

**Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully**



**BRIEF.**

**Application of**

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

*Addie B. Foster*

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

**Carlisle, Pennsylvania**

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

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

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

Printed by Carlisle Indians.

**Important**—Only those students who desire to come to Carlisle because they have a definite purpose in view will be admitted. Applications for enrollment must be submitted in all cases for consideration before transportation can be made available. Time will then be taken to find out the records students have made in the schools previously attended, and to secure recommendations as to their *moral character* and their worthiness for further attendance at a Government institution.



# Application for Enrollment in a Non-reservation School.

(For a child enrolled at an Agency)

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

of Addie B. Foster ; Female ; date of birth Aug 2-1895  
(Name of Child) (Sex)  
Choctaw  
(Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER (Both Indian and English)	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<u>William Foster</u>	<u>Dead</u>	<u>Choctaw</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>Full.</u>
NAME OF MOTHER				
<u>Betsy Foster</u>	<u>Dead</u>	<u>Choctaw</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>Full.</u>

I, Addie B. Foster, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to my  
enrollment in said school for a period of Five 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. <u>Murrow Indian</u> <u>Orphan Home</u>		<u>Jan-1909</u>	<u>Order of Court.</u>	<u>3rd</u>
2. <u>St. Agnes Academy</u> <u>Antlers, Okla</u>	<u>Jan-1909</u>	<u>June 1911</u>	<u>withdrawn by Gdn.</u> <u>to enter Tuskeghoma</u> <u>Female academy</u>	<u>3rd</u>
3. <u>Tuskeghoma Female</u> <u>academy</u>	<u>Sept. 1911</u>	<u>Sept 1914</u>	<u>To enter Carlisle</u>	<u>4th</u>
4.				

Addie B. Foster  
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: McAlester, Okla.

Two Witnesses:

SG Brink, US Field Clerk, McAlester, Okla.  
Wilkin Taylor, Uncle



## 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 5th day of Sept., 1914

L. S. Wilson, M.D.

Physician at Mustang, Okla. 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 14th day of Sept., 1914

James R. Brown  
Agent or Superintendent.  
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.



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## **INDORSEMENTS.**

The laws relating to the transfer of Indian children from reservations and schools are as follows:

That hereafter no Indian child shall be sent from any Indian reservation to a school beyond the State or Territory in which said reservation is situated without the voluntary consent of the father or mother of such child if either of them is living, and if neither of them is living without the voluntary consent of the next of kin of such child. Such consent shall be made before the agent of the reservation, and he shall send to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs his certificate that such consent has been voluntarily given before such child shall be removed from such reservation. And it shall be unlawful for any Indian agent or other employee of the Government to induce, or seek to induce, by withholding rations or by other improper means, the parents or next of kin of any Indian to consent to the removal of any Indian child beyond the limits of any reservation. (28 Stats., p. 906.)

Provided, that hereafter no Indian child shall be taken from any school in any State or Territory to a school in any other State against its will or without the written consent of its parents. (29 Stats., p. 348.)

The rules provide that—

A pupil who has been regularly enrolled in a nonreservation school must not be taken to any other nonreservation school without the consent of both Superintendents and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and Superintendents will be held to strict accountability for such pupils taken to their schools.

An Indian boy or girl 18 years old and over may, without the consent of parents or others, personally sign the application form on its being changed to suit the case.

This form is to be used only in transfers from reservations, or Indian schools, to nonreservation schools.

**Important**—Only those students who desire to come to Carlisle because they have a definite purpose in view will be admitted. Applications for enrollment must be submitted in all cases for consideration before transportation can be made available. Time will then be taken to find out the records students have made in the schools previously attended, and to secure recommendations as to their *moral character* and their worthiness for further attendance at a Government institution.

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

THE SHAW-WALNUTS      EXTENDED      8/2/2014

Baptist

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STATEMENT

Parkesburg, Pa., 1-6-1916

Mrs. Addie Foster

TO J. R. MAXWELL, M. D., DR.

TO PROFESSIONAL SERVICES TO DATE,

11 visits, Dec 20 to Jan 2

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\$ 11

RECEIVED PAYMENT,

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J. R. Maxwell

Thanks, I hope addie is better



CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL ✓

[illegible]

Progress from \_\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_,  
(Date) (Date)

FIRST YEAR IN THIS SCHOOL	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.
Class or grade.....								
Academic.....standing*								
Industrial.....standing* (Department)								
Musical: Band.....standing*								
Vocal.....standing*								
Orchestra.....standing*								
Department.....standing*								
Physical condition.....								

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

Mr. Meyer: Addie Foster died  
at 2. Please notify the  
undertaker so that he may  
come and take care of her

Respectfully  
D. Walter Runtz



\_\_\_\_\_ has trachoma, an infectious  
disease of the eyelids, which has received proper treatment and which  
is now quiescent. An individual towel, wash basin, and a bar of  
soap will render \_\_\_\_\_ harmless to others.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Physician in Charge.

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February 5, 1916.

Mr. S. G. Brink  
Field Clerk, McAlester, Okla.

Dear Sir:-

I am enclosing herewith One Dollar in cash and Thirty Five Cents in stamps, which Addie Foster left in a little purse in her trunk. The purse is very small and of little value so I am not sending that to you.

Addie also left her trunk with a few of her personal belongings in it. Will you please let me know where to send this. Shall I send it by express, charges collect ?

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD



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Jan. 13th, 1916.

Mr. S. H. Brink,  
Field Clerk, U. S. Indian Service,  
Hugo, Okla.

My dear Sir:

In accordance with the report that was conveyed to you yesterday our School Physician called in Dr. Shepler of Carlisle this morning to consult with him in Addie Foster's case, and there is submitted below a copy of the statement that has just been received from the Hospital:

"I regret to say that Dr. Shepler's opinion is in accord with my own. Addie is suffering with an acute general tuberculosis. It must be very evident that the outlook in her case is extremely bad.

Please notify those interested in her accordingly."

I too regret that such an unfavorable report has to be conveyed to you, as indications are that the girl's recovery can hardly be expected.

Very truly yours,

HKH.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supervisor Wyly.)

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January 12, 1916.

Dr. J. R. Maxwell  
Parkesburg, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose herewith Addie Foster's personal  
check for Thirteen Dollars to pay you for professional  
services rendered her while living with H. M. Scott of  
Coatesville. Please return the attached bill, receipted.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.

Jan 5th., 1916.

Mr. Meyer:

I am glad to say that Sophia Two-arrows has passed the crisis of her pneumonia and is doing nicely. Recovery is assured.

Addie Foster was brought in from the outing and is a very sick girl. I am under the impression that we are dealing with a condition in all respects similar to that of Katie Cechrans<sup>d</sup> and that the outlook is very gloomy. I must have more time to arrive at a definite conclusion. Please notify the parents that Addie is very ill but leave out the details for the present.

Very respectfully,

Walter Rindtorff M.D.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.

Jan 13th ., 1916

Mr. Meyer:

I regret to say that Dr. Schepler's opinion is in accord with my own. Addie is suffering with an acute general tuberculosis. It must be very evident that the outlook in her case is extremely bad. Please notify those interested in her accordingly.

Respectfully,

Walter R. Rector M. S.



Jan. 5th, 1916.

Mr. A. S. Wyly,  
Supervisor of Indian Schools,  
Muskogee, Okla.

Dear Mr. Wyly:

I regret very much to advise you that on Monday evening of this week Addie Foster had to be brought in to the school from her Outing home. She was taken ill only a comparatively few days ago with an attack of the grippe that is so generally prevalent in this and adjoining states.

At noon today our School Physician reported that Addie is a very sick girl, but that it will require a little more time to come to any definite conclusion as to the complications that have arisen in her case.

Further reports will be conveyed to you and it will be appreciated if you will have her people notified.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Field Clerk S. H. Brink.)

# OUTING RECORD — CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Name of Student		Home Address		Tribe												TOTAL OR AVERAGE
Age at Entrance	Date of Entrance	Shop	Locality	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	
Addie Foster																
Patron			Days in School	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Mrs H. B. Tomlinson																
Address		R. R. Station	Conduct													
Mr. Holly, N.J.																
Recommended by		Grade in School	Ability													
Grade of Home		Church	Health													
Date of Outing	9-1-15	Date Returned	Earnings													
		10-26-15	Wages													

Mrs. H. M. Scott  
Coatesville, Pa.

10-26-15 - 1-3-16



### OUTING RECORD — CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL



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Jan. 12th, 1916.

Mr. S. H. Brink,  
Field Clerk, U. S. Indian Service,  
Hugo, Okla.

My dear Sir:

When your telegram relative to the condition of Addie Foster was received here this morning it was referred to our School Physician. He has since then advised me that he will call a Carlisle physician to consult with him and that "it is becoming more evident daily that the diagnosis of an acute generalized tuberculosis is correct".

Everything else possible will be done to give the girl the care she needs and you may assure her people that she is being made as comfortable as she can be in her condition.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supervisor Wyly.)

Surant - Okla.

If conditions of  
Addie Foster dangerous  
have consulting  
physicians write me  
at Muskogee, Okla.

(S) S. G. Bruns,

1-12-16

Dr. Rendtorff: Please note  
above copy of telegram re  
Addie Foster.

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Jan. 8th, 1916.

Mr. A. S. Wyly,  
Supervisor of Indian Schools,  
Muskogee, Okla.

My dear Mr. Wyly:

Following up my letter of the 5th instant in regard to the condition of Addie Foster's health, I must report that a favorable condition has not been noted. For your further information I submit below a copy of the statement that was issued this morning by our School Physician:

"There is no change in the condition of Addie Foster. The outlook continues to be a gloomy one."

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Field Clerk S. H. Brink.)



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Miss Lida

Jan. 22nd, 1916.

Mr. J. A. Bonaparte,

Box 6, Pecosentas, Okla.

My dear Sir:

The letter you addressed to Miss Johnston at this school on the 19th instant was referred to our School Physician this morning and he has just now submitted a statement as is copied below:

(Addie Foster) is steadily failing in health. There is no hope for her recovery. In general she is quite comfortable and free from pain."

Regretting very much that a more favorable report cannot be conveyed to you and assuring you that everything possible is being done to keep the young lady comfortable, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copies to Supvr. Ely and Mr. Brink.)

NARA APPROVED FOR USE  
THROUGHOUT RESEARCH  
COMPLEX

POCAHONTAS, OKLA.

Lida M. Johnson,  
Carlisle, Pa.

Jan 19-1916,

Dear Miss Johnson:-

I now write you  
these few lines to ask you that  
how is the Addie B. Foster now?  
Some time ago that I hear that  
she was quite sick.

Please let me hear from  
you at once.

Yours respectfully,  
J. A. Bonaparte

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Jan 22nd., 1906

Mr. Meyer: Laddie Foster is steadily failing in health. There is no hope for her recovery. In general she is quite comfortable and free from pain.

Respectfully,

Walter Rindtrock M.D.



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Jan. 11th, 1916.

Mr. A. S. Wyly,  
Supervisor of Indian Schools,  
Muskogee, Okla.

My dear Mr. Wyly:

A favorable condition in Addie Foster's case has not yet been noted by our School Physician and this morning he submitted a statement as is copied below:

"Addie Foster continues the same, with the future outlook very gloomy indeed."

Further information will be conveyed to you from time to time.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Field Clerk S. H. Brink.)

# Department of the Interior

## United States Indian Service

Local Field Representative

Five Civilized Tribes

Hugo, Oklahoma,  
January 20, 1916.

Mr. O. H. Lipps, Supt.,  
United States Indian School,  
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letters of January 12th, 13, and 17th relative to the condition of Addie B. Foster, and I regret very much to know how serious is her condition. At the time I wired you I had no information as to the nature of her illness, and was presuming that it was lagrippe or pneumonia, and becoming alarmed by the contents of your letter of January 11th, I sent the telegram referred to.

While in Muskogee on the 18th, I talked with Supervisor Wyly, regarding the advisability of having Addie sent to Phoenix Arizona, but from your letter of the 17th, I conclude that her condition is too precarious to permit the journey.

This girl has sufficient funds to provide for any ordinary wants and I should not want the matter of expense to stand in the way of giving her every chance and comfort. Should death result, I believe it would be advisable to make such preparations as would permit the body to be shipped home in case her relatives should desire. If you believe a sum of money should be placed upon deposit with you for this purpose or for any other purpose, please so advise me, and I will take steps to transmit same to you. Please convey to Addie my kindest personal regard and sympathy for her illness.

Very respectfully,

*J. H. Brink*

Field Clerk.

Jan. 17th, 1916.

Mr. S. H. Brink,  
Field Clerk, U. S. Indian Service,  
Hugo, Okla.

My dear Sir:

I submit below for your further information and guidance a copy of a report that has just been issued by our School Physician in regard to Addie Foster's condition:

(Addie Foster) shows no improvement, but on the other hand a gradual decline of the vital powers. She is not suffering pain and on the whole is quite comfortable.

In view of the fact that the girl's recovery can hardly be expected I would thank you to advise me at once what other suggestions you have to offer and what action is to be taken if death results.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supervisor Wyly.)



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Coatesville, Pa  
Dec 29 - 1915.

Dear Mrs. Denny.

I arrived this A: M in  
a howling storm.

Mr Scott met me with his  
auto and we reached his  
place in safety.

They tell me Addie is very  
much better, but to me she  
seems quite a sick girl.

The Dr. says she could be  
taken back to Carlisle on  
a stretcher as soon as the  
weather clears.

She has quite a cough but

the most disagreeable feature is  
the bowel trouble.

It would be impossible to  
move <sup>her</sup> as long as that trouble  
continues.

I'll ask the Dr. more about  
her case in the morning and  
let you know at once.

Very respectfully.

Frances J. Boyd.

December 31, 1915.

Miss Frances J. Boyd  
Care Mrs. H. M. Scott  
Coatesville, Pa.

Dear Miss Boyd:-

Your letter regarding the condition of Abbie Foster comes to my attention. I would not move her until the physician in charge advises that it is perfectly safe to do so. Is he still treating her for grippe or is it something else? As soon as she is able to be moved, she would better be brought back to Carlisle.

Mrs. Charles Brosius of West Grove who has Virginia Coolidge in her home, writes that it was necessary to take her to the Coatesville Hospital. She has heart trouble. I do not suppose you can get to see her before Miss Johnston can get there, Monday. I thought it best to mention this case however as you might be able to see her.

I enclose some of our franked envelopes which you can use to make your reports each day.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.



IMPERIAL DEPARTMENT STORE  
CARLISLE, PENNA.

March 28, 1916.

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

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of check for \$12.56 in settlement of account and thank you for same. There was a little ribbon returned to us to the amount of 15¢ and as this amount was not deducted by you-we enclose 15¢ in stamps to cover same.

Very truly yours,

FGR:LS

IMPERIAL DEPT. STORE.

A. Foster

*J. J. Royce*

ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY

CORNER PITT AND HIGH STREETS

D. T. WISTER,  
AGENT.

CARLISLE, PA.,

Mo 24 1916

Mr O. H. Lippes  
Supt W & S Indiana  
Cannelton  
Pa

Dear Sir  
Enclosed please find  
Creditors Claims against W & S Indiana  
Express Co. for Adams 26 frs

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D. T. Wister  
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Febr. 14th, 1916.

Mr. S. G. Brink,  
Field Clerk, U. S. Indian Service,  
Hugo, Okla.

Dear Mr. Brink:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 9th instant and to advise you that Addie Foster's trunk will go forward to Mr. Nelson at McAlester by express today as was requested by you.

Upon receipt of your letter the undertaker who prepared Addie's body for shipment was requested to send in his bill and it is now enclosed herewith.

Very truly yours,

Encl.

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supervisor Wyly.)



# Department of the Interior

United States Indian Service

Local Field Representative

Five Civilized Tribes

Hugo, Okla. February 9, 1916.

Mr. O. H. Lipps,  
Superintendent, U.S. Indian School,  
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps:-

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of the 5th instant, enclosing One Dollar in cash and Thirty Five Cents in stamps, which was found in Addie's purse. With reference to the trunk, please forward it to George Nelson, McAlester, Okla., by express, charges collect.

Also beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 1st instant, enclosing receipts covering express charges paid in shipment of Addie's body. Draft covering this will reach you in a few days.

Will you please have the undertaker forward his bill to me as early as possible.

Very truly yours,

*J. G. Brink*

Febr. 17th, 1916.

Mr. S. G. Brink,  
Field Clerk, U. S. Indian Agency,  
Hugo, Okla.

My dear Sir:

I take the liberty to submit herewith a bill in the amount of \$12.56 for purchases that were made by our School Matron to prepare Addie Foster's body for shipment to McAlester. The sending of this bill has been so long delayed because the proper approval thereon had not been secured when the undertaker's bill was mailed to you on Monday of this week.

Very respectfully,

Encl.

HKM.

Superintendent.

Febr. 10th, 1916.

Mr. George Nelson,  
McAlester, Oklahoma.

My dear Sir:

Please find copied below a letter that was addressed to me on the 7th instant from the office of the Commissioner of Indian affairs:

The Office notes with regret the death, on January 31, from tuberculosis, of Addie Foster, a Choctaw Indian pupil. Please convey its sincere sympathy to the parents of this young girl."

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copies to Supvr. Wyly and Field Clerk Brink.)



March 14th, 1916.

Mr. S. H. Brink,  
Field Clerk, U. S. Indian Service,  
Hugo, Okla.

My dear Mr. Brink:

It has been called to my attention by the local agent of the Adams Express Company that payment in the amount of \$65.88 has not yet been received for the shipment to McAlester, Oklahoma, in January of Addie Foster's body.

If prompt settlement cannot be made kindly let me hear from you so that your letter can be made the basis of an explanation.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supvr. Wily.)

Febr. 1st, 1916.

Mr. S. H. Brink,  
Field Clerk, U. S. Indian Service,  
Hugo, Okla.

My dear Sir:

At the request of Supervisor Wyly I am having enclosed herewith a receipt showing that an amount of \$65.88 was paid to the local office of the Adams Express Company for the shipment of Addie Foster's body to Mr. Nelson's home at McAlester, Oklahoma.

I should have the undertaker's bill within a very few days and will then have that forwarded to you too.

Very truly yours,

Encls.

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supvr. Wyly.)

March 27th, 1916.

The Manager,  
Imperial Dept. Store Company,  
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

I have received the duly executed creditor's claim against the estate of Addie B. Foster, deceased, you signed on the 25th instant and herewith I am having enclosed a draft in the sum of \$12.56 to cover the charge.

Please sign and return to me in the enclosed envelope the receipt to which the draft is attached.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Superintendent.



March 24th, 1916.

Mr. H. A. Ewing,

Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

My dear Sir:

I am transmitting herewith a formal creditor's claim against the estate of Addie B. Foster, deceased, which please have executed as is desired and return to me in the envelope enclosed.

A draft in the sum of \$94.00 will then be mailed to you.

Very respectfully,

Encls.

HKM.

Superintendent.

March 25th, 1916.

Mr. H. A. Ewing,

Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

My dear Sir:

I have received the duly executed creditor's claim against the estate of Addie B. Foster, deceased, you signed on the 24th instant and herewith I enclose a draft in the sum of \$94.00 to cover your charge.

Please sign and return to me in the enclosed envelope the receipt to which the draft is attached.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Superintendent.

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Very respectfully,

Encls.

HKM.

Superintendent.



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Mr. D. T. Wister,  
Agent, Adams Express Company,  
Carlisle, Pa.

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I am transmitting herewith a formal creditor's claim against the estate of Addie B. Foster, deceased, which please have executed as is required and return to me in the envelope enclosed.

A draft in the sum of \$65.88 will then be mailed to you.

Very respectfully,

Encls.

HKM.

Superintendent.

March 23rd, 1916.

Mr. D. T. Wister,  
Agent, Adams Express Company,  
Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Sir:

With reference to the charge of \$65.88 you have outstanding for shipping the body of Addie Foster to McAlester, Oklahoma, in January of this year, I submit below for your information a copy of a self-explanatory letter that was addressed to me on March the 21st by the government official who had charge of the young lady's finances:

"Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of the 14th instant, addressed to me at Hugo, Oklahoma, and in reply beg to advise that the delay in payment of the Express charges was occasioned by the fact that the County Court here did not think it advisable for the charges to be paid until the Administrator was appointed and qualified. Mr. W. W. Knight, of Wilburton, Oklahoma, has been appointed administrator, and I am to-day sending him drafts to cover the express charges, the undertaker's bill, and the account at the Imperial Department store. I am attaching to the drafts, creditors claims to be sworn to before delivery of the drafts, as the usual procedure is to have these claims filed and allowed by the court, and

-2- Mr. D. T. Wister, Carlisle, Pa.

then paid, but I obtained the consent of the court to handle it in the above manner. It is necessary that this matter go through the hands of the administrator, but you should receive them from him within a day or two after you get this letter."

I should now be in a position within a very few days to hand you a check in the sum outstanding.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.



March 30th, 1916.

Mr. W. W. Knight,  
Wilburton, Oklahoma.

Dear Mr. Knight:

Please find enclosed herewith the creditors' claims you forwarded here with your letter of March the 21st to be executed in connection with the settlement of indebtedness against the estate of Addie B. Foster, deceased. The required attention was given the claims and you will find attached to each the receipt that was secured when the delivery of each draft was made in settlement of the accounts.

You will also find enclosed fifteen cents in postage stamps, received here this morning with a letter as follows from the Manager of the Imperial Department Store Company of Carlisle:

"We are in receipt of check for \$12.56 in settlement of account and thank you for same. There was a little ribbon returned to us to the amount of 15¢ and as this amount was not deducted by you we enclose 15¢ in stamps to cover same."

-2- Mr. W. W. Knight.

Trusting the matter has been handled as desired by you and assuring you that I appreciate the special arrangements you were permitted to make in order that the accounts could be settled so promptly, I am,

Very respectfully,

Encls.

HXM.

Superintendent.

# PHOENIX ASSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.

OF LONDON, ENGLAND.

W. W. KNIGHT, AGENT



WILBURTON, OKLA. March 21st, 1916.

W W Knight  
Administrator Estate of Addie B. Foster  
Deceased.

Mr. O. H. Lipps,  
Superintendent, U.S. Indian School,  
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps:-

Acting under the direction of the County Court of  
Pittsburg County, and at the suggestion of Mr. S. G. Brink, Field  
Clerk, McAlester, I am enclosing herewith drafts covering the follow-  
ing indebtedness against the estate of Addie B Foster deceased.

O. H. Lipps, Express on Body to McAlester,	\$65.88
H. A. Ewing, Casket, embalming, etc	94.00
Imperial Store, Clothing	12.56

There are also inclosed creditors claims for each  
account, which must be signed and sworn to before a Notary Public  
before delivery of draft is made. Attached to the claim is a receipt  
evidencing delivery of each draft which please also have signed.

When receipts and claims have been properly executed  
please deliver the drafts to the respective parties, and return the  
claims and receipts to me. This proceeding is not the regular method  
but the Court has permitted me to make an exception in this instance.

Please do not fail to return the receipts and Credit-  
or's claims.

Sincerely yours,

Administrator of the Estate of Addie B Foster  
deceased..



March 25th, 1916.

Mr. D. T. Wister,  
Agent, Adams Express Company,  
Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of the duly executed creditor's claim you returned to me with your favor of the 24th instant and to transmit the draft in the sum of \$65.88 to cover the charges for shipping by express the body of Addie B. Foster. Please return the receipt to which the draft is attached when it has been properly signed.

Very respectfully,

Encl.

HKM.

Superintendent.

*Mr. Meyer -  
Please  
copy to Leo*

March 24th, 1916.

Mr. S. G. Brink,  
Field Clerk, U. S. Indian Service,  
McAlester, Okla.

My dear Mr. Brink:

I thank you for your kind favor of the 21st instant and take this opportunity to advise you that Mr. Knight has mailed me drafts to cover the three charges that are outstanding in Carlisle against the estate of Addie B. Foster, deceased. Steps have been taken to secure the proper execution of the creditors' claims that were mailed with the drafts and the accounts can now be settled without delay.

Assuring you that your assistance in securing the consent of the Court to handle the settlement in the special manner which has insured such prompt action is appreciated, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supervisor Wily.)

Department of the Interior

United States Indian Service

Local Field Representative

Five Civilized Tribes



McAlester, Okla. March 21, 1916.

*Please send  
copy to local  
Express Co's Agent  
OHL*  
Mr. O. H. Lipps,

Superintendent U.S. Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps:-

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of the 14th instant, addressed to me at Hugo, Oklahoma, and in reply beg to advise that the delay in payment of the Express charges was occasioned by the fact that the County Court here did not think it advisable for the charges to be paid until the Administrator was appointed and qualified. Mr. W. W. Knight, of Wilburton, Oklahoma, has been appointed administrator, and I am to-day sending him drafts to cover the express charges, the undertaker's bill, and the account at the Imperial Department store. I am attaching to the drafts, creditors claims to be sworn to before delivery of the drafts, as the usual procedure is to have these claims filed and allowed by the court, and then paid, but I obtained the consent of the court to handle it in the above manner. It is necessary that this matter go through the hands of the administrator, but you should receive them from him within a day or two after you get this letter.

Sincerely yours,

*J. G. Drink*  
Field Clerk.



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

Date of report Apr. 26, 1915

Name of child Addie B. Foster Age 19 Grade B 5

Home post office Mc Alester, Okla.

Tribe Chactaw Degree of Indian blood full blood

How many acres of land do you own ✓ I do not Location in Chickasha.

Know just how many acres, but I think it 640 or less.

What is the annual income from your land \$200.00

Do you have any other income yes How much I don't know how much, but I think it's \$1.00 a month.

Is your father living no

Father's name \_\_\_\_\_

Home post office \_\_\_\_\_

Tribe \_\_\_\_\_ Degree of Indian blood \_\_\_\_\_

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 no

Mother's name \_\_\_\_\_

Home post office \_\_\_\_\_

Tribe \_\_\_\_\_ Degree of Indian blood \_\_\_\_\_

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 *My uncle*

How many rooms in the house *four*

How many live in the house *four*

How far is your home from nearest public school *about a mile*

Why do you not attend that school *My people does not want me to go there  
they want me to go where I can learn more.*

How many teachers employed there *I do not know for I have not been there.*

How many grades maintained *✓ First to Eighth Grade.*

How many months of school each year *✓ From June to Sept (?) Probably vacation.*

Did you ever attend a public school *yes*

If so, how long *I do not know* Where *Sulphur, Okla.*

How many brothers of school age have you *none*

How many sisters of school age have you *none*

Are they in school.....

Where.....

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

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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.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
U. S. INDIAN SERVICE

OFFICE OF THE SUPERVISOR OF SCHOOLS  
FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES



MUSKOGEE, OKLAHOMA. March 18, 1916.

Supt. O. H. Lippe,  
U.S. Indian School,  
Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Mr. Lippe:

I have a copy of your letter of March 14, written to Mr. S.G. Brink, Field Clerk, Hugo, Oklahoma, concerning \$65.88 due the Adams Express Company for the shipment of Addie Foster's body to McAlester in January.

I regret very much that this matter has not been attended to, as Mr. Brink assured me that he had funds on hand belonging to Addie to meet all necessary expenses incident to shipping her body to McAlester and for burial expenses. If you do not hear from Mr. Brink within a reasonable time please advise me and I shall take the matter up with him.

Very respectfully,

*A. S. Wyly*

Supervisor.

ASW-GH