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CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 4755		ENGLISH NAME Stephen James			AGENCY La Pointe			NATION Chippewa		
BAND Bad River		INDIAN NAME			HOME ADDRESS Frank James, Cedar, Wis.					
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD Full	AGE 18	HEIGHT 5'7"	WEIGHT 134	FORCED INSP. 34½	FORCED EXPR. 31¼	SEX. M.		
FATHER, L	MOTHER, L	ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Aug. 24, 1912.			FOR WHAT PERIOD Five years.		DATE DISCHARGED 5-21-13		CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Deserted	
TO COUNTRY 4-21-13		PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS Ran						FROM COUNTRY		

Months in school before Carlisle, 63

Grade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at time of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Catholic

Miles to school - 1

458

BRIEF.

Application of

Frank James

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Stephen James

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Sea Pointe.

Date of enrollment 191.....

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

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 Stephen James; Male; date of birth Nov 14/1893
(Name of Child) (Sex)
Chippewa
(Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER <small>(Both Indian and English)</small>	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<u>Frank James</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Chippewa</u>	<u>Bad River</u>	<u>Full blood</u>
<u>Josephine James</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Chippewa</u>	<u>Bad River</u>	<u>Full blood</u>

I, Frank James, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to the enrollment in said school for a period of five 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>St. Mary's Day</u>	<u>Sept. 1900</u>	<u>Oct. 1909</u>	<u>sickness</u>	<u>Seventh</u>
<u>Public Cedar Wis.</u>	<u>May 1910</u>	<u>Jan. 1912</u>	<u>Change of residence</u>	<u>Eighth</u>

Frank James
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: Cedar

Two Witnesses:

Samuel J. Stienstra
Al Roberts

Wisconsin

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find Lucie 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 9th day of Aug, 1912

Henry A. Simeak M.D.

Physician at Manakwis 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 Frank James (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This Eight day of August, 1912

~~[Signature]~~
Agent or Superintendent.

SPECIAL NOTE. J. H. Murphy
Supervisor in Charge

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.

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.

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NAME Stephyn James Sex Male Female

Tribe Full Chippewa State Wis 458 Date Aug 26, 19 12

Age 18 years Respiration 18 Condition of Eyes Suspicious Trichiasis

Height 5 ft. 9 1/2 ins. Ears O.K.

Weight 133 1/4 lbs. Mensuration { Insp. 36 Exp. 31 Throat O.K.

Temperature 98 3/5 Vaccination yes. Cervical glands O.K.

Pulse 84 Vision _____ Skin acne on face

Inspection Well developed

Palpation normal

Percussion normal

Auscultation normal

Heart normal.

(Menstruation) _____

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father	yes	good		
Mother	yes	good		
Brothers	1	good	none	
Sisters	none		1	T.B.

Personal history Small pox, mumps, measles, Typhoid fever, pneumonia 4 years ago

Present condition good.

H B Frabie, M. D.

This form is for the record of the physical condition of pupils of boarding or nonreservation Indian schools. It should be filled in by the school physician at the time of the admission of the pupil.

Physicians in the field should use this form to record the examination of pupils for transfer to nonreservation schools. It should accompany the pupils' transfer blanks.

The reverse side is intended as a card-index case-record for use by all Service physicians.

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Wisconsin

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L. Roberts

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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 8th day of Aug, 1912.

Henry A. Lincoln M.D.

Physician at Odanah's 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 Frank James
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
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This Eighth day of August, 1912.

Samuel J. Stinson
~~Agent or Superintendent.~~

J. G. Murphy
Supervisor in Charge.

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UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Sept. 15th, 1914.

Toledo, Iowa.

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Dr. R. L. Russell,
Supt., Sac and Fox Sanatorium,
Toledo, Iowa.

Dear Dr. Russell:

I thank you for your favor of September the 12th, advising me that Stephen James is ready for discharge from the sanatorium under your direction and recommending that he be given an opportunity to return to Carlisle to complete the period of enrolment upon which he entered originally in 1912.

Replying to your letter this is to state that I will gladly give him another chance, but it is my opinion that he should pay for his transportation from Toledo to Carlisle from his personal funds.

Trusting that my suggestion will meet with your approval and that later I can co-operate with you to effect the young man's transfer to Carlisle, I remain,

Very truly yours,

Supervisor in Charge.

(Copy to Superintendent Everest)

R. L. Russell

Supintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Sac & Fox Sanatorium,
Toledo, Iowa,
September 12, 1914.

Mr. O. H. Lipps,
Supervisor in Charge, Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Mr. Lipps:-

Stephen James a Chippewa from La Pointe Agency is ready for discharge from the sanatorium and desires to re-enroll at Carlisle from where he deserted in 1913.

I have not been able to determine the reason for his desertion but believe that it was a case of homesickness, for the boy is in every respect a gentleman and the finest boy we have yet had here.

I would recommend that you give him an opportunity to return being fully convinced that he will make you a very desirable student.

I shall be very glad to hear from you at an early date and to be advised if under the circumstances you will place transportation for him. The state of his health is such that I believe that he will have no trouble in completing the Carlisle course.

Very truly yours,

R. A. Russel
Superintendent.

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(Copies to Dr. Russell)
(and to Supt. Everest.)

Dec. 7th, 1914.

Mr. Stephen James,

C/o The Sanatorium, Toledo, Iowa.

My dear Friend:

I have noted in your letter of December the 4th that you are now ready to come to Carlisle and that you can arrange to pay for your transportation.

In reply to your letter I must state that practically all the students who can be accommodated here this year are now enrolled and that only a very few additional ones will be received if I can be assured that such are earnest and in need of an education at government expense. Your desertion from Carlisle is not at all to your credit, but if you have made up your mind that you want to come here with a determination to make good use of your time I will be pleased to give you another chance.

An application for your enrolment should be submitted to Superintendent Russell before you start for Carlisle.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Toledo, Iowa.,
Dec, 7, 1914.

To Lipps,
Carlisle, Pa.,
Dear sir:-

Just a few lines to ask
you. If I could come back
to Carlisle and go to school
again.

I will pay my own expense
out there.

No doubt you have heard
from, our Agent from Oskosh
Wisconsin and also Hockett ^{Phelps}
how I was getting along.

Yours Truly,

Stephen James.

Toledo

Sanatorium, Iowa.

October 30th, 1913.

Mr. Stephen James,
Odeabah Wis.,

Dear Sir,

There is enclosed herewith check for 1.41 which
you will please sign and return to me when a check will be
forwarded you for the balance you have in bank.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Superintendent,

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Chicago, Ill.
December 4th, 1913.

Supt. M. Friedman,
Mr. Stephen James,

Dear Sir,
116 East Ohio St..

Chicago, Ill.,

Dear Sir,

*I enclose you the statement and
will please send the statement
to me when you receive it.*
There is enclosed herewith check for 79 cents closing
your account. Please sign the face of the check and cash the same
as soon as possible to close your account.

Your friend,

W.H.M.

Respectfully

Superintendent,

Stephen James

*My address is 116 East Ohio St
Chicago
Ill.*

Chicago, Ill.,
Nov. 23, 1913.

Supt. M. Friedman,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear sir:-

I never got the spectacles and will you please send the spectacles to me. And you could keep the balance of my money. There's not much anyway in the bank.

Respectfully

Stephen James

My address is 116 East Ohio St.
Chicago
Ill.

