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BRIEF

(For a child not enrolled at an Agency.)

APPLICATION OF

Selma Jamison

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Alva Carpenter

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

CARLISLE, PENNSYLVANIA

POST-OFFICE ADDRESS OF APPLICANT

Basson N.Y.

Date of enrollment, *Sept 2*, 1907

Term of enrollment, *Five* (*5*) years.

NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

Bessie B Beach

Position,

Librarian

APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT IN A NONRESERVATION SCHOOL

(For a child not enrolled at an Agency)

For and in consideration of the United States assuming the care, education, and maintenance in the United States Indian School at Carlisle, Penna., of Alora Carpenter, W., I, Selina Jamison of Basom, N. Y., State of New York do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to the enrollment in said school for a period of Five years, and also obligate and bind myself to abide by all the rules and regulations for Indian schools.

I further say that the said child was born at Tonawanda Res. on Sept 5 - 1883 that the father, Cornelius Carpenter a Full Indian of the Seneca Tribe located at New York Agency; that he left the tribe about _____; that the mother, Selina Jamison a Full Indian of the Seneca Tribe located at _____ Agency, and left the tribe about _____; that the said child was born and reared in the United States, and now actually resides therein; and that he has attended the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL.	DATE OF ENROLLMENT.	DATE OF DISCHARGE.	CAUSE.	GRADE.
1. <u>District school</u>	<u>1899</u>	<u>1907</u>	<u>Admission</u>	<u>3</u>
2.				

This 31 day of August, 1907 her mark
 Two witnesses: Wallace Jamison Selina X Jamison
Bess B. Beach P. O., Basom, N. Y.

(NOTE:—Every blank in this application must be properly filled out by the applicant, in his own handwriting, if possible. The signature, whether by mark or otherwise, must be attested by two witnesses.)

AFFIDAVIT

I, _____, do hereby swear that the statements made in the above application are true.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____ 1907

(NOTE:—This application and affidavit must be executed before some officer authorized to administer oaths by the parent with whom the child is living; if the parents are dead, by the guardian or next of kin.)

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.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, _____ a practicing physician of _____, do hereby certify that I have carefully examined _____ the child named in this application, and find that _____ is in proper physical condition to attend school, and is not afflicted with tuberculosis or other disease which would be a menace to the health of other pupils. This _____ day of _____, 190_____, M. D.

VOUCHER OF SOLICITOR FOR SCHOOL

I hereby certify that I was present and witnessed the execution of the foregoing application made by Selina Jamison; that its contents were explained or interpreted to her by Wallace Jamison; that I believe she understood the purport thereof; that ~~I was present at the medical examination of the child named herein;~~ that he resides with Selina Jamison, in or near the town of Albion; that the child can not have adequate and proper educational facilities at home for the reason that _____

Dated at Basin Mt Bessie B. Beach this 31 day of August, 1907 Librarian
Official title

(NOTE—This voucher must be executed by the official representative of the nonreservation school to which application is made. Pupils and Indian solicitors will not be accepted.)

VOUCHERS OF DISINTERESTED PERSONS

VOUCHER No. 1.

I, Wallace Jamison, of _____, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with Selina Jamison who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his statements therein are true; that I am acquainted with Alva Carpenter; that he is known and recognized in the community in which he lives as an Indian; that in my opinion he can not receive proper and adequate schooling at home for the reason that _____

This 31 day of August, 1907 (Wallace Jamison)

VOUCHER NO. 2.

I, Fidelia C. Parker, a _____ of _____
(Business, calling, or profession.)

Akron, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with Selina Samson who makes the foregoing application; that I believe ^{her} his statements therein are true; that I am acquainted with Alva Carpenter; that
(Name of child)

he is known and recognized in the community in which he lives as an Indian; and that in my opinion he can not receive proper and adequate schooling at home ~~for the reason that~~.

This 3 day of August, 1907
Fidelia C. Parker

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

I hereby certify that on _____, I made a careful examination of the physical condition of _____, the child named in the foregoing application, and found _____ to be _____
(As soon after arrival as possible.)

I therefore recommend that the said child be _____ enrolled in this school.

This _____ day of _____, 190 _____

School Physician.

INDORSEMENT.

A child showing one-sixteenth or less Indian blood, whose parents live on an Indian reservation, Indian fashion, who, if debarred from the Government schools, could not obtain an education, may be permitted in the reservation day and boarding schools, but it is preferable that it be not transferred to a nonreservation school, without special permission from the Office. Children showing one-eighth or less Indian blood, whose parents do not live on an Indian reservation, whose home is among white people where there are churches and schools, who are presumed to have adopted the white man's manners and customs, and are to all intents and purposes white people, are debarred from enrollment in the Government nonreservation and reservation schools. Superintendents, in all cases where doubt exists as to the degree of Indian blood of a child proposed for transfer, should fully satisfy themselves of the facts by affidavits from reliable persons, which affidavits must be kept on file at the school.

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.

A pupil dismissed from school for cause must not be enrolled in any other school without the permission of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs. Full facts must be submitted with each request.

Department of the Interior.



Mr. M. Friedman

Supt. U. S. Indian School

Carlisle

Pennsylvania

6-3306

*6-3306-425
9-2363*

January 10th, 1913

Name

Mr. Alpha Leroy Carpenter

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

Tribe

Seneca

Present Address

Alton Erie Co. N. Y.

Former Address

Alton New York

(Address from which we heard from you last.)

Present Occupation

Railroader

Remarks:

*I am well and happy
at home.*

BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

Helina
Alva Carpenter

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Alva Carpenter, or (Alfred)
Industrial School

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pa

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

New York

Date of enrollment, *July 28*, 1907

Term of enrollment, *first* (*5*) years.

NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

Freeman Johnson

Position, *Graduated 1907*

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find him 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 28th day of July, 1907

John M. Gabbey M.D.
Pembroke, N.Y.
Physician at _____ Agency.

CERTIFICATE OF AGENT OR BONDED SUPERINTENDENT.

This document came to me by mail; I have no personal knowledge
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 the mother was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of the said child.
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

This 12th day of August, 1907

J. Meber
Agent or Superintendent.
New York Agency

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.

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CARLISTE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 3823	ENGLISH NAME <i>(Alva)</i> Alpha Carpenter	AGENCY	NATION Seneca					
BAND <i>S</i> Imawanda	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Selina Jamison (mother) Basom, N.Y.						
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX	
FATHER: <i>L</i>	MOTHER: <i>L</i>	<i>Full</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>5-1</i>	<i>94</i>	<i>32 1/2</i>	<i>28 1/2</i>	<i>m</i>
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL <i>Sept. 2, 1907</i>	FOR WHAT PERIOD <i>5 years</i>	DATE DISCHARGED <i>Jan. 23, 1911</i>	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE <i>Deserter</i>					
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS					FROM COUNTRY		
<i>3-24-88</i>	<i>W. W. Mann, New Kingston, Pa.</i>					<i>8-29-'08</i>		
<i>4-8-'09</i>	<i>Geo. Tindall, Robbinsville, N. J.</i>					<i>5-28-'10</i>		
<i>6-19-'10</i>	<i>Ran fr. sch.</i>							

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MUSKOGON-CHICAGO 33877

Months in school before Carlisle, ... *36*

Months entered at Carlisle, ... *2 4/5*

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Religion, *Presbyterian*
Miles to sch. *1/2*

4 3363

Dec. 19, '08

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION.

NAME OF PUPIL Carpenter Alpha

AGE 15 YEARS { New Returned } STUDENT. TRIBE Seneca STATE N. Y.

INSPECTION Good development -

PALPATION Normal

PERCUSSION Normal

AUSCULTATION Fine and coarse rales heard on upper part of right lung.

MENSURATION { Insp. 34 EXP. 20 RESPIRATION 18 VACCINATION good ^{11/11/08}

TEMPERATURE 98 degs. HEIGHT 5 FT. 3 1/2 IN. VISION 10/20

PULSE 90 WEIGHT 121 LBS.

FAMILY HISTORY:

	Living	Condition of Health	Dead	Cause of death
FATHER	yes	good		
MOTHER	yes	good		
BROTHERS {	2	good		
SISTERS {	2	good		

PERSONAL HISTORY:

Convalescent from measles Had cough for 1 month last year. Good health since then. Has cough and expectoration.

REMARKS:
Examined for Outing April 6. 1909 Physical Condition good

Remarks:

Department of the Interior.



Mr. M. Friedman

Supt. U. S. Indian School

Carlisle

Pennsylvania

6-3305

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January 29, 1914

Name

A. L. Carpenter

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

Tribe

Seneca

Present Address

Akron New York.

Former Address

Akron.

(Address from which we heard from you last.)

Present Occupation

Common Laborer.

Remarks:

I want to say that I am enjoying at present time.

Department of the Interior.



Mr. M. Friedman

Supt. U. S. Indian School

Carlisle

Pennsylvania

6-3305

*Gen. # 226
Ser. 3063*

January 2nd, 1913

Name

Alpha Carpenter

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

Tribe

Seneca

Present Address

Akron, Erie Co N.Y.

Former Address

Wilmington, Dela.

(Address from which we heard from you last.)

Present Occupation

Common Labor.

Remarks:

*I am well and healthy and
also I'm happy at Home.*

White Horse Sta.
Trenton N. J.
Nov. 23, 1899

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Mr. Moses Friedman, Supt.

My dear Sir:-

I am sending
you some work done by Alpha
Carpenter, one of your boys
in my Fourth Grade.

I had all of my Fourth
Grade prepare a like sample
of their daily class work
to take to their parents for a
Thanksgiving remembrance, I
expected to put Alpha's on
my wall, on exhibition, but

he coaxed so hard for me to send it to you. So I am trying to please him. He certainly is a credit to your school.

I am very much pleased with all three of your boys. I shall send some of their work later on.

Trusting you will be pleased with Alpha's work I am
Very Truly and Courteously
Thirza Sterling Principal.

Ex 3363

Febr. 24th, 1915.

Mr. Alpha Carpenter,
Akron, Erie Co., New York.

My dear Sir:

Having noted in your letter of February the 22nd that you desire to return to Carlisle to complete your course in tinsmithing, I must inform you that special attention is no longer being given the work in that trade and that you cannot be encouraged to return to school to take up that work.

It has also been reported that you deserted from Carlisle and that you are now more than twenty-one years of age. Under the circumstances further consideration cannot be given your request to be re-enrolled unless you can assure me by references that you are worthy of being given another chance.

Very truly yours,

Supervisor in Charge.

HKM.

*From Alpha Carpenter
I a tin shop that I would
like to hear from you
again
I would like to know
if you are in another
shop
I would like to know
if you are in another
shop
I would like to know
if you are in another
shop*

1915

Acroy Price Co.
New York.

Feb. 22. 1915.

Dear Sir:-

I thought I would drop you a few words to inform of sending the application blank for the new students.

Here is another thing, that I like to know about finishing my work of a Tin shop trade, I would like to hear from you soon.

Yours Truly,
From Alpha Carpenter.

Chron, Pie Co.,
New York.

March. 1. 1915

Dear Sir,

I thought I would
answer your letter receive
last week, This is about
that I like to come back
Carlisle to take up the
trade of tin smithing.

And that I consider
myself to stay till I serve
every of the time up.

This is another
that I would like for you
to send me the application

thanks to take a new
student with me, and
that will be all.

Very Truly Yours
From Alpha Carpenter.

Akron Erie Co.,
New York.

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

425
Seneca

Name of Student

Alpha Carpenter

Home Address

Elina Jamison, Basom, N.Y. Tribe

Age at Entrance

14

Date of Entrance

Sept - 2 - 1907

Shop

1910

JAN.

FEB.

MAR.

APR.

MAY

JUNE

JULY

AUG.

SEPT.

OCT.

NOV.

DEC.

TOTAL OR AVERAGE

Patron

Geo. Tindall

Locality

Days in School

20

20

20

21

22

Address

Robbinsville, N.J.

R. R. Station

Trenton, N.J.

Conduct

Gd

F

G

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Recommended by

Grade in School

Ability

F

F

F

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F

Fair

F

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F

Grade of Home

Church

Presbyterian

Health

Gd

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Date of Outing

Apr - 8 - 1909

Date Returned

5 - 28 - '10

Wages

Earnings

11

11

\$9.00

9

11

11

