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Conduct _____

Corneeta Welch writes from Wah-
hiyah, N. C., that he is still working
at the carpenter trade and is doing
nicely. He states that he must have
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BRIEF.

APPLICATION ~~OF~~

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Corneeta Welch

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

CARLISLE, PENNSYLVANIA

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

E. Cherokee

Date of enrollment, *SEP 12 1907*, 190

Term of enrollment, *to April 1 - 1908* years.

NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

Position,

SEP 12 1907
Entry made on
card A.E.S.

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 Pa

of Cornetta Welch; male; date of birth 1882;
(Name of child.) (Sex)
E. Cherokee
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
NAME OF MOTHER.				

I, Cornetta Welch, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

enrollment in said school for a period ~~of~~ until Apr. 1-08 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.				

Cornetta Welch,
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

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P. O. address:

Cherokee NC

Two witnesses:

A. Schaal

Earle Woxton

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....., 190*

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

This..... day of....., 190

Agent or Superintendent.

SPECIAL NOTE.

This form must be executed in duplicate when a child is transferred from a reservation to a nonreservation school. The Superintendent of the nonreservation school will retain the original for his files, and the duplicate shall be deposited in the Agency records. The agent will then send to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs his certificate as provided by law. All the blanks must be properly filled in every case.

NOTE

Age limits, fourteen to twenty years. Preferably fourteen to eighteen. Students must be at least one-fourth Indian, preferably full Indian. Special cases beyond the age limit will be given consideration. An industrial course only can be taken and the term reduced to three years, in exceptional cases.

INDORSEMENTS

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

That hereafter no Indian child shall be sent from any Indian reservation to a school beyond the State or Territory in which said reservation is situated without the voluntary consent of the father or mother of such child if either of them are living, and if neither of them are 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.

Mr. M. Friedman.

I receiv a blank
last week I just now
answer & returned. I havint
much to say but I write
~~what~~ I can. I have been
little sickness for several
months from now I am getting
little improving. I hope to start
to work on the same as I wore
before. I thank very much
what Carlisle have done
for me.

Yours respt.

Cornetta Welch.

Record of Graduates and Returned Students,

U. S. INDIAN SCHOOL, CARLISLE, PA.

September 7th,

1911.

NAME Corneita Welch

1. Are you married and if so to whom? Nancy Still. I married last summer in August 24th. 1910.
2. What is your present address? Swayney, N. C.
3. Did you attend or graduate from any other schools after leaving Carlisle? no. Give names of schools and dates if possible about ten years ago, before that I went to Cherokee School I spent there about four winters, until in 1901. The year in 1901, I went to Carlisle, for five yrs.
4. What is your present occupation? My occupation is Carpenter trade & little farming.
5. Tell something of your present home I have no home yet. I just now getting ready for it. We both hope to have built comfortable home some day.
6. What property in the way of land, stock, buildings, or money do you have? I have small mount. but I trying to make a good living some day.
7. Have you been in the Indian Service? In what positions? How long in each? I have been assistant Carpenter at Cherokee, N. C. five months last summer. I spent most of the time in the country since leaving Carlisle. I done very nicely until last winter. I got disease or sickness.

(Over)

8. What other positions have you held since leaving Carlisle? *no others.*

9. Tell me anything else of interest connected with your life:

Name Cornetta Welch Tribe Cherokee Age 22
 Entered Oct 28 1902 Address Cherokee NC
 Trade Carpenter Size of allotment 40
 Nature of allotment Farm
 How much under cultivation? 40 How much can be cultivated? 40
 When you leave Carlisle do you expect to return home? yes
 What do you expect to do for your livelihood? Trade Carpenter
 Have you previously worked at farming? yes
 Where? Home How long? 4 yrs
 Have you worked at a trade? yes What trade? Carpenter
 Where? Cherokee School How long? 1 1/2 yrs
 Remarks
 Date Mar 2 1907

Welch, Cornetta 282 Ex-stu.

Correspondence-money sent-

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Corretta Welch

PRESENT NAME