

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 5082		ENGLISH NAME Chas. Cox			AGENCY Omaha		NATION Omaha		
BAND		INDIAN NAME			HOME ADDRESS Father - Frank Cox Walt Hill, Neb.				
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD 3/4	AGE 18	HEIGHT 5-6 1/2	WEIGHT 136 1/2	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX M	
FATHER, 2	MOTHER, 2	ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Oct. 16, 1913			FOR WHAT PERIOD Three years	DATE DISCHARGED Sept. 30, 1914	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Deserter		
TO COUNTRY 6-1-14		PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS Ran					FROM COUNTRY		

THE ENAM-WALKER CO., MUSKOGEE 12473

Months in school before Carlisle,

Grade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, *Presbyterian*

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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

Frank Cox

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Charles Cox

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pa

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Date of enrollment, _____, 190

Term of enrollment, _____ (_____) 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 Charles Cox Male; date of birth Dec 5 1896
(Name of child.) (Sex.)

(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>Frank Cox</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Omaha</u>		<u>Full blood</u> " "
<u>Dora Cox</u>	"	"		" "

I, Frank Cox do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to 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.
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) (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.				
2.				
3.				
4.				

Frank Cox
(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 21 day of Sept, 1901

Wm H. Ryan
Edith Hill
Physician at _____ 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 Frank Cox was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of the said child. (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

This 2 day of Oct, 1901

Albert H. Kneale
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.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.

Jan 17th., 1916.

Mr. Meyer:

I recommend that Chas Cox together with his brother James Cox be sent home on the morrow. Both are tubercular.

Addie Foster shows no improvement but on the other hand a gradual decline of the vital powers. She is not suffering pain and on the whole is quite comfortable.

Stancil jumper and Sophia Two-arrows have both made satisfactory recovery from pneumonia and are now up and around.

respectfully,

Walter Rendall

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March 21st, 1916.

Mr. Axel Johnson,
Superintendent, The Omaha Agency,
Nacy, Nebraska.

My dear Sir:

It has been brought to my attention that an amount of \$30.68 is yet outstanding against Charles Cox for the cost of the ticket that was provided him in January to go to his home and which cannot be paid from government funds because Charles was not in fit physical condition to return to Carlisle when he came here of his own accord last fall. The charge was referred to Charles's father in a letter on January the 21st and a copy of the same was mailed to you. You will note that then a charge of \$30.43 was reported, but since then the local agent of the Cumberland Valley Railroad Company has advised me that a mistake had been made in quoting the rate of \$30.43 and that the cost of the ticket is \$30.68.

It will be appreciated if the amount specified can be collected as settlement with the railroad company can not be delayed much longer.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

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Jan. 21st, 1916.

Mr. Frank Cox,
Walthill, Nebraska.

My dear Sir:

Referring further to our letters in regard to the necessity for the return home of your son Charles, this is to inform you that an amount of \$30.45 has been charged to the account of this school as the cost of the ticket that was provided for his use.

I hope you can arrange without delay to send that amount to me in order that the indebtedness can be settled.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) J. D. DeHUFF

HEM. Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Johnson.)

Superintendent Johnson:

It will be appreciated if you can assist as may be required to secure the amount needed to pay for Charles Cox's ticket.

Very respectfully,

HKM. Acting Superintendent.

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Jan. 8th, 1916.

Mr. Frank Cox,
Walthill, Nebraska.

My dear Sir:

I must inform you that our School Physician has recommended the return home of your son Charles on account of the condition of his health. Arrangements are being made to have him leave here on Monday evening of next week and ticket for his use to Walthill will be provided. As Charles does not have any money now to his credit and the expense of sending him home cannot be considered a legitimate expense for the Government to pay you will be requested to send the amount required to settle the indebtedness just as soon as it is determined what the cost of his ticket will be.

Regretting very much that such action has to be taken, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Johnson.)

June 12th, 1916.

Mr. Axel Johnson,
Superintendent, The Omaha Agency,
Macy, Nebr.

My dear Sir:

May I again call attention to the copies of letters addressed to Mr. Frank Cox at Walthill on January 8th and 21st I had forwarded to you for your information and the note on the one of the latter date? It is also desired that you refer to the letter that was addressed to you direct on March the 21st relative to the unpaid charge for transportation that was furnished for Charles Cox. As the charge is not a legitimate Government charge it is respectfully requested that you let me hear from you without delay when a remittance to cover the same may be expected.

Assuring you that any assistance you can give will be appreciated, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Mr. Cox.)

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

July 19th, 1916.

Mr. Axel Johnson,
Superintendent, The Omaha Agency,
Macy, Nebraska.

My dear Sir:

As I have not heard anything more about the amount that is due from Charles Cox and which was referred to in your letter of June 15th, last, I respectfully ask that I be advised what action may be expected. The ticket used by Charles was purchased last year and should now be settled for promptly so that the business of the year can be considered closed.

Assuring you that any help you can give promptly will be appreciated and hoping that I shall hear from you soon, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Omaha Indian Agency,
Macy, Nebraska,
June 15, 1916.

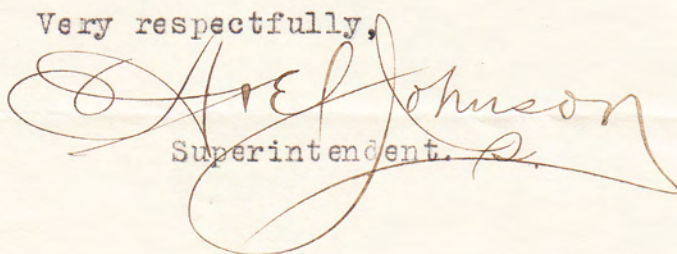
Supt. O. H. Lipps,
Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps:

Your letter with reference to
unpaid transportation for Charles Cox is at hand.

In reply thereto, I have to advise
that as soon as I am able to get in touch with the
boy I shall endeavor to secure his signature to
a check for the amount due.

Very respectfully,


Superintendent.

FJS.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

July 27, 1916.

Mr. Axel Johnson
Superintendent Omaha Agency
Macy, Nebraska.

My dear Mr. Johnson:-

Your letter of the 24th inst addressed to Mr. Lipps comes to my attention in his absence. The amount due for Charles Cox's ticket to his home is Thirty Dollars and Sixty Eight Cents (\$30.68).

Very truly yours

Chief Clerk in Charge.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Omaha Agency, Macy, Nebraska

July 24, 1916

Supt. O. H. Lipps,
Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Sir:

Kindly inform me the amount o you expect to receive from Charles Cox. We wrote you sometime ago but we have not received an answer. Mr. Cox has signed a check and all we need to know is the exact amount.

Very respectfully,

A. E. Johnson

Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Aug. 7th, 1916.

Mr. Axel Johnson,
Superintendent, The Omaha Agency,
Macy, Nebr.

My dear Sir:

The check in the amount of \$30.68 you enclosed with your favor of August 5th has been received and will be used to pay for transportation that was furnished for the use of Charles Cox when he had to be returned to his home.

Thanking you for assisting in the adjustment of the matter, I am,

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Omaha Agency, Macy, Nebraska

August 5, 1916.

O. H. Lipps, Supt.,
Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.,

Dear Sir:-

Herewith check #7010 for \$30.68
drawn in your favor by Charles Cox in settlement for his
transportation home.

very Respectfully,

Asel Johnson
Superintendent.

WLH.

Jan. 22nd, 1916.

Mr. Frank Gox,

Walthill, Nebraska.

My dear Sir:

There was received here this morning the empty suit case you sent on by express for your son Charles, but, as previously advised, he has left here for your home and so the suit case is being returned to you under baggage check. The duplicate of the check is being enclosed herewith.

Very truly yours,

HCM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Johnson.)

Jan. 17th, 1916.

Mr. Axel Johnson,
Superintendent, The Omaha Agency,
Macy, Nebr.

My dear Sir:

Our School Physician has reported that it will be safe to let Charles Cox undertake his trip home, and arrangements are being completed to have him leave here tomorrow evening.

In this connection I must report that ~~undistakeable~~ signs of tuberculosis in James Cox have also been discovered and that it seems advisable to have him come home with his brother Charles. James would have completed his period of enrolment at the close of this year's work so it is being arranged that transportation at Government expense can be provided for his use.

As previously advised, you will be notified what amount should be collected to pay for Charles Cox's ticket when the bill for the same is received here.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Mr. Frank Cox.)

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Jan. 17th, 1916.

Mr. Gehringer:

Charles and James Cox are to leave for their homes on train at 5:37 tomorrow evening. You will please have their names reported "dropped".

James Cox has money to his credit in bank and he should make a request to draw what he has for meals and other expenses enroute home.

Very respectfully,

HCM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Mr. De Haff.)

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Jan. 10th, 1916.

Mr. Frank Cox,
Walthill, Nebraska.

My dear Sir:

Our School Physician has reported that your son Charles's condition this morning shows a slight fever and that it will not be advisable to let him start on the trip home this evening as had been planned. It is hoped, however, that the acute condition reported this morning can soon be corrected and that then your son's return home can be effected.

You will be notified at a later date when to expect him.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Johnson.)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Sept. 25th, 1915.

Mr. Axel Johnson,
Superintendent, The Omaha Agency,
Macy, Nebr.

My dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 23rd instant, containing a favorable report regarding Charles Cox, and to advise you that every opportunity will be given him at Carlisle to show that this time he is in earnest and that he returned here for the purpose of gaining an education.

I trust favorable reports can be conveyed to you and the young man's father from time to time about the progress he is making.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Omaha Agency, Macy, Nebraska.

September 23, 1915.



Supt. O. H. Lipps,
Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of September 17th., in regard to the return of Charles Cox, who deserted from your institution in May, 1914, after enrollment for a number of years.

Far as I have been able to learn Charles Cox has been with his father out on the farm, and I have had no bad reports from him. I, further, believe that you would be justified in giving him a trial again, and in case he does not come up to the requirements, send him home. I have made inquiry in regard to his conduct and I did not find anything which would not justify you in giving him a trial.

Hoping that the boy will make good, and thanking you for your interest in the Omaha children, I remain,

Very respectfully,

A. J. Johnson
Supt.

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Sept. 17th, 1915.

Mr. Axel Johnson,
Superintendent, The Omaha Agency,
Macy, Nebraska.

My dear Sir:

Charles Cox, who deserted from this school in May of 1914 after he had been enrolled here from the preceding October, returned here last evening and now desires to be given another chance. Permission has been given him to remain until I can get into communication with you.

Charles claims he has been farming just four miles distant from the Agency. Will you please advise me what record he has made during the time he has been away from Carlisle and what you would recommend in his case? If he has made a satisfactory record at home during the year or more he has been away from Carlisle I shall gladly allow him to show that he is in earnest. If there has been anything at all questionable in his conduct I desire to know it and will then insist that he leave without delay.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

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Hutchell Taber.
June 19th 1914

My dear Sir:-

My father receive your most welcome letter some time ago. I will let you know how I am getting along here. I am getting along well here now.

We got home the 8th of June. He work in the corn field the very next day we got home. My father is farming 200 acres. You can

That we are
not running around
here. I will close
here, for this time.

Yours truly,

Chas Cox.

Ans, soon.

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June 12th, 1914.

Mr. Frank Cox,

Walthill, Nebraska.

My dear Sir:

I regret to advise that your son Charles deserted from this school on the first instant and that nothing at all has been heard about him since that date.

I would thank you to let me hear from you without delay if Charles arrives at your home or you succeed in finding out where he is located. It can then be decided what action it will be advisable to take in his case.

Very respectfully,

HCM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Copy to Superintendent Spear.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Nov. 13th, 1914.

Mr. Axel Johnson,
Superintendent, The Omaha Agency,
Macy, Nebraska.

My dear Sir:

It appears that Charles Cox, in whose behalf you wrote me in your letter of November the 11th, had made a satisfactory record before he deserted from this school on May the 1st of this year. Therefore, I will gladly give him another chance at Carlisle if he can arrange to come on at his own expense for transportation.

Charles will have to understand that a chance is being extended him and that if he cannot rake up his mind to return here with the idea of making good use of his time until he has mastered some certain line of work it would be much better for him to stay away from Carlisle.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor  in Charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Omaha Agency, Macy, Nebraska.

November 11, 1914.

Supt. O. H. Lipps,
United States Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Sir:

Charles Cox who deserted from your institution
May 1st, 1914, requests me to ask you if he might return
to your institution and again resume his studies. Kindly
inform as to your attitude in cases of this nature.

Very respectfully,

Axel Johnson
Superintendent.

AJ/F.

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HARRY L. KEEFE
WALTHILL, NEBRASKA

June 26th, 1914.

Mr. Harry L. Keefe,
Walthill, Nebraska.

My dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your favor of June the 24th, with which you transmitted a check for an amount of \$10.00 to be placed to the credit of Charles Cox. I have learned, however, from the older of the Cox boys here that the amount is to be used by James and not by Charles.

This is also to state that if either of the boys is to be sent home for the summer vacation months such action can only be taken if it is approved by Superintendent Spear and it is recommended that what is required for transportation shall be taken from the amount to the boy's credit in our school bank.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Walthill, Nebr., June 24, 1914.

Supt. Carlisle Ind. School,
Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Dear Sir:0

I am enclosing you herewith a draft for \$10 to be given to Charles Cox and used with what money he has on deposit for the purpose of paying his expenses home and return. His father tells me that this is sufficient. Please acknowledge receipt of this.

Very truly yours,

K.F

Enc. 1.

Walthill

W. F. [Signature]