

Department of the Interior.

Mr. M. FriedmanSupt. U. S. Indian SchoolCarlislePennsylvania

6-3305

442 ✓

February 7, 1913

Name Miles Gordon
(Please give name by which enrolled and also present or married name.)

Tribe Chippewas

Present Address Hayward Wis.

Former Address _____
(Address from which we heard from you last.)

Present Occupation Labor.

Remarks: Many good wishes to good old Carlisle.

442
August 29th, 1912.

Mr. Miles Gordon,
Hayward, Wisconsin.

My dear Mr. Gordon:

I thank you for the list of names you submitted me with your favor of August the 26th and for the information you conveyed to me regarding the sad accident which resulted in your brother's death.

In order that you may know what some of our activities have been during the past several years I am sending you school literature under a separate cover. If I can be of further service I would be pleased to hear from you.

Assuring you that your continued co-operation will be appreciated, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.
M

Hayward Wis^c

August 12

M. Friedman

Dear Sir, I take
pleasure in filling the enclose
blank which was mailed to
my brother Joseph Gordon. I am
sorry to state to you that my
brother Joe had the misfortune of
accidentally shooting him self
on the 20th day of July 1911
from which he died, shortly after
I forward you three names
and ages as near as I can.
They are all good bright young
men and girls.

I will be very glad to hear
from you occasionally. In regard
to indian matters. With best
wishes to you and your staff
of employees in your good
work.

Very Respectfully

Miles Gordon

442

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT.

NUMBER 1250	ENGLISH NAME Miles Gordon	AGENCY La Pointe Wis	NATION Chippewa					
BAND	INDIAN NAME Ja-bog-an	HOME ADDRESS Edward Gordon						
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX.	
FATHER Living	MOTHER Living	Fourth	13	4-11	104	32	28	77
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL	FOR WHAT PERIOD	DATE DISCHARGED	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE					
July 5' 1891	5 years	July 4. 1893	Father's request.					
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS					FROM COUNTRY		
Apr. 15, 93	J. Atkinson Buckingham Rd					June 30 93		

CHAS. WALKER, MUSKOGON 5178

Months in school before Carlisle,

Grade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church,

Name

Gordon, Miles

442

Age

Deg. Ind. blood

Address

Information from

Date Jan.

191 4

State

Agency

Tribe

POSITIONS FOR WHICH LISTED. SUITABILITY IN ORDER NAMED.

1.

2.

3.

4.

Remarks:

472
Febr. 10th, 1913.

Mr. Miles Gordon,
Hayward, Wisconsin.

My dear Friend:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter of recent date and to thank you for the kind wishes you conveyed thereby. It is to be regretted that you have had your home closed this winter because of sickness, but I have noted with pleasure that your sons are well again.

Former students of this school are always welcome at Carlisle, and if you come into this vicinity we want you to spend some time with us. We are expecting a number of our former students to be here for our Commencement week exercises from March 30th to April the 4th and I am sure you would enjoy being with us too during that time.

Hoping the new year will continue to have health, happiness and prosperity in it for you and yours, I am,

Very truly yours,

HCM.

Superintendent.

Hayward Wis
Feb 8 - 1913

Mr M. Friedman

Dear Sir -

This is to inform you that I am
still in the land of the living.

Enjoying the best of health. I

hope all the students at dear old
Carlisle are enjoying that blessing

I have had it rather hard this winter
as my two sons were taken down

with scarlet fever. We having to be
closed in for 8 weeks. But thank

God that all is well again. Better
than I expected. I am always

anxious to get my school paper

I take great comfort in reading
 the news and doings at Carlisle.
 I am contemplating very thoroughly
 of visiting Carlisle in the near future
 if all is well. Thanks to you Dear
 Supt, for the good wishes and
 prosperity you greeted me at this
 new year, I will write you again
 in the near future regarding my
 past or the last few years. I have
 made some good resolutions
 this year, many good wishes to the
 students and employees.
 Very Resp.

Wm. Gordon

442 ✓

Rayward His^c

Jan. 1 - 1912

Mr. Friedman

Dear Sir - Yours of Dec. 19th at hand, thanked for the good wishes you greet me at this the beginning of a rather new year. I in return wish you in your good work, and to all the students of the Carlisle School. Happiness, prosperity, and success through life. May the 1912 graduating class be a large one. It is a great pleasure to me to read the Arrow, & take great interest in the doings at Carlisle, very few remain whom I know there. It being nearly 20 years

Since I left Carlisle. A year ago I had the misfortune of losing my wife. So I have met with much sorrow and disappointment. I have two little sons age, 6 & 9 years. Whom I wish to enroll as students at Carlisle in the future. My only desire is that I could be with them at school, & there I can be employed at some kind of work. At present I am on my father in law farm.

Again I send good wishes to all students & employes of good old Carlisle.

Very Respectfully

Wm. Gordon

January 5, 1911.

Mr. Miles Gordon
Hayward, Wis.
Dear friend:-

I have your good letter and thank you for your good wishes to the school and to me. The good letters I receive from the returned students all over the country are a great inspiration to me in my work here. While I know only a few personally, I am interested in the welfare of all who have ever been students here.

As soon as your little boys are old enough, I will be glad to have them enrolled here as students.

With the Season's greetings, I am

Your friend

Superintendent.

NRD

Record of Graduates and Returned Students.

U. S INDIAN SCHOOL, CARLISLE, PA.

Chip.

Aug: 12th

Hayward Wis @ 1910.

NAME

Miles Gordon

1. Are you married and if so to whom? I am at present not married my wife died August 4th 1910. I have two boys 1 five yrs 1-7 yrs.
2. What is your present address? Hayward- Sawyer Co, Wisconsin
3. Did you attend or graduate from any other schools after leaving Carlisle? yes Give names of schools and dates if possible. Fomah Indian School. I attended this school over year, I can not give correct dat. I attended this school under S. G. Sanborn Supst. I should judge year 1897
4. What is your present occupation? Working on the transfer for the Edward Hinger Lumber Co
5. Tell something of your present home. At present I am with my father & Mother. Home in Hayward
6. What property in the way of land, stock, buildings or money do you have? I have no house of my own, always rented. I have no land outside the reservation. On the Lac Court Onelle Res, I have 80 acre.
7. Have you been in the Indian Service? In what positions? How long in each? I have never been in the Indian Service in any form tried but, I did not succeed. Or I did not carry it far enough.

8. What other positions have you held since leaving Carlisle?

Common labor
try and earn an honest living. By the sweat
of thy brow.

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

I have the greater part of my life lived and toiled
among white people. I do not like the reservation
system of living. I enjoy living off the reservation without
being aided by the Government. I have worked here
in Hayward for this Company & for 12 yrs.

Very Respectfully.

Mike Gordon.

NAME AT CARLISLE

Miles Gordon

PRESENT NAME

DATE	INFORMATION THROUGH	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	ITEMS OF INTEREST	GRADE
1910	self	Hayward, Wis.	Labourer.		
1913	self	"	"		