

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

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NUMBER 2939	ENGLISH NAME Margaret Gordon	AGENCY	NATION Chippewa					
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Guardian - Joo. Stoddard Odanah, Wis.						
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX.
FATHER.	MOTHER.	5/8	16	5-5 1/2	112 1/2	33 1/2	31	F.
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL	FOR WHAT PERIOD	DATE DISCHARGED		CAUSE OF DISCHARGE				
Jan. 5 - 14	Five years	Sept. 30, 1914		Termination of lease				
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS					FROM COUNTRY		
6-12-14	On leave							

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MUSKOGEE 121071

Months in school before Carlisle 9 yrs
 Miles to public school 3/4
 Grade entered 1st
 Grade advanced to 2nd
 Trade learned
 Church, Catholic

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BRIEF.

Application of

Joseph Stoddard - Guardian

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Maggie Nejobiness or Maggie Gordon

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Date of enrollment,, 190.....

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

of Maggie Nejobness; Female, date of birth Jan 1898;
(Name of child.) (Sex.)
Shippewa
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. <small>(Both Indian and English.)</small>	Living or Dead.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>Henry Gordon</u>				
<u>Henry Cloud Jr.</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Shippewa</u>	<u>Bad River</u>	<u>one quarter</u>
<u>Mary Stoddard</u>				
<u>E. L. Sense</u>	<u>Dead</u>	" "	" "	<u>one half</u>

I, Joseph Stoddard Guardian 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.
1. <u>Hayward</u>	<u>1906</u>	<u>1911</u>	<u>Wanted to come home</u>	<u>5th</u>
2.				
3.				
4.				

Joseph Stoddard
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Odoush, Wisconsin.

Two witnesses:
J. G. Stoddard
Mrs. J. Stoddard

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 14 day of Nov, 1913

H. W. Lincoln M.D.

Physician at Adanah 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 Joseph Stoddard
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This 17 day of November, 1913

P. J. Covert

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.



NAME *Maggie Jordan*

Sex { *Male*
Female

Tribes { *Full* } *Chippewa* State *Wis* *Nov 14*, 19 *3*

Age *15* years Respiration _____ Condition of, Eyes _____

Height *5* ft. *4* ins. Mensuration { *Insp.* _____ Ears _____

Weight *118* lbs. { *Exp.* _____ Throat _____

Temperature *98 6/10* Vaccination _____ Cervical glands _____

Pulse *74* Vision _____ Skin _____

Inspection *Spine Chest*

Palpation *Normal tones*

Percussion *No dullness*

Auscultation *Tones normal*

Heart *Normal.*

(Menstruation) *Regular 28 day type for three months only.*

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father	<i>yes</i>	<i>Good</i>		
Mother			<i>yes</i>	<i>Consumption</i>
Brothers <i>None</i>				
Sisters <i>one</i>			<i>yes.</i>	<i>Unknown.</i>

Personal history *measles, when child*

Present condition *I had this girl under observation for several months. All symptoms of T. B. C. Pulmonary have now disappeared.*
H. A. Sencovitch, 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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Sept. 3rd, 1914.

Mr. Joseph Stoddard,

Odanah, Wisconsin.

My dear Sir:

Having learned that your ward, Margaret Gordon, did not make a very satisfactory record here during the five months she was enrolled I desire to say that I would prefer not to have her returned to Carlisle unless she can be made to see the importance of being less indifferent than she was while here.

The time has come at Carlisle when only those students who have a purpose in view and who put forth every effort to benefit by the time and care that is given them can be retained.

I would thank you to bring this matter to Margaret's attention and then to let me know what she intends to do. She will have to decide for herself what her attitude is going to be if permission is given her later on to return to Carlisle.

Very truly yours,

HCM.

Supervisor in Charge.

(Copy to Superintendent Everest)

~~Handwritten scribble~~

October 28, 1914.

Mr. P. S. Everest,
Supt., LaPointe Indian Agency,
Ashland, Wis.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of October 23, 1914, I have to say that Maggie Gordon did leave \$60.00 on deposit here, \$24.50 of which was paid for her transportation to her home. There is enclosed herewith check for balance, amounting to \$35.50.

Very respectfully,

OHL:SR

Supervisor in Charge.

Mr. Peck - Refund - OK

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Refund for
Maggie H. Gordon.

La Pointe Indian Agency, Wisconsin,

October 23, 1914.

Sup't. O. H. Lipps,
Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps:

There was in attendance at your school last year a young girl from this Reservation named Maggie H. Gordon. I think you wrote me a letter this fall in relation to her re-admittance to Carlisle. In this letter you stated that her attendance at your school during her short time was not the most satisfactory; however, this young girl is married since her return home and expects to settle down now on the Reservation in pursuit of farm life. She has married a very good man and I am giving them every encouragement at my command.

She was in the office today and called my attention to the fact that when she returned home for summer vacation, a check for \$60 was deposited in your care, one-half of which was to be used when she went back to Carlisle. As there is of course no prospect of her ever going back, will you not kindly refund the amount due her as advance payment, providing your records are in accordance with the statement that she has made?

I have advised her that I would write you concerning the matter.

Respectfully,



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24, 50th Avenue

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

La Pointe Indian Agency, Wisconsin

Referred for
Maggie H. Gordon.

October 23, 1914.

Sup't. C. H. Lippage,

Carlisle Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lippage:

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She was in the office today and called my attention to the fact that when she returned home for summer vacation, a check for \$50 was deposited in your office, and that of her was to be paid when she went back to Carlisle. As there is of course no prospect of her ever going back, will you not kindly refund the amount due her as advance payment, providing your records are in accordance with the statement that she has made? I have advised her that I would write you concerning

the matter.

Respectfully,

Sup't. C. H. Lippage

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January 29th, 1914.

Superintendent,
LaPointe Agency,
Ashland, Wis.,

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 20th, enclosing checks aggregating \$5.00 for the signature and endorsement of Maggie H. Nejo business, the same are enclosed herewith.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Superintendent,

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

La Pointe Indian Agency, Wisconsin,
Ashland, January 20, 1914.

Sup't. M. Friedman,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Friedman:

Enclosed please find check

Maggie H. Ne jo bi ness	\$4.67
" " "	16.58
" " "	3.75

making a total of \$25.

Please have her sign and endorse the checks and return same to this office. I will then countersign and forward them to her father.

Respectfully,


Sup't. & Spec. Disb. Agent.

S/S (encs)

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Jan. 6th, 1914.

Mr. P. S. Everest,
Superintendent, The La Pointe Agency,
Ashland, Wis.

My dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 3rd and to advise that the Maggie H. Nejobness, or Gordon, referred to therein arrived here at noon yesterday.

The amount of the Thirty dollar check you transmitted with your letter has been placed to the girl's credit for use as is suggested.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,

La Pointe Indian Agency,
Ashland, Wisconsin,

January 3rd, 1913.

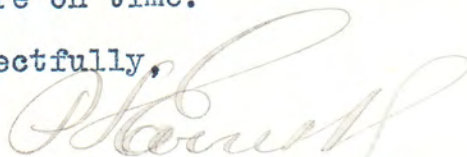
M. Friedman, Supt.,
Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Penn.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find check of Maggie H. Nejobiness for \$30.00. This is to pay her transportation from Carlisle to Odanah, Wisconsin, if she be taken sick and unable to remain at school.

She expects to leave tonight on the 7:05 P. M. train for Carlisle and should report there on time.

Respectfully,



Supt. & Spl. Dis. Agt.

B/N

Enc.

W. H. ...

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June 11th, 1914.

Mr. P. S. Everest,
Superintendent, La Pointe Agency,
Ashland, Wis.

My dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your favor of May the 29th, with which you transmitted a check for \$100.00 to be used by Maggie Hajobiness to defray the expenses of her trip home for the summer vacation months. Due credit has been given her for the amount and arrangements are being completed to have her leave here tomorrow evening. Transportation for her passage to Odanah will be procured for her use and she will be accompanied as far as Chicago by another girl.

Very respectfully,

HMM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Copy to Mr. Jos. Stoddard,
Odanah, Wisconsin.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

W. H. ...

es. check
Maggie H. Ne jobi ness.

La Pointe Indian Agency, Wisconsin,
Ashland, May 29, 1914.

Supervisor O. H. Lipps,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find check Maggie H. Nejobiness \$100
to pay her transportation Carlisle to Odanah and purchase clothing.

She desires to visit her home during vacation and I
recommend that her application be approved.

Please have her sign and endorse the check when same
will become negotiable.

Respectfully,

P. S. Ernest

Sup't. & Spec. Disb. Agent.

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S/S (enc)

*Wm. Stoddard
Odanah,*

