

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER <i>4603</i> <i>456</i>	ENGLISH NAME <i>George Oshkesheguam</i>	AGENCY <i>Keshena, Wis.</i>	NATION <i>Menominee</i>					
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS <i>Mrs. Mary Ann Star</i> <i>Keshena, Wis.</i>						
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX.
FATHER, <i>S</i>		<i>Full</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>4'-11</i>	<i>87</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>24 1/2</i>	<i>M.</i>
MOTHER, <i>S</i>		FOR WHAT PERIOD <i>Five years.</i>		DATE DISCHARGED <i>June 22, 1916</i>	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE <i>Time out</i>			
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL <i>Sept. 21, 1911</i>		TO COUNTRY			PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS			FROM COUNTRY
<i>4-9-12.</i>		<i>A. R. Sickles, Fallington, Pa.</i>			<i>8-30-13</i>			
<i>9-9-13</i>		<i>N. S. Cornell, Eureka, Pa.</i>			<i>9-3-14</i>			

Months in school before Carlisle, ..... *81* .....

Trade entered at Carlisle, .....

Trade at date of Discharge, .....

Trade or Industry, .....

Church, *Catholic* .....



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CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL ✓

No. 4605	NAME.	AGE.	TRIBE.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.	NAME OF AGENCY AND RESERVATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT, POST OFFICE OF FAMILY.
	George Oshkesheguam	15	Menominee	Full	Keshena. Wis.

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.)		
Sept. 21, 1911	81				To COUNTRY	FROM COUNTRY	DATE DISCHARGE
Sept. 1914	~	~	10	~	?	8-30-13	~
Sept. 1915	-	-	VII	-	9-9-13	9-3-14	6-22-16
" 1916	-	-	VIII	-			
FEB 25 1917	Reen.				JUN 15 1917		
					JUL - 5 1917 (Res. non det)		OCT - 3 1917
							Catholic

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: \_\_\_\_\_



**Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully**

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**BRIEF.**

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**Application of**

George Oshkeshequoam

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FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

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IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

**Carlisle, Pennsylvania**

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NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

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Date of enrollment..... 191.....

Term of enrollment..... (..... ) years

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Printed by Carlisle Indians.

**Important**—Only those students who desire to come to Carlisle because they have a definite purpose in view will be admitted. Applications for enrollment must be submitted in all cases for consideration before transportation can be made available. Time will then be taken to find out the records students have made in the schools previously attended, and to secure recommendations as to their *moral character* and their and their worthiness for further attendance at a Government institution.



# 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, Penn

of George Oshkeshequoam; M; date of birth Oct 9 - 1897  
(Name of Child) (Sex)  
Menominee  
(Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER <small>(Both Indian and English)</small>	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<u>Joe Oshkeshequoam</u>	<u>Dead</u>	<u>Menominee</u>	—	<u>3/4</u>
<u>Mary Ann Star</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>do</u>	—	<u>full.</u>

I, George Oshkeshequoam, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to my enrollment in said school for a period of 3 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 Carlisle</u>	<u>1911</u>	<u>1916</u>	<u>finished term</u>	<u>2<sup>nd</sup></u>
<u>2 Keshena Mission</u>	<u>1907</u>	<u>1909</u>	<u>transfer</u>	<u>4<sup>th</sup></u>
<u>3 Keshena Govt</u>	<u>1909</u>	<u>1910</u>	<u>transfer</u>	<u>3<sup>rd</sup></u>
<u>4</u>				

George Oshkeshequoam  
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: Keshena Wis

Two Witnesses:

Minnie E. Clark.  
W. H. Howell

Applicant over 18 yrs of age.



## 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 12th day of Feb, 1917

W. F. Ragan M.D.  
Physician at Respit Wis 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 George Oshkeshequoan was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.  
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

This 10 day of Feb, 1917

A. J. [Signature]  
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.



## Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully

### 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 reservations, 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 reservations. (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 nonreservations 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.

**Important**—Only those students who desire to come to Carlisle because they have a definite purpose in view will be admitted. Applications for enrollment must be submitted in all cases for consideration before transportation can be made available. Time will then be taken to find out the records students have made in the schools previously attended, and to secure recommendations as to their *moral character* and their worthiness for further attendance at a Government institution.



NAME *George Ashkesaguan* (Male.  
 SEX ~~(Female)~~  
 Tribe. (Full) *yes*..... State *Wisconsin*..... Feb *12*....., 1917.  
 Age... *19*.....years. Respiration... *20*..... Condition of eyes...  
 ..... *normal* .....  
 Height *5*... ft. *5 1/2* in. (Insp. *35*... Bars *normal*...  
 Weight... *134*.....lbs. Mensuration (Exp. *32*... Throat... "*"*.....  
 Temperature *98.6*..... Vaccination... *yes*..... Cervical glands *neg.*  
 Pulse... *72*..... Vision *no test chart*..... Skin... *Some acne*  
 Inspection... *Chest full*.....  
 Palpation... *neg.*.....  
 Percussion... *neg.*.....  
 .....  
 Auscultation... *neg.*.....  
 .....  
 Heart... *normal*.....  
 (Menstruation) .....

FAMILY HISTORY.

	<u>*Living.</u>	<u>*Condition of Health.</u>	<u>*Dead.</u>	<u>*Cause of death.</u>
Father			<i>59</i>	<i>Pneumonia</i>
Mother	<i>39</i>	<i>Good</i>		
Brothers	<i>0</i>		<i>4</i>	<i>Whooping Cough</i> <i>11 months</i> <i>Croup</i>
Sisters	<i>0</i>		<i>9 yrs</i>	<i>Tuberculosis</i> <i>Two infants cause</i> <i>unknown</i>
Personal history		<i>neg.</i>		
Present condition		<i>Good</i>		

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 ..... *W. F. O'Ryan* ..... M. D.



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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

George Osheshequom

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Date of enrollment, \_\_\_\_\_, 191

Term of enrollment, \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) years.

NAME OF PERSON ARRANGING FOR THE TRANSFER:

Position, \_\_\_\_\_



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(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 George Oshkeshequoam, M; age 19; date of birth Oct 9 - 1897;  
(Name of child.) (Sex.)  
Menominee  
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>Jac Oshkeshequoam</u>	<u>Dead</u>	<u>Menominee</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>3/4</u>
NAME OF MOTHER.				
<u>Mary Ann Star</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>do</u>		<u>full.</u>

I, George Oshkeshequoam, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to my  
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)  
 enrollment in said school for a period of 3 years, and also obligate myself to abide by  
(Not less than 3.)  
 all 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>Carlisle</u>	<u>1911</u>	<u>1916</u>	<u>finished term</u>	<u>2</u>
2.	<u>Keshena Gov't</u>	<u>1909</u>	<u>1910</u>	<u>transfer</u>	<u>3</u>
3.	<u>Keshena Mission</u>	<u>1907</u>	<u>1909</u>	<u>- " -</u>	<u>4</u>
4.					

George Oshkeshequoam  
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Keshena

Two witnesses:

Minnie E. Clark  
H. H. Newell

Wis

Applicant over 18 yrs of age



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 12th day of Feb, 1917

W. F. Ragau M.D.  
Physician at Neopit. Wm 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 George Oshkeshegwan (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.)

Not within reaching distance of any Public School nearest 20 miles away - State law permits enrollment

I recommend the transfer of the said child.

This 10 day of Feb, 1917

A. Guilots  
Agent or Superintendent.

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

I hereby certify that on \_\_\_\_\_, (As soon after arrival as possible.) 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 \_\_\_\_\_, 1917

\_\_\_\_\_  
School Physician.

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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.



The enrollment of Indian pupils in nonreservation schools is governed by the "Rules for the Indian Service, 1913," sections 12, 13, 14, 15, 18, 19, 36, 112, 113, 114, 117, 118, 124 (b).

The Rules should be consulted before filling out the application blanks.



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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

*May Ann Star*

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

*George Oshkesheguoan*

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

*Cartels Pa*

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

*Neohema*

Date of enrollment, \_\_\_\_\_, 190.

Term of enrollment, \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) years.

NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

Position, \_\_\_\_\_



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(Name of child.) (Sex.)  
Muscumee  
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>Joe Oshkeshewoam</u> <small>Step father is Lewis Starr</small>	<u>Dead</u>	<u>Muscumee</u>		<u>2/4</u>
NAME OF MOTHER.				
<u>Maryann Starr</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Muscumee</u>		<u>2/4</u>

I, Maryann Starr, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to his  
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)  
 enrollment in said school for a period of five years, and also obligate myself to abide by  
(Not less than 3.)  
 all 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.
<u>1. St. Joseph's Industrial</u>	<u>1902</u>	<u>1908</u>		
<u>2. Keshewo</u>	<u>1908</u>	<u>1910</u>		
<u>3. St. Joseph's Industrial</u>	<u>1910</u>	<u>1911</u>		<u>4th</u>

(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Mrs Maryann Starr

Two witnesses:

Moses Oshkeshewoam  
Theresa Oshkeshewoam

Keshewo  
Quis.



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 30 day of August, 1911

Edward L. Swadlow

Physician at Reserve 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 Mr. Mayant Starr was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of the said child. (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

This 30 day of Aug, 1911

A. J. Johnson  
Agent or Superintendent.

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

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(As soon after arrival as possible.)

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This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 190

School Physician.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Keshena Indian School

Keshena, Wisconsin

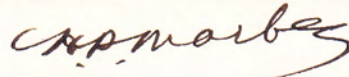
September 28, 1917.

Mr. John Francis, Jr.,  
supt. Indian School,  
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of September 24, relative to the whereabouts of George Oshkeshequom, a Menominee student who recently deserted from your school. This young man has not appeared upon the reservation as yet, and watch will be kept for him. Should he be found, every effort will be made to secure his return to Carlisle.

Very respectfully,



Assistant Superintendent.

HPM/ES



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September 24, 1917.

Mr. Angus S. Nicholson  
Superintendent Keshena Agency  
Keshena, Wisconsin.

Dear Sir:

During the summer George Oshkeshequoam, a student from your reservation ran away from the Outing.

I will be very glad if you could advise me whether he has returned to your reservation, and if so what steps can be taken to return him to the school.

Thanking you for what you may do in the matter, I am

Sincerely yours,

Superintendent.

JF-S



REPORT OF George Oshkesagvum pupil of Carlisle Indian School, who went 4/2 1912 to live with A. R. Sickler of Faessington, Bucks (State) Pa, Faessington Railroad Station (Post Office) (County)

Conduct Excellent  
 Health Good  
 Ability Good  
 Cleanliness Fair  
 Economy Good  
 Situation of Room Second floor  
 Condition of Room Very good  
 Condition of Clothing Fair  
 Wages \$5 per month  
 Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes  
 Are careful accounts kept by pupil? No  
 Number of days at school Attended at Carlisle  
 Distance to school —————  
 Grade or quality of school Indian School  
 Name and address of teacher —————  
 Qualifications of teacher —————  
 In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? 4th  
 In what grade is pupil at present? 4th  
 Attends what church and Sunday school? Catholic once a mo.  
 Distance to church Three miles  
 Is there a Catholic church in locality? At Morrisville, three miles  
 Who compose patron's family? Man and wife  
 What other help is employed? One Indian boy  
 Locality of home Near Faessington Pa.  
 Home life and environments Good  
 Trade at school None  
 Nature of work Chores about farm  
 Pupil's age 15 Experience First year.

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

George is doing well in his home and should be encouraged to remain during the winter. He will have access to a good school near by. Mr. Sickler wishes to have him remain.

July 11, 1912  
W. S. Sickler  
County Agent.

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

Date of report

April. 28, 1915

Name of child

Geo. Oshkesaguum

Age

17

Grade

4

Home post office

Neshena Wisconsin.

Tribes

Menominee

Degree of Indian blood

full.

How many acres of land do you own

none

Location

What is the annual income from your land

none

Do you have any other income

none

How much

none

Is your father living

No. but I have a step father (Geo Starr)

Father's name

Joseph Oshkesaguum.

Home post office

Neshena Wisconsin.

Tribes

Menominee

Degree of Indian blood

full

Is he a citizen

No.

How much land does he own

Allotment No.

What is its estimated value

What is the annual income from his land

Does he have any other income

If so, how much

Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property

Is your mother living

Yes.

Mother's name

Mary A. Oshkesaguum or Starr.

Home post office

Neshena Wisconsin.

Tribes

Menominee

Degree of Indian blood

full

Is she a citizen

No.

How much land does your mother own

76 acres

Allotment No.

I don't 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 *I do not know.*

If so, how much *I do not know.*

Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property *I do not know*

With whom do you make your home *My Mother*

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

How many live in the house *Four.*

How far is your home from nearest public school *I do not know*

Why do you not attend that school *I wanted to come to Carlisle Indian School.*

How many teachers employed there *I do not know.*

How many grades maintained *I do not know*

How many months of school each year *I do not know*

Did you ever attend a public school *No.*

If so, how long *none* Where *none*

How many brothers of school age have you *No brother*

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

Are they in school *Yes.*

Where *Keshena Indian School.*

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.



OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

No. 253

Name of Student *George Oshkeshegan* Home Address *Mary A. Starr, Keshena, Wis.* Tribe *Menominee*

Age at Entrance *15* Date of Entrance *9-21-'11* Shop \_\_\_\_\_ JAN. *7* FEB. *8* MAR. *7* APR. *10* MAY *11* JUNE *12* JULY *1* AUG. *2* SEPT. *3* OCT. *4* NOV. *5* DEC. *6* TOTAL OR AVERAGE

Patron *A. R. Sickles* Locality \_\_\_\_\_ Days in School \_\_\_\_\_

Address *Fallington, Pa.* R. R. Station \_\_\_\_\_ Conduct \_\_\_\_\_

Recommended by \_\_\_\_\_ Grade in School \_\_\_\_\_ Ability \_\_\_\_\_

Grade of Home \_\_\_\_\_ Church \_\_\_\_\_ Health \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Outing *4-9-'12* Date Returned *8-30-'13* Wages \_\_\_\_\_ Earnings \_\_\_\_\_

*Norman Carneel* \_\_\_\_\_ *20 20 20 20*

*Eureka, Pa.* \_\_\_\_\_ *y y g g y g g y*

\_\_\_\_\_ *y y g g y g g y*

\_\_\_\_\_ *y y g g y g g y*

*8-30-'13* \_\_\_\_\_ *5. 5. 6. 6.*

*12-9-'13* \_\_\_\_\_ *6.*

*C. F. White* \_\_\_\_\_ *y med*

*Lenghorne, Pa.* \_\_\_\_\_ *y "*

\_\_\_\_\_ *y y*

\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

*12-9-'13* *9-2-14 was in jail (Doylestown) for stealing* *11.00 11.00*

*\$10 from Mr. White.*

*Med V.P.*

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*12.00 5.60*

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Sept. 27th, 1916.

Mr. George Osh, *Kingston*

Keshena, Wisconsin.

My dear George:

I have received your letter of the 24th instant with reference to your desire to enter the Ford Motor Company's factory in Detroit, Michigan, and must state in reply thereto that I will be pleased to have you return here. However, you must understand that at this time no assurance can be given you that you could be selected after six months of preparation because I do not know now how soon we shall have an opportunity to place additional boys in Detroit. I know you have the training necessary to give you a chance and if you want to come back to Carlisle until you can be selected to go to Detroit regardless of the time it will take I shall gladly cooperate as may be required to effect your reenrollment.

I am glad you have had a chance to make use of your training by assisting with the work at the Keshena School, and before you make up your mind to leave you should see Mr. Marble or Superintendent Nicholson about the matter. An opportunity will then be afforded to select your successor



-2- Mr. George Osh, Keshena, Wisconsin.

and you can leave with a good standing and without inconveniencing anyone.

Hoping I shall hear definitely soon what you will do, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Nicholson.)



Yeshua Mis

Sept. 27, 1916.

Mr O. H. Lipp.

Indian School,  
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir

I got a letter from  
Supervisor Chas. E. Wageman  
about the Ford Factory, and  
he told me that he preferred  
to <sup>for me</sup> you to take six months  
course, and afterwards  
enter to the Ford factory.  
You know I been there  
five years, and I was  
working for H. F. Weber  
I am assistant  
engineer here at the  
Yeshua Indian School



and I like my job. I  
am getting \$ 55 a month.  
I would like to go back  
this fall soon as possible  
if you will send me  
your information.

Hoping to hear from  
you soon.

I am,

Geo. Oak  
Keshena  
Wisconsin

Co. Ind. Sch.

Copy.

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Keshina, Wisconsin,

September 11, 1916.

Dear Sir:

Received your letter about the Ford factory. I would like to enter there just as quick as I can this fall. I would like to get out into the world myself. I just came home from Carlisle this last June. I been out there five years. I was trying to go to Ford while there last year.

I have no allotment of any kind or raising cattle, and if you secured me satisfactory employment I will appreciate your kindness. I will make up my mind to STICK. I am aged 19 and in 8th grade and my trade while at Carlisle was Plumbing, heating, electrical machinery. I got recommendation from my boss Mr. H. F. Weber, and address of a good citizen whom you may write for my testimonial concerning my personal worth is the agent himself Mr. Nicholson or Mr. Marbel.

If you have other factories beside Fords I would like to go. I shall be glad to hear from you soon. I am anxiously waiting to go there.

I am your truly,

(Signed) George Oshkessaquam.



September 13, 1916.

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Mr. George Oshkesagum,

Keshina, Wisconsin.

My dear Friend:

Your letter of September 11, expressing a desire to enter the Ford automobile factory has been referred to Superintendent O. H. Lipps. Carlisle conducts a six months vocational course to fit young men for entrance to the Ford factory, and you should now write to Mr. Lipps concerning your ability and ambition. Full instructions will be sent you regarding the entrance requirements, and arrangements will be made for your enrollment at Carlisle preparatory to entering the Ford factory.

Wishing you good success in your work,

I am

Very truly yours,

*Chas. E. Dagenett.*

was for her int. to interfere in any way with  
him who was to be coming to my other ~~side~~ boy  
of his own age

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Langhorne Aug 16  
M. O. H. Lipka  
Dear Friend

I gave George  
permission to go to ball game  
yesterday afternoon and when  
he left the state \$10 from me  
I notified the State Police, and  
had him arrested and he owned  
up to it he had a hearing to  
day I asked the officer not  
to take him to Doylestown  
until I heard from you  
and he said, he would have  
to do with him the same as  
any one else. I expected  
to find Mr. Dickie at Newtown  
but was told that he had  
gone in to school as soon as  
out there

Your truly  
Chas. H. White



August 18, 1914.

Charles H. White  
Langhorne, Pa.

Dear friend:-

I have your letter of the 16th inst relative to the conduct of George Oshkesequoam and have to say that you did exactly the right thing by placing the matter in the hands of the law. You can tell the authorities at Doylestown that I do not think it for the best interests of the boy himself and for the interests of our other Indian boys, to intercede in any way whatever to lessen the punishment of a boy who has committed an offence such as that committed by Oshkesequoam. I believe that he should receive the same punishment that the law would impose upon any other boy of his age, for a like offence. The fact that he is an Indian should make no difference in his treatment.

Will you let me know what is done in this case.

Very truly yours

Supervisor in Charge.

Langhorne Aug 21

Mr Oscar St Lips

Dear Friend

I have thought a great deal about the trouble I had with George Asheragquoan last Sunday while he owned up to the charge against him do you think the best thing for him would be to appear against him as he is nothing more than a lad of 16 and this being his first charge of this kind



I thought perhaps it would  
that the punishment that he  
has rec<sup>d</sup> this last week  
might be a great lesson  
for him, and by giving  
him another chance  
it might make a man  
out of him yet as the  
matter stands he has  
no one ~~one~~ to look after  
him If Mr. Dickie comes  
around I would like  
to have a talk with  
him about the matter

Young Peep  
Chas. H. Winter.



August 24, 1914.

Mr. Charles H. White

Langhorne, Pa.

Dear friend:-

I have your letter relative to George Osh-  
kekequoam and will send Mr. Dickey to take care of his case  
within a day or two. He will in all probability return  
George to you and you can send him to the school with the  
other boys on the 28th inst.

I think George has had his lesson and by the  
time he has been made to pay all costs and gets his discipline  
here, he will not want to steal any more.

He has written me from the jail and he tells  
me that it was Felix Fly who gave him and Harvey Concho the  
whiskey upon which they got drunk on the 8th of August.

Very truly yours

Supervisor in Charge.

NRD

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Lynchburg 9  
Mr D D Lips  
Dear Friend

I appeared  
against George at  
Court to-day and  
the Judge after he  
had give him a good  
talking to, turned him  
over to me for to  
send back to school.  
As the Judge <sup>sd</sup> to him  
~~it~~ he hoped that this  
would be a good  
lesson and if he ever



got in any trouble like  
that again and come  
before him that he  
would not get off  
so easily next time

Yours Resp  
C. H. White,

Nov. 29th, 1915.

George Oshkesaquam:

I submit below for your information and guidance a copy of a self-explanatory letter that was received here today. If further explanation is required please see Mr. Meyer.

"Receipt is acknowledged of a letter from George Oshkesaquam, a Menominee student of Carlisle, who asks that his money, which he estimates at \$96, more or less, be sent for his use at your school. Please explain to George that there is no money belonging to him at this agency. He has probably been talking with some one concerning the payment of tribal funds now being made to the Menominees entitled to receive same. This is paid, however, upon application of the tribal members after they become of age, and are deemed competent by the Honorable Secretary of the Interior. George being under age cannot yet apply for his share, but will be permitted to do so as soon as he reaches his majority."

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

KESHENA INDIAN SCHOOL,  
KESHENA, WIS.

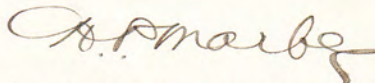
November 26, 1915.

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

Dear Mr. Lipps:

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Very respectfully,



Assistant Superintendent.

HPM/H

May 29th, 1916.

Mr. A. S. Nicholson,  
Superintendent, The Keshena Agency,  
Keshena, Wis.

My dear Sir:

George Oshkeshequan, one of the Keshena boys we have enrolled here, is entitled to go home next week on account of the termination of his period of enrolment and arrangements are being made so that he can join the party of boys who are to leave here on June the 7th.

At George's request you are hereby asked to send a small sum of money for George's use to pay incidental traveling expenses enroute home. He does not have any funds now to his credit and should have a small sum for expenses.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Mr. Gas. Starr.)



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June 21st, 1916.

Mr. A. S. Nicholson,  
Superintendent, The Keshena Agency,  
Keshena, Wis.

My dear Sir:

George Oshkeshequam is ready now to go home for his summer's visit and at his request it will be arranged so that he can leave here tomorrow evening, June 22nd. A ticket for his use to Shawano will be provided.

Hoping that George can be kept busy and that he will return here in September as fine a young man as he has become here, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Mr. Gus. Starr.)

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February 8, 1917.

Mr. Angus Nicholson  
Superintendent Indian School  
Keshena, Wisconsin.

Dear Sir:-

In accord with my promise to George Oshkesequoam to pay for his return ticket to Carlisle, I have this day requested the North Western Agent in Philadelphia to have their local agent at Shawano, to furnish you with a ticket for his use.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Copy to George Oshkesequoam



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Keshena Indian School

Keshena, Wisconsin.

February 17, 1917.

Mr. O. H. Lipps,

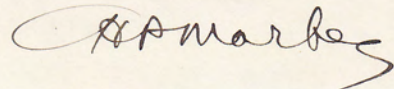
Supt. Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps:

I am enclosing herewith formal application for enrollment at your school of George Oshkeshequoam, a former pupil, who has I understand, already started for Carlisle upon transportation placed by you.

Very respectfully,



Assistant Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Keshena Indian School  
Keshena, Wisconsin

September 20, 1917.

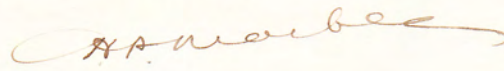
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Mr. John Francis, Jr.,  
Supt. Indian School,  
Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Mr. Francis:

I have your letter of September 14, relative to the express bill of \$1.28, against George Oshkesequoam who deserted from his outing home in July. You are advised that there are funds here to the credit of this party, but being held as Individual Moneys, cannot be paid out until his signature can be secured to a check. The claim will be borne in mind and should Oshkesequoam make his appearance settlement will be made, if possible.

Very respectfully,



Assistant Superintendent.

HPM/ES



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September 14, 1917.

Mr. H P. Marble  
Assistant Superintendent Indian Agency  
Keshena, Wis.

Dear Sir:

George Oshkesequoan who deserted from his out-  
ing home early in July has an express bill amounting to  
\$1.28. He has no funds with me. If he has any money  
at the agency will you please send me a check for the  
amount named, making the check payable to Mrs. Denny,  
who paid this charge for him.

Very truly yours,

Superintendent.

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February 15, 1918.

Mr. H. P. Marble  
Asst. Supt. Keshena Agency  
Keshena Agency, Wisconsin.

Dear Sir:- When George Oshkesequoam deserted from his cutting home last summer, ~~he left some clothing out~~ which had to be returned to the school by express, the express charges amounting to \$1.28. If George has any funds with you, I would appreciate it if you would send me a check from his account for \$1.28, making this check payable to Mrs. N. R. Denny, who advanced the charges for George.

Very truly yours

NRD

Superintendent.



4830  
April 8, 1918.

George Oshkesequoan  
513 Fairview St. Camden, N.J.

Dear Sir:-

Mr. Peel has been holding a bill of \$1.28 against you for expressage on your trunk, which he paid last summer, after you deserted. We have just obtained your address and write to ask that you pay this bill at your earliest opportunity. You can send your money order made payable to C. V. Peel.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

4830

Camden, N. J.

April 10, 1918.

Mr G. V. Beel,  
Ind. Sch.,  
Carlisle,  
Pa.

Dear Sir,

Your letter reached me this afternoon, stating bill of \$1.28 for expressage of my trunk, I will be gladly to send the money and also wishing that you will send the trunk.

I am still working in the shipyard, working as my trade as electrician



I am holding my own  
making good, saving money  
and buying bonds and  
thrift stamps.

I have enjoyed my  
trips to Parliell, which  
I made some time ago, or  
my visited there. and  
expect to make another  
visit there soon.

I wish the faculty  
of the school, would write  
my name the short way,  
since I been away from  
school, I have used the  
short name. I am

Custom to it now.

Wishing success

Very truly yours

George Oak

513 Fairview St.

London

N. Y.



CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

May 24, 1917, 191

This certifies that George Osh (Name of student.)

has made the following record in Carlisle Indian School (Name of school.)

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.	GRADE.	RATING.
English	1st Voc.	78
General Exercises		73
Arithmetic		63
Industrial Geography		77
Agricultural Botany		66
Painting		73

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DETAILS SERVED.	LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.	RATING.

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