

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

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| NUMBER <i>4609</i> <i>6415</i> | | ENGLISH NAME <i>Clayton Bucktooth</i> | | | AGENCY | | | NATION <i>Onondaga</i> | | |
| BAND | | INDIAN NAME | | | HOME ADDRESS <i>Lydia Bucktooth</i> <i>P.O.D. # 5, Syracuse, N.Y.</i> | | | | | |
| PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD | | BLOOD | AGE | HEIGHT | WEIGHT | FORCED INSP. | FORCED EXPR. | SEX. | | |
| FATHER, <i>L</i> | MOTHER, <i>X</i> | <i>Full</i> | <i>15'</i> | <i>5-5</i> | <i>127</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>M.</i> | | |
| ARRIVED AT SCHOOL <i>Sept. 26, 1911</i> | | FOR WHAT PERIOD <i>Five years</i> | | | DATE DISCHARGED <i>Sept. 2, 1916</i> | | CAUSE OF DISCHARGE | | | |
| TO COUNTRY | | PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS | | | | | | FROM COUNTRY | | |
| <i>5-1-12</i> | | <i>C. H. Lovett, Morrisville, Pa.</i> | | | | | | <i>8-31-12</i> | | |
| <i>4-9-13</i> | | <i>Chas. Robinson Morrisville Pa.</i> | | | | | | <i>1</i> | | |
| <i>4-1-19-10</i> | | <i>Ran from country</i> | | | | | | <i>Ret to school 5-10-10</i> | | |

THE SHAW-WALKER CO. WASHINGTON 121071

Months in school before Carlisle,

Grade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church,

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CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL ✓

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| No. 4609 | NAME. | AGE. | TRIBE. | DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD. | NAME OF AGENCY AND RESERVATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT, POST OFFICE OF FAMILY. |
| | Clayton Bucktooth | 15 | Onondago | Full | New York |

| DATE ENTERED. | Months in school before enrollment here. | IN WHAT GRADE OR ROOM. | | Distance to nearest public school from pupil's home. | REMARKS. | | |
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| | | On entering here. | At date of this report. | | (Temporarily absent, outing, deserters, on sick leave, special authorities for enrollment, etc.) | | |
| Sept. 26, 1911 | | | | | | | |
| Sept. 1913 | | | Nov. 4 | | To COUNTRY | FROM COUNTRY | DATE DISCHARGED |
| April 1914 | | | Nov. 4 | | | | 9-2-16 |
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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* | | | | | | | | |
| Department standing* | | | | | | | | |
| Physical condition | | | | | | | | |

Remarks: _____

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BRIEF.

Application of

Lydia Bucktooth

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Clayton Bucktooth

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

POST-OFFICE ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:

Syracuse N. Y. P. O. 5

Date of enrollment, _____, 191...

Term of enrollment, *Five* (*5*) years

Application for Enrollment in a Nonreservation School.

(For a child not enrolled at an Agency.)

For and in consideration of the United States assuming the care, education, and maintenance in the United States Indian School at Charlottesville, of Clyde Bucktooth, (Name of child.) female, (Sex.) I, Lydia Bucktooth, (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) of Syracuse, N.Y. P. O., State of N.Y., do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to his enrollment in said school for a period of five years, and also obligate and bind myself to abide by all the rules and regulations for Indian schools.

I further say that the said child was born at Onondaga on August 4, 1896 (Date.) that the father, Freeman Bucktooth, (Name of father.) is a full Indian of the Onondaga Tribe located at Onondaga Agency; that he left the tribe about _____; (Approximate date.) that the mother, Lydia Bucktooth, (Name.) is a full Indian of the _____ Tribe located at _____ Agency, and left the tribe about _____; (Approximate date.) that the said child was born and reared in the United States, and now actually resides therein; and that he has attended the following schools:

| NAME OF SCHOOL—PUBLIC, GOVERNMENT, OR MISSION. | LOCATED AT— | DATE OF ENROLLMENT. | DATE OF DISCHARGE. | CAUSE OF DISCHARGE. | GRADE. |
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| <u>Stat School</u> | <u>Onondaga Res.</u> | | | | |
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This 26 day of August, 1911
 Two witnesses: Everest Bucktooth Lydia Bucktooth
 (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
Muriel Billings P. O., R 7 E 45 Syracuse 44
 (NOTE.—Every blank in this application must be properly filled out by the applicant, in his own handwriting, if possible. The signature, whether by mark or otherwise, must be attested by two witnesses.)

AFFIDAVIT.

I, Lydia Bucktooth, do hereby swear that the statements made in the above application are true.
Lydia Bucktooth
 (Signature of applicant.) (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26 day of August, 1911.
Oliver Nichols
 (NOTE.—This application and affidavit must be executed before some officer authorized to administer oaths by the parent with whom the child is living; if the parents are dead, by the guardian or next of kin.)

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FOR NEW YORK PUPILS.

This blank is to be filled out and signed by a former teacher of the applicant, by a school trustee, a school superintendent, or by some other person conversant with the status of the applicant's school attendance.

This is to certify that Clayton Bucktooth
has attended the Onon. Reservation State School at
Onondaga Reservation New York, from September 1902
to June 1911.
South Onondaga N. Y.
August 14 1911.

A. B. Fenner (Principal)

(Sign here.)

Teacher from 1902
6 yrs. 1908

listing of your eligibility for enrollment at Carlisle.

Have you attended public school? *yes.*

where? *Onandoga Reservation*

When? *It runs from 1. 1906 to June 1, 1911.*

How far do you reside from public school now?

Half mile

Will you attend public school if you do not enroll at an Indian School?

Under the laws of this state I will have to

What is your reason for not attending public school?

I want to learn a trade and more English

Why do you wish to attend at Carlisle?

What special trade do you desire to complete?

I would like a trade,

Can you provide for your own transportation to Carlisle?

no.

...in this application, and find that he is in proper physical condition to attend school, and is not afflicted with tuberculosis or other disease which would be a menace to the health of other pupils.

This 13 day of August, 1911 H. Ernest Cook M. D.

Vouchers of Disinterested Persons.

VOUCHER No. 1.

I, (Rev.) Wm D. Menness, a Missionary, of Onondaga Reservation, N.Y., do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with Lydia Bucktooth who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his statements therein are true; that I am acquainted with Clayton Bucktooth; that she is known and recognized in the community in which she lives as an Indian; that in my opinion she can not receive proper and adequate schooling at home for the reason that the school here is inadequate for her further progress and development.

This 9th day of August 1911 Wm D. Menness.

VOUCHER No. 2.

I, E B Fenner, a agent of Onon Lindsay, of Onondaga Reservation, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with Lydia Bucktooth, who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his statements therein are true; that I am acquainted with Clayton Bucktooth; that he is known and recognized in the community in which he lives as an Indian; and that in my opinion he cannot receive proper and adequate schooling at home for the reason that the school here is inadequate his further progress and development.

This 26 day of August, 1911 E. B. Fenner

Certificate of School Physician.

I hereby certify that on _____, I made a careful examination
(As soon after arrival as possible.)
of the physical condition of _____, the child named in the fore-
going application, and found _____ to be _____

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

This _____ day of _____, 191 _____

School Physician.

INDORSEMENT.

A child showing one-sixteenth or less Indian blood, whose parents live on an Indian reservation, Indian fashion, who, if debarred from the Government schools, could not obtain an education, may be permitted in the reservation day and boarding schools, but it is preferable that it be not transferred to a nonreservation school, without permission from the Office. Children showing one-eighth or less Indian blood, whose parents do not live on an Indian reservation, whose home is among white people where there are churches and schools, who are presumed to have adopted the white man's manners and customs, and are to all intents and purposes white people, are debarred from enrollment in the Government nonreservation and reservation schools. Superintendents, in all cases where doubt exists as to the degree of Indian blood of a child proposed for transfer, should fully satisfy themselves of the facts by affidavits from reliable persons, which affidavits must be kept on file at the school.

A pupil who has been regularly enrolled in a nonreservation school must not be taken to any other non-reservation 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.

A pupil dismissed from school for cause must not be enrolled in any other school without the permission of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs. Full facts must be submitted with each request.



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REPORT OF Clayton Bucktooth pupil of Carlisle Indian School, who went 4/9/1912 to live with E. N. Lovett of Morrisville, Bucks, Pa. Railroad Station

Conduct Excellent

Health Good

Ability Good

Cleanliness Good

Economy Good

Situation of Room Second floor

Condition of Room Good

Condition of Clothing Good

Wages \$16 per month

Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes

Are careful accounts kept by pupil? yes

Number of days at school Attended at Carlisle

Distance to school -----

Grade or quality of school -----

Name and address of teacher -----

Qualifications of teacher -----

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? 3rd

In what grade is pupil at present? 3rd

Attends what church and Sunday school? Presbyterian

Distance to church One mile

Is there a Catholic church in locality? No

Who compose patron's family? Man and wife

What other help is employed? One Indian boy

Locality of home Near Morrisville, Pa.

Home life and environments Good

Trade at school None

Nature of work General truck farm

Pupil's age 16 Experience One year

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

Clayton is doing excellent work
in his country home. He should
be encouraged to remain in
the Country for the school advantages.

July 18, 1912
W. S. Dickey
B. Agent.

J - Tr. or S.

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

Date of report *April, 28, 1915.*

Name of child *Clayton Bucktooth* Age *19* Grade *Fifth Grade*

Home post office *Syracuse, New York R.F.D. #5.*

Tribe *Seneca.* Degree of Indian blood $\frac{1}{2}$

How many acres of land do you own *None.* Location _____

What is the annual income from ~~some~~ land *None*

Do you have any other income *No* How much _____

Is your father living *Yes.*

Father's name *Freeman Bucktooth*

Home post office *Syracuse, N.Y. R.F.D. #5.*

Tribe *Seneca.* Degree of Indian blood $\frac{1}{2}$

Is he a citizen *I dont know.*

How much land does he own *I dont know.* Allotment No. *I dont know.*

What is its estimated value *I dont know.*

What is the annual income from his land *I dont know.*

Does he have any other income *yes.*

If so, how much *I dont know.*

Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property *No*

Is your mother living *yes.*

Mother's name *Lydia Bucktooth.*

Home post office *Syracuse, N.Y. R.F.D. #5.*

Tribe *Seneca* Degree of Indian blood $\frac{1}{2}$

Is she a citizen *No.*

How much land does your mother own *I dont know.* Allotment No. *I dont know.*

What is its estimated value *I dont know.*

What is the annual income from her land *I dont 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 *I make home with my mother.*
 How many rooms in the house *8*
 How many live in the house *11*
 How far is your home from nearest public school *2 1/2 miles*
 Why do you not attend that school *I come here to learn a trade.*
 How many teachers employed there *4 teachers.*
 How many grades maintained *8 Grades.*
 How many months of school each year *9*
 Did you ever attend a public school *No.*
 If so, how long Where
 How many brothers of school age have you *3.*
 How many sisters of school age have you *4*
 Are they in school *yes.*
 Where *I dont know.*

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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Superintendent.

Aug. 29th, 1916.

Mrs. Lydia Bucktooth,

R. F. D. 5, Syracuse, N. Y.

My dear Madam:

Your son Clayton's period of enrolment at Carlisle has terminated and at his request it is being arranged so that he can leave here on Saturday evening of this week to come to your home. A ticket for his use to Syracuse will be provided.

Hoping I shall hear from you when Clayton has arrived at your home and that you will urge him to return here later in the fall to take up additional school work, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HEM.

Superintendent.