

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

4856

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 5667	ENGLISH NAME Alvey Smith	AGENCY Shawnee	NATION Shawnee				
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Shawnee, Okla.					
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD 1/2	AGE 17	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX M
FATHER	MOTHER	ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Sept. 1, 1917		FOR WHAT PERIOD	DATE DISCHARGED Oct. 12, 1917	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Deserted	
TO COUNTRY 9-11-17	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS Deserted					FROM COUNTRY	

SHAW-WALKER, MUSKOGEE, MICHIGAN. 42445

Years in school before Carlisle. 9 yrs.

Grade entered at Carlisle. 6th

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church Presbyterian

*ticket placed
8-14-17*

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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

JANE JOHNSON

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

OLNEY SMITH

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pa.

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Shawnee Agency, Oklahoma.

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Date of enrollment, _____, 191

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

NAME OF PERSON ARRANGING FOR THE TRANSFER:

O. J. GREEN,

Position, Supt. Shawnee Indian Agency

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 Carllysie, Pa.

of Abs. Olney Smith; Male; age 17; date of birth June 22, 1900;
(Name of child.) (Sex.)
Shawnee
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
Volney M. Smith	living	White		
Jane Johnson, nee Smith	living	Abs. Shawnee		full blood
NAME OF MOTHER.				

I, Jane Johnson, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to the
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
 enrollment in said school for a period of 5 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>Shawnee Indian School</u>	<u>1908</u>	<u>1914</u>	<u>Parents moved</u>	
2. <u>Public school</u>	<u>1914</u>	<u>1916</u>	<u>to work</u>	<u>6th grade</u>
3.				
4.				

Jane Johnson
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Shawnee, Okla.

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 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 8th day of Aug, 1917

A. C. Buford

Physician at Shawnee 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 Jane Johnson (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.)

The parents of Olney Smith have been separated for about 10 years and the mother is doing her best to take care of the children.,

with no assistance from the father. There are 6 children in the family, three of them younger than this pupil. The mother works for her living wherever employment can be secured and deserves some assistance by the Government in the education of her family. I recommend the transfer of the said child.

This 7th day of August, 1917

J. Green

Agent or Superintendent.

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

I hereby certify that on Olney Smith, I made a careful examination of the physical condition of him (As soon after arrival as possible.) the child named in the foregoing application, and found him to be Fair physical condition

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

This 7 day of Sept, 1917

Edw J Meyer

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 reservation school records. The reservation superintendent should 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.

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the student named above is a member of the Indian Service and is entitled to the benefits of the Indian Service Act of 1907.

CERTIFICATE OF AGENT OR BOBBED SUPERINTENDENT

I hereby certify that the student named above is a member of the Indian Service and is entitled to the benefits of the Indian Service Act of 1907.

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.

[Handwritten signature]

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

I hereby certify that the student named above is a member of the Indian Service and is entitled to the benefits of the Indian Service Act of 1907.

SPECIAL NOTE

This form and instructions are to be filled out by the school physician or the agent or bobbod superintendent of the school. It is to be filled out for each student who is a member of the Indian Service and is entitled to the benefits of the Indian Service Act of 1907.

NAME Olney Smith
 Sex Male Female
 Tribe ^{Full} at Shawnee State Ola Date Aug 8, 1919
 Age 17 years Respiration 18 Condition of, Eyes neg
 Height 5 ft. 7 ins. Ears neg
 Weight 121 lbs. Mensuration { Insp. 36 Ears neg
 Exp. 32 Throat neg
 Temperature 98.6 Vaccination yes Cervical glands neg
 Pulse 78 Vision 08/20 OS. 20/20 Skin neg
 Inspection neg
 Palpation neg
 Percussion neg
 Auscultation neg
 Heart neg
 (Menstruation) ✓

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father	yes	good		
Mother	yes	good		
Brothers <u>3</u>		good		
Sisters <u>2</u>		good		
		good		

Personal history neg

Present condition Good #

H. O. Bradford, 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.

September 14, 1917.

Supt. O. J. Green
Shawnee, Okla.

Sir:

This is to advise you that Olney Smith, one of the boys enrolled as a new student from your reservation deserted from this school the other day, and I am informed he has returned to Oklahoma. He attempted to desert about the second day after he had arrived here, but was apprehended by the Penna. R. R. Special Police, and returned here.

At the time of his first attempt to desert he was brought to my office, and advised me of his mistake, and he was perfectly willing to remain during the period of his enrollment. Upon his promise to behave himself he was not punished for his first attempt to desert.

If you have any way in which you could bring about his return to the school I would be very glad of it. In any case I feel that if it is possible he should be made to refund the cost of his transportation here, which is \$35.63.

Sincerely yours,

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

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Shawnee Indian Agency,
Shawnee, Oklahoma.
Sept. 18, 1917.

Supt. John Francis, Jr.,
Indian School,
Carlisle, Penna.

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Dear Mr. Francis:-

I have your letter of the 14th and feel very sorry to learn of the conduct of Olney Smith. I have been at this school now about three years and have had no acquaintance with Olney Smith up until he came into the office here a few weeks ago of his own accord desiring to arrange to go to school. I have, however, been acquainted with his brother, John Smith, who is now at Pheonix, Arizona, and his sister, Ada Smith, now at Haskell Institute, and have found them to be always among our best pupils. I have heard some things about Olney's roaving spirit, wandering over the country, in fact he told me about some of his trips himself, but I felt sure that he had now made up his mind that he wanted an education and believed it my duty to assist him. I cannot understand his actions in so soon deserting your school.

I will keep him in mind and if he shows up about this school I will do what I can to return him to your school. He has no funds on deposit here under my control. His mother is not very well fixed, altho' she has an allotment here. Since her husband deserts her now and then and much of the time she has to work out in the towns around here by the week. If there is anything which I can do to secure the return of his transportation from him I will certainly do so, but at the present time I see very little hope for anything of this kind and hardly expect Olney to show up in this locality for some time to come.

Very respectfully,

J. Green
Superintendent.

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Olney Smith

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Olney Smith is a young man who has been out of school for a few years and has tried his abilities against the world, wandering around thru the west, bumming trains and getting an education along that line. He came in and made application himself for school. He is a pretty free talker and I hardly know what to say about him. It looks to me as if he is beginning to see the need of an education and in that case would be willing and anxious to make good.

Signed, O. J. Green
Supt. Shawnee Agency, Okla.

Aug. 30, 1917