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## CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER <b>3277</b>	ENGLISH NAME <i>Maggie Laughing</i>	AGENCY	NATION <i>Mohawk Iroquois</i>	
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS <i>Tom Laughing, Hogaueburg, N.Y.</i>		
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD <i>1/2</i>	AGE <i>15</i>	HEIGHT	WEIGHT
FATHER	MOTHER	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX. <i>F</i>
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL <i>Nov. 17, 1907</i>	FOR WHAT PERIOD <i>Five years</i>	DATE DISCHARGED <i>9-5-12</i>	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE <i>Term expired</i>	
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS			FROM COUNTRY
<i>7-10-'08</i>	<i>Chas. Craighead, Carlisle, Pa.</i>			<i>8-29-'08</i>
<i>8-28-'08</i>	<i>H. W. Parsons, Lambertville, N.J.</i>			<i>3-24-'10</i>
<i>4-7-'11</i>	<i>J. M. Delaney, Jenkintown, Pa.</i>			<i>Nov. 5-9-'11</i>
<i>Dr. 5-9-'11</i>	<i>Rev. Geo. J. Harris, Mt. Holly, N.J.</i>			<i>8-16-'11</i>
<i>6-15-'12</i>	<i>Mrs. N. Harris, Glassboro, N.J.</i>			<i>8-30-12</i>
THE SHAW-WALKER, MUSKOGON-CHICAGO 33877				

Months in school before Carlisle, *60*Grade entered at Carlisle, *1st.*  
*8th*

Grade at date of Discharge, .....

Trade or Industry, .....

Church, *Catholic**Miles to sch. 2*

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## BRIEF

(For a child not enrolled at an Agency.)

### APPLICATION OF

*Mary Laughing*  
FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

*Maggie Laughing*  
IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

CARLISLE, PENNSYLVANIA

### POST-OFFICE ADDRESS OF APPLICANT

*Hogansburg N.Y.*

Date of enrollment, *Nov 18*, 1907

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

### NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

*Mrs A E Saxon*

Position, *Matron*

*Thore Bero says  
Correct name "Maggie Bendich"*

# 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, PA., of Maggie Langley, female, I, Mary Langley + her mother, of Hogansburg P. O., State of N. Y., do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to her 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 Hogansburg on Feb 1892; that the father, Tom Langley, 1/2 a Dropout Indian of the Dropout Tribe located at Hogansburg Agency; that he left the tribe about 1892; that the mother, Mary Langley, in a 1/2 Indian of the Dropout Tribe located at Hogansburg Agency, and left the tribe about 1892; 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>Reservation day school</u>				
2.				

This 15 day of Nov, 1907

Two witnesses:

Mrs E Cunningham  
Leah Cunningham

Mary Langley + her mother  
Parent, guardian, or next of kin  
P. O., Hogansburg

(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, Mary Langley + mother, do hereby swear that the statements made in the above application are true.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16<sup>th</sup> day of Nov, 1907

Signature of applicant

Parent, guardian, or next of kin

(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, Charles M. Langel a practicing physician of Hogansburg, do hereby certify that I have carefully examined Maggie Langel the child named in this application, and find that she 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 15 day of Nov, 1907 Barbours, M. D.

## VOUCHER OF SOLICITOR FOR SCHOOL

I hereby certify that I was present and witnessed the execution of the foregoing application made by Mary Langel; that its contents were explained or interpreted to me by Peter Cole; that I believe he understood the purport thereof; that I was present at the medical examination of the child named herein; that she resides with Mary Langel, in or near the town of Hogansburg; that the child can not have adequate and proper educational facilities at home for the reason that

Dated at Hogansburg this 15 day of Nov, 1907

A. E. Saxon  
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, A. M. Langel, a Merchant, of Hogansburg, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with Maggie Langel who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his statements therein are true; that I am acquainted with John Thomas Langel; 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 school is not accessible

This 15 day of Nov, 1907

A. M. Langel

## VOUCHER No. 2.

I, Louis Chubb, a Church of

(Business, calling, or profession.)

Howard My, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with  
William J. J. J., who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his statements  
 therein are true; that I am acquainted with Thom J. J.; 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 School

This 15 day of May, 190

Louis Chubb

## 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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Ringoes, N.J.

August 3<sup>rd</sup> 1919.

Mrs Friedman

Dear Sir:-

your letter received  
asking if Maggie wished to stay & if we  
wanted another girl during fall & winter,  
we would like to keep Maggie as long as  
it is possible for us to do so, she is a  
most remarkably good girl & is doing  
well in both school & home work

and think it would be well for her to  
stay with us, But she wishes to return  
to the school & remain there. during the  
winter, we would like another girl to take  
the place of Maggie, one not less than  
twelve years old. I sent-in application  
for one about the last of June. suppose  
you have received it. I hope we may be  
fortunate enough to get one equal to  
Maggie.

When Miss Gaither was here in Feb.  
she said all pupils were required to go  
to school Sept-1 instead of Nov 1.<sup>st</sup>  
I would not know how to spare the girl  
during Sept<sup>and</sup> Oct. as they are very busy months

and would ask if it were possible for  
us. not to send until Nov.

Very Respectfully yours.

Mrs. Howard W. Larason,

Ringoe

R. J.

R. J. D. #1.

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REPORT OF Maggie Laughlin pupil of Carlisle Indian  
School, who went May 1911 (Date) to live with Mrs. Geo. F. Harris (Patron)  
of Int. Holly (Post Office), Camden (County),  
New Jersey (State), Int. Holly Railroad Station  
Conduct Excellent  
Health Good. Am sore from vaccination  
Ability Excellent  
Cleanliness "  
Economy "  
Situation of Room 3<sup>rd</sup> floor  
Condition of Room Excellent  
Condition of Clothing "  
Wages 5.00  
Are careful accounts kept by patron? Yes  
Are careful accounts kept by pupil? No  
Number of days at school  
Distance to school  
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 3 blocks  
Is there a Catholic church in locality? Yes  
Who compose patron's family? Rev. + Mrs. H. son + daughter young.  
What other help is employed? Laundry put out.  
Locality of home Town  
Home life and environments Excellent  
Trade at school  
Nature of work Gen. helper  
Pupil's age 16 Experience 2 yrs.

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

New patron. First-girl. pleasant - home  
practical kind woman wife of Muth.  
Minister says he is satisfactory. she  
is neat - about her work & likes to have  
things in place - has pleasant - disposition, a  
refined good girl - she is much  
pleased with him & would like to  
keep him next winter.

Maggi likes her home. she has  
been out - over two years of her  
time at - College & wanted to re-  
turn to spend last winter.

Mollie S. Gaither  
Field Agent

June 12 - 1911.

REPORT OF Maggie Laughing pupil of Carlisle Indian  
School, who went 6-15-12 to live with Mrs. Harris  
(Date) (Patron)  
of Glassboro, Gloucester,  
(Post Office) (County)

N. J., Glassboro Railroad Station  
(State)

Conduct Excellent

Health Good

Ability Very good

Cleanliness Very neat and clean

Economy Not wasteful; Excellent bread maker

Situation of Room 2d floor

Condition of Room Excellent

Condition of Clothing Excellent

Wages \$6 per mo.

Are careful accounts kept by patron? Yes

Are careful accounts kept by pupil?

Number of days at school

Distance to school

Grade or quality of school

Name and address of teacher

Qualifications of teacher

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? Room 7

In what grade is pupil at present?

Attends what church and Sunday school? Catholic

Distance to church Short distance

Is there a Catholic church in locality? Yes

Who compose patron's family? Rev. Harris, Mrs. Harris daughter - teacher.  
son - minister.

What other help is employed? Washing done out.

Locality of home Town

Home life and environments Methodist minister's family

Trade at school Dressmaking

Nature of work Seal helper

Pupil's age 18 Experience Considerable

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

Patron Would like to have Maggie remain for the winter.  
Mrs. Harris would like a girl like Maggie or none at all.  
Maggie expects to go home in the fall so will not  
decide to stay.

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NAME.

Laughing Maggie.

TRIBE.

Iroquois.

PARENT OR GUARDIAN.

Tom Laughing.

DATE ENROLLED.

TERM.

AGE.

HOME ADDRESS.

Nov. 17, 1907,

5 Years

15,

Hogansburg, N. Y.

DATE OF RECORD

ACADEMIC DEPARTMENT.

INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.

DORMITORY.

OUTING

SPECIAL REMARKS.

ROOM  
NO.

Scholarship

Conduct.

Shop.

Ability.

Conduct.

Room  
No.

Neatness

Conduct.

Ability.

Conduct.

Apr. '08  
Jan. '09  
July '09  
June '10  
July '10  
Jan. '11  
July '11  
Dec. '11

1 V. Good Ex.  
Outing  
"  
4 V. Good Ex.  
4 1/2 V. Good Ex.  
Outing

Shop. Ability. Conduct.  
D.R. V. Gd Ex  
S.R. V. Gd "  
V. Gd V. Gd

Room No. Neatness Conduct.  
V. Gd Ex  
" "  
Ex Ex

Ability. Conduct.  
V. Good Fair  
Good V. Good  
V. Gd "  
" "

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NAME AT CARLISLE

Maggie Laughing

**PRESENT NAME**

