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# BRIEF

(For a child not enrolled at an Agency.)

## APPLICATION OF

*Isabell Jeffers*

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

*Lorenzo Jeffers*

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

CARLISLE, PENNSYLVANIA

## POST-OFFICE ADDRESS OF APPLICANT

*Chilmark, Mass.*

Date of enrollment, \_\_\_\_\_, 190

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

## NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

.....

Position, .....

APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT IN A NONRESERVATION SCHOOL

(For a child not enrolled at an Agency)

*Please address Chilmark*

For and in consideration of the United States assuming the care, education, and maintenance in the United States Indian School at Carlisle, Penn., of Lorena Jeffers, Male, I, Isabell Jeffers (Parent, guardian, or next of kin) of Chilmark P. O., State of Mass., do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to 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 Gay Head on Dec 31/1892 that the father, Corrauk Thomas Jeffers is an 3/4 Indian of the Pokanoket Tribe located at Gay Head Agency; that he left the tribe about \_\_\_\_\_; that the mother, Isabelle Jeffers is a 1/2 Indian of the Pokanoket Tribe located at Gay Head 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>Public</u>	<u>1899</u>	<u>1907</u>	<u>To go to work</u>	<u>6th</u>
2.				

This 29th day of Sept, 1908,

Two witnesses: Charles S. Hatah Isabell Jeffers  
C. L. Whitman P. O., Chilmark

(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, Isabell Jeffers, do hereby swear that the statements made in the above application are true.

Thomas C. Jeffers and wife Isabell Jeffers  
 Signature of applicant Parent, guardian, or next of kin

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30 day of September 1908

E. E. Blair Mayor  
 Justice of the Peace

(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.

Chilmark  
Mass

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, C. D. Fairchild, a practicing physician of West Fishburg  
Mass., do hereby certify that I have carefully examined Lorenzo Jeffers  
the child named in this application, and find that he 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 28<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1908, C. D. Fairchild, M. D.

VOUCHER OF SOLICITOR FOR SCHOOL

~~I hereby certify that I was present and witnessed the execution of the foregoing application made  
by \_\_\_\_\_; that its contents were explained or interpreted to  
Parent, guardian, or next of kin  
by \_\_\_\_\_; that I believe \_\_\_\_\_ understood the purport  
Name of interpreter  
thereof; that I was present at the medical examination of the child named herein; that \_\_\_\_\_  
resides with \_\_\_\_\_, in or near the town of \_\_\_\_\_;  
Name of person—parent, guardian, etc.  
that the child can not have adequate and proper educational facilities at home for the reason that  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Dated at \_\_\_\_\_  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 190 \_\_\_\_\_  
Official title~~

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

VOUCHERS OF DISINTERESTED PERSONS

VOUCHER No. 1.

I, H. G. Reed, a Teacher, of  
Gay Head, Mass., do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with  
Bonant Jeffers who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his statements  
Lorenzo Jeffers; 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 he cannot  
receive a practical education and  
there is no opportunity to learn a trade.

This 28<sup>th</sup> day of Sept., 1908, Harry G. Reed

I, C. L. Whitman, a Minister of the Gospel of  
(Business, calling, or profession.)

Gay Head, Mass., do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with  
Isabelle Jeffers, who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his statements  
 therein are true; that I am acquainted with Lorenzo Jeffers; 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 he  
wishes to learn a trade, and there is  
no opportunity for him to do so here

This 29 day of Sept, 1908.

C. L. Whitman

#### CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

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

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.

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CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL  
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 4068	ENGLISH NAME Rorenzo Jeffers	AGENCY Gay Head, Mass.	NATION Pokanot					
BAND Father Corrault	INDIAN NAME Thos. Jeffers	HOME ADDRESS Isabel Jeffers (mother) Chilmark, Mass.						
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EPXR.	SEX.	
FATHER, <i>L</i>	MOTHER, <i>L</i>	<i>7/12</i>	<i>Born</i> 12-31-92	<i>5' 8 1/4"</i>	<i>117</i>	<i>32 1/2</i>	<i>30 1/2</i>	<i>M.</i>
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL <i>Oct. 13, 1908</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>8-28-'09</i>	<i>Nelson Hible, Wrightstown, Pa.</i>						<i>RC</i> <i>10-30-'09</i>	
<i>11-2-'09</i>	<i>" " " " "</i>						<i>RC</i> <i>11-11-'09</i>	

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MUSKOGEE, 79104

Months in school before Carlisle. ....  
*Publ. 1899-1907*      *6th Gr.*

Grade entered at Carlisle, *4th Gr.*

Grade at date of Discharge, .....

Trade or Industry, .....

Church. *Methodist*

Miles to sch. *.....*

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# Record of Graduates and Returned Students,

U. S. INDIAN SCHOOL, CARLISLE, PA.

June 6

1911.

NAME

*Lorenzo D. Jeffers*

1. Are you married and if so to whom? .....

2. What is your present address? *Mememsha Mass, Dukes Count*

3. Did you attend or graduate from any other schools after leaving Carlisle? ..... Give names of schools and dates if possible *1895*

4. What is your present occupation? .....

5. Tell something of your present home .....

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

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

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

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

Jan 16, 1913

Name

Lorenzo D Jeffers

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

Tribe

Poconochet

Present Address

Nantucket Mass,

Former Address

Gay Head Mass

(Address from which we heard from you last.)

Present Occupation

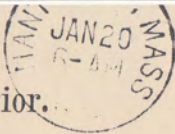
Cist. Engineer in ice plant

Remarks:

Married and family of two children  
and getting along fine send my best regards  
to all my schoolmates Would like to visit there  
the fall

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Department of the Interior.



Mr. M. Friedman

Supt. U. S. Indian School

Carlisle

Pennsylvania



OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

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Name of Student		Loungo Jeffers		Home Address		Isabel Jeffers, Chilmark, Mass.		Tribe		Pokanot									
Age at Entrance	16	Date of Entrance	10-13-08	Shop		JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL OR AVERAGE	
Patron	Nelson Hibbs		Locality	Farm		Days in School													
Address	Wrights town, Pa.		R. R. Station	Wycombe, Pa.		Conduct									g.	g.	g.		
Recommended by			Grade in School			Ability									g.	g.	g.		
Grade of Home			Church	Methodist		Health									g.	g.	g.		
Date of Outing	8-28-09.		Date Returned	Nov - 11 - 09.		Earnings									13.	13			

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REPORT AFTER LEAVING CARLISLE

NAME AT CARLISLE

Lorenzo Jeffers,

PRESENT NAME

DATE	INFORMATION THROUGH	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	ITEMS OF INTEREST	GRADE
1911.		Dukis Co. Menemsha, Mass.	Laborer		
1913	Self	Nantucket, Mass.	ass't engineer	ice plant.	



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Dec. 2-1908

## PHYSICAL EXAMINATION.

NAME OF PUPIL

Jeffers Lorenzo

AGE 15 YEARS

New Returned

STUDENT.

TRIBE

Pocumuckit

STATE

Mass.

INSPECTION

Fair development

PALPATION

Normal

PERCUSSION

Normal. Right apex? Slightly dull?

AUSCULTATION

Normal

MENSURATION

Insp.

33 5/8

Exp.

29 1/4

RESPIRATION

26

VACCINATION

11/23/08  
good

TEMPERATURE

98

degs.

HEIGHT

5

FT. 8

IN.

VISION

10/10

PULSE

104

WEIGHT

126

LBS.

FAMILY HISTORY:

	Living	Condition of Health	Dead	Cause of death
FATHER	yes	good		
MOTHER	yes	good		
BROTHERS.	{ 1	good		
SISTERS.	{ 1	good		

PERSONAL HISTORY:

Has had cough for the past month.  
Health not good at present.

REMARKS:

Examined for Outing

Aug. 20 1909

Physical Condition

Good

Remarks:

Jeffers, Lorenzo,  
Req. to return home.

Ex-stu. 3391

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Jeffers, Lorenzo  
Correspondence

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Ex-stu.

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