

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

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NUMBER 2674 3273	ENGLISH NAME Sophia Wautanaccum	AGENCY		NATION Menominee	
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Joseph Wautanaccum Neopit, Wis.			
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD 1/2	AGE 14	HEIGHT 5-6	WEIGHT 90	FORCED INSP. 37
FATHER, L	MOTHER, S				FORCED EXPR. 30 1/2
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Sept. 21, 1911	FOR WHAT PERIOD Five years	DATE DISCHARGED June 6, 1916		CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Time out	
TO COUNTRY 9-10-13	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS Mrs. W. C. Stone, Wagnersburg, Pa.				FROM COUNTRY 5-1-14

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MILWAUKEE 121071

Months in school before Carlisle,.....

Trade entered at Carlisle,.....

Trade at d of Discharge,.....

Trade or Industry,.....

Church,.....

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL

Progress from _____, to _____								
	(Date)						(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*								
Depoartment.....standing*								
Physical condition.....								

Remarks: _____

NAME Sophia WabanascumSex { Male.
Female.Tribe { Full
3/4 } Menominee State Wisconsin Sept 12, 1911Age 14 years Respiration 18 Condition of, Eyes NormalHeight 5 ft. 1 ins. Mensuration { Insp. 30 1/4Weight 100 lbs. { Exp. 27 Ears NormalTemperature 98.7 Vaccination 1911 Cervical glands NormalPulse 88 Vision Normal Skin NormalInspection NormalPalpation NormalPercussion NormalAuscultation NormalHeart Normal(Menstruation) menstruated 3 mo then stopped for last 3 mo

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father	yes	good		
Mother			yes	unknown
Brothers	{ yes	good		
Sisters	{ yes	good		

Personal history Had measles, whooping coughPresent condition goodW. F. Pagan, 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.

(On _____, 19____)

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BRIEF.

Application of

Joseph Waubanesum

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Sofia Waubanesum

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Date of enrollment 191.....

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 Sofia Waubanasum ; female, date of birth May 7 - 1897
(Name of Child) (Sex)
Menominee
(Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER (Both Indian and English)	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<u>Joseph Waubanasum</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Menominee</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>1/2</u>
NAME OF MOTHER				
<u>Sarah Waubanasum</u>	<u>Dead</u>	<u>Chippewa</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>1/2</u>

I, Joseph Waubanasum, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to her
 enrollment in said school for a period of five years, and also obligate myself to abide by all
(Not less than 3)
 the rules and regulations for Indian Schools.

The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL	DATE OF ENROLLMENT	DATE OF DISCHARGE	CAUSE	GRADE
1. <u>U.S. Indian</u>			<u>transfer to</u>	<u>4th</u>
2. <u>Keshewa</u>			<u>Carlisle</u>	
3.				
4.				

Joseph Waubanasum
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: Newport

Two Witnesses:

Wis

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 12th day of Sept, 1911

W. F. Ragan

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

This 12 day of Sept, 1911

A. J. M. H. L. S.
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.

REPORT OF Sophia Wabanascum pupil of Carlisle Indian
School, who went Sept 11-13 to live with Mrs. W.C. Stoner
(Date) (Patron)
of 241 S. Potomac Ave Waynesboro Franklin,
(Post Office) (County)
Peru, Waynesboro Railroad Station
(State)

Conduct Very good - Inclined to be impatient at times.
Health Very good - Has trouble occasionally with pain in her elbow.
Ability Improving in ability.
Cleanliness Not clean at first - improving.
Economy Very little idea of economy but willing to learn.
Situation of Room 3rd floor.
Condition of Room Fair.
Condition of Clothing Good.

Wages

Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes.

Are careful accounts kept by pupil? Patron teaches Sophia to keep accounts.

Number of days at school See other side.

Distance to school About three squares.

Grade or quality of school Private School - See explanation on other side.

Name and address of teacher Miss Anna Shoemaker, 112 E. 3rd St. Waynesboro, Va.

Qualifications of teacher Grad. of Goucher College, Md.

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? 4 1/2 Room.

In what grade is pupil at present? Between 4th & 5th Grades.

Attends what church and Sunday school? Catholic.

Distance to church 7 squares.

Is there a Catholic church in locality? yes.

Who compose patron's family? Mr. & Mrs. Stoner and baby.

What other help is employed? Washing and ironing sent out; Woman

Locality of home Town. (Comes in to assist in cleaning and

Home life and environments Has helped Sophia very much. sweeping.

Trade at school Sophia sits with family at meals and other times.

Nature of work Girl helper.

Pupil's age 16 Experience First

Any general statement or wishes of patron or pupils, together with Agent's estimate of place, people, and pupil:

When placing Sophia Watanasum on the Centing I did not have much faith in either her ability or her desire to do any real work. While in quarters she had shown a disposition to be excused frequently from work and was not at all reliable.

In the country she has shown a marked improvement to be helpful and a desire to improve.

She is attending private school - 2 hrs. a day from 3 P.M. to 5 P.M. for which Mrs. Stoner pays \$3.20 per mo. Sophia began school about Oct. 1st and by March 1st will have been in attendance 100 days - 100-half-days which equals about only 50 full days.

Mrs. Stoner did not know the rule about not sending Sophia to private school and hitherto the girls had been allowed to attend private school.

L. M. Johnston -

Girls' Field Agt.

En. 500

NAME.	TRIBE.
<i>Lophia Wautbanascum</i>	<i>Menominee</i>

PARENT OR GUARDIAN. Joseph Wantanascum

DATE ENROLLED.	TERM.	AGE.	HOME ADDRESS
Sept. 21, 1911	Five years	14	Neopit, Wis.

[illegible]

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October 20th, 1913,

Mrs. W. C. Stoner,

Waynesboro, Penna.

Dear Madam,

Please have Sophia Waubanasum sign the enclosed check for 6.50 and return to me to pay her dentist bill.

Respectfully,

W. H. M.

Superintendent,

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Oct. 23rd, 1914.

Mr. Joseph Wabanascum,
Neopit, Wis.

My dear Sir:

When your letter of October the 19th came to me I referred it to our School Matron with a request that she take the matter mentioned therein into consideration with your daughter Sophia. It has now been reported to me by the Matron that she had a talk with Sophia and that the letter desired by you has been written.

Thanking you for bringing the matter to my attention and assuring you that I will gladly co-operate with you at any time to do what is best for your daughter, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Neopitlis.

Oct 19-14

Dear Sir:

I like to know what
is the matter, with my daughter
Sophia, at anascum,

She has not wrote to me for
three months,

And to day I heard she
sent her report card to her
Aunt, and thats what I
dont want her to do. I am
her Father and I want her
report cards, I am the one
that raised her, not her
Aunt, I got two more and
they will not go away from

home to attend school, and
then forget me. I want to
get a letter from her at
once, it may not be your
fault but see that she writes
home

From yours truly
Joseph Wabanscum

April 16th, 1915.

Mrs. C. Wabanascum,
Box 65, Neopit, Wisconsin.

Dear Madam:

When your letter of the 12th instant was received here, to which you had attached a part of a letter that was written to her father by Sophia Wabanascum, the entire matter was brought to the attention of the School Matron. When Sophia was seen regarding the complaints she made to her father and about the funds she desires in order that she can attend the summer sessions of some school her principal concern seemed to be to find out who had written me relative to her desire to make trouble.

Sophia has no regard whatever for the truth and it is a most difficult matter to appeal to her in any way. When her period of enrolment at Carlisle has terminated she will have to leave, but at her age and with her tendencies the only way to save her is to have her confined in some Catholic School where the personal care of those in charge may be the means of changing her. Your kind offer to help her when she does come home should be appre-

-2- Mrs. C. Wabanascum.

ciated, but, much as I regret to make the statement, her disappointing actions time after time here justify me in remarking that she will be a mischief maker and entirely unappreciative.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Stoughton

April 27/25

Ms Lyp30

Dear Sir

I wish to call
your attention to Sophia she
is my step daughter and seems
to make it her business to
keep making trouble between
her Father and I. A while ago
she sent a letter home say-
ing that I were to run
her Father Store bills buying
costly clothes and if I must
say so he works everyday
and built a new house
and keep me saving to
get ahead And can't get

only just enough to keep
the children and my
self in good plain every
day clothes And try and
get out of debt besides
the high cost of living
And my little children
both been sick mostly
all winter my husband
just took the little
girl to Shawano to have
her arm lanced by the
doctor, and to think of this
would cause trouble
to beside what I have
here out side of our
little family no life
you would do me

her Papa back she is
mistaken for I told him
what I written to her
And I am not behind
hand what I say to
him as she says
I will close **Thanking**
you very much if
you will do me the
favor I ask of you and
when she come home
she will be treated good
if she does right again
Thanking

from yours Truly
Mrs C. Mahanassan
Chopet
Box 65 - Chio

A great favor if you would
give her a calling to not
only on my part but
for her own good I
don't wish to make
more ~~her~~ ^{her} faults
but ~~he~~ ^{she} is ~~very~~ ^{very} bad
^{before we ever married}
in some ways although
he is a good worker
and very kind hearted
But ~~she~~ ^{she} is **hard** to
get along with I always
did and will do what
I can for her I did give
her a calling down in
my last letter but I am
sure she deserved it
As far as talking

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May 16th, 1916.

Mr. Jos. Waubanascum,

Neopit, Wis.

My dear Sir:

Your daughter Sophia will be entitled to return home this year on account of the termination of her period of enrolment and arrangements are being made to have her leave here on June the 6th with the party of girls starting then to go to their homes.

Trusting you can assist her to find something to do to make use of the training she received while with us, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Nicholson.)

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

Date of report April 26 1915

Name of child Sophie Wabawaseum Age 17 Grade 5 A

Home post office Neupit Wisconsin

Tribe Menominee Degree of Indian blood $\frac{3}{4}$

How many acres of land do you own don't know Location _____

What is the annual income from your land I don't know

Do you have any other income I don't know How much I don't know

Is your father living yes

Father's name Mr Joseph R Wabawaseum

Home post office Neupit wis Box 165

Tribe Menominee Degree of Indian blood $\frac{3}{4}$

Is he a citizen ☒ I don't know

How much land does he own I don't know Allotment No. _____

What is its estimated value 11 11 11

What is the annual income from his land 11 11 11

Does he have any other income 11 11 11

If so, how much 11 11 11

Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property I don't know

Is your mother living no

Mother's name _____

Home post office _____

Tribe Osage Degree of Indian blood $\frac{3}{4}$

Is she a citizen _____

How much land does your mother own she had some in Kansas but I don't know what they did with it I know she did not sell it Allotment No. _____

What is its estimated value _____

What is the annual income from her land

Does she have any other income

If so, how much

Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property

With whom do you make your home *my father*

How many rooms in the house *I do not know for they are building a new house*

How many live in the house ☒ *four people*

How far is your home from nearest public school *about two blocks*

Why do you not attend that school *because I wanted to come to Carlisle*

How many teachers employed there *I do not know*

How many grades maintained *u u u u*

How many months of school each year *u u u u*

Did you ever attend a public school *no*

If so, how long

Where

How many brothers of school age have you *none*

How many sisters of school age have you *none*

Are they in school *no*

Where

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.