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CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL  
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 3742	ENGLISH NAME Ava Blanchard Christian	AGENCY	NATION Cherokee, N.C.				
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Thomas M. Christian, Shawnee, Okla.					
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX.
FATHER: <i>Living</i>	MOTHER: <i>Living</i>	<i>H</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>6-1"</i>	<i>157</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>33 M</i>
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL	FOR WHAT PERIOD	DATE DISCHARGED	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE				
<i>Nov-22-1906</i>	<i>Three (3) years</i>	<i>Jan. 30. 1908</i>	<i>Deserter</i>				
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS				FROM COUNTRY		
<i>APR. 8-1907</i>	<i>Geo K Fuellmer Bridgville N J</i>						
<i>May 1-07</i>	<i>Ran from country</i>						

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MUSHKOGON-CHICAGO 33677

Months in school *18*

Grade entered at Carlisle, .....

Grade at date of Discharge, .....

Trade or Industry, .....

Church, *Methodist*

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Name Alva Christian Tribe Cherokee Age 18

Entered Nov 20 1906 Address Shawnee, Ok

Trade Baking Size of allotment none

Nature of allotment —

How much under cultivation? — How much can be cultivated? —

When you leave Carlisle do you expect to return home? yes

What do you expect to do for a livelihood? Trade Baking

Have you previously worked at farming? yes

Where? Home near Shawnee How long? 2 yrs

Have you worked at a trade? no What trade? —

Where? — How long? —

Remarks —

Date Feb 24 1907

Christian, Alva 234 ex-stu.  
Correspondence - money sent - 4792



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filed placed Nov. 9/06

# APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT IN A NON-RESERVATION SCHOOL

Full name of child... Aloa Blanchard Christian Indian name is \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name of Father... Thomas M. Christian  
 Name of Mother... Malinda P. Christian Tribe... Cherokee  
 Reservation... none Degree of Indian blood of child... 1/4  
 Is either parent white, if so, which?... mother Are either or both allotted?... neither  
 On what reservation?... A. B. Christian Age of child... 18 yrs What reservation school attended?... none How long?... \_\_\_\_\_  
 If ever enrolled in a non-reservation school, name of school, \_\_\_\_\_  
 When?... \_\_\_\_\_ How long?... \_\_\_\_\_ If ever dismissed from a school, where?... \_\_\_\_\_; when?... \_\_\_\_\_ and for what reason?... \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed.) Aloa B. Christian

NOTE—The above blank to be signed by the child, if old enough to understand its import; if not, by the parent, guardian or other person cognizant of the facts.

## CONSENT BLANK

I, Thomas M. Christian parent, guardian or next of kin of the above-named child, A. B. Christian, do hereby consent to his transfer or enrollment for a period of five 3 years in the Indian School at Carlisle, Pa.  
 Dated at Shawnee, Okla on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1906

(Signed.) Thomas M. Christian  
 (Parent, Guardian or next of kin.)

## PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that I have personally examined the above-named A. B. Christian, and have found him physically sound, and recommend the transfer so far as his health conditions are concerned. Dated at Shawnee, Okla. on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1906

(Signed.) J. W. Shiley

## AGENT'S OR SUPERINTENDENT'S INDORSEMENT

The statements concerning the above-named A. B. Christian are believed by me to be correct, and I hereby recommend the transfer.

(Signed.) Frank A. Trachsel  
 U. S. Indian Agent or Superintendent.

NOTE—Age limits, twelve to twenty years. Preferably fourteen to eighteen. Students must be at least one-fourth Indian preferably full Indian. Special cases beyond the age limit can be given consideration.

Card made Nov-22-06.

S.M. He arrived Nov. 21/06 - J.P.M.



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October 18th, 1913.

Mr. Alva Christian,

R.D. No. 1 Box, 11.

Maud, Okla.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 13th, and am enclosing herewith check for 7.55 which closed your account at the time it was written Dec. 1st, 1910. Also check for 62 cents interest accrued since that time. Please sign both of these checks before presenting for payment.

Your friend,

W.H.M.

Superintendent,



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

Carlisle, Pa. September 26th, 1913

Alva Christian

Shawnee, Okla.

Dear sir:

It is desired that all accounts of students be closed no longer enrolled at Carlisle. If you will kindly advise me your correct address, the money will be sent to you for your credit.

Your friend,

S/N



Superintendent.

Alva Christian

Maud

R. F. D. No. 1, Box 11.

Okla.



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Carlisle, Pa. September 26th, 1913

Alva Christian

Shawnee, Okla.

Dear sir:

It is desired that all accounts of students be closed no longer enrolled at Carlisle. If you will kindly advise me your correct address, the money will be sent to you for your credit.

Your friend,

S/M

Superintendent.