

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL -  
 DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

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NUMBER 5403		ENGLISH NAME Jos. M. Page			AGENCY			NATION Creek		
HAND		INDIAN NAME			HOME ADDRESS Father - Wm. C. Page, Poteau, Okla.					
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD 3/8	AGE 16	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX M		
FATHER I	MOTHER L	ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Sept. 4, 1915		FOR WHAT PERIOD Three years	DATE DISCHARGED Oct. 8, 1915	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Parents' request				
TO COUNTRY		PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS						FROM COUNTRY		

Months in school before Carlisle ... 7 yrs.

Grade entered at Carlisle, .....

Grade at date of Discharge, .....

Trade or Industry, .....

Church, Methodist .....

1/2 mi. to school.

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CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL

No. 5403

NAME.

AGE.

TRIBE.

DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD. 3/8

NAME OF AGENCY AND RESERVATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT, POST OFFICE OF FAMILY. Poteau, Okla.

Pagy, Joseph M.

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Creek

SEP 4 1915  
DATE ENTERED.

Months in school before enrollment here. 7 yrs.

IN WHAT GRADE OR ROOM.

On entering here.

At date of this report.

Distance to nearest public school from pupil's home. 1/2

REMARKS.

(Temporarily absent, outing, deserters, on sick leave, special authorities for enrollment, etc.)

TO COUNTRY

FROM COUNTRY

DATE DISCHARGED

10-8-15

Methodist  
1839

Progress from \_\_\_\_\_ (Date) to \_\_\_\_\_ (Date)

FIRST YEAR IN THIS SCHOOL    SEPT.    OCT.    NOV.    DEC.    JAN.    FEB.    MAR.    APR.

Class or grade \_\_\_\_\_

Academic \_\_\_\_\_ standing\*

Industrial \_\_\_\_\_ standing\*  
(Department)

Musical: Band \_\_\_\_\_ standing\*

Vocal \_\_\_\_\_ standing\*

Orchestra \_\_\_\_\_ standing\*

Department \_\_\_\_\_ standing\*

Physical condition \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_



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Sept. 17th, 1915.

Mr. W. C. Page,  
Poteau, Oklahoma.

My dear Sir:

Your son Joseph has come to my office with a request that permission be given him to go home too, claiming that he cannot get the studies here he desires to take.

I shall not object to his leaving and will carry out your wishes in the matter.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supervisor Wyly.)

**Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully**

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**BRIEF**

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**Application of**

*William C. Page*

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

*Joseph M. Page*

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

**Carlisle, Pennsylvania**

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NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

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Date of enrollment..... 191.....

Term of enrollment..... ~~Two~~ *Three* ( *3* ) years

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# Application for Enrollment in a Non-Reservation 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 Joseph M Page ; Male ; date of birth November 2, 1898  
(Name of Child) (Sex)  
Choctaw  
(Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER <small>(Both Indian and English)</small>	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<u>William C. Page</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Choctaw</u>		<u>3/4</u>
<u>Jane Page</u>	<u>Dead</u>	<u>White</u>		

I, William C. Page, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to his 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
<u>1 Potear Public School</u>	<u>1906</u>	<u>1915</u>	<u>Vacation</u>	<u>Eight</u>
<u>2</u>				
<u>3</u>				
<u>4</u>				

William C. Page  
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: Potear Okla

Two Witnesses: \_\_\_\_\_

**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 2 day of Sept, 1915

P. M. Donnell M.D.

Physician at Muskogee Okla Agency.

**CERTIFICATE OF AGENT OR 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 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Sept, 1915

A. S. Wiley

Agent or Superintendent.

**SPECIAL NOTE.**

This form must be executed in duplicate when a child is transferred from a reservation to a non-reservation 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.

## Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully

### **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 is living, and if neither of them is 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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