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CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL  
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 3025.	ENGLISH NAME Nona Finch	AGENCY	NATION Shoshoni	
BAND Utah	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Geo. Finch, Henry's Fork, Wyo.		
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD Martha Finch 3/18	AGE 19	HEIGHT 5' 11 1/2"	WEIGHT 101
FATHER, L	MOTHER, L	FORCED INSP. 31	FORCED EPXR. 27 1/2	SEX. F.
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Aug. 31, 1900.	FOR WHAT PERIOD Three years.	DATE DISCHARGED 9-6-11	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Offici request	
TO COUNTRY 1-18-11	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS Mrs. M. S. Jones, West Shore, Pa.			FROM COUNTRY 8-31-11

Months in school before Carlisle. ....

Grade entered at Carlisle, ... 4<sup>th</sup> ...

Grade at date of Discharge, .....

Trade or Industry, .....

Church. ... Cath. ....

Nona gives home ad  
Luiwood, Utah  
miles to sch.

Nona Finch, who lately returned  
to her home in Wyoming, writes that  
she is very happy to be with her folks  
again.

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**BRIEF.**

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**Application of**

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

*Nena Finch*

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

**Carlisle, Pennsylvania**

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NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

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

Term of enrollment, *Three* (*3*) years.

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NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

Position, \_\_\_\_\_

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# 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 Nona Finch ; Female ; date of birth 1890 ;  
(Name of child.) (Sex.)  
Shoshoni  
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. <small>(Both Indian and English.)</small>	Living or Dead.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>George Finch</u>	<u>living</u>	<u>Shoshoni</u>		<u>half-blood</u>
<u>Martha Finch</u>	<u>living</u>	<u>Shoshoni</u>		<u>quarter-blood</u>

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to enrollment in said school for a period of three years, and also obligate myself to abide by all the rules and regulations for Indian schools.  
(Not less than 3.)

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.				

**X** George Finch  
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Henry's Fork,

Wyoming

Two witnesses:

Daniel M. Nelson  
M. G. Lamm

**PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.**

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find her 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 27th day of August, 1909

Dalvin K. Smith

Physician at Sheehon 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 said child.

This 27th day of August, 1909

H. G. Gadsden

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.



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PHYSICAL RECORD,  
CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL.

NAME OF PUPIL Finch, Nona DATE Sept 1, 1909

AGE 20 YEARS { NEW / RETURNED } STUDENT. TRIBE Shoshoni STATE Utah

DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD 1/2

INSPECTION Fair development

PALPATION Normal

PERCUSSION Normal

AUSCULTATION { RESONANCE Normal  
RESP. MURMUR Normal

HEART SOUNDS Normal

MENSURATION { INSP. 31  
EXP. 27 1/2 RESPIRATION 18 PULSE 72

TEMPERATURE 98 degs. HEIGHT 5 FT 1 1/2 IN. WEIGHT 101 LBS.

VISION 10/10 VACCINATION Sept 7/09 Successful

MENSTRUATION Not regular, painful

FAMILY HISTORY:

	Living.	Condition of Health.	Dead.	Cause of death.
FATHER	yes	Good		
MOTHER	yes	Good		
BROTHERS {	5	Good		
SISTERS {	6	Good		

PERSONAL HISTORY:  
Had some kind of fever.

REMARKS:

HOSPITAL RECORD.....

EXAMINATION FOR OUTING:

DATES:

CONDITIONS:

*Jan 16-11*

*Good*



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Simwood Utah

Nov 18 1914

Mr O-H Sippy,  
Carlisle Pa,

Dear Mr Sippy

I received your letter and  
also the Arrow and many  
thanks, know I didnt  
know that Mr Friedman  
was gone, My name when  
at Carlisle was Nona Finch  
and My former Adress is  
Simwood Utah, my own  
home town,

Sincerely yours  
Nona Nichols

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Linwood - Utah -  
Oct - 7 - 1911 -

Mr Friedman Supt.  
Indian Schools -  
Pleasant -

You will be  
thinking us very slow  
about answering your  
request about, Wana, but  
we are so glad to have her  
home, we hesitate that  
about writing you of her  
safe arrival in Sun River

We feel that her time has been  
well spent at Carlisle. She  
~~is~~ well. We hope Ella is happy  
and will improve her time.

Sincerely,

Mrs George Finch.

October 16, 1911.

Mrs. George Finch,  
Linwood, Utah  
Dear friend:-

I have your letter saying your daughter, Nona arrived home in safety and that you are glad to have her home with you again. I appreciate the fact that you consider her time well spent while she was here.

I am always glad to hear from my boys and girls when they leave Carlisle for their homes and feel ease when I hear from each saying they arrived home in safety.

With best wishes, I am

Very truly yours,

Superintendent.

NRD.

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REPORT OF Nona Finch pupil of Carlisle Indian School, who went Jan. 1911 to live with Mrs. Murphy Jones of West-Beacon, Chubb, Pennsylvania, West Beason Railroad Station

Conduct Excellent

Health

Ability Good

Cleanliness Fair - improving

Economy Good

Situation of Room 3<sup>rd</sup> floor

Condition of Room Good

Condition of Clothing needs under work; draws + hose

Wages 7<sup>00</sup>

Are careful accounts kept by patron? Yes

Are careful accounts kept by pupil? No

Number of days at school

Distance to school 1 mile

Grade or quality of school

Name and address of teacher

Qualifications of teacher

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? 4<sup>th</sup>

In what grade is pupil at present? ..

Attends what church and Sunday school? Cath.

Distance to church 1 mile

Is there a Catholic church in locality? Yes

Who compose patron's family? Mr. + Mrs. J. Jones + dau. + Aunt. Jones.

What other help is employed? Landlord.

Locality of home In suburbs of Carlisle

Home life and environments Excellent

Trade at school

Nature of work Gen. house work

Pupil's age 18 Experience 5 months

Any general statement or wishes of patron or pupils, together with Agent's estimate of place, people, and pupil:

One of our best-patrons.  
A delightful Country woman in suburbs  
of town. No formal work.  
Patron says Rosa Kuper but-little  
about work when she came to her -  
she has impression & is learning to  
cook, is interested in her work.  
is a little forgetful. Very pleasant-  
disposition. She would like to keep  
her next-work. - It fits her home.  
appreciates what has been done  
for her, she is to be returned home  
next fall. Patron would like a  
gift for winter.

Mellen S. Gailher-  
Field Agent.

June 22-1911.

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REPORT OF Nona Finch pupil of Carlisle Indian  
School, who went Jan. 18, 1911 to live with Mrs. Morris Jones  
(Date) (Patron)  
of Westgrove, Chester  
(Post Office) (County)  
Pennsylvania, Westgrove, Pa Railroad Station  
(State)  
Conduct Good  
Health "  
Ability "  
Cleanliness "  
Economy \_\_\_\_\_  
Situation of Room 3rd Floor.  
Condition of Room Ex.  
Condition of Clothing Good.  
Wages \_\_\_\_\_  
Are careful accounts kept by patron? \_\_\_\_\_  
Are careful accounts kept by pupil? \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of days at school \_\_\_\_\_  
Distance to school 1 mile  
Grade or quality of school \_\_\_\_\_  
Name and address of teacher \_\_\_\_\_  
Qualifications of teacher \_\_\_\_\_  
In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? 4th  
In what grade is pupil at present? \_\_\_\_\_  
Attends what church and Sunday school? Catholic  
Distance to church \_\_\_\_\_  
Is there a Catholic church in locality? Yes.  
Who compose patron's family? Mrs and Mrs. J. Aunt & daughter grown  
What other help is employed? Woman to wash and iron.  
Locality of home Suburbs of town.  
Home life and environments Excellent.  
Trade at school \_\_\_\_\_  
Nature of work Gen. helper  
Pupil's age 18 Experience \_\_\_\_\_

Any general statement or wishes of patron or pupils, together with Agent's estimate of place, people, and pupil:

A delightful home in suburbs of town, large yard filled with beautiful shrubbery and trees. Patron a Friend, a kind practical woman, excellent housekeeper says M. has been with her but a few weeks so far satisfactory. She has a pleasant disposition and tries to please. Is inexperienced and knows little about work. Too early to decide about keeping her. M. likes her home is a little lonely as there are no other Indian girls near. She will start school on Monday.

Feb. 9. 1911.

Mellic S. Gaillet  
Field Agent





OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

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Name of Student

Nona Finch

Home Address

Geo Finch - Linwood, Utah Tribe Shoshone

Age at Entrance

19-0

Date of Entrance

8-31-'09

Shop

July Aug Sept Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar Apr May June

TOTAL OR AVERAGE

Patron

Mrs. S. M. Jones

Locality

Days in School

4 23 5

Address

West Grove, Pa.

R. R. Station

Conduct

g g g v.g. g v.g.

Recommended by

Grade in School

Ability

g g g g g g

Grade of Home

Church

Health

g g g v.g. g g

Date of Outing

1-18-'10

Date Returned

8-31-'11

Wages

Earnings

5.25 7. 7.

7.9 v.g.  
g.  
g.  
7. 7.

# OUTING RECORD — CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Name of Student

Home Address

Tribe

Age at Entrance	Date of Entrance	Shop	Localities	Days in School	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL OR AVERAGE
Patron																	
Address			R. R. Station	Conduct													
Recommended by			Grade in School	Ability													
Grade of Home		Church		Health													
Date of Outing	Date Returned	Wages		Earnings													

