? Mr. and Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Smith's motherWhat other help is employed? Washing and ironing sent outLocality of home Country - farm - Beautiful "Country" homeHome life and environments Excellent

Trade at school

Nature of work Shoe MakerPupil's age 19 Experience Second term - one summer previous

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

Blank lined area for writing.

REPORT OF Cora La Blanc pupil of Carlisle Indian
 School, who went 8-31-16 to live with Mrs. J. Anna Harris
 (Date) (Patron)
 of 300 W. Main St. Monestown, N.J.
 (Post Office) (County)

Railroad Station

Conduct Variable. At times excellent - again very disagreeable.
 Health Good - see remarks.
 Ability Beautiful needle work. Can do house work well when she tries.
 Cleanliness Very good.
 Economy Not extravagant but
 Situation of Room 2nd floor - well lighted and heated
 Condition of Room Usually very good.
 Condition of Clothing Usually very good.
 Wages

Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes.

Are careful accounts kept by pupil?

Number of days at school Attends school regularly -

Distance to school About 2 squares.

Grade or quality of school Graded School - and High School.

Name and address of teacher

Qualifications of teacher

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle?

In what grade is pupil at present? First year in High School. See remarks

Attends what church and Sunday school? Episcopal. Family "Friends".

Distance to church Short distance.

Is there a Catholic church in locality? yes.

Who compose patron's family? Mr. & Mrs. Harris - and 2 elderly ladies.

What other help is employed? no other help.

Locality of home Same home.

Home life and environments Very good - Plain and simple -

Trade at school

Nature of work Seil Helper

Pupil's age Experience 2 yrs. previous.

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

While there are four people in this home - yet the girl has little to do in the line of work for the two elderly ladies since one is the nurse for the aged lady. Ora has excellent opportunities for good school work but her unfortunate disposition hinders her progress in the home.

She is exceptionally bright in academic lines. Her eyes are not in good condition - She is careless in wearing her glasses and insists on reading very late at night. Does not take correction kindly.

March 1917.

Respectfully
L. M. Johnston.

Cora LaBlanc

A good, honorable, industrious girl,
very retiring which will be to her dis-
advantage when seeking employment. Lacks
both initiative and executive ability, but
is very trustworthy.

Matron & Director of Home Economics

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Aug. 4th, 1916.

Mr. T. A. Robertson,
Veblen, South Dakota.

My dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 26th ultimo with further reference to the advisability of having Cora LaBlanc remain at Carlisle for an additional period of enrolment, I can state that Cora has today signed an application for an additional year and that she intends to go to one of our Outing homes this fall in order that she can attend the public school.

It will be appreciated if you can explain the matter to Cora's mother and assist as may be possible to reconcile her.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

Valley So Dakote

July 26- 1914

Hon Oscar Lipps.

Dear Sir:

yours in regard to Cora
La Blance received, and the situation
explained to her mother. Her mother
now Mrs Jacob Earle - says that
she has a good home and that it is
not true that Cora has no home to
come to, and that she wants her home.
But it seems to me that if Cora wants to
stay longer, and if as stated, she is of
age and can sign for herself that
it rests with you and Cora whether
she stays longer or not.

Very Respectfully
J. A. Robertson

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

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Date of report April 30, 1915

Name of child Cora La Blanc Age 18 Grade 8

Home post office Havana N.D.

Tribe Siouz Degree of Indian blood $\frac{1}{2}$ blood

How many acres of land do you own none Location _____

What is the annual income from your land _____

Do you have any other income no How much _____

Is your father living Steps father

Father's name Jacob Maka

Home post office Havana N.D.

Tribe Siouz Degree of Indian blood Full blooded

Is he a citizen yes

How much land does he own Do not know Allotment No. _____

What is its estimated value _____

What is the annual income from his land _____

Does he have any other income no

If so, how much _____

Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property yes

Is your mother living yes

Mother's name Nancy Maka

Home post office Havana N.D.

Tribe Siouz Degree of Indian blood Full blooded

Is she a citizen yes

How much land does your mother own Do not know Allotment No. _____

What is its estimated value _____

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

Does she have any other income *yes*.....

If so, how much.....

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

With whom do you make your home *with mother and father*.....

How many rooms in the house *Three*.....

How many live in the house *Five*.....

How far is your home from the nearest public school *Half a mile*.....

Why do you not attend that school *At Carlisle Indian School*.....

How many teachers employed there *One*.....

How many grades maintained *Six grades*.....

How many months of school each year *nine*.....

Did you ever attend a public school *yes*.....

If so, how long *One term*.....

Where *Cinnaminson N. J.*

How many brothers of school age have you *Two brothers*.....

How many sisters of school age have you *none* *sister married*.....

Are they in school *Brothers are in school*.....

Where *Sisseton Boarding School. S. D.*.....

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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March 10, 1917

Mr. E. D. Moesman, Supt.,
Sisseton Indian Agency,
Sisseton, S. D.

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of the 6th
instant enclosing check for \$5.00 for Cora LaBlanc.

Yours very truly,

Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Sisseton Indian Agency,
Sisseton, South Dakota.

March 6, 1917.

Supt. Oscar H. Lipps.
Carlisle, Pa.,

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith check in
the sum of \$5.00., Five Dollars, which is approved
and signed by me, for delivery to Cora LaBlanc.

Very respectfully,


Supt. & S. D. A.

EB.
Encl.

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April 5, 1917.

Mrs. Hannah Haines,
Moorestown, N.J.

Dear Madam:

I enclose herewith three papers for the signature of Cora La Blanc. She is to take these papers before a notary public, sign her name if she so desires ~~under that of Joseph La Blanc~~, and have the notary public take her acknowledgement of the same. Please return all three copies to me as soon as they are completed. If Cora La Blanc has no funds in your hands please advance the amount necessary and let me know and I will reimburse you from her funds here.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Sisseton Indian Agency,

Sisseton, South Dakota,

March 29, 1917,

Superintendent,

Carlisle, Penna.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith Petition for Partition of Inherited Indian Land for the signature of Cora La Blanc who is attending your school. Please have her sign and take her acknowledgement and return all three copies to me.

Very respectfully,


Supt. & S. D. Agent.

B.

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April 14, 1917.

E. D. Mössman,
R. F. D.,
Sisseton, S.D.

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith the three
papers which you sent for the signature of
Cora LaBlanc, a pupil of this school.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

TELEPHONE

PHILADELPHIA,

3/31/17

M Carlisle Indian School.

Carlisle, Pa.

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

MANUFACTURING OPTICIANS

120 S. THIRTEENTH STREET

BOYD'S PATENTED

EYE GLASS AND

SPECTACLE

MOUNTINGS

GRINDERS OF

AMETHYST TINTED

LENSES

1 pair Lenses and new Bridge

25%

400

100

300

Cora La Blanc.

H. H. BOYD & CO.

4/27/17

Per

AMM

Thank you

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May 1, 1917.

Cora LeBlanc
Through Mrs. Hannah Haines
Moorestown, N.J.

Dear Cora:-

I have been informed that you have found fault because your country mother has refused you permission to go to the moving picture shows with two other Indian girls. When your country mother refuses to give her permission for you to go to one of these shows without a chaperon, she is doing this exactly in accordance with our rules. Those of our patrons, if any, who are allowing their girls to go to the moving picture shows, unchaperoned, are not complying with our outing regulations. I have no objection to your attending an occasional performance, provided some member of your family or other responsible person accompanies you and you have your country mother's permission. I do not want you to get into the habit of going to these shows regularly. It interferes with your work.

Very truly yours

. Superintendent.

Monestown 4-27-17

Mr. Francis, Jr.

Dear Friend:-

I enclose
my check for a new pupil and
please by no means send me
another high school girl, as
it is not the help I want - in
the spring, especially one like
Lora Hasler and is, taking
no interest in her work only
to get through with as little
as possible and get out again.
Her mind is on going home I
think ^{more} than any thing else.

Very truly yours

Hannah H. Haines

Mary had a little lamb
Left a ~~trace~~ ^{mark} under one of
her ~~feet~~ ^{feet} that she ~~could~~ ^{could}
she made it into a mark

till I be doing wrong to allow
Lora to go out to ~~the~~ early ev-
ning show, (of moving pictures)
with two other Indian girls.
It makes her very cross when
I refuse her such privilege's.
but the Hall is at the other
end of the town and she has
to come home alone. I have
been wanting to see Miss Johnston
for some time, and hoped she
would come to see us so I could
have a talk with her.

H. H. H.

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June 6, 1917.

Mr. E.D.Mossman, Supt.,
Indian Agency,
Sisseton, S.D.

Dear Sir:

Cora La Blanc came in from the outing last week and re-enrolled for another year. Yesterday she came to me and said that she wanted to spend this coming vacation with a friend of her's from Rosebud, S.D. I told her we could do nothing in her case until after you had been informed and had advised in this matter. Personally I think that Cora should remain here this summer but I told her that I could not do anything for her until I had written to you.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

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October 29th, 1913.

Superintendent,

Sisseton Agency, S.D.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 21st, enclosing check for 5.00 for the signature of Cora LaBlanc. The check is enclosed herewith signed as desired.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Superintendent,

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

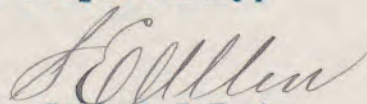
Sisseton Indian Agency S.D.
Oct, 21st, 1913.

Supt, Mose Friedman,
Carlsile Indian School,
Carlsile Pa.

Dear Sir;-

There is inclosed herewith check made in favor of Cora LaBlanc, which was issued to her during the Indian Fair which was indorsed by her mother Nancy ~~Mama~~. Please have her indorse this check above her mothers signature and return to me as the bank has refused payment on account of improper indorsement.

Very respectfully,


Supt, & S.D.A.

ADD.

April 9, 1915.

Mr. E. D. Mossman,
Supt. & S. D. Agent,
Sisseton, S. Dak.

Dear Mr. Mossman:

Replying to your letter, relative to Cora LaBlanc, I have to report that Cora has been under the Outing since last April. She worked for wages until the first of September, then she started to go to school. From her summer wages she saved Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00), which was placed to her account here. During the winter months she has drawn all but Three dollars, fifty-five cents (\$3.55) of this amount.

She does not earn very big wages, but she is in a good home where training and kind treatment counts for more than money, in my estimation.

It is not necessary that she have money to spend for clothing as the school furnishes the Outing Pupils all that they need in this line. Our girls, like all other girls, like to have a little spending money now and then. If her mother can afford to send her a dollar or so at a time for incidentals, I am sure Cora will appreciate it, but as I stated before she does not need a large amount of money.

The outing management is planning to transfer Cora June first to another home where she will be able to earn more as she is more experienced now and able to earn more.

Trusting that this explanation will satisfy the mother and assuring you that we try to take the best care of our girls while they are under the Outing as well as while they are at the school, I am

Very truly yours,

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Sisseton Indian School,
Sisseton, S. Dakota,
April 5, 1915.

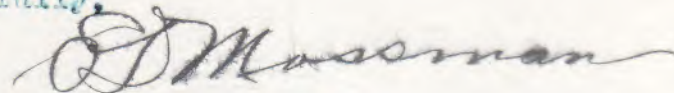
Supervisor O. H. Lipps,
Carlisle Indian School,
Dear Mr. Lipps:

Cora LaBlanc writes that she needs money. She has been on the "Outing" work for two years and it seems that she ought to have money allowed her from her wages sufficient for her needs for clothes, incidentals, etc..

If I remember, however, her mother says that Cora receives only a pittance for her work.

Will you please report on her case so that I may tell her mother the truth in the matter?

Very respectfully,



E. D. M. / F. E. H.

Supt. & S. D. Agent.

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June 22nd, 1915,

Mr. Herbert T. Smith,
Cinnamonsen, N.J.

Dear Sir,

Please have Cora LeBlanc sign the enclosed check
of 3.00 and return to me to pay her bill with Dr. Boyer.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Supervisor in charge.

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May 16th, 1916.

Mrs. Nancy Maka,

Havana, North Dakota.

My dear Madam:

I hereby inform you that your daughter, Cora LeBlanc, will be entitled to return home at the close of this school year later this month on account of the termination of her period of enrolment. Arrangements are being made to have her leave here with the party of girls starting on June 6th and a ticket for her use to Rutland will be provided.

Hoping you will be well pleased with the progress your daughter has made and that you will send her back to us to resume her studies at the opening of the next school year, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Mossman.)

July 10th, 1916.

Mr. T. A. Robertson,
Veblen, South Dakota.

My dear Sir:

Mrs. Denny handed your letter of July 1st to me and I have noted the inquiry you conveyed here for Cora LaBlanc's mother about our failure to return her home early in June when her period of enrolment had terminated. In reply thereto I must state that arrangements had been made to send Cora home and her mother was so notified, but upon receipt of a letter from Superintendent Mossman, copied below, the ticket we had procured for Cora was returned and she was kept here. Will you please convey the information to Cora's mother and then advise me how I can assist?

"I wish you could keep Cora La Blanc and Anna Omeroad at Carlisle as they have no place here. Cora La Blanc especially has no home to which she can go and is old enough that she might be allowed to sign for her own attendance at Carlisle, for another three years."

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Superintendent.

3P
Veblen So Dakota

July 1st - 1946

My dear niece,

The mother of Cora LaBlanc
wished me to find out for her if Cora was
coming home, as she claims her three
years are up. please let me know so
I can tell her.

We have just had a 3 days meeting of
the Sisseton Mission here at St. Luke's
station, your Aunt Sophy, Jim, Ralph
& his wife, and Robbin & his wife were here.
They have named the station at Sophy
St Andrews. They are all well over there,
and the same here.

With Love to you and your
your old uncle
J. A. Robertson

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Sisseton Indian Agency,

Sisseton, South Dakota.

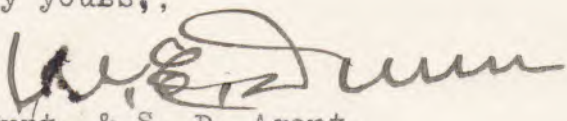
June 12, 1917

John Francis, Supt.,
U. S. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Francis:

I have yours of the 6 inst., and regret
to say that we cannot comply with the request of
Cora LaBlanc, by you, on account of the insufficiency
of funds.

Very truly yours,,


Supt. & S. D. Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

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Sisseton Indian Agency,
Sisseton, South Dakota.

June 14, 1917.

Supt. John Francis Jr.

Carlisle, Pa.,

Dear Sir:

Find herewith enclosed check
in the sum of \$12.26., Twelye Dollars and
Twenty Six Cents, for delivery to Cora LaBlanc.

Very respectfully,

O.P.

W. E. Dunn 186

Supt. & S. D. A.

EB.
Encl.

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August 16, 1917.

Mr. W. E. Dunn
Superintendent Indian Agency
Sisseton, S. D.

Dear Sir:-

Cora LaBlanc a pupil of this school from your jurisdiction completed her term of enrolment last June but expressed a preference to remain at Carlisle another year and signed the enclosed application. If you approve of her action, please sign the application and return to me in the envelope enclosed.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Inclosure.

Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully

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BRIEF.

Application of

Cora LeBlanc

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Herself

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Sisseton, S. D.

Date of enrollment..... June 4, 1917. 191.....

Term of enrollment..... One (1) 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 ~~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, Pa.

of Cora La Blanc ; Female ; date of birth Nov. 9, 1896
(Name of Child) (Sex)

Sisseton-Wahpeton
(Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER (Both Indian and English)	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<u>Peter La Blanc</u>	<u>Dead</u>	<u>Sisseton</u>		<u>$\frac{1}{2}$</u>
NAME OF MOTHER				
<u>Nancy Maka</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Sisseton</u>		<u>Full</u>

I, Nancy La Blanc, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to the enrollment in said school for a period of One 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 Good Will Mission</u>	<u>1904</u>	<u>1907</u>		
<u>2 Sisseton Bdg.</u>	<u>1907</u>	<u>1913</u>	<u>Close of term</u>	<u>7th</u>
<u>3</u>				
<u>4</u>				

Cora La Blanc
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: Havana

Two Witnesses: N.D.

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

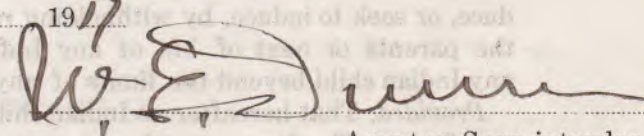
I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find.....to be in proper physical condition to attend school, and not afflicted with tuberculosis or any disease which would be a menace to the health of other pupils.

This.....day of....., 19.....

Physician at.....Agency.

CERTIFICATE OF AGENT OR SUPERINTENDENT.

I hereby certify that the statements made in the foregoing application and certificate, to the best of my knowledge and belief, are true, that the consent of.....
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This 21 day of Aug 1917

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 reservations, 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 reservations. (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 nonreservations 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.

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November 10, 1917.

Mr. James H. Miller
Examiner of Inheritance
Sisseton Indian Agency, Sisseton, S.D.

Dear Sir:-

Complying with the request contained in your letter of the 3rd inst., I have given Cora LaBlanc one copy of the notice of hearing to be held at your Agency December 7, 1917 to determine the heirs to the estate of Joseph LaBlanc and Nancy LaBlanc and have executed the certification on the other four copies and enclose them herewith.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD-Enc.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Sisseton Indian Agency,

Sisseton, S. Dak., Nov. 3, 1917.

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

Dear Sir:

I am inclosing herewith five copies of a notice of a hearing to be held at this agency on December 7, 1917, to determine the heirs to the estates of Joseph LaBlanc, Sr., No. 990, and Nancy LaBlanc, No. 341, deceased Sisseton-Wahpeton allottees.

Kindly serve one copy of the notice upon Cora LaBlanc, now attending your school, execute the certification on the backs of the other four copies, and return them to me at your earliest convenience.

Very truly yours,

James T. Miller

Examiner of Inheritance.

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Inclosures.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

SISSETON INDIAN AGENCY

SISSETON, SOUTH DAKOTA

Dec. 10, 1917,

Supt. John Francis Jr.,

Carlisle, Penna.

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith lease check in the
sum of \$5.00, which please deliver to Cora La Blanc.

Very respectfully,



B.

Supt. & S. D. Agent.

December 14, 1917

Received above check.

Cora La Blanc

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Sisseton Indian Agency,

Sisseton, South Dakota,

Nov. 29, 1917,

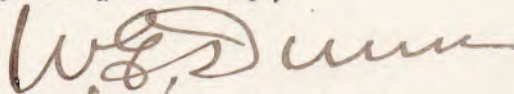
Supt. Francis,

Carlisle, Penna.

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith check in the sum of
\$2.50 for delivery to Cora La Blanc who is attending
your school.

Very respectfully,



Supt. & S. D. Agent.

B.

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

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Cora La Blane

May 13, 1918.

Mr. Willis E. Dunn, Supt.,
Sisseton Indian Agency,
Sisseton, S. Dak.

Dear Sir:

I am returning herewith ^{check} #4016 drawn on
account #1012, received in your letter of May 9th,
1918.

This check is supposed to be drawn for \$75.00
but it is written "Twenty and no/100 dollars." I
would thank you to have a new check drawn up cor-
rectly.

Appreciating your prompt attention to this
matter, I remain

Very truly yours,

John Francis Jr.
Superintendent.

Corrected and certified May 17-

1918.

W. E. Dunn
Supt.

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July 11, 1918.

Mrs. A. J. Pennock
Pocono Lake Preserve, Pa.
Dear Madam:-

The Carlisle sweater for which you sent a check for \$9.00, was mailed to you today, by franked mail.

Heavy underwear was mailed to Cora at your Lansdowne address, a few days ago. It can be forwarded without extra postage and it was sent under frank.

Very truly yours

Trav. Aud. in Charge.

NRD

Pocou Lake Preserv
Pa

July 9, 1918

Dear Mrs. Denny,

We should like to try the
#34 Carlisle sweater & enclose
check for \$9. Please mail to
Cora La Blane at above address.

If it should seem too small
we hope it will be right for us
to return it.

We wish Cora could
have a set of long sleeve heavy
underwear. Mornings & evenings
she is not warm enough.

My sister in helping her pack her
trunk left her winter uniform
at home to save it for winter.
I should have brought it.

I packed in my trunk, a thick
flannel petticoat, a storm cape &
a Jam o' Shanter for her and they
have been useful.

She is well & happy and
is learning a great deal.

Yours sincerely, Naomi Pennock

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July 30, 1918

Miss Cora LaBlanc,
Pocono Lake Preserve,
Pocono P. O., Pa.

Dear Cora:

I enclose herewith a check for Nine Dollars which is the cost of the sweater sent to you, which you decided not to keep. If the postmaster there refuses to frank the package containing the sweater, you would better pay the postage on it. It will not be very much and it will insure its safe return to us.

Very truly yours,

D-E

Trav. Aud. in Charge

Enc.

Pocono Lake Preserve
Pocono Penna.
July 27, 1918

Mr. C. V. Peul.

U. S. Indian School.

Carlisle Penna.

Dear Mr. Peul:

I received the sweater
and although I am
much pleased with it
I don't feel as if I want to
keep it. so I am sending
it back. and if you will
refund the money and
tell us as to where these
sweaters are made and
we will write there ourselves

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and have them make
what I want. and thus
save that much trouble.

I wish you would
have Miss Knight send
me a pair of Gymnasium
bloomers, of blue challis.
if they can be sent here
by, or before August 2. I
would be very grateful.

Thanking you very
much for sending
the sweater,

I am

Yours truly.

Cora La Plante

Mr. Peel.

The country post-master here thinks this
franked envelop will not be right to carry
the sweater box to Carlisle. Please send
me the correct franking label. W.P.

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Cora La Blane

July 31, 1918

Mrs. A. J. Pennock,

Pocono Lake, Preserve, Pa.

Dear Madam:

I know that Cora's plans have been to remain with you and attend public school this coming fall and winter. This is official notice that your plans for Cora are approved, and she can remain with you indefinitely.

Very truly yours,

D-E

Trav. Aud. in Charge

August 5, 1918

Mrs. A. J. Pennock,
Pocono Lake Preserve,
Pocono, Pa.

Dear Madam:

I have a letter from Cora LaBlanc asking why we have sent her seven packages containing clothing. You can tell her that we did this to help her out in the matter of clothing during the time she remained in your home and attended High School. We have several girls who are planning to stay in ~~living~~ homes after this school is closed and we are helping all in this way.

Very truly yours,

D-E

Trav. Aud. in Charge

Ocoso Lake Reserve

Ocoso Penna.

Aug. 3, 1918.

Mr. V. Peel,
S. Indian School,
Carlisle Penna.

Dear friend :-

I have received seven packages containing clothes from the school and more coming today. and I am very much puzzled over it and I wanted to know why I am getting it I appreciate it very much.

I am yr

Yours respectfully
Cora LaBlanc

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OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

September 2, 1918.

Mrs. A. J. Pennock
Lansdowne, Pa.

Dear Madam:-

Our very busy time is ended and I have time now to answer the question regarding the wages due Cera LaBlanc. You can retain what is due her, placing it in bank or caring for it in whatever way you deem best. Every one at the school was vaccinated last fall but as our doctor has left, I cannot furnish a certificate.

I will be at the school for a few weeks yet closing out the accounts and winding up the school affairs in general. I shall be glad to give you any other information you may desire.

Very truly yours

Trav. Aud. in Charge.

NRD

Pocono Lake Preserv^{pa}

Aug. 17, 1918

My dear Mrs. Denny:-

I hope it is within the limits of courtesy for me to ask for information that may be of assistance in my making Cora La Blane feel that everything is being done for her best interest.

Will the money, that under the Outing Rules has been saved from her wages & kept in Carlisle until her going home, be sent to her upon the closing of the school? If not, it would be a satisfaction to know where it is & what is its amount.

I deeply appreciate your placing Cora in my care, I shall do all I can to aid her in her education & wish I might know where you expect to be after the closing of the school.

Cordially yours
Naomi Pennock

Pocouo Lake Preserv., Pa

Aug. 24, 1918

C. V. Peel
Acting Superintendent
U. S. Indian School
Carlisle, Pa

Dear Sir:

I have received word from the Principal of Lansdowne Schools that he will need to see Cora La Blane's vaccination certificate. She tells me that she was vaccinated when she came to Carlisle. Can you send me a certificate?

When Carlisle School is closed, who will have charge of Cora's money, that was retained from her wages, in the School bank, for the time of her going home?

Truly yours

Naomi Pennock

Mr. C.
Ca
De

September 12, 1918.

Mrs. A. J. Pennock
Lansdowne, Pa.

Dear Madam:-

No outing reports will be required for
Cora LaBlanc after last month. The money due her
may be retained by you for her needs during this com-
ing winter.

Very truly yours

Trav. Aud. in Charge.

NRD

Lansdowne, Pa Sept. 8, 1918

U. Peel, Acting Superintendent
isle, Pa

My friend: -

I understood that the entire management at the Carlisle Indian School was to be changed to a military hospital & school during the month of August and on that account did not make my report.

I am in Lansdowne for a short time now but did not bring Cora's accounts home with me. I do not remember what her July balance was nor exactly what money was spent during the month. By the rule of allowing only $\frac{1}{4}$ wages to be used during the summer I ought to have \$22.⁵⁰

Please inform me if reports are to continue as formerly. I forward enclosed promptly. My return to Pocono Lake, Penna. to pack my trunk may be deferred another week.

Very truly yours Naomi Pennock



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

April 24, 1915,

Cora La Blane,

a. A good honorable, industrious girl, very retiring which will be to her disadvantage when seeking employment. Lacks both initiative and executive ability, but is very trustworthy.

Matilda G. Ewing

Cora La Blanc.

Senior

I was born on the 9th of November 1897 in a small village in northeastern South Dakota, My father is Peter LaBlanc, and my mother is Nancy LaBlanc. I had six sisters and five brothers.

I spent the first seven years of my life at. at the age of eight I was sent to the Good Will Mission School, which school I attended four years, the next year I went to the Sisseton Boarding School, which I attended three years, both schools are in South Dakota at the end of my seventh year I was in the seventh grade.

During the fall of 1913 I came to Carlisle and remained one year and then I spent two years under the Cutting and now I am on my last year. during this time I expect to graduate.