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BRIEF.

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APPLICATION OF

Edward McClellan

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Henry Ingalls, stepson,

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Sac and Fox Indian School, Stroud, Okla.

Date of enrollment, _____, 191

Term of enrollment, _____ (3) years.

NAME OF PERSON ARRANGING FOR THE TRANSFER:

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 Indian School, Pa.

of Henry Ingalls ; male ; age 17 ; date of birth 8/25/00 ;
(Name of child.) (Sex.)
Sac and Fox.
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>John J. Ingalls</u>	<u>Dead</u>	<u>Sac and Fox</u>		<u>Full</u>
NAME OF MOTHER.				
<u>Mattie Ingalls-McClellan</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>" " "</u>		<u>"</u>

I, Edward McClellan, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to the
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
stepfather,
 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>Sac and Fox Indian School, Oklahoma</u>	<u>9/7/09</u>	<u>1917</u>	<u>Close of school</u>	<u>5th</u>
2.			<u>Passed all of the Indian Office examinations in the 4th grade.</u>	
3.			<u>is ready for the work of the 5th grade. In pre-vocational studies:</u>	
4.			<u>passed in Farming, dairying, garden ing, Farm painting, Farm Carpentry.</u>	

His Mark
Edward McClellan,
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Cushing, Oklahoma.

Two witnesses:

Worcester Johnson
Mary Johnson

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find him ^{except in respect of rickets} 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 July, 1917

F. N. Myrland
Physician at Sac + Fra 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 Edward McClellan (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.)

This boy lives near a public school and the State Laws permit his enrollment therein but it is thought that at his age better advantages of schooling can be given him at an institution like Carlisle.

I recommend the transfer of the said child.

This 12th day of July, 1917

Horace Johnson
Agent or Superintendent.

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

I hereby certify that on 9/25/17 (As soon after arrival as possible.) I made a careful examination of the physical condition of Henry Ingalls, the child named in the foregoing application, and found him to be in good

physical condition

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

This 25th day of Sept., 1917

Edw. J. Minger
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.

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.)

That no Indian pupil under the age of fourteen years shall be transported at Government expense to any Indian school beyond the limits of the State or Territory in which the parents of such child reside or of the adjoining State or Territory. (35 Stat. L., 781.)

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.

Forwarding
check for
deposit.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

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Sac and Fox Indian School,
Stroud, Okla. Feb. 12, 1918.

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

Dear Sir:

I hand you herewith check No. 6122, drawn on the
First National Bank of Chandler, Oklahoma, and payable
to your order in the sum of \$50.00, to be deposited to
the credit of Henry Ingalls.

Please forward me your official receipt for this
check.

Very respectfully,

Horace J. Johnson
Supt. & S. D. A.

FAP.
Encl: Check.

Sac and Fox Indian School,
Stroud, Okla. May 11, 1918.

Henry Ingalls
Carlisle Indian School, Pa.

Dear Henry:

I have your letter of the 2nd Inst. and am glad to hear from you. Your letters are still improving. It is good to know that you are in good health, also that you are working on the farm. I think that farm work will be work that you will do when you come home. You must also learn other lines of work that will be useful to you on the farm.

You are asking for more money. I fear that you may be giving your money to other boys. While all good stories tell us that it is more blessed to give than to receive, you must remember that most Indians give away all that they have and as an Indian you must do differently. It is not sensible for you to give away your allowance or spend any of it foolishly and then ask me to give you more funds from your account here. I am trying to make your bank account as big as I can. Of course you will need a little money now and then and I sent your Superintendent \$50.00 for you in February.

You say you are going outing when School is out. See that you save at least two thirds of your earnings to be applied on your expenses next year. Keep away from a boy who borrows money from you, let him earn his own money. Most boys who borrow money do not pay it back. The borrowing boy never has any money of his own, if he had, he would not borrow.

Have a talk with your Superintendent and see if he decides that you need \$25.00 more from your account. Let me hear from you again.

Very Truly Your Friend,

Francis J. ...
Superintendent.

MJ
CC Supt. Francis.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Sac and Fox Indian School,
Stroud, Okla. June 7, 1918.

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

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of June 3rd., recommending that Henry Ingalls be allowed to have \$25 for his personal use and am enclosing herewith check No. 6280 drawn upon the First National Bank of Chandler, Oklahoma payable to your order for \$25, the same to be used by Henry as noted above.

Very truly yours,



Supt. & S. D. A.

AM
Encl. check.

June 3, 1918

Mr. H. J. Johnson,
Supt. Sac & Fox Agency,
Stroud, Oklahoma

Dear Sir:

Henry Ingalls requests that I write to you for Twenty-Five Dollars of his funds in your hands for his personal use. I recommend that this amount be sent to Henry, in my care.

Very truly yours,

D-E

Superintendent

JOHN FRANCIS, JR.
SUPERINTENDENT

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL

CARLISLE, PA.

Miss
H. J. Johnson
257.

April 29, 1918.....

Dear Sir:-

I am enclosing herewith a request of Henry Ingalls, a student of this school, that you invest \$200.00 of his funds in your possession, as Superintendent, in U.S. Liberty Bonds of the third issue.

I am not advised of the funds of this person in your possession or their amount. This request, however, shows the attitude of the student in this patriotic task and I am sending the request to you for such action as you may deem advisable in the premises. I will be glad to be advised of the action taken by you.

Very truly yours

H. J. Johnson
Stroud, Okla.

Superintendent.

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Carlisle, Pa. August 12, 1918.

Mr. H. J. Johnson
Superintendent Sac & Fox Agency
Stroud, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:-

The Indian Office has given me instructions to send all our Oklahoma pupils to the Chilocco School so unless there is special cause for doing otherwise, these instructions have to be carried out.

While Mary McKosito's deafness does hinder her doing good work in school, it does not prevent her doing work in Domestic Science and Domestic Arts. I have therefore advised her to go to Chilocco and take up the work they have to offer there along these lines. I believe this would be better for her just now.

We have had no word from Henry Ingalls since he deserted over a month ago. If he is at Akron, New York, he is likely with his sister, a graduate of this school who is thoroughly familiar with our rules and should return him here.

Very truly yours

Trav. Aud. in Charge.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Sac and Fox Indian School,
Stroud, Oklahoma, Aug. 7, 1918.

Mr. C. V. Peel,
Trav. Auditor in Chge.
Carlisle Indian School, Pa.

Dear Sir:

The mother of Henry Ingalls McClellan was in the office here today inquiring as to the whereabouts of Henry and what should be done to return him to the Carlisle School. She also asked that he be sent to Haskell Institute at the close of the Carlisle School.

I wrote you some days ago concerning the boy's desertion from Carlisle and presume that he has been returned to the school by this time.

If possible to transfer him to Haskell, I shall be pleased if the mother's request can be considered.

Very Respectfully,

Horace J. Johnson

Superintendent.

MJ

Indian officer says Chillico,