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CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 5247	ENGLISH NAME Frank Godfrey	AGENCY Fondulac	NATION Chippewa	
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Mother - Mrs. Susan Godfrey, Celoquet, Minn.		
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT
FATHER <u>10</u>	MOTHER <u>2</u>	<u>1/2</u>	<u>17</u>	
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL	FOR WHAT PERIOD	DATE DISCHARGED	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE	
<u>Oct. 2, 1914</u>	<u>Five years</u>	<u>Jan. 5, 1918</u>	<u>Termination of leave</u>	
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS			FROM COUNTRY
<u>4-1-15</u>	<u>Wm. P. Balderston, yardley, Pa.</u>			<u>9-2-15</u>
<u>12-6-17</u>	<u>On leave</u>			

SHAW-WALKER, MUSKOGEE, MICHIGAN. 45445

School before Carlisle, 90

Entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Catholic

2 mi. to public school

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The Cumberland Valley Railroad Company

Carlisle, Pa. Dec 6th 1917

U. S. Indian School,

TO- G. V. R. R. Co. - DR.

One Ticket to Cloquet, Minn. - - -	(<u>Frank Godfrey</u>) - - - - -	\$29.04
war tax - - - - -		2.32
		<u>\$31.36</u>

Pd 12-10/17

ch. 28786

Arthur

TO OFFICER SENDING TELEGRAM.

1. Keep copy on this form for your files.
2. Mail confirmation to addressee indicating that purpose by check mark in this circle.
3. Mail copy to your Supervising Field Office, if any.

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Receiver's No.—	Time Filed—	Paid _____	Word <u>Day</u> Government rate—Toll, \$ _____ (Day or night.)
Sent by— <u>Western Union</u> (Name of company.)		Telegraph Co.	<u>Cloquet, Minn.</u> , April 24, 1917 (Place.) (Date.)
To <u>Francis, Supt</u> <u>Carlisle, Penns.</u>	From <u>G. W. Cross</u> (Print or typewrite name of sender.)		<u>Supt. & Spe. Disb. Agt.</u> (Title of sender.)

Not necessary Godfrey boys come home. Mother better.

Charge: Fond du Lac Agency
(If not paid in cash, insert name of office to which bill should be presented for payment.)

PAID Cloquet, Minn. By SENDER.
(Insert "In cash," if so paid.)

Appropriation: Chip in Minn Pd/17

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Western Union Building
130 West High St.
Carlisle, Pa.

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CLOQUET MINN. 1005 AM APL 24TH 1917.

FRANCIS SUPT.

CARLISLE PA.

NOT NECESSARY GODFREY BOYS COME HOME MOTHER BETTER.

CROSS.

1148 AM.

Phoned 11:51 am

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August 6, 1917

George W. Cross, Supt.,
Fond du Lac Indian Agency,
Cloquet, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of a letter from the
Department at Washington approving of your
request and recommendation that Frank Godfrey
be sent home because his mother needs him.

Since Frank has no money to pay his
traveling expenses will you kindly send a
sufficient sum to cover the same.

Very truly yours,

J:R

Chief Clerk in Charge.

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July 24, 1917.

George W. Cross, Supt.,
Fond du Lac Indian Agency,
Cloquet, Minn.

Dear Mr. Cross:

I am in receipt of your letter dated July 20, 1917, in which you recommend the return home of Frank Godfrey.

I regret this very much, but in view of the conditions presented I am this day taking the matter up with the Office in view of the fact that Frank's time has not expired. If they approve the action he will be sent home, although he will have to pay his own traveling expenses.

Very truly yours,

JF:R

Superintendent.

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July 24, 1917.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I enclose herewith a letter dated July 20, 1917, from Mr. George W. Cross, Superintendent of the Fond du Lac Indian Agency, Cloquet, Minn., requesting the return home of Frank Godfrey, student at this school, who has served three years of an enrollment of five years.

Mr. Cross recommendation is based on the fact that the ~~mother~~ of Frank has been sick for several months and is unable to work, and that she needs Frank at home to support her as she is dependent now upon a son 14 years of age.

Very truly yours,

JF:R

Superintendent.

REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

Ed-Schools.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

WASHINGTON # 2

AUG -2 1917

Mr. John Francis, Jr.,
Supt., Carlisle School.

My dear Mr. Francis:

In reply to your letter of July 24, enclosing one from Mr. G. W. Cross, Superintendent of the Fond du Lac School, Cloquet, Minnesota, requesting the return home of Frank Godfrey, pupil of your school who has served three years of ^{an} enrollment of five years, you are advised that in view of the fact that this boy is needed at home to help support his mother who has been sick for several months and unable to work, you may send him home as requested and recommended by his reservation superintendent.

Very truly yours,

FWH 7-30


Assistant Commissioner.

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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

Susan Godfrey

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Frank John Godfrey

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Penn

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Pond du Lac Minn

Date of enrollment, _____, 191

Term of enrollment, _____ (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 **Frank John Godfrey**; **male**; date of birth **Aug 1, 1898**;

(Name of child.)

(Sex.)

Chip

(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
John Godfrey	dead	Chipewa	Fond du Lac	1/4
Susan Godfrey	living	Chippewa	"	1/4
NAME OF MOTHER.				

I, **Susan Godfrey**, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to _____
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

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. Public School				
2. Day School				Sixth
3.				
4.				

Susan Godfrey
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: _____

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 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 24th day of August, 1914

Jacob E. Nyquist

Physician at Ford on Lac 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 Susan Godfrey (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) was voluntary.

(Here state whether the child lives within reach of a public school, whether the State laws permit it to enroll therein, and if it lives near the public school why it can not attend such school.)

They live within two miles of a Public School but mother is a widow and not able to support them while they are in school.

I recommend the transfer of the said child.

This 26th day of August, 1914

[Signature]
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 _____

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

This _____ day of _____, 1914

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.)

That no Indian pupil under the age of fourteen years shall be transported at Government expense to any Indian school beyond the limits of the State or Territory in which the parents of such child reside or of the adjoining State or Territory. (35 Stat. L., 781.)

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.

REPORT OF Frank Godfrey pupil of Carlisle Indian
 School, who went 4-1-15 to live with Wm P. Bulderston
(Date) (Patron)
 of yardley Pa, Bucka,
(Post Office) (County)
Newton Railroad Station
(State)

Conduct Good

Health Good

Ability Fair

Cleanliness Good

Economy Fair

Situation of Room Farm home

Condition of Room Good

Condition of Clothing Good

Wages Fifteen dollars per month.

Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes

Are careful accounts kept by pupil? no

Number of days at school Vacation Season

Distance to school " "

Grade or quality of school " "

Name and address of teacher " "

Qualifications of teacher " "

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? " "

In what grade is pupil at present? " "

Attends what church and Sunday school? " "

Distance to church " "

Is there a Catholic church in locality? Yes at Newton Pa. Two miles.

Who compose patron's family? man, wife and children.

What other help is employed? General Farmer

Locality of home Near Newton Pa.

Home life and environments Good

Trade at school Carpenter

Nature of work Furrier

Pupil's age 19 Experience Good

Feb 28, 1916

W P Bulderston Agent.

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

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Name of Student

Frank Godfrey

Home Address

Clognet, Minn.

Tribe

Chippewa

Age at Entrance

17

Date of Entrance

10-2-14

Shop

JAN.

FEB.

MAR.

APR.

MAY

JUNE

JULY

AUG.

SEPT.

OCT.

NOV.

DEC.

TOTAL OR AVERAGE

Patron

Locality

Days in School

Address

R. R. Station

Conduct

Recommended by

Grade in School

Ability

Grade of Home

Church

Health

Date of Outing

4-1-15-

Date Returned

Wages

Earnings

				y	y	y	y	y							
				z	y	y	y	y							
				y	y	y	y	y							
				14.	17.	19.	19.	17							

April 29, 1915.

Mrs. Susan Goodwin,
Cloquet, Minn.

Dear Friend:

I have your letter of the 26th and have to inform you that in accordance with the wishes and requests of your two sons, Frank and Louis, they were sent under our Outing System on April first, and they are now living with Mr. Wm. P. Balderston of Yardley, Pa. I have had no word from them that they are dissatisfied and no complaints from Mr. Balderston so that I take it that they are getting along all right.

I am sorry that they did not say anything to you about going to the country before, so that had you any objections they could have been presented before we arranged for them to go out. Now that they are out and doing well, I think it would be a good experience for them to remain out, unless you have special reasons for wanting them to be at the school. You placed the boys in our care, and it was our understanding that you wished us to do whatever seemed best for them. This we have done.

Very truly yours,

NRD:MRK

SUPERVISOR IN CHARGE.

Bloquet, Minn.
April 26, 1915

Mr. C. H. Lippke, Supt.
Carlisle Ind School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

Just a few lines in regard of
my two son Frank and Louis
Goodrey. I have not heard from
the two boys for a long time
now. They wrote to me from
Gardly, Pa., stating that they were
working there, and they work was
to heard for them asked me to
send them \$3.00 apiece so that
they could get back to school. I
send them the money by post office
money order on April 12 and have
not hear from them since. Will
you kindly see why do not write

I am afraid they might take
the notion to run away.

I am

Susan Godfrey.

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

Date of report.....

Name of child *Frank Godfrey* Age *18* Grade *5*

Home post office *Cloquet Minnesota*

Tribe *Chippewa* Degree of Indian blood *half breed*

How many acres of land do you own *none* Location *Kondou Lac*

What is the annual income from your land.....

Do you have any other income *no* How much.....

Is your father living *no*

Father's name *Frank Godfrey*

Home post office *Cloquet Minnesota*

Tribe *Chippewa* Degree of Indian blood *half breed*

Is he a citizen *no*

How much land does he own *none* Allotment No.....

What is its estimated value.....

What is the annual income from his land.....

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 *Susan Godfrey*

Home post office *Cloquet Minnesota*

Tribe *Chippewa* Degree of Indian blood *half breed*

Is she a citizen *no*

How much land does your mother own *don't no* Allotment No.....

What is its estimated value.....

What is the annual income from her land.....

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..... *with my mother*

How many rooms in the house..... *6 rooms*

How many live in the house..... *5*

How far is your home from the nearest public school..... *1 1/2 miles*

Why do you not attend that school..... *In Carlisle*

How many teachers employed there..... *8*

How many grades maintained..... *8*

How many months of school each year..... *9 months*

Did you ever attend a public school..... *yes*

If so, how long..... *2 mos 2 years* Where.....

How many brothers of school age have you..... *2*

How many sisters of school age have you.....

Are they in school..... *yes*

Where..... *one in Carlisle, and one in Ploguet.*

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.

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August 30, 1917.

George W. Cross, Supt.,
Fond du Lac Indian Agency,
Cloquet, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith receipts
for \$25 each received for Frank and Louis Godfrey
as per your request.

Your note on Frank's check is that
this money is to be used to pay his expenses
home. I have to inform you that this amount
is not sufficient to pay for a ticket to Cloquet
and Frank informs me that he does not care to
go home now.

Will you please advise me whether
I shall hold this money until you send more for
his return home, or whether Frank can have this
money to spend for his personal needs.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

May 24, 1917, 191

This certifies that Frank Godfrey (Name of student.) has made the following record in Carlisle Indian School (Name of school.)

Table with 3 columns: SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL, GRADE, RATING. Rows include English (VI, 79), General Exercises (74), Arithmetic (91), Geography (72), Physiology and Hygiene (76), Writing (90), Drawing (77), History (79).

Effort

Department

Table with 3 columns: DETAILS SERVED, LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH, RATING. Row includes General Work (90).

and is ~~not~~ eligible to pursue work in the First Year Vocational grade, academic; and (Cancel one.) grade or year vocational

Signatures of Superintendent and Principal.

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Department

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