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Elk Rapids, Mich.,
Apr. 22. - 14.

Oscar H. Lipps.

Supervisor in Charge

Carlisle Indian School,

Dear Sir:

As you know
I was given the privilege
of coming home, I can say
I stood the trip fine, I arrived
at my destination Thursday
the 16th in good health
I am recovering as I have
hardly any cough at present
no phlegm anywhere, only
a cough in night while

Hospital, but I am
gaining nicely now.

We are having excellent
weather at present, and I
hope to be out exercising
as soon as it gets a little
warmer. Close with best
regards to Carlisle.

Yours truly
George S. Miller,

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

[illegible]

Months in school before Carhale.

Grade entered at College.

Grade at date of Discharge.

Trade or Industry,

Church.

Church, Methodist

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BRIEF.

Application of

George L. Miller

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Three years

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

POST-OFFICE ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:

Elk Rapids, Michigan

Date of enrollment, *August 24*, 191*3*

Term of enrollment, ~~Five~~ *Three* (*13*) years



Application for Enrollment in a Nonreservation School.

(For a child not enrolled at an Agency.)

For and in consideration of the United States assuming the care, education, and maintenance in the United States Indian School at Carlisle Pennsylvania, of George I. Miller, Male, I, James Miller (Name of child.) (Sex.) (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) of Elk Rapids P. O., State of Michigan, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to his enrollment in said school for a period of five 3 years, and also obligate and bind myself to abide by all the rules and regulations for Indian schools. (Not less than 3.)

I further say that the said child was born at Kewadin on Aug 20, 1895; (Date.) that the father, James Miller, Is a half Indian of the Chippewa (Name of father.) (Is or was.) (Degree.) Tribe located at — Agency; that he left the tribe about —; (Approximate date.) that the mother, Margaret Miller, Is a full Indian of the Ottawa (Name.) (Is or was.) (Degree.) Tribe located at — Agency, and left the tribe about —; (Approximate date.) that the said child was born and reared in the United States, and now actually resides therein; and that he has attended the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL—PUBLIC, GOVERNMENT, OR MISSION.	LOCATED AT—	DATE OF ENROLLMENT.	DATE OF DISCHARGE.	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE.	GRADE.
<u>Public School</u>	<u>Kewadin</u>	<u>1901</u>	<u>1907</u>		<u>5th</u>
<u>Oklahoma Gov</u>	<u>Chulocco</u>	<u>Sep 1, 1911</u>	<u>June 1912</u>		<u>8th</u>
		<u>Sep 1907</u>	<u>June 1910</u>	<u>term out</u>	<u>7th</u>

This 25th day of August, 1913
Two witnesses:

Frank Martinek

James Miller
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

C. Daniels

P. O., —

(NOTE.—Every blank in this application must be properly filled out by the applicant, in his own handwriting, if possible. The signature, whether by mark or otherwise, must be attested by two witnesses.)

AFFIDAVIT.

I, George I. Miller, do hereby swear that the statements made in the above application are true.

George I. Miller
(Signature of applicant.)

(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th day of August, 1913

Charles Daniels

(NOTE.—This application and affidavit must be executed before some officer authorized to administer oaths by the parent with whom the child is living; if the parents are dead, by the guardian or next of kin.)

Certificate of Physician.

I, Chas E. Long, a practicing physician of Elk Rapids
Mich, do hereby certify that I have carefully examined George I. Miller

the child named in this application, and find that he is in proper physical condition to attend school, and is not afflicted with tuberculosis or other disease which would be a menace to the health of other pupils.

This 25th day of August, 1913 Chas. E. Long, M. D.

Vouchers of Disinterested Persons.

VOUCHER NO. 1.

I, Harvey S. Amerson, a merchant, of
(Business, calling, or profession.)
Elk Rapids, Mich, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with
George Miller who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his state-
ments therein are true; that I am acquainted with George Miller; that
(Name of Child.)
he is known and recognized in the community in which he lives as an Indian; that in my opinion
he can not receive proper and adequate schooling at home for the reason that Parents
are unable to give him further education.

This 2nd day of September, 1913, Harvey S. Amerson

VOUCHER NO. 2.

I, Myron E. Butts, a Druggist, of
(Business, calling, or profession.)
Elk Rapids, Mich, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with
James Miller, who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his state-
ments therein are true; that I am acquainted with George Miller; that
(Name of child.)
he is known and recognized in the community in which he lives as an Indian; and that in my opinion
he cannot receive proper and adequate schooling at home for the reason that parents
are unable to give him further education

This 2nd day of September, 1913, Myron E. Butts

Certificate of School Physician.

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

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

This _____ day of _____, 191_____

School Physician.

INDORSEMENT.

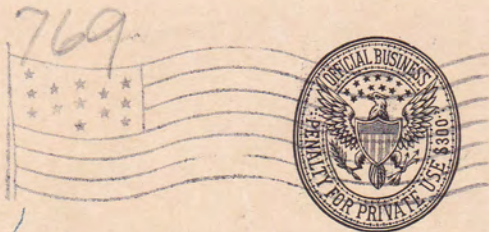
A child showing one-sixteenth or less Indian blood, whose parents live on an Indian reservation, Indian fashion, who, if debarred from the Government schools, could not obtain an education, may be permitted in the reservation day and boarding schools, but it is preferable that it be not transferred to a nonreservation school, without permission from the Office. Children showing one-eighth or less Indian blood, whose parents do not live on an Indian reservation, whose home is among white people where there are churches and schools, who are presumed to have adopted the white man's manners and customs, and are to all intents and purposes white people, are debarred from enrollment in the Government nonreservation and reservation schools. Superintendents, in all cases where doubt exists as to the degree of Indian blood of a child proposed for transfer, should fully satisfy themselves of the facts by affidavits from reliable persons, which affidavits must be kept on file at the school.

A pupil who has been regularly enrolled in a nonreservation school must not be taken to any other non-reservation 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.

A pupil dismissed from school for cause must not be enrolled in any other school without the permission of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs. Full facts must be submitted with each request.



Department of the Interior



Oscar Lippe!

~~Mr. M. Friedman~~

Supervisor in Charge.

~~Supt. U. S. Indian School~~

Carlisle

Pennsylvania

6-3305

Traverse City Mich.
Apr. 19, 1914

Dear Sir:

Arrived safe
and sound feeling
fine & made good
time only had to
wait two hrs in
my changes.

As ever yours truly

George D. Miller.

Elk Rapids.

Mich.

George Ira Miller

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Jan. 17th, 1914.

Mrs. Mary Miller Dodge,
Sisseton, South Dakota.

My dear Mrs. Dodge:

Upon receipt of your letter of January the 9th, in which you made inquiry about the health of your brother, George Miller, it was hurried to our school Hospital with a request that an examination be made and a report issued without delay. I take pleasure in submitting below a copy of the reply that was addressed to me yesterday by our school Physician:

"In regard to George Miller I am glad to say that he has merely an attack of common cold (acute bronchitis), for which he has been receiving treatment.

He has at no time shown any signs of tuberculosis and is steadily gaining weight. My records show that in September of last year he weighed 136½ lbs., while in December his weight increased to 153 lbs. It seems that Mrs. Dodge has been entirely misinformed."

Thanking you for the pictures you so kindly enclosed with your letter, and assuring you that it will

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be a favor if you inform your parents regarding your
brother's health, I remain, with best wishes,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Sisseton Agency, Sisseton, S.D.

January 9, 1914.

Supt. Friedman,

Carlisle, Pa.

My Dear Mr. Friedman:- I am writing to you in regard to my brother Georgie Miller, some one wrote to my folks and told them that he was going to be sent back to his folks on account of consumption. While I hardly believe that the report is true, I thot that I would write and find out the truth. If there is any indication of such trouble , I can arrange for him to go to a school where the air is drier etc like Phoenix, Arizona. I am very anxious to hear from you so that I will know what to tell our folks.

I just got a letter from George the other day and he did speak of a slight cold in the head, that was all, he spoke so well of every thing, his plans in the future and all. I hope that there is nothing in the report. If there is any sign of consumption on the boy ,let me know before it is too late.

We are having a fine winter here for South Dakota, every one says it is unusual for this state. We are in hopes that this weather will keep up all winter.

We are busy, the end of the quarter, this agency work has a lot to it then.

Charlotte says that she is going to school at

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Carlisle next year. I wish that she was big enough.

I hope that our Sisseton boys and girls are doing well, their parents are always asking me about them. I tell them they are doing fine ,of course,I just take it for granted if they were not,they would be back here.

I am inclosing a postal card that we had taken of our little family, just a snap shot .

Now Mr. Friedman please let me know just how my brother is, I can tell the folks in a different way from what any one else can. He is their baby and it would just break their hearts if it came to them that he was being sent to them on account of consumption.

With best wishes and a Happy ,Prosperous New Year
I am,

Very Respectfully.

Mary Miller Dodge.

THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS ONLY



M. J. Richardson
Supt. U. S. Indian School
Carlisle, Pa.

9/14/13

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Dear Sir,

Leave Tuesday for Carlisle
Yours Truly
Geo. S. Miller



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UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL
CARLISLE, PA.

Jan. 16th., 1914.

Supt. Friedman: In regard to George Miller I am glad to say that he has merely an attack of common cold (acute bronchitis), for which he has been receiving treatment. He has at no time shown any signs of tuberculosis and is steadily gaining weight. My records show that in Sept. of last year he weighed 136½ lbs. while in Dec. his weight increased to 153 lbs. It seems that Mrs. Dodge has been entirely misinformed.

Respectfully,

Walter Pundtloff M.D.

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NO.

United States Indian School Hospital

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

YEAR 1914

TRIBE

FULL. ONE

NAME George Miller.

AGE

DIAGNOSIS Pulm. "T. B."

ADMITTED March 17, '14

DISCHARGED April 15, '14

RESULT Not done

VISITING PHYSICIAN:

RESIDENT PHYSICIAN:

REMARKS:

Dr. Rudolph

Case No.

DIAGNOSIS

Pulm. Fr B

Revise

Notes of Case

Name George Miller M.F.

Age _____ S.M.W.

Nativity _____

Occupation _____

Residence _____

Date of admission March 17-14

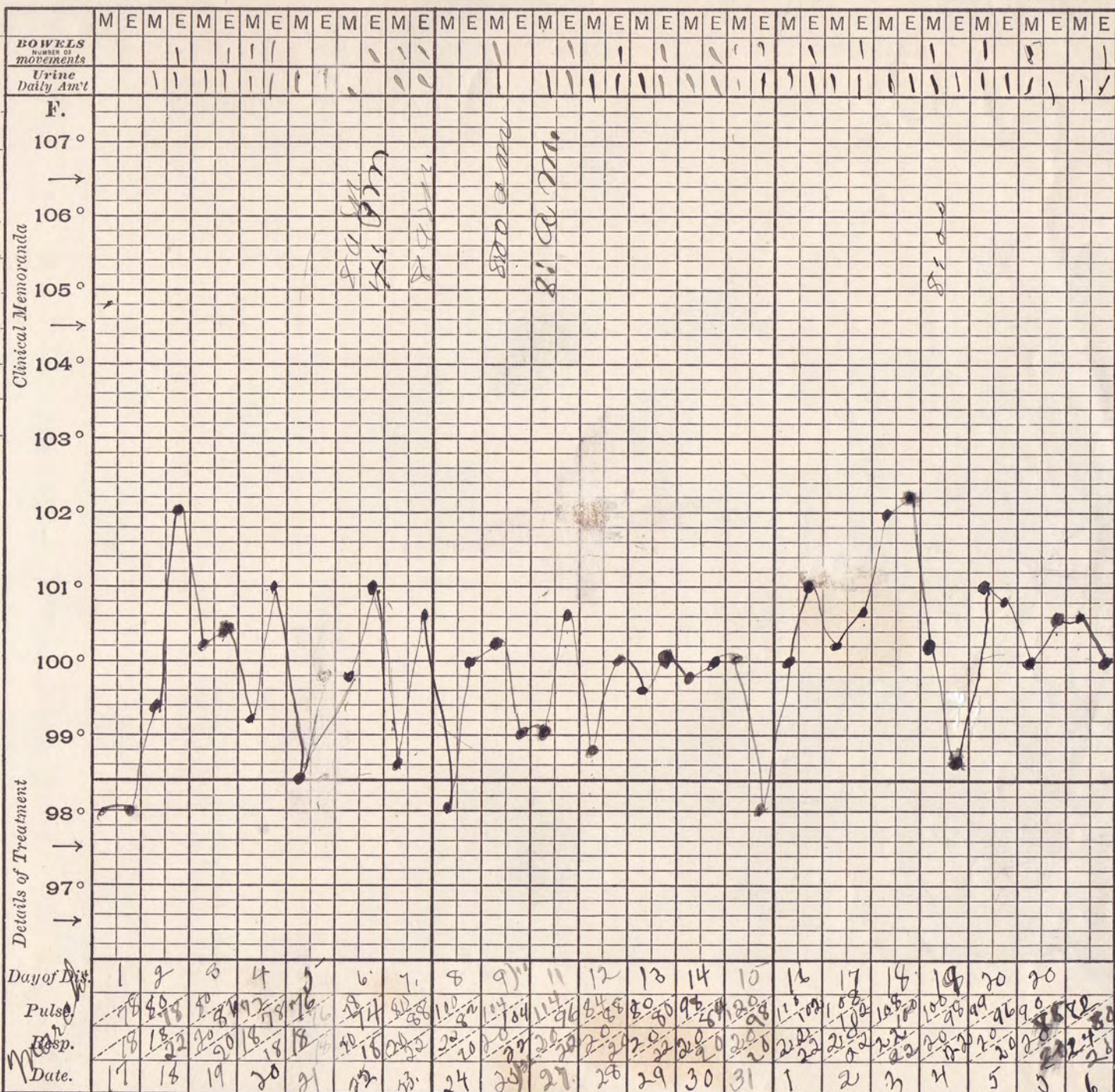
Diet

Light

Treatment

Salal gr. $\bar{I}$ = 8-12-4-8,C.C. Pil. $\bar{II}$ (at once)Pneumatic Cap. $\bar{I}$ now
and repeat $\bar{I}$ in an hr.

Result



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Patient George Muller Carlisle, Pa. 191 Physician L. I. Ventroff
Address _____ Nurse Minnie & Alice

H.	T.	P.	R.	H.	Medicine	H.	Nourishment	H.	Remarks
4:30	108	100	26						
8:00	101 ¹ / ₅	88	24		April 8				
4:00	100 ³ / ₅	102	26		" 8				
7:00	100 ¹ / ₅	88	20		" 10				
4:00	101 ⁵ / ₅	80	24		April 9				
7:00	98 ¹ / ₅	88	20		" 10				
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8:00	100 ³ / ₅	102	24		" "				
4:00	100 ⁵ / ₅	90	20		April " 13				
7:30	98	92	22		" "				
4:00	100 ³ / ₅	112	24		April 14				
7:00	98 ³ / ₅	120	26		" "				
4:30	98 ³ / ₅	88	20		April 15,				
7:30	100 ² / ₅	94	24		Discharged, April 15, '14				

NO.

United States Indian School Hospital

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

YEAR 1913

TRIBE

FULL. ONE

NAME Geo. Miller

AGE

DIAGNOSIS Bail

ADMITTED Oct 29

DISCHARGED Oct 30

RESULT good

VISITING PHYSICIAN:

RESIDENT PHYSICIAN:

A. B. Allen

E. Wenger

REMARKS:

DIAGNOSIS

Notes of Case

Age _____ S.M.W.

Nativity.....

Occupation_____

Residence.....

Date of admission.....

Diet

Treatment

Result _____

C.
-42°
-41°
-40°
-39°
-38°
-37°
-36°
-35°

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April 21st, 1914.

Mrs. Mary Miller Dodge,

Sisseton Agency, Sisseton, S. D.

My dear Mrs. Dodge:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your favor of April the 18th, in which you make inquiry regarding the condition of your brother, George Miller. When your letter came to me this morning I referred it to our School Physician with a request that he make me a definite statement. I submit it below for your information:

"In answer to this say that George has an incipient tuberculosis. He was looking better shortly before his departure and had also gained slightly. It is probably that he will make a good recovery, but it was not considered to his best interests to keep him here."

I will add to this that George did not look at all sick when he left here, so that he will have a splendid chance to regain his strength if he exercises care in forming his habits.

I am pleased to know that you and Mr. Dodge are doing so well at the Sisseton Agency, and I would thank you

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Mrs. Mary Miller Dodge.

to convey my regards to him.

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Hoping that you and Mr. Dodge will succeed in becoming located where there are public school facilities available for your little girl, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

this

as an

hemiplegia. He

latter shortly

in departure and

it also gained slightly.

It is probable that he

will make a good recovery

but it was not considered

to his best interest ^{not} to keep

him here

Respect,

D. H. H. H.

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UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Sisseton Agency, Sisseton, S.D.

April 18, 1914.

Supervisor O.H.Lipps,

Carlisle, Pa.,

My Dear Mr.Lipps;- I have just received a letter from my youngest brother George Miller there at Carlisle saying that he was being sent home on account of ill health.What is the nature of his illness? I am asking this so that we may know what to do in regard to him. If it is lung trouble probably one of these schools like Toledo or Phoenix would help him. Every one in our family has had that weakness while growing. After we have attained our growth we seem to outgrow it. George is so young and has grown so fast that I have an idea that he will get stronger if he goes to a dryer climate.

I wrote to Mr.Friedman in regard to George and they wrote to me and said that he was perfectly sound and quoted even the doctors report in regard to him. My father and mother are both old and it falls to us older ones to look out for the younger ones.

We are doing fine in our work here, I can not say that I like Office work as well as other work. We do all the Finance work and you know what that means on a large reservation. I assist Mr.Dodge,I keep all the Individual Indian accounts, he does the more responsible part of the work of course.

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We will have to look out for a place where we can send our little girl to school and yet have her near us. She has missed one year of school already and unless we get a transfer to a more desirable place I am afraid she will miss another year. There is a school (district) about two miles and a half from here, it is such a distance to send a child in the winter time and it is winter here most of the time.

I suppose Carlisle is beautiful now, our spring has not fully started here, every thing seems brown and asleep yet. Even the creeks are not thawed out yet, the only signs of spring we see are the wild duck and geese traveling northward.

If I am not asking too much I would like to know about George.

Mr. Dodge joins me in sending best wishes to yourself and family.

Respectfully.

Mary M. Dodge.

DEPA
u
Superior
Km
Dr. Rend

Kindly let
know just what
to say in reply
to the letter here-
with.

Respectfully,
Meyer

The friends of George Miller, and he had many at Carlisle, are deeply grieved to learn of his death on the 7th instant, after a long illness at his home in Elk Rapids, Mich. George is remembered as a boy of cheerful disposition, bright and ambitious to learn. Carlisle extends sympathy to the sorrowing friends. 1914

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XXXXXXXXXX

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April 14th, 1914.

Mr. James Miller,

Elk Rapids, Michigan.

My dear Sir:

Our School Physician has had your son George under observation at our Hospital for some time and has finally recommended that he be allowed to go to his home for a visit during the summer months. In view of the recommendation it has been arranged for George to leave here tomorrow afternoon, and on account of train connections transportation only as far as Traverse City will be provided for his use. George states that he will visit his sister at Traverse City and that he can then get to your home from there.

George is not a sick boy by any means, but it is believed that the change to his home conditions and the rest he can get there will be a benefit to him, and so he is being given the opportunity to regain his usual strength.

Hoping that you will notify me after his arrival at your home, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Carlisle, Pa.

April 14th, 1914.

Mr. McKean:

George Miller is to leave for his home on train at 2.11 tomorrow afternoon. Please report his name "dropped".

Earl Armstrong is to leave for his home on train at 5.41 tomorrow evening. Please report him "dropped".

Respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Copy to Mr. Kensler.

Mr. Kensler:

You will please send a conveyance to the Large Boys' Quarters to take the boys to the trains at 2.11 and 5.41, respectively.

Kindly have the Hospital prepare a one day's lunch for George Miller.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Copy to Mr. McKean.



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UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL
CARLISLE, PA.

April 3rd. 1914.

Supervisor Lipps: I advise sending George Miller home. Have had him under observation for a long time and can see no improvement in his condition.

Cecilia Summers is doing nicely since she has been sleeping in the open. She should arrive home in good condition and with rest and care should make a thorough recovery.

Respectfully,

Walter Ruedtloff M. A.