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APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT IN A NONRESERVATION SCHOOL.

Full name of child, John J. Godfrey Indian name is
Wah Ce Mup Wok Name of father, John Godfrey
Name of mother, May Godfrey Tribe, Miami
Reservation, Richmond Degree of Indian blood of child, about 1/4
Is either parent white, if so, which? Mother Are either or both allotted? no
On what reservation? _____ Age of child, 24 What
reservation school attended? Attended public schools How long? 5 terms 89 was
If ever enrolled in a nonreservation school, name of school, Fourth School
When? First ten years ago How long? _____ If ever
dismissed from a school, where, no; when, _____
and for what reason? _____

(Signed.) John Godfrey

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, John J. Godfrey, parent, guardian, or next of kin of the above-named child, _____, do hereby consent to my transfer or enrollment for a period of three years (not less than three years) in the Indian school at Carlisle, Pa. Dated at Wagon on the 17 day of March, 1906

(Signed.) _____
[Parent, guardian, or next of kin.]

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have personally examined the above-named John J. Godfrey, and have found him physically sound, and recommend the transfer so far as his health conditions are concerned. Dated at El Wayne Indiana on the 24th day of March, 1906
(Signed.) A. H. Calvins M.D.

AGENT'S OR SUPERINTENDENT'S INDORSEMENT.

_____, 190____
The statements concerning the above-named _____ are believed by me to be correct, and I hereby recommend the transfer.
(Signed.) _____

U. S. Indian Agent or Superintendent.

CONSENT OF

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL, AT

For the term of years.

Name of agency or place from which pupil came:

Date of enrollment, , 190

Date of discharge, , 190

Cause of discharge,

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

[illegible]

Months in school before Garfield, ... 50

Grade entered at Carlisle, 7th

Grade at date of Discharge,.....

Trade or Industry,.....*Carpenter*

Church *Catholic*

Paid his own way to
Pipestone, Minn.
To stop at Home Ft Wayne had
one day

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Name Godfrey, John

Age

Deg. Ind. blood

Address 434 E Leith st.,
Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Information from No word since he resigned
State Displn. Moqui, \$840.

Date 9-20-13 191

Agency

Tribe

POSITIONS FOR WHICH LISTED. SUITABILITY IN ORDER NAMED.

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Remarks:

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Fort Wayne Ind.
May 30th 1911

Mr. M. Friedman,

Supt. U. S. Ind. Sch.
Carlisle Pa.

Dear Sir:

I having just received your letter enclosing blank for me to fill out. I will comply with your request at once and send it by return mail. I did not receive your other blank or I would have filled it out promptly and returned it to you.

I will be very glad to receive your new catalog containing information about the school and other interesting matters.

and will be very glad to receive
the arrow again.

Thanking you in advance
for your kind consideration
I am.

Very Respectfully yours

John J. Godfrey

#434 E. Leith st.

Ft. Wayne

Ind.

Record of Graduates and Returned Students,

U. S. INDIAN SCHOOL, CARLISLE, PA.

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NAME

John J. Godfrey *Fort Wayne, Ind. May 30th 1911.*

1. Are you married and if so to whom?

To Miss Edith Becker
of German descent.

2. What is your present address?

#434 E. Leith St.

3. Did you attend or graduate from any other schools after leaving Carlisle? *NO* Give names of schools and dates if possible

4. What is your present occupation?

Dyer at the Wayne Knitting Mills. Fort Wayne, Ind.

5. Tell something of your present home

I have a very pleasant and happy home with a wife and two children ages two and four years

6. What property in the way of land, stock, buildings, or money do you have?

at present I do not own my home but expect to buy in a year or so.

7. Have you been in the Indian Service? In what positions? How long in each?

I have been employed in the Indian service as Disciplinarian for about one year at Pipestone Minn.

(Over)

8. What other positions have you held since leaving Carlisle? *Since leaving Carlisle I have only held to positions that of disciplinarian at Pipestone Minn. and the position which I hold at the present time.*

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

I attend the St. Peters Catholic Church every Sunday. And always try to do my best to please everybody and live up to the things that I learned at Carlisle

John J. Godfrey

May 30th 1911

LOCAL POLICE DEPARTMENT HAS ONLY INDIAN OFFICER IN THE STATE

When the board of public safety appointed John Godfroy to a position on the force as city patrolman it gave to Fort Wayne the distinction of having the only Indian police officer in the state.

John Godfroy is a grandson of James R. Godfroy, who was a brother of Chief Gabriel Godfroy, the noted Miami chief.



JOHN GODFROY
Indiana's Only Police Officer of Indian Extraction

He is a quarter blood Indian, but his features show his Indian ancestry but little, if any. He is a splendid specimen of physical manhood and will doubtless make a valuable addition to the police department.

Mr. Godfroy, who is thirty years of age, has largely through his own efforts achieved a good education. For some time he was employed by the government as disciplinarian in the Indian school at Pipestone, Minnesota, and had charge of instruction in military tactics there.

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Fort Wayne Ind.

Jan. 20th 1912

Mr. M. Freideman:

Superintendent.

Carlisle Indian School.

Carlisle Pa.

Dear Sir:

I received your letter some time ago stating that you would like to hear from returned students from time to time. so I will try and comply with your request more prompt in the future than I have been in the past. I am doing very good and getting along very well.

I have just been appointed to a position as patrolman on the Fort Wayne police force and I am doing very good. enclosed you will find a clipping from the Ft. Wayne journal gazette.

I receive the arrow every week and I am very glad to get it as I find just as interesting as I did when I was at Carlisle and I am very thankful to you for sending it to me, wishing to be remembered to to my old friends at Carlisle.

I am yours very respectfully
John J. Godfrey

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January 24, 1912.

Mr. John J. Godfrey
Fort Wayne, Indiana.
434 E. Leith St.,
Dear friend:-

I want to answer your letter and congratulate you upon your appointment to the police force of your city. Your record at Carlisle was a good one and I feel quite sure that you will make a success of this new work you have undertaken.

I would be very glad to have a photograph of yourself in your police uniform. Can you get this for me ?

With best wishes for your continued success, I am

Your friend,

Superintendent.

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