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Reenrolled

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER	ENGLISH NAME	AGENCY	NATION
3003	Celia AshRock	Keshena	Menominee

BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS
		Mother - Rhoe AshRock, Neopit, Wis.

PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX.
FATHER L MOTHER L	1/2	16	5-4½	116	34	32	F

ARRIVED AT SCHOOL	FOR WHAT PERIOD	DATE DISCHARGED	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE
Oct. 10, 1914	Three years	May 29, 1917	Time out

TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS	FROM COUNTRY
9-13-15	Mrs. Theo. Dimmick, Oak Lane, Pa.	10-20-15
6-7-18	On leave	

SHAW-WALKER, MUSKEGON, MICHIGAN. 43445

Months in school before Carlisle, 7 yrs.

Grade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Catholic

1/8 mi. to public school

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CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL

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No.	Name.	Age.	Tribe.	Degree of Indian Blood.	Name of Agency and Reservation, if Enrolled; if not, Post Office of Family.
3003	Oshkosh, Relia	16	Menominee	1/2	Keshena

Date Entered.	Months in school before enrollment here.	In What Grade Or Room. On entering here.	In What Grade Or Room. At date of this report.	Distance to nearest public school from pupil's home.	Remarks. (Temporarily absent, outing, deserters, on sick leave, special authorities for enrollment, etc.) To Country	From Country	Date Discharged
10-10-14	7 yrs.	8	—	1/8 m.			
—	—	—	VI	—	SEP 15 1915	Oct. 20, 1915.	
Sept. '15	—	—	VI a	—	JUN - 7 1918		MAY 30 1917
16	—	—		—			
OCT - 2 1917	Reen.		Invc				Oath

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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*								
Deportment ____ standing*								
Physical condition								

Remarks: _____

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Neopit, Wis., February 26, 1917.

Supt. O. H. Lipps,

c/o U. S. Indian Office,

Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Under separate cover I am mailing you an Indian costume for Relia Oshkosh, pupil of Carlisle Indian School.

Respectfully,

A. S. Nicholson.
MEC.

MEC. Superintendent.

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TERMS, F. O. B. CARS,
NEOPIT, WIS.
NET CASH.
INSPECTION AND
TALLY AT MILL
FINAL.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

MENOMINEE INDIAN MILLS

NEOPIT, WIS. Feb. 27th, 1917.

WHITE PINE
NORWAY PINE
BASSWOOD
ROCK ELM
SOFT ELM
BIRCH
MAPLE
HEMLOCK
OAK
ASH
SHINGLES
LATH

Supt.O.H.LIPPS,

Carlisle, Pa.

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Sir:-

Enclosed herewith is a letter addressed to Relia Oshkosh to Washington, D.C. If she has already gone from the school please foward same to the right address.

There is also a package of Indian costume addressed to her in your care at the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Thos Rhoa Asst Supt

OUTING RECORD — CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Name of Student Relia Ashkosh | Home Address | Tribe

Age at Entrance | Date of Entrance | Shop

Patron: Mrs. Leo Dimmick | Locality

Address: Oak Lane, Pa | R. R. Station

Recommended by | Grade in School

Grade of Home | Church

Date of Outing 9-1-15 | Date Returned 10-20-15 | Wages

	JAN. 7	FEB. 8	MAR. 9	APR. 10	MAY 11	JUNE 12	JULY 1	AUG. 2	SEPT. 3	OCT. 4	NOV. 5	DEC. 6	TOTAL OR AVERAGE
Days in School													
Conduct			G										
Ability			G										
Health			G										
Earnings													

YAWMAN & ERBE MFG. CO., ROCHESTER, N. Y.

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OUTING RECORD — CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Name of Student **Home Address** **Tribe**

Age at Entrance	Date of Entrance	Shop		JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL OR AVERAGE
Patron		Locality	Days in School													
Address		R. R. Station	Conduct													
Recommended by		Grade in School	Ability													
Grade of Home		Church	Health													
Date of Outing	Date Returned	Wages	Earnings													

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CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

May 24, 1917, 191

This certifies that Relia Oshkosh
(Name of student.)

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

Subjects—Academic and Vocational.	Grade.	Rating.
English	VI	88
General Exercises		92
Arithmetic		83
Geography		72
Physiology and Hygiene		79
Writing		89
Drawing		83
History		72
Sewing		83
Cooking		84

Effort

Deportment

Details Served.	Length of Time in Each.	Rating.

and is ~~or is not~~ (Cancel one.) eligible to pursue work in the First Year Vocational grade, academic; and

grade or year vocational.

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Superintendent.

Principal.

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Deportment

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(Cancel one.)

grade or year vocational.

John Francis Jr. *Superintendent.*

Geo. Blair *Principal.*

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October 13, 1915.

Mr. Reginald Oshkosh
Neopit, Wisconsin.

My dear Mr. Oshkosh:-

I have your letter dated October 8th and have this morning sent a letter to Mrs. Dimmick, recalling your daughter Relia.

Very truly yours

Assistant Superintendent.

NRD

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

MENOMINEE INDIAN MILLS

NEOPIT, WIS.

WHITE PINE
NORWAY PINE
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U.S. INDIAN SCHOOL
REC'D
OUTING
OCT 11 1915
OFFICE
CARLISLE, PA.

Oct 8th 1915.

J. N. Lipps.
Carlisle, Pa

Sir:—

Your letter dated Sept. 30th 1915 is acknowledged. I appreciate very much the fact that you have given this matter a very careful consideration and using your good sound judgement in the child's interest. In considering my statement you believe that I am laboring under the wrong impression. In which I wish to explain I am employed by the Menominee Indian Mills as Forest Guard under the Forest service and that most of my time is required away from home in the deep forests and that since my children has been in Carlisle most of the correspondence has been between them and their mother Mrs. Oshkosh If I am not mistaken I have written to each one of the children twice since they have been away from home. The latest letters to them is last January 1915. In your letter you refer to a letter bearing my consent. I am sure that it is not in any of those letters. but allow me to explain in this way. On receipt of your letter I have asked my wife, in which she admits to writing to Relia concerning her consent that she might go out in the country. Now I do not know whether my wife's consent and without mine covers the requirements that governs the outing System or not.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE
MENOMINEE INDIAN MILLS
NEOPIT, WIS.

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to say to that I desired to rent my children to go to
dale, providing that they did not at any time during their learn
leave the School under the outing System for the following reasons
I have given in my former letter to you.
I also write this letter in my own hand writing to enable you
to identify my writing from my wifes writing!
and also mention that from aug. 25th to Sept. 15th. three weeks elapsed
I failed to file my objection owing to my absence as I have
said before. In regard to Relia's companionship. According to
my observation of the pupil on Carlisle children that are out under
the outing System is adversary to your opinion for the reason that often
time children of this disposition, too much liberty is extended to them
by their country guardians. Therefore despite of all circumstances I
still believe that Relia ought to remain at the School.
I am in hopes that you do not take the stand that I am deliberately imposing
upon your authority.
I want to thank you for giving this matter to my discretion
in deciding what best to be done for her training.
Therefore I sincerely ask that she be recalled to Carlisle Indian School.

Respectfully

Reginald O. Kroch

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April 19, 1917.

A. S. Nicholson, Supt.,
Indian Agency,
Neopit, Wis.

Dear Sir:

Romplying with your request contained in your letter of the 13th inst., I am forwarding today to Mr. Reginald Oshkosh, Neopit, Wisconsin, by Adams Express charges collect, the costume which he loaned to his daughter Relia.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Neopit, Wis., April 13, 1917.

Supt. John Francis,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

The latter part of February Mr. Reginald Oshkosh sent an Indian costume by parcel post to Mr. O. H. Lipps, c/o U. S. Indian Office, Washington.

This costume was worn by Mr. Oshkosh's daughter at the presentation of the "Feast of the Red Corn" but has not yet been returned. Will you kindly inquire into this and have the costume mailed me so that I may return it to Mr. Oshkosh?

Respectfully,

A. S. Nicholson.
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MEC.

Superintendent.

5—1144 Relia Ashkwah

TERMS, F. O. B. CARS, NEOPIT, WIS. NET CASH. INSPECTION AND TALLY AT MILL FINAL.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

MENOMINEE INDIAN MILLS

NEOPIT, WIS. Sept. 25th, 1915.

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INDIAN SCHOOL REC'D SEP 27 1915 OFFICE CARLISLE, PA.

WHITE PINE
NORWAY PINE
BASSWOOD
ROCK ELM
SOFT ELM
BIRCH
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Hon.Oscar H. Lipps,

Supt.Carlisle, Pa.

My Dear Friend:-

I have three Children who were fortunate enough to enter Carlisle under your charge. Under the so called outing system I understand my daughter Relia is now out in Oak Lane, near Philadelphia, Pa. with some nodoubt good family, without my knowledge and consent, Now she writes home begging to get back to Carlisle. As an ex-student of Carlisle naturally I approve and appreciate any and all methods that old Carlisle adopts in aiding and uplifting the Indian. The purpose of my letter to you does not go to disapprove of its present methods in conducting the School.
Domestic training under the outing System is a fine thing for Indian childern who do not have those priviledges at their Reservation homes. I wish to state that on the Menominee Reservation we have Industrial, Educational Institutions and enterprises in all walks of life that is extended to all Indians both old and young who might grasp the opportunities, by this I think that it was not necessary for Relia to go out from here to Carlisle and from Carlisle under the outing System to obtain these Domestic trainings, Another thing I believe it is not a good Idea to seperate her from her two little brothers when far away from. Therefore I respectfully ask that she be recalled back to Carlisle and remain there until the experation of her time or had finished her studies. I sincerely believe that you will not understand this as dictation,but that it is mere request.

I have sent her the necessary money to defray the incidental traveling expenses.

I thank you in advance for your prompt attention on this matter.

I am your Indian Friend,

Reginald Do Hkoe

September 30, 1915.

Mr. Reginald Oshkosh,

Neopit,

Wis.

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter in which you state that your daughter, Relia, is under the outing system without your knowledge and consent and that you wish to have her recalled. Referring to the first statement "under the outing system with out your knowledge and consent", allow me to state that you are laboring under the wrong impression. Let me quote to you a few facts. On August 25th your daughter, Relia, signed to go on the outing on September 1st. When the signatureswere brought to the office, Relia was informed that her application for the country could not be accepted until she had received her parents' permission. The signature was thus marked "must have parents' permission". She said she would write for this permission and some time later brought a letter she had received from you wherein you stated that she could go to the country if she wanted to but that you did not want her placed where she would have to carry young children around. In this letter you also gave her some good parental warning about boys, etc. With these facts in view and her persistent desire to go to the country I allowed her to go on September 15th.

You will notice that from August 25th to September 15th nearly three weeks had elapsed and it seems to me that had you any objections they should have been written then.

A particular home was chosen for her individual needs--a home of education and refinement--no boys in the home except a little fellow about five years old. The family consists of Mr. and Mrs. Dimmick, this small boy and a daughter of about sixteen or seventeen years of age. The influence of this daughter, because of her own home training, has always been of an advantage to other Carlisle girls. There is no hard work, no washing, and the few duties that Relia can learn to perform outside of school hours are the very things that will go along ways towards helping Relia to become a useful woman and I am sure you will agree with me that this is the end in view in the training of young people--to make them useful and helpful not only to themselves but to others.

Relia is within easy walking distance to the Catholic Church which she should attend every Sunday morning.

As she is only in the 6th grade I believe the opportunity of attending public school all day and competing with white boys and girls will be another great advantage to her.

The matron informs me that Relia was not very particular in her choice of companions while in Carlisle and I know that often times when the girls go to the country undesirable friendships are broken off and when they return they seem to have a new life and enthusiasm.

Mrs. Dimmick writes that Relia is a nice girl and willing. Naturally, this being Relia's first experience away from the school. She was lonesome and wrote in this manner begging to return. Your parent's heart, because of love for your child, wanted to immediately gratify her wishes, but I want you to consider what I have said and decide if a recall is best for Relia's training.

I will be very glad to hear from you.

Very truly yours,

Superintendent.

LMJ:LFR

Applied 9-14-17

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BRIEF.

~~DUPLICATE~~ ~~DUPLICATE~~

APPLICATION OF

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Rena Ackbark

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Conner Pima

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Neagit, Wisconsin

Date of enrollment, Sept 1, 191

Term of enrollment, Three (3) years.

NAME OF PERSON ARRANGING FOR THE TRANSFER:

Position,

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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, Pa.

of Celia Oshkosh (Name of child.); Female (Sex.); age 19; date of birth July 13 - 1898; Menominee (Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
Ahcommuneopit Reginald Oshkosh	Living	Menominee		Full blood
NAME OF MOTHER. Rhoda Oshkosh	Living	Menominee		Quarter

I, Reginald Oshkosh (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.), do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to her enrollment in said school for a period of Three (Not less than 3.) years, and also obligate myself to abide by 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. St Joseph Mission	1903	1909	Transfered	
2. Kerbina Boarding	1909	1913	"	
3. Neopit Public	1913	1914	"	
4. Carlisle Pa.	1914	1917	Time expired	

Reginald Oshkosh (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Neopit Wisconsin

Two witnesses:

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PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find ..... 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 Sept, 1917

.....

Physician at ..... *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 Reginald Oshkosh (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.)

no public school available

I recommend the transfer of the said child.

This 8 day of Sept, 1917 A. Wilbur

Agent or Superintendent.

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

I hereby certify that on Nov. 17. 1917 (As soon after arrival as possible.), I made a careful examination of the physical condition of Celia Oshkosh, the child named in the foregoing application, and found her to be in good physical condition

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

This 17 day of Nov, 1917 Edw. F. Wenger

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. 6—870

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

Rhoe Oshkosh

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Relia Oshkosh

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Penn.,

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Keshena

Date of enrollment, ..., 191

Term of enrollment, five (5) years.

NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

A. S. Nicholson,

Position, Superintendent.

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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 _____

of Celia Oshkosh (Name of child.); female (Sex.); date of birth July 13-1898

Menominee (Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
Reginald Oshkosh	living	Menominee		full
NAME OF MOTHER.				
Rhoe Oshkosh	living			1/4

I, Rhoe Oshkosh (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.), do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to her enrollment in said school for a period of three (Not less than 3.) years, and also obligate myself to abide by 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.	Gov't Keshena	1908	Jun 30-1914	transfer	5
2.	Mission	1905	1908		
3.					
4.					

Rhoe Oshkosh (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Neopit - Wisconsin

Two witnesses:

_____

_____

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ORIGINAL

NAME Relia Oshkosh Sex {~~Male.~~ Female.

Tribe {Full / 1/2} Menominee State Wisconsin Sept 29-, 1914

Age 16 years | Respiration 20 | Condition of, Eyes Normal

Height 5 ft. 4½ ins. | Mensuration {Insp. 34 / Exp. 32} | Ears Normal

Weight 116 lbs. | Throat Tonsils large

Temperature 98.6 | Vaccination yes | Cervical glands Normal

Pulse 80 | Vision Normal | Skin Normal

Inspection Normal - Shoulders round

Palpation Normal

Percussion Normal

Auscultation Normal

Heart Normal

(Menstruation) Normal

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father	45	Good		
Mother	45	Good		
Brothers 3	22	Good		
	16	Good		
	14	Good		
Sisters 3	19	Good	Infants two unknown	

Personal history Measles, Pneumonia & Chicken pox

Present condition

W. F. Ragan, 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.

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CASE RECORD, 5—354.

Name .....

Age ..... *Sex* { *Male.* / *Female.* } *Tribe* { *Full* / *1/* } ..... *Residence* .....

(*On* ....., *19*....)

DATE.		SYMPTOMS.				TREATMENT.	DIAGNOSIS.	REMARKS.
19....		T.	P.	R.				History, progress, and termination of the disease.

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 29th day of Sept., 1914

W. F. Ragan M. D.

Physician at Menominee Indian Mills 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 Rhoe Oshkosh (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.)

No public school within reach

I recommend the transfer of the said child.

This 29 day of Sep, 191 4

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 ....., 191

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. 6—870

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.

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June 5, 1918.

Mrs. Ewing

Please add to the home list, train leaving 5:40 P M Friday June 7th, the name of Relia Oshkosh.

Respectfully

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May 21, 1917.

Mr. Reginald Oshkosh
Neopit, Wisconsin.

Dear friend:-

I am enclosing herewith a vacation request blank for your signature if you want your two boys to spend this coming vacation at home. Relia's time has expired and it will not be necessary for you to sign one of these papers for her.

You will note that the Agreement requires that you not only send money enough to pay the boys' way home but that you also deposit enough with the school to insure their return in the fall. This will mean a deposit of about $42 for each boy. Roy has $47 to his credit now, Relia has $45. Do you want Relia to turn over what she has to Roland ?

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Neopit Wis May 16 – 1917

John Francis

Dear Sir: —

I am writing to you to see if you will look after the money which we had Mr Marble send to Relia + Roy Ashkosh my daughter + Son we want them to Pay their fair home out of that money and they must bring Roland their Brother home out of that money. I want Relia + Roy to each lend Roland fifteen dollars that will be enough to bring him home and he will get his money after he gets here then he will Pay them back. will you Please talk to them about this Mr Francis and let the three Children come home as soon as the School is out. and do not let them waiste their money for they must use it to bring the three Children home. Thanking You for your kindness to my Children

Your Friend

Mrs Reginald Ashkosh

Neopit Wis

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May 29, 1917.

Mr. Reginald Oshkosh,
Neopit, Wis.

Dear Sir:

Your children have been up to see me relative to their going home and they have decided to do as follows: Roy will use his money to pay for his own ticket to Chawano and leave enough here to pay for his return ticket in the fall; Relia will buy her ticket from the money you sent her and as she does not have to deposit any for her return, will use the balance for her personal needs; Roland will wait until his money comes to him from the agent. He put in his application through me yesterday for $50.00.

Roy and Relia will leave Carlisle tomorrow, Wednesday evening, at 5:38 and will be due at Chicago Thursday at 5:00 o'clock. You can figure out from this just when they will be due at Chawano. This arrangement seems satisfactory to Roland and I hope it will be to you.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

MENOMINEE INDIAN MILLS

NEOPIT, WIS. May 24th, 1917.

WHITE PINE
NORWAY PINE
BASSWOOD
ROCK ELM
SOFT ELM
BIRCH
MAPLE
HEMLOCK
OAK
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SHINGLES
LATH

. John Francis,

Carlisle, Pa.

My Friend:-

Your letter of May 21st, 1917. is received, We have signed the vacation request blank for our two boys, and enclose herewith, you also mention a deposit of $ 42.00 for each boy, in reply will say that Congress approperated $ 300.000.00 in 1916. and like amount this last session of Congress for the Menominees out of their trust funds, that is credited to each as individual Indian money, and now available, my children are members of this tribe and each have a share which amounts to something like $ 340.00 under the regulations the shares of my two boys are under your supervision until their time has expired at your School, this money you may use for their transportations. you certainly must have blanks, if not I can send some, I mailed one just the other day to Roland to fill out and signed and have your recommendation then foward same to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs. If this is not satisfactory then you may hold $ 42.00 of Relias' money.

I wrote you a letter just the other day concerning the childrens' vacation home visit.

I am your friend,

Reginald Oshkosh

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Mr. John Frances,

Supt. Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

My Friend:-

I wish to thank you for the advice concerning my children in your letter dated April 27th, 1917. I have requested the Superintendent of Keshena, School Agency to send you $ 100.00 two check $ 50.00 each for Relia and Roy, but regulations governing Rolands' share could not be send to him in time, therefore I wish to request you to provide the Railroad transportations for the three out of the $ 100.00 so that they can all come home togather when your School closes.

If Relia is entitled to Railroad Transportation at the Government expense, in returning home and we provide one for her now owing to your transporting fund being so low, we may arrange to use the said transportation in sending them back to the school when school begins again in the fall.

Please advice me when they can arive home.

I am your friend,

Wrote him to deposit return funds & ogn Vacation Request

P.S.

Reginald Oshkosh

I have send a blank sheet to Roland to have him fill out for his transportation and other traveling expenses out of his individual Indian money held in trust for him by the Government. if necessary, and you foward it with your recommendation.

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April 27, 1917.

Mr. Reginald Oshkosh
Neopit, Wisconsin.

My dear Mr. Oshkosh:-

I have your letter relative to the return home this summer of your three children, Relia, Roy and Roland. I have looked up your applications for their enrolment at this school and find that Relia was enrolled for a term of three years which ends this coming June. The boys' cards show that they were enrolled for five years each and their time would not be up until June 1919. Just now our transportation fund is so low, I will not be able to send any of the pupils home until after the first of July, even if their terms have expired. When I have sufficient funds, I can send Relia to you at government expense but if you want the boys home this summer, you will have to pay their transportation both ways.

Thanking you for your kind words, I am
Very truly yours

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Superintendent.

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Mr. John Frances,

Supt.,Carlisle School,

Carlisle, Pa.

My Dear Friend:-

I wish to congratulate you for your ability which has recently brought you closer to the red man as a head of one of the greatest Indian Institution of our cuntry, In other words I shauld congratulate The Carlisle Indian School for being so fortunate enough to have a man of your type who I believe has the Indian's interest at at heart as their Superintendent.

I have three children Roy, Relia,and Roland Oshkosh now attending the Carlisle School and have been for nearly three years with-out comming home during that time and we are planning to have them visit us this summer during their vacation months and I am sure we can have your consent. To get them home will you furnish them with Railroad transportations from the Government?

Can they come now?

Please do not let them out in the country under the outing system until they get back in the fall.

Please advice me of all the particulars concerning their home visit.

I am your Indian Friend,

Reginald Oshkosh

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June 5, 1918.

Mr. Reginald Oshkosh
Neopit. Wisconsin
Dear Sir:- I will arrange to send Relia to you June 7th with other girls who are going to Shawano at the same time. She should be due the morning of the 9th.

Roy and Roland will leave Carlisle a day later and be due Monday morning.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

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June 3, 1918.

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

Dear Sir:

There is enclosed a check in the amount of $90.00 from Reginald Oshkosh, a letter from him and the approved vacation request of Mr. Allen.

Very truly yours,

C A Barber
Costkeeper.

CAB/HJ.

Best personal regards.
CAB

Hold for Home
$30 each to
Relia
Roy
Roland
} Oshkosh

30.
24.75
5.25 5619

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April 24, 1918.

Mr. Edgar A. Allen
Superintendent Keshena Agency
Neopit, Wisconsin.

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter of the 22nd inst relative to the request of Mrs. Reginald Oshkosh to have her daughter Relia, a pupil of this school, returned to her home at this time so that she might have her eyes treated.

I have consulted Doctor Menger about Relia's eyes and he tells me that she is having no trouble now with her eyes and is attending school regularly. A few weeks ago she was at the hospital suffering from conjunctivitis due to a cold. He treated her eyes then and he says they are all right now.

The money which Mrs. Oshkosh claims was sent here to pay the fare home of one of her boys, was not sent to this office. She sent it direct to Roland and I do not know what he has done with it.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Neopit, Wis., April 22, 1918.

Supt. John Francis, Jr.,

Carlisle, Penn.

Dear Mr. Francis:

Mrs. Reginald Oshkosh, the mother of Relia Oshkosh, who is enrolled in your school, was in to see me this morning relative to her being allowed to come home because of eye trouble. She advises me that Relia reports that she is not able to attend school at all and has not been in the academic department for some time.

Dr. Culp is here now looking after the eyes and Mrs. Oshkosh would like to have her here for treatment. They say that funds were sent some time ago for the expenses home of a son who did not come home, which funds may be used for defraying expenses home for Relia if you think she ought to come. The matter is submitted to you for whatever action you think proper under the circumstances.

Yours truly,

Edgar A Allen

Superintendent.

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June 24, 1918

Miss Relia E. Oshkosh,

Box 23,

Neopit, Wis.

Dear Relia:

Your letter to Mrs. Denny relative to the money due you has been referred to this office. I presume the reason you did not get the balance due you was because you did not call for it as did your brothers.

I am enclosing a check for $5.90, which closes your account here.

Very truly yours,

D-E

Superintendent

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Nekoosa Wis.
June 17, 1918.

Mrs Penny,
Carlisle. Pa.

Dear Madam:

My father sent me children each thirty dollars for our fares home.

My brothers received each five dollars from their thirty and I did not, I would like to have you send me the five which was left

from my fare, as I can make just as good use of it as any one else.

Good bye.

Respectfully youre

Celia E. Oshkosh,

Neopit, Wis.

Box 23.

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CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

June 14, 1918., 191

This certifies that Relia Oshkosh
(Name of student.)

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

Subjects—Academic and Vocational.	Grade.	Rating.
English	1st Yr. Voc.	78
Arithmetic	"	41
Geography	"	67
Botany	"	74
General Exercises	"	53
General Average	"	67

Effort

Deportment

Details Served.	Length of Time in Each.	Rating.
Cooking		73
Sewing		67

and ~~XXX~~ is not eligible to pursue work in the Second year Vocational grade, academic; and
(Cancel one.)

grade or year vocational

John Francis Jr
Superintendent.

J M Blair
Principal.

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September 14, 1917.

Miss Relia E. Oshkosh
Neopit, Wis.

Dear friend:

Your letter of the 12th inst. saying that you will be ready to return to Carlisle with the next party was received this morning. Your application for re-inrollment had already been sent to me by Mr. Marble, so I placed a ticket with his party which is to leave Keshena within the next few days.

I am glad to know that you are going to continue your work here.

Very truly yours,

Superintendent.

D-S

Neopit Wis,
Sept. 12, 1917.

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

Dear Sir:—

My brother is now at Carlisle, and I would like also to be there. If you will send me a ticket I will leave with the next parties from Keshena and Neopit.

Respectfully:
Celia E. Oshkosh,
Neopit,
Wis.

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December 1, 1917.

Mrs. Reginald Oshkosh
Neopit, Wisconsin.

Dear Madam:-

I have your letter requesting the return home of your two children, Relia and Roland but as there seems to be no specially good reason for taking them out of school at this time of the year, I do not think it advisable to comply with your request.

They are both getting along well and I think if they were told positively that it was impossible for them to go home now, they would be more contented and settle down to their work and studies. If they are not able to keep up with their classmates, it is because they do not get down to real hard work.

The fact that Roy is not going to the Navy now, may have its influence in making the other two children more contented. I hope you may use your influence too and cooperate with us as I know it is for their best interests that they remain here in school.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

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[illegible]n Francis

ear Sir:—

It is the regwest of my Husband Reginald Ashkosh to write to you about our children She got a letter from them asking to come home. they say they can not stay at School any longer. they say they can not have any Interest in thier Studies and can not keep up with thier Classes. as they say they have ben to School for thirteen years. and now they are Tired of going to School. and want to come home. they have always ben kept in School and ben deprived of thier [redacted] and now they are not trying to make any head way

ool any more. so thier
er said they can come
home now and go to work.
there must be some kind
of work Roland can do to
make a living as long as
he does not want to go to
School any more. he can
earn 60. or 70. dollars a
month here in Neopit
and thier Father said he does
not feel like compelling them
to stay any longer. when they
are not willing to stay. they
never can learn for thier
minds are on home all the
time. they just comenced to
realize now that I have very
Poor health. and need thier
help at home. I certainly
have needed them but still
I wanted them to get and

cation. but we will be
ery glad Mr Francis if you
will Please let Relia & Roland
come home as soon as Passible
but Roy can stay if he wishes
for he is very anxious to get
a good Education. and finish
his trade. you know Mr Francis
children are not all a like
some like Schooling and take
a lots of Interest in it while
others do not. so they will have
to do some thing Else. you may talk
it over with them and also
with Roy. but Roys Father
says he must not join the
Navy. he must stay right
in School.. Please let me know
when you will let them come
for they will Pay all of their

expences home for they
ve money here at Keshena
the Office they can draw
so it will not cost you any
thing Mr Francis we are very
sorry they do not wish to
go to School any More. but
their Father says it would
not be right to Compell
them to stay any longer
so if you will Pleas favor
us by letting them come
home we will appreciate
it very Much. hoping to
hear from you soon

I remain as a Friend
Mrs Reginald Oshkosh
Neopit Wis

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Neopit, Wis. June 3rd, 1918.

Mr.John Francis Jr.

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Friend:-

Your letter to Suprintendent E.A.Allen in regard to my three children is acknowledged, and I wish to thank you for granting me my request. I am sending you $ 90.00 through Mr. Allen for the childrens' Railroad transportations, and sufficiant sum for their subsistance while traveling which you may divide equally to each on the day they start, Last year they were a little too free with their spare money on the way and the result was that their rations ran short long before they reached home, therefore please advise them to be carefull this time. allow me to make suggestion, that it would be better if they would prepare their lunches in baskets at the school before leaving and carry it with them.

I shall provide for their transfer from the Chicago and Northwestern Depot to the Wisconsin and Northern Depot and their Hotel accommodation at Shawano, Wis.

Respectfully,

Reginald Oshkosh

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Neopit, Wis. May22nd, 1918.

Mr.John Francis Jr.

Carlisle,Pa.

My Friend:-

The time is now near for Schools to close for the summer I again wish to get your permission to have my children come home. We have learned that Relia has not been very well for the last recent months and she has been writing to her mother asking to be allowed to come home, If I am not mistaken Mr.E.Allem wrote to you,in regard to it, in which you advised that we let her stay until the School closed, Relias'time had expired last year and Roland was excused from Carlisle but I insisted on them going to Carlisle School one more year,I took the Menominee children there my-self with the intention of talking with you personally last fall when the school opened up but while I was there I learned that you happened to be absent from the school to some western Reservation and I did not see you, I have talked with Mr.Allen and it meets with his approval and advises me to open correspondence with you. The question is this I will pay the Rail-road transportation from Carlisle to Neopit,Wis. for Relia and Roland and I will pay the fare both ways from and back to the school for Roy, for he is determine to finish his studies there, but Roland wants to take up the studies that our Mills affords to our young Indians in the lumber business. Please send me the necessary blanks with your answer, I will not be able to make any deposits as is required by the regulations that governs the schools, but I can arrange with Mr.Allen to transfer sufficient sum of their shares of individual Indian Monées later to insure their return if necessary.

Respectfully,

Reginald Oshkosh

May 25, 1918.

Mr. E. A. Allen
Superintendent Keshena Agency
Neopit. Wisconsin.

Dear Sir:-

I have a letter from Mr. Reginald Oshkosh asking for the return home of his three children this summer, Relia and Roland not to return to Carlisle but Roy to return in the fall to complete his course. In-asmuch as Relia and Roland have been more or less dissatisfied all the year, Relia because of her eye trouble and Roland because he has other plans in view other than Carlisle can give, I think it advisable to comply with Mr. Oshkosh's request regarding them.

Roy is doing splendidly here and enjoys his work and school. I shall be glad to give him his vacation at home and enclose a blank which Mr. Oshkosh can sign and return to me. If the fares arrive on time, I can arrange to send them home about the middle of next month.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

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REPORT AFTER LEAVING CARLISLE 260

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NAME AT CARLISLE Rubia Oshkosh

PRESENT NAME

DATE	INFORMATION THROUGH	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	ITEMS OF INTEREST	GRADE