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SHAW-WALKER, MUSKEGON, MICHIGAN. 43445

2 mi. to public school

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL

5096

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No. 5555 NAME. Daniel Carpenter AGE. 16 TRIBE. Onondaga DEGREE 7/8 REMARKS. R. 7. 10 # 5-
NAME OF AGENCY AND RESER-
VATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT,
POST OFFICE OF FAMILY. Syracuse, N. Y.

DATE ENTERED.	Months in school before enrollment here.	IN WHAT GRADE OR ROOM.		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
		On entering here.	At date of this report.					
9/19/16	63	#	3	2		MAY 28 1917		
NOV 27 1917	Recu.		II			JUN - 8 1918		OCT - 3 1917

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: _____

Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully

BRIEF.

Application of

6.K.
Joseph Carpenter

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Daniel Carpenter

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

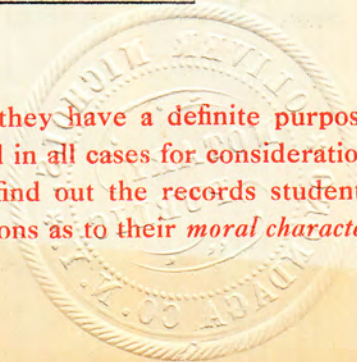
Carlisle, Pennsylvania

POST-OFFICE ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:

Date of enrollment, _____, 191_____

Term of enrollment, _____ (³) years

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.



Application for Enrollment in a Nonreservation School.

(For a child not enrolled at an Agency.)

For and in consideration of the United States assuming the care, education, and maintenance in the United States Indian School at Carlisle, Pa, of Daniel Carpenter, M, I, Joseph Carpenter (Father) of Indian Village P. O., State of N.Y., do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to his enrollment in said school for a period of 3 years, and also obligate and bind myself to abide by all the rules and regulations for Indian schools.

I further say that the said child was born at Indian Village on April 12 1900 that the father, Joseph Carpenter, is a full Indian of the Oneida Tribe located at Indian Village Agency; that he left the tribe about _____; that the mother, Lizzie Carpenter, was a full Indian of the Oneida Tribe located at Indian Village Agency, and left the tribe about December; that the said child was born and reared in the United States, and now actually resides therein; and that he has attended the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL—PUBLIC, GOVERNMENT, OR MISSION.	LOCATED AT—	DATE OF ENROLLMENT.	DATE OF DISCHARGE.	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE.	GRADE.
<u>Oneida Reservation Day School</u>	<u>Indian Village</u>	<u>1909</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>4th</u>

This 11 day of Aug, 1916
Two witnesses:

Harry H. Webster

Alvin Nichols

Joseph Carpenter
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O., _____

(NOTE.—Every blank in this application must be properly filled out by the applicant, in his own handwriting, if possible. The signature, whether by mark or otherwise, must be attested by two witnesses.)

AFFIDAVIT.

I, Joseph Carpenter, do hereby swear that the statements made in the above application are true.

Joseph Carpenter
(Signature of applicant.) (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12 day of August, 1916

Alvin Nichols

(NOTE.—This application and affidavit must be executed before some officer authorized to administer oaths by the parent with whom the child is living; if the parents are dead, by the guardian or next of kin.)

Nolany Public

FOR NEW YORK PUPILS.

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

This is to certify that Daniel Carpenter
has attended the Orondaga Indian Day School at
the Indian Village New York, from Sept 1909
to June 1916.
Indian Village N. Y.
Aug 11th 1916.

David Russell Hill
(Sign here.)

Certificate of Physician.

Ernest Gab, a practicing physician of Medicine,
do hereby certify that I have carefully examined Daniel Carpenter,
named in this application, and find that he is in proper physical condition to attend
and is not afflicted with tuberculosis or other disease which would be a menace to the health
of his pupils.
This 13 day of August, 1916 A. Ernest Gab, M. D.

Vouchers of Disinterested Persons.

VOUCHER No. 1.

I, David Russell Hef, a Musical Director, of
(Business, calling, or profession.)
Indian Land, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with
Daniel Carpenter who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his state-
ments therein are true; that I am acquainted with Daniel Carpenter; that
(Name of Child.)
he is known and recognized in the community in which he lives as an Indian; that in my opinion
he can not receive proper and adequate schooling at home for the reason that he is about
to reach the school age limit and the limited condi-
tion of this school. He desires to advance
This 14 day of Aug, 1916 David Russell Hef

VOUCHER No. 2.

I, Henry Gibbs, a clerk, of
(Business, calling, or profession.)
Onondaga Reservation, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with
Daniel Carpenter, who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his state-
ments therein are true; that I am acquainted with Daniel Carpenter; that
(Name of child.)
he is known and recognized in the community in which he lives as an Indian; and that in my opinion
he cannot receive proper and adequate schooling at home for the reason that
He needs a broader education than what can be
obtained locally
This 14 day of August, 1916

Henry Gibbs
R. F. D. 5, Syracuse

Certificate of School Physician.

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

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

This _____ day of _____, 191_____

School Physician.

INDORSEMENT.

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

A pupil who has been regularly enrolled in a nonreservation school must not be taken to any other non-reservation school without the consent of both Superintendents and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and Superintendents will be held to strict accountability for such pupils taken to their schools.

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



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CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

May 24, 1917, 191

This certifies that Daniel Carpenter
(Name of student.)
 has made the following record in Carlisle Indian School
(Name of school.)

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.	GRADE.	RATING.
Oral English	11	81
Arithmetic		70
Reading		80
Spelling		90
Language		60

Effort _____

Deportment _____

DETAILS SERVED.	LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.	RATING.
General Work		80

and is ~~XXXXX~~ eligible to pursue work in the Third grade, academic; and
(Cancel one.)
 _____ grade or year vocational.

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April 19, 1917.

Mr. Joseph Carpenter,
R. F. D. #5, Box 77 $\frac{3}{4}$,
Syracuse, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter asking that your son
Daniel Carpenter be allowed to come home for the
summer.

Daniel has been a very good boy and I
will have no objection to his spending this summer
with you but cannot promise to send him to you
until after the close of school which will be the
last of next month.

I am enclosing a vacation request blank
which you can fill out and return to me. You can
send me a check according to the requirements of
this blank with the blank.

I will let you know in good time just
when Daniel will be able to leave here for his
home.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

Syracuse N.Y.
Apr. 16, 1917

Mr,

I am writing a few
lines to you to ask you if
my son Daniel Carpenter
can come home for the
summer, as he would like
to come back and help me
to plant, and I am going to
be ready to send the money
next month some times, and
if he can come I wish he
would be ready,

closing, hope to hear from
you soon, I am Daniel's

Father, yours

Mr Joseph Carpenter
Syracuse N.Y.

R. F. D. #5, Box 773
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
U. S. INDIAN SERVICE.
Form approved by the Comptroller of the Treasury
February 1, 1908.

SUBVOUCHER FOR TRAVELING EXPENSES,
WHEN PAID IN CASH.

No. 74

United States,

To C. V. R. R. Co., May 28, 1917, 19

Carlisle, Pa., Dr.

For 1 ticket from Carlisle, Pa., to
Syracuse, N. Y., used by David Carpenter,

DOLLARS.	CTS.
	6.92

Received at Carlisle, Pa.,, on this 16th
day of June, 19 17, of John Francis, Jr., Supt.,
in cash, Six and 92/100 - - - - Dollars, in full payment of above
account, which I certify to be correct.

Witness to signature by mark:

(Not to be signed in duplicate.)

The Cumberland Valley Railroad
W. A. Bender, Treas.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
U. S. INDIAN SERVICE.
Form approved by the Comptroller of the Treasury
February 1, 1908.

SUBVOUCHER FOR TRAVELING EXPENSES,

WHEN PAID BY DISBURSING OFFICER'S
OFFICIAL CHECK.

No. _____

United States,

To _____, 19

For _____, Dr.

DOLLARS.	CTS.

I CERTIFY that the above account is correct and just, and that payment therefor has not been received.

(Not to be signed in duplicate.)

Claimant.

Paid by check No. _____, dated _____, 19, for \$ _____

on _____, to order of claimant.

If payment is made in cash, use subvoucher form on obverse hereof.

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August 14, 1917.

Reverend Louis Brube
RFD #5
Syracuse, New York

Dear Sir:-

Last year we had at this school a pupil, Daniel Carpenter son of Joseph Carpenter from Syracuse. He was allowed to go home on leave this spring and now I have a letter from his father saying that he will not be able to return to school this fall because he is needed at home. His father states that he has lost his wife and oldest daughter and he needs Daniel at home to take care of the two younger children, while he himself is out earning their support.

Daniel is a splendid young fellow and I would dislike very much to see him quit school at this time. Do you know this family and would you be able to persuade the father to make other arrangements for the care of his young children so that Daniel would not be deprived of his school privileges? I would appreciate very much your help and advice in this matter.

Rev. Louis Bruce-2

I take the liberty of addressing you because I am informed that you have the interest of the Onondago people at heart and in times past have helped our Carlisle pupils.

I enclose an envelope which you can use when you reply.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

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August 24, 1917.

Mr. Joseph Carpenter,
R. F. D., Syracuse, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter requesting to
keep your son Daniel at home this coming
winter.

Daniel is just at the age where he
should attend school regularly and get
the vocational training which Carlisle offers
and I cannot conscientiously grant your re-
quest to keep him at home.

I will therefore have a ticket
placed for his return early in September.
Daniel has money here to pay for his return
ticket.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

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N.Y.

Aug. 6th 1917

Mr Francis:-

I thought i would write a few lines
to you to day. I thought i would
ask you a queston about Dan.
Carpeter i want to ask you if
you will let him stay home
now, for i have two little girls
at home here and theres no
body here to stay with them
their mother and oldest sister
are dead the oldest girl died
a few days ago and i have to
have some body with them

for i cant stay home, for
i am working every day
to support them.

So if you will let him stay
I would be very glad to have
him at home. So this is all
for this time So good by
from yours truly
Joseph Carpenter

Mr. Jo

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August 24, 1917.

Mr. Louis Bruce,
St. Regis Indian Mission,
Hogansburg, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter
of the 20th inst. and wish to thank you
for your interest and for the information
contained therein.

Acting upon your advice I have
taken up the matter of Daniel Carpenter
with Mr. H. M. Phillips.

Thanking you again for all past
favours, I am,

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

Dear
Truly
write to Mr.
please to
ad to be of

Onondaga Indian Mission
Louis Bruce, Pastor
Syracuse, N. D. S. N. Y.

St Regis Indian M^y
Hogansburg
Aug 20 1911

San Francisco Jr.
Carlisle, Pa

Dear Sir:

Have been away from Onondaga Res. since May 1st and am now connected with the work at St Regis Res. About Dan Carpenter, I am well acquainted with his circumstances. He was as wild as a March hare, with all the habits of a boy with no home training and allowed to do as he pleased. His father has allowed all his children to go the same way. I was, indeed, pleased when Dan went to Carlisle last year for I well knew that he was not able to overcome the temptations around his home. If you can get him back, do it by all means. He is capable and has the stuff. His father's wife was always a cripple. ~~He~~ She was unable to be of any assistance in the home. One daughter, Hattie is about 12 yrs. old. The little girl is about 6.

I see no reason why he could not allow Dan to go back to Carlisle. He does not work steadily, doing odd jobs here and there. You might write to Mr. H. M. Phillips, Syracuse R. D. 5 - N. Y. to use his influence to get the Father's consent. Am always glad to be of any assistance. I am

Sincerely
L. Bruce

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August 24, 1917.

Mr. H. M. Phillips,
R. F. D. #5,
Syracuse, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

Your name has been given to me by the Rev. Louis Bruce as one who might be able to assist in matters connected with children coming to us from the Onondago Reservation.

When Mr. Bruce was in charge of the Indian Mission there we had occasionally to ask his help several times. I write now with reference to the case of Daniel Carpenter, one of our pupils who went home last June to spend the summer with the understanding that he would return this fall. His father, Joseph Carpenter, advises that he needs him at home. Mr. Bruce thinks otherwise.

If you can use your influence with Mr. Carpenter to have his son returned, I shall appreciate it, as I know you are just as much interested in the welfare of this young fellow as we are and realize that the place for him is at Carlisle.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

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September 11, 1917.

Mr. H. W. Phillips
RED#5
Syracuse, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

I want to thank you for your letter
relative to the return to Carlisle of Daniel Carpenter.
Upon receipt of your letter, I wrote to Mr. Carpenter
urging his son's return but I have not yet heard
from him.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Known as a Indian School,
P.O. Syracuse N.Y.

Mr. John Francis Jr.
Supt. Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle N.Y.

Dear Sir, In reply to your letter of
Aug. 24th relative to Daniel Carpenter,
I would say that I have inter-
viewed Mr. Carpenter, the father,
and he seems inclined to
permit his son to return to
your institution. I did allow
my power to secure his son's
return to you and think there
is little doubt but he will be
back with you soon.

Very truly yours,
H. M. Phillips, Pres.

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September 8, 1917.

Mr. Joseph Carpenter,
Syracuse, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

I have not heard from you relative to the return to this school of your son ^{Carl} Daniel, but have taken it for granted that it will be alright to arrange for his return.

I have this day placed a ticket at Syracuse, N. Y. for his return to Carlisle. Will you please have him call for this as soon as possible, so he will not be back in his work.

Very truly yours,

Superintendent.

Syracuse

N Y
Sept 26th 1917

Dear Sir

I thought i would drop a few lines to
you tonight in request of Daniel
Carpenter coming back to School
I think he had better stay here
with me for i am in need of his
helpe for i have ^{no} one else ^{here} to helpe
me at home and besides his
Consins is in bad shape they
may not see each other very
long for ^{he} his is very sick in bed
So i thought i would let you know
So you wont be disapointed and not
blame Mr. David Hill for him not
coming back this fall So this is all
I have to say for this time So good
by from your truly friend
Joseph Carpenter

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November 28, 1917.

Mr. Joseph Carpenter
RFD #5
Syracuse, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

This is to inform you that your son Daniel returned to the school in due time yesterday morning and has settled down to school and work here. I am sorry that he did not return sooner as he has lost much of the work in school.

He looks well and we will try to take good care of him and keep him in good condition.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Syracuse N. Y.
CIRCULAR LETTER

339 March 14, 1918.

Dear sir:-
I thought i would write a few
lines to you this after noon
I would like to ask you if
you would be willing to let
Daniel Carpenter come home
this Spring if i paid his way
home id like to have him
help me out in the fild planting
this Spring for i have lot of work
to do and i got to have sombody
to help me and i aint got
enough money to hire anybody
Else So this is about all for this
time tell i hear from you again
So good by from yours truly
Joe Carpenter

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Syracuse N.Y.

March 31, 1918

Dear sir,

I thought i would write to
you again, and ask you about
Darr. Carpenter coming home this
Spring. I havent heard no
answer yet. so if you will let
him come let me know at once
so is i can send his fair for
home and the work is at hand
I need him to help me to
do some planting. So this it all
for this time so write soon let
me know about it. so dont send
him out in the country send
him home. So good bye from
Joe Carpenter

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May 25, 1918,

Mr. Joseph Carpenter
RED#5
Syracuse, New York.

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter requesting the return home of your son Daniel, for the summer vacation. I do not feel inclined to allow Daniel to go home this summer for the reason that you failed to keep your agreement to return him to school at the proper time last fall. As you know it was necessary for me to send one of the employees up after him.

This employee lost several days of his time and spent considerable money in rounding up the New York children whose parents had failed to keep their agreement. For the good of the children and the best welfare of the school, we intend to give this vacation privilege to those children whose parents will keep their agreement with us.

Very truly yours

NRD

Superintendent.

Syracuse N.Y.

R. F. D. # 5

May 21. 1918,

Dear Friend Mr Francis,

I would like
to know if I will have to
pay both ways for my son
Dan Carpenter to come home
for this summer, as I want
to send for him now, in
side a week. I will send his
fare as soon as I get my ans.
Will you please let me
know what day and date

he can come, ^{2,} so please
answer as soon as you
receive this letter,

your Friend

Mr Joseph Carpenter
Syracuse NY

A. F. B # 5

Box 77 $\frac{3}{4}$

24 May. 22. 1915

Sir:-

In regards to the
Canning Bone of my son
Dan Carpenter. Please notify
me as soon as possible
if you have the intentions
of giving him the Summer leave
Please state the price of his
transportation. so as to make
arrangements for same
I will be looking for an
answer ~~soon~~ in the near future

I am your sincere friend
Mr. Joseph Carpenter

Syracuse N.Y.
359 May 28th 1918

Dear Friend:-

I thought i would write a few lines
to you this morning. I just
thought i would ask you if you
are willing to let Daniel Carpenter
come home for i need him at my
work i have no body here to help
me and i thought you would let
my boy come home for the
summer and i will send the money
to bring him home so please let
him come home for the work is
on the rush and i am very busy
i have to have somebody to help
me along so please let me know
at once when is he coming so i can
meet him at the station so this is
about all i can say just now for i am
so busy on my work so good by
from your Friend
Joseph Carpenter

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Carlisle, Pa. Aug. 17, 1918.

Mr. Joe Carpenter
RFD. Syracuse, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter saying that you want
your son Daniel to attend school at home this
winter and asking for the money you deposited
here for his return to Carlisle this fall.

I enclose herewith a check for \$7.53
which closes Daniel's account here.

Very truly yours

Trav. Aud. in Charge.

NRD

Incl.

a case N.Y.

August 12th 1918

Friend :

I am now going to answer
your letter at once with i
received to day well my
Dear Friend I want to tell you
that we have School here at
home to go to? I kinder
think it will cost me to
much money to get back
if I went to for.

So I rather tend School at
home. I think its just as
good as going anywhere else
So this is about all for this
time so good night from
yours truly Daniel Carpenter

