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CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL ✓

No. <i>4971</i>	NAME. <i>Augustus McDonald</i>	AGE. <i>15</i>	TRIBE. <i>Conce</i>	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD. <i>Full</i>	NAME OF AGENCY AND RESERVATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT, POST OFFICE OF FAMILY. <i>Conce, Okla.</i>
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DATE ENTERED.	Months in school before enrollment here.	IN WHAT GRADE OR ROOM.		Distance to nearest public school from pupil's home.	REMARKS.		
		On entering here.	At date of this report.		(Temporarily absent, outing, deserters, on sick leave, special authorities for enrollment, etc.)	To COUNTRY	FROM COUNTRY
<i>Sep. 11, 13</i>	<i>90</i>			<i>1/2</i>			
<i>Sept. 1913</i>			<i>Nov 20</i>		<i>4-8-14</i>	<i>AUG 28 1914</i>	<i>m</i>
<i>" 1914</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>4</i>		<i>SEP 2 1915</i>	<i>SEP 8 1915</i>	<i>m</i>
<i>" 15</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>IV</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>OCT 14 1915</i>	<i>m</i>	<i>11-14-15</i>
							<i>Meth.</i>

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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BRIEF

Application of

Julia McDonald

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Augustus McDonald

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Ponca, Okla.

Date of enrollment *Sept. 12* 191*3*

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 Augustus McDonald M (Name of Child), (Sex) ; date of birth Aug. 14, 1898
Pouca (Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER (Both Indian and English)	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<u>Chas. McDonald Swing</u>		<u>Pouca</u>		<u>3/4</u>
NAME OF MOTHER				
<u>Julia McDonald Swing</u>		<u>Pouca</u>		<u>1/4</u>

I, Julia McDonald, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to his 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>1 Pouca</u>	<u>1907</u>	<u>1913</u>	<u>Transferred</u>	<u>4th</u>
<u>2</u>				
<u>3</u>				
<u>4</u>				

Julia McDonald
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: WHITEAGLE, OKLA.

Two Witnesses:
H. G. Jemerson

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 9th day of September, 1913

WAT ROBERTSON
Physician at Pouca 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 Julia Mc Donald
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)
was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This 10th day of September, 1913

Alvin R Miller
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.

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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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.

Sept 28th., 1915.

Mr. Meyer:

I must report that Gus MacDonald is acutely ill with pneumonia. Please report this fact to the parents or near relatives and oblige,

Yours respectfully,

Halter Rindtuff m. s.

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Sept. 28th, 1915.

Mrs. Julia McDonald,
Whiteagle, Oklahoma.

My Dear Madam:

I regret very much to advise you that your son Augustus has had to be taken to our School Hospital and that he is now sick with an attack of pneumonia. For your further information I submit below a copy of the report that was made this morning by our School Physician:

"I must report that Augustus MacDonald is acutely ill with pneumonia. Please report this fact to the parents or near relatives."

Everything possible will be done for the boy and you will be informed from time to time what progress is being made.

Very truly yours,

H.M.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Norton.)

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Okla. 374

Name of Student *Augustus McDonald*

Home Address *Julia McDonald, White Eagle, Tribe Ponca*

Age at Entrance *15* Date of Entrance *9-11-'13* Shop _____

JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.
7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6

TOTAL OR AVERAGE

Patron *Henry F. Kirlin* Locality _____

Days in School

Address *Douglasville, Pa.* R. R. Station _____

Conduct

Recommended by _____ Grade in School _____

Ability

Grade of Home _____ Church _____

Health

Date of Outing *4-8-'14* Date Returned *8-28-14* Wages _____

Earnings

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									5.25	2.00	7.00

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7.00 7.

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Sept. 19th, 1913.

Mr. Almond H. Miller,
Superintendent, The Ponca Agency,
Whiteagle, Okla.

My dear Sir:

I return herewith both copies of the application that was submitted me with your letter of September the 11th to cover the transfer to Carlisle of Augustus McDonald. Will you please approve the original of the application and return the same to me for our files? The duplicate has been properly certified to in so far as the condition of the young man's health is concerned and may be retained at your office.

Very respectfully,

Encl.

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Ponca Agency, Whiteagle, Okla.

Sept. 11, 1913.

Supt. M. L. Friedmann,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Find enclosed herewith applications for enrollment
at Carlisle of Augustus McDonald.

Very respectfully,

Alvin W. Miller

Supt. & Spl. Disb. Agent.

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Oct. 4th, 1913.

Mr. Almond R. Miller,
Superintendent, The Ponca Agency,
Whiteagle, Okla.

My dear Sir:

I return to you herewith the letters that were forwarded to me with your communications of September the 23rd and October the 2nd, respectively. Each one of the boys who wrote to you has been seen individually and has been advised that requests for money should be sent to you thru my office. They have also been told to send in new requests for such approval if they desire to have funds placed to their credit in our school bank.

The boys now understand the method of procedure and we will probably not have to correct them again in regard to their requests for funds.

Will you please advise me whether a duplicate of the application to cover Augustus McDonald's enrolment has been returned to you? It seems that we do not have a copy on file here. In the meanwhile the one you sent

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
-2- Mr. Almond R. Miller, Superintendent.

with your letter of September the 23rd will be re-
tained.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Ponca Agency, Whiteagle, Okla.,

Sept. 23, 1913.

Supt. M. Friedman,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

I am returning herewith letters addressed to me by Steele Stands Black and Cornelius B. Hardman, two Ponca pupils recently transferred to your school from this Agency, in which they request that money be sent them. These letters are returned for your consideration, and I respectfully request that these and all other Ponca pupils be instructed not to send any more such requests without your approval, as they will receive no consideration.

In cases where pupils have funds, any recommendation you may make as to their needs will have favorable consideration.

I am also returning herewith one copy of the application of Augustus McDonald for enrollment. You will note the physician has not approved this copy.

Very respectfully,

Alvin R. Miller

Supt. and Spl. Disb. Agent.

HGJ-MN
Encls.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Ponca Agency, Whiteagle, Okla.,

Oct. 2, 1913.

Supt. M. Friedman,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

I am returning herewith letters written by Newman Little Walker and Joseph King, two Ponca pupils in your school, containing requests for funds which I am submitting for your consideration.

All Ponca pupils should be advised that their requests, of whatever nature, must be forwarded through their Superintendent.

Very respectfully,

Alvin R. Miller

HGJ-MN
Encls.

Supt. and Spl. Disb. Agent.

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June 18th, 1915.

Mr. Charles E. Norton,
Superintendent, The Ponca Agency,
Whiteagle, Okla.

My dear Sir:

Before your favor of the 10th instant was received here I was advised by Augustus McDonald that his father had given him permission to expend the sum of money that was sent for transportation. Now that his return home cannot well be effected this year I shall comply with the boy's request and he will be allowed to expend what he may need from time to time for personal expenses.

Trusting that such action will meet with your approval as well as the father's, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Augustus McDonald.

Ponca Indian Agency,

Whiteagle, Oklahoma,

June 10, 1915.

Supt. O. H. Lipps,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps:-

Your letter dated June 1, 1915, regarding additional funds for Augustus McDonald, has been called to the attention of Augustus' father.

Mr. McDonald states that he does not feel justified in raising an additional amount of \$40.00 for the boy's return to school, and states that it will be better for the boy to stay at school then to return to the reservation when financial conditions will not permit.

You will please inform Augustus the attitude of his father regarding his vacation at home.

Very respectfully,

BPA/IC.

Charles E. Norton
Superintendent.

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July 12th, 1915.

Mrs. Julia McDonald,
White Eagle, Oklahoma.

My dear Madam:

The letter you addressed to Mr. Meyer at this school on the 27th ultimo was forwarded to him at his father's home where he had gone for a part of his vacation and for that reason has remained unanswered so long.

In reply to your request this is to advise that both Gus McDonald and Joseph King were given permission to draw a part of the forty dollars each that was deposited here for their use, so that they had money for personal expenses on July 4th.

As both the boys are doing well I believe it is for their best interests that they remain in the east during the vacation months so that their work can go on uninterruptedly.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

White Eagle

Oklah.

June 27, 1915.

Dear Sir Mr Myers

Just a few lines to let you know that we want our boys Gus McDonald and Joseph King to spend their money we send them each 40 dollars to come home that is their fare it wasn't enough so you might just as well let them spend it during vacation then they can come home next year or later in July after harvest when there is plenty of money. They need the money I know for the fourth of July. and have there good times while they

are away from their dear old
home sweet home

With oblige

Best wishes to Carlisle
and its children

I remain

Mrs. Julia M Donald.

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UNITED STATES BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Sept. 16th, 1915.

Mr. Charles E. Norton,
Superintendent, The Ponca Agency,
Whiteagle, Okla.

Dear Sir:

Upon receipt of your favor of the 13th instant, relative to a report that has reached Augustus McDonald's mother that he is sick, I referred it to our School Physician and very promptly received a statement as is copied below:

"In answer to Superintendent Norton's letter will say that Augustus McDonald has had a little trouble with his ears. His general health is excellent and there is nothing about him that need excite alarm."

I hope it can be reported soon that the minor trouble the boy has had has become entirely corrected.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Ponca Indian Agency,

Whiteagle, Oklahoma.

September 13, 1915.

Supt. O. H. Lipps,

Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Dear Sir:-

Mother of Augustus McDonald, a Ponca pupil of your School informs me that she has been told that Augustus is sick, and, of course, appears to be anxious about him.

Please advise me so I may inform her as to Augustus' health.

Very respectfully,

Charles E. Norton
Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.

Sept. 16th., 1915.

Mr. Meyer:

In answer to Supt. Norton's letter will say that Augustus ^{McDonald} has had a little trouble with his ears. His general health is excellent, and there is nothing about him that need excite alarm.

respectfully,

Walter R. Ruppert

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Oct. 12th, 1915.

Mr. Charles E. Norton,
Superintendent, The Ponca Agency,
Whiteagle, Okla.

Dear Mr. Norton:

The amount of seventy dollars you forwarded with your favor of the 7th instant has been credited to the account of Augustus McDonald and will be used as is desired by his parents and recommended by you. The copy of the letter I enclose herewith is self-explanatory.

It is my belief that Augustus has been worrying his parents with his letters in order that they would allow him to come home. His appearance indicates that he is not at all in poor physical condition.

Hoping he can be returned here before he loses a great deal of time, I am,

Very truly yours,

Encl.

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Ponca Agency,

Whiteagle, Oklahoma, Oct. 7, 1915.

Mr. O. H. Lipps,

Superintendent Carlisle Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps:

I have read a letter from Augustus McDonald to his mother in which he states that you are willing for him to visit home until such time as his health improves.

His parents are contemplating sending funds for his transportation home and return, and asked me to write this letter in their behalf.

His mother is very much put out on account of Augustus' health; altho I have constantly advised her that I am sure you will promptly notify us should the boy's health take a serious turn; this does not satisfy her, and she seems to be bound that the boy return for a while. If it is consistent with your rules I respectfully recommend that the boy be allowed to come home for a time, only however on the condition that he return to your school and that his return fare be left with you before his departure for home.

Very respectfully,

*Rec'd \$70.00
C. V. Bell*

Charles E. Norton
Superintendent.

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This is Gen. Nathan M. Lippie

Oct. 12th, 1915.

Mr. Chas. McDonald,

Whiteagle, Oklahoma.

My dear Sir:

In compliance with your request and the recommendation that is contained in Superintendent Norton's letter of the 7th instant, it is being arranged so that your son Augustus can leave here on Thursday evening of this week for his visit at home with you. At his request a ticket for his use to Ponca City will be provided and he should arrive there at about 8.35 on Saturday evening of this week, October the 16th. I trust you can arrange to meet him at that point and that then you will notify me.

Hoping that you will be well pleased with the appearance of your son and that you will send him back to Carlisle before he loses a great deal of time from his studies, I am,

Very truly yours,

HEM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Norton.)

This is Gus Father Mr. Lipps
I send you this money to send our
boy home for ~~at~~ a visit, please
wire me or Supt Norton, White,
Eagle, Okla From Yours Truly
Chas McDonald

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.

Oct. 6th., 1915.

Mr. Meyer:

As Gus McDonald has been discharged from the hospital and is now in the full enjoyment of three square meals a day his father may with safety be assured that death from pneumonia is not very imminent.

Hilten Skenadore is resting comfortably with his broken leg. I will report to you fully when the bandages and splints are next removed for examination of the fracture.

Respectfully,

Walter Rindlett M. S.

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October 14th, 1915.

Mr. Denny:

(Gus McDonald) is to leave for his home on train at 5.37 this evening. Please have him reported "on leave".

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Mr. Kirk.)

Mr. Kirk:

Please have a conveyance sent to the Small Boys' Quarters in time to take Gus McDonald to the train at 5.37 this evening.

Respectfully,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Mr. Denny.)

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Augustus McDonald UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Ponca Indian Agency,

Whiteagle, Oklahoma,

Jan. 4, 1916.

Supt. O. H. Lipps,
Calisle, Penn.

Dear Mr. Lipps:

Receipt is respectfully acknowledged of your telegram of December 31, as follows:

"Augustus McDonald home on leave since middle of October."

In connection with this I beg to advise that the local telegraph operator sent my telegram to you in error, as I was asking her only for information about a similar telegram previously sent you, and she again repeated this same telegram to you in error.

Very respectfully,

N/A

Charles E. Norton
Superintendent.

PROMPT SETTLEMENT OF BILLS IS REQUESTED.

Hamilton Square, N. J.,

Sept. 6, 1915

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Thos Hammell

For Augustus MacDougal,

TO F. M. ARTHUR, M. D., DR.

OFFICE HOURS: UNTIL 8 A. M.
1 TO 2 P. M.
6 TO 8 P. M.
BELL PHONE 1250-Y, TRENTON

To account rendered

\$

To professional services and medicine from

, 191

to date

\$

100

\$

By credit

\$

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Amount due

RECEIVED PAYMENT

F. M. Arthur

THE ITEMS OF THIS ACCOUNT MAY BE SEEN AT THE OFFICE.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

May 22nd, 1916.

Mr. Charles E. Norton,
Superintendent, The Pojaca Agency,
Whiteagle, Okla.

Dear Mr. Norton:

Please find enclosed herewith a check in the amount of \$33.02 to close out the account of Augustus McDonald at this school as was recommended in your letter of the 11th instant.

Very respectfully,

Encl.

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Ponca Indian Agency,

Whiteagle, Oklahoma.

May 11, 1916.



Supt. O. H. Lipps,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps:-

Relative to funds sent to your office and any other funds that may be due Augustus McDonald, I have to respectfully request that if it meets with your approval such funds be forwarded to this office for him.

Our Physician has examined Augustus at various times since he has been taken out of school and he reports that his physical condition is such that he believes the boy should not be in any School, but should be out in the open air as much as possible.

Very respectfully,

Charles E. Norton
Superintendent.

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Information regarding pupils to test eligibility and whether in need of Federal aid.

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Date of report April 30, 1915.

Name of child Augustus McDonald Age 15 Grade 3a

Home post office White Eagle Okla.

Tribe Ponca Degree of Indian blood Full blood

How many acres of land do you own 100 acres Location Ten miles west of Ford, Okla.

What is the annual income from your land I do not know

Do you have any other income No How much

Is your father living Yes

Father's name Chas. McDonald

Home post office White Eagle Okla.

Tribe Ponca Degree of Indian blood Full blood

Is he a citizen No

How much land does he own 180 acres Allotment No I do not know

What is its estimated value I do not know

What is the annual income from his land I do not know

Does he have any other income No

If so, how much

Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property No

Is your mother living Yes

Mother's name Julia T. McDonald

Home post office White Eagle, Okla.

Tribe Ponca Degree of Indian blood Full blood

Is she a citizen No

How much land does your mother own 180 acres Allotment No I do not know

What is its estimated value I do not know

What is the annual income from her land *I do not know*
Does she have any other income *No*
If so, how much _____
Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property *No*
With whom do you make your home *Father and Mother*
How many rooms in the house *Eight*
How many live in the house *Seven*
How far is your home from nearest public school *One mile and one half*
Why do you not attend that school *I thought I would learn more at Carlisle*
How many teachers employed there *Three*
How many grades maintained *Seven*
How many months of school each year *Ten Months*
Did you ever attend a public school *Yes*
If so, how long *Seven Months* Where *64 Dietric Public School*
How many brothers of school age have you *One*
How many sisters of school age have you *None*
Are they in school *My brother is in school*
Where *64th Dietric Public School Ponca*

Remarks and recommendations of superintendent with reference to eligibility and need of Federal aid:

Superintendent.

NOTE.—One of these blanks should be filled out by each pupil at Government boarding schools, preferably with the assistance of the superintendent or some one designated to act as his representative. If the superintendent is of opinion from the information given that the pupil is entitled to enrollment he should so indicate by signing the blank in the proper place and filing in the individual pupil's folder. In the case of pupils concerning whose eligibility or need of Government aid there is some doubt, superintendents should make proper remarks and recommendations in the space indicated and forward the form to the Indian Office for consideration.