

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

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NUMBER 2532 3137		ENGLISH NAME Della Smith			AGENCY Rosebud			NATION Sioux		
BAND		INDIAN NAME			HOME ADDRESS Godd Smith Rosebud, S. Dak.					
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EPXR.	SEX.		
FATHER, L		MOTHER, D	1/2	17	5'3 1/4"	104	3 1/2	29	F.	
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Sept. 16, 1910		FOR WHAT PERIOD Three years			DATE DISCHARGED June 11, 1913		CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Time out			
TO COUNTRY		PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS						FROM COUNTRY		

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MURKESHAW, WYOMING 79104

Months in school before Carlisle, 110

Grade entered at Carlisle, 3

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Episcopal

Miles to school

PHYSICAL RECORD,

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CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL.

NAME OF PUPIL Smith Della DATE 9/20 1910

AGE 17 YEARS NEW RETURNED STUDENT. TRIBE Sioux STATE S. Dakota

DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD 1/1

INSPECTION Hollow² above both clavicles

PALPATION Normal

PERCUSSION Slight dullness at both apices

AUSCULTATION { RESONANCE increased at right apex
 RESP. MURMUR "Tubular at right apex"

HEART SOUNDS Good

MENSURATION { INSP. 31 1/2 RESPIRATION 20 PULSE 76
 EXP. 29

TEMPERATURE 98.6 degs. HEIGHT 5 FT. 3/4 IN. WEIGHT 104 LBS.

VISION 10/20 VACCINATION Good scar

MENSTRUATION Normal

FAMILY HISTORY:

	Living.	Condition of Health.	Dead.	Cause of death.
FATHER	<u>yes</u>	<u>good</u>		
MOTHER			<u>yes</u>	<u>?</u>
BROTHERS {	<u>3</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>good</u>	
SISTERS {	<u>5</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>good</u>	

PERSONAL HISTORY: General health good.

REMARKS:

HOSPITAL RECORD.....

EXAMINATION FOR OUTING:

DATES:

April 21, 1911

CONDITION:

Good.

NAME Hella Smith Sex ~~Male~~ Female.

Tribe ^{Full} _{1/2} Sony State South Dak Sep 10, 1910

Age 17 years Respiration 20 Condition of, Eyes good

Height 5 ft. 1/2 ins. Mensuration { Insp. 30 1/2 Ears good

Weight 103 1/2 lbs. { Exp. 28 1/2 Throat good

Temperature 98 4/5 Vaccination yes Cervical glands good

Pulse 84 Vision magnified glasses Skin good

Inspection good

Palpation good

Percussion good

Auscultation good

Heart good

(Menstruation) regular

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father	.	<u>good</u>		
Mother	.	<u>good</u>		
Brothers <u>3</u>	{	<u>good</u>		
Sisters <u>5</u>	{	<u>good</u>		

Personal history out of school last year - has had a cough but at present condition is good.

Present condition good

William R. Bebout, 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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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

Della Smith

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Herself

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pa.

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Rosebud, S. D.

Date of enrollment, September, 1910

Term of enrollment, three (3) years.

NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

Position,

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 Della Smith _____; female _____; date of birth Dec. 27th. 1892

(Name of child.)

(Sex.)

Sioux

(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>Todd Smith</u>	L	<u>Sioux</u>		<u>1/2</u>
NAME OF MOTHER.				
<u>Zanetta Smith</u>	D	"		<u>1/2</u>

I, Della Smith _____, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to my

(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

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 <u>White Thunder Day</u>	<u>1898</u>	<u>1900</u>		
² <u>Rosebud Boarding</u>	<u>1900</u>	<u>1904</u>		
³ <u>Rapid City "</u>	<u>1904</u>	<u>1908</u>		
⁴ <u>Rosebud Day</u>	<u>1908</u>	<u>1909.</u>		

Della Smith

(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Rosebud, S. D.

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 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 16th day of Sept, 1900

William R. Bebout

Physician at Rosebud 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 the said child.

This _____ day of _____, 190

J. Bloods

Agent or Superintendent.

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

I hereby certify that on _____, I made a careful examination of the physical condition of _____, the child named in the foregoing application, and found _____ to be _____

(As soon after arrival as possible.)

I therefore recommend that the said child be _____ enrolled in this school.

This _____ day of _____, 190

School Physician.

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.

If the information called for on any part of the blank is not known, that fact should be stated. No space should be left unfilled. Whether the parents are living or dead, their names must be given.

The person who signs the blank as consenting to the transfer should indicate his relation to the applicant by marking out the word "parent," "guardian," or "next of kin," leaving unmarked only the title appropriate to the signer.

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; but in all cases where the parents are living they should first be consulted.

This form is to be used only in transfers from reservations or Indian schools to nonreservation schools.

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(5) Pine Ridge

S. Dak.

Sept 8 1914

Carlisle Pa.

Carlisle Arrow

Dear Sir:

Please change

my address from
Kilgore Neb to Pine

Ridge, S. Dak and
also change my

name from Della
Smith to Mrs J Henry

Redeuf at Pine Ridge,
S. Dakota

Wish the old school
- successful year
I am,

Yours Respt.

Mrs Mary Rowland

Pine Ridge

S. D. Aug

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Rosebud,

So, klak,

Aug. 27, 1913,

My friend! -

I received your letter and of course I was more than glad to hear from you and especially to get your sweet picture, is your name Jack or John? I always thought it was John, is it?

Yes, I guess I know who you are now.

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you look sweet as ever
to me John,

I always liked you
from the ^{first} time I saw
you and I guess you
did too, I remember
one social you came
up to me, and George
Francesco spoiled for
us did he? I never did
like him.

Yes, I sure am glad.
I am home but I
miss Carlisle sometimes

I wanted to go back
but my father doesn't
want me to, so I am
going to stay home
and take it easy for
once. No, we are living
in town but we have
a farm few miles from
here. I guess you will
never see Hella Smith
again but I hope you
will never forget me.
as I always did like you
but I never did have the ^{old}
chance of going with you

I am sorry now, but
it's too late.

John I haven't got
any picture of mine
just now but will
have soon, so will
send you one.

Well as I am out
of news I will close
now and say good by
and excuse mistakes &
writing please. I
am your old friend
and schoolmate,
ans. soon, Nellie Smith

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Copy for Superintendent
Scriven.

Oct. 22nd, 1913.

Mr. Todd Smith,
Rosebud, South Dakota.

My dear Mr. Smith:

I would be pleased to know whether we may expect your three children, Della, Claude and Hardin, to return to Carlisle this Fall for an additional period of enrolment. Our work for this year has been well under way for more than a month and if they will return it should be to their advantage to join their classes without delay.

Transportation is available at Valentine, Nebr., and Superintendent Scriven can arrange to send them on to Carlisle just as soon as their applications for re-enrolment are submitted to him for his approval. I enclose herewith blanks upon which their applications may be submitted to the Superintendent.

Hoping that I will hear from you regarding this matter, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

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INFORMATION REGARDING RETURNED STUDENTS

PART 1

REPORT BY NONRESERVATION SUPERINTENDENT OR RESERVATION SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

SCHOOL, Carlisle, Pa., June, 1913
 Name, Della Smith; Sex, F; Age, 20; Deg. Indian Blood, 1/2
 Belongs: State, S. Dak.; Agency, Rosebud; Tribe, Sioux
 Home address, whose care, etc., Todd Smith, Rosebud, S. Dak.
 Grade in school, 4; health, Good; height, 5 ft. 2 in.; weight, 110
 Number months instruction given pupil in each school department, including music, _____

Course completed, _____; years in this school, 3
 Years spent in other schools and names of schools, White Thunder Day School - 1898-1900
Rosebud Boarding - 1900-4; Rapid City Boarding - 1904-8; Rosebud Day 1908-9.

Character and disposition, _____
 Recommended for what positions, suitability in order named: 1. _____
 2. _____; 3. _____; 4. _____

Remarks: _____
 _____, Supt.

PART 2

REPORT BY RESERVATION SUPERINTENDENT

AGENCY, _____, 191

Date pupil returned from school, _____; employed since return as follows: _____

Are home and local conditions favorable? _____
 Should he receive assistance to find employment? _____
 At what employment do you think he would do best? _____

Remarks: _____
 _____, Supt.

INFORMATION REGARDING RETURNED STUDENTS

PART 1

REPORT BY NONRESERVATION SUPERINTENDENT OF RESERVATION SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

SUGGESTIONS FOR SUPPLYING THE INFORMATION REQUESTED ON THIS BLANK

1. The report of nonreservation school Superintendent should be made at the time or a little before the pupil leaves school, whether at the end of the school year or during the school year, provided the pupil is 18 years of age or over, or younger, if for any special reason the pupil is quitting school permanently. As soon as this report is received, or at least very soon after the pupil returns home, the Supervisor of Indian Employment will correspond with the returned student for the purpose of getting more in personal touch with him and finding out something about his wishes, etc. His answer will be attached to and filed as part of this report.

2. Health, height, and weight of returned students are sometimes very important in placing them properly; height and weight could be approximated very satisfactorily, though from the pupil records now in use all information called for in part 1 of this blank can readily be obtained and be definite.

3. The State, agency, and tribe are important, and where the pupil is not attached to any agency this fact should be stated and the Superintendent should give all available information as to the home and local conditions surrounding the pupil.

4. Where the outgoing pupil has passed the civil-service examination for any position, this fact should always be noted, giving position for which examination was taken.

5. It should be remembered that the Supervisor of Indian Employment can but seldom have a personal acquaintance with the outgoing student, and that he must depend on the information furnished in this report for his basis of action in behalf of the pupil.

6. The degree of Indian blood should always be given, as this fact largely determines how much effort will be made on behalf of any particular returned student; qualifications being equal, or nearly so, the preference will be given to those having the greatest degree of Indian blood.

7. This report should be forwarded promptly to the Supervisor of Indian Employment, Indian Office, Washington, D. C.

8. Reports on students from reservation schools should be made only as to those who leave the schools at 18 years of age, or older, and who will probably not go away to school.

9. If part 1 of this report is made out by the principal of a reservation school, the reservation Superintendent should supply information called for in part 2 if the principal is not informed as to home surroundings and local conditions. Such information is essential to a proper understanding of the difficulties and needs of the pupil.

10. When part 1 is made out by a nonreservation Superintendent, this blank will be sent by the Supervisor of Indian Employment to the Superintendent of the reservation where the outgoing student belongs. He should fill out part 2 and return the blank as promptly as possible, for practically nothing can be done until the information called for in part 2 is supplied.

Information under the heading "Employed since return as follows," will be valuable only in cases where the pupil has been home for some time.

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NAME: Della Smith TRIBE: Sioux PARENT OR GUARDIAN: Todd Smith

DATE ENROLLED: Sept. 16, 1910 TERM: Three years AGE: 17 HOME ADDRESS: Rosebud, S. Dak.

DATE OF RECORD	ACADEMIC DEPARTMENT.			INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.			DORMITORY.			OUTING		SPECIAL REMARKS.
	ROOM NO.	Scholarship	Conduct.	Shop.	Ability.	Conduct.	Room No.	Neatness	Conduct.	Ability.	Conduct	

Jan. '11				Gen. Works	G.	E+		G.	V.G.			
July '11	4	Good	Ex.									
Dec. '11				Club	V.G.	E+		G	G			

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

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June 30th, 1913,

Superintendent,

Rosebud, South Dakota,

Rosebud Agency, S.D.

June 24, 1913.

Sir,

Mr. M. Friedman, Superintendent,

Sir,

I have your favor of the 24th, and an enclosing herewith
check for \$1.89 closing the account of Della Smith.

Respectfully,
Todd Smith, the father of Della Smith, who
was enrolled in your school last year, thinks there
is some money on deposit at your school in
his daughter. Please advise me regarding this so I
may give him an intelligent answer.

W.H.M.

Very respectfully,

John H. Stevens
Superintendent.

JH.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Rosebud, South Dakota,

June 24, 1913.

Mr. M. Friedman, Superintendent,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Todd Smith, the father of Della Smith, who was enrolled in your school last year, thinks there is some money on deposit at your school in favor of his daughter. Please advise me regarding this so I may give him an intelligent answer.

Very respectfully,

John H. Sewer
Superintendent.

JH.

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Sept. 17th, 1915.

Miss Della Smith,

Rosebud, South Dakota.

My dear Friend:

I am sending you herewith a number of blanks upon which applications for enrolment at Carlisle may be submitted to Superintendent Scriven for approval. Will you please hand them to those of your friends who are of school age? If you find it convenient to speak a word for Carlisle to those young people at your home who are going away to non-reservation schools this fall the favor would be appreciated.

Hoping you have had a pleasant vacation and that you and your brothers will decide to come back to Carlisle for an additional period of enrolment, I am,

Very truly yours,

H.M.

Superintendent.

Copy to Superintendent Scriven.

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Carlisle, Pa. September 16th, 1913

Della Smith,

Rosebud, S.D.

Dear madam:

There is herewith enclosed check for .73¢ closing your account. Please sign the face of check before presenting for payment.

Your friend,

S/N

Superintendent.

