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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

Nelson Metoxen

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Emerson Metoxen

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pa.

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Oneida, Wis.

Date of enrollment, Sept., 1914

Term of enrollment, three (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, Pa.

of Emerson Metoxen ; M ; age 15 ; date of birth 4/23, 1899 ;
(Name of child.) (Sex.)
Oneida
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>Nelson Metoxen</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>Oneida</u>		<u>3/4</u>
NAME OF MOTHER.				
<u>Louisa Metoxen</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>"</u>

I, Nelson Metoxen, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to his
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
 enrollment in said school for a period of three 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>Oneida Bdg</u>	<u>1908</u>	<u>1911</u>		
2.	<u>Tomah, Wis</u>	<u>1911</u>	<u>1914</u>		<u>6th</u>
3.					
4.					

Nelson Metoxen
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Oneida, Wis.

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 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 31 day of Aug, 1914

J. A. Proless
Physician at Quade Wis 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 Nelson Metoxen
(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 yet in reach.

I recommend the transfer of the said child.

This 12th day of Sept., 1914

J. B. Hart
Agent or Superintendent.

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

I hereby certify that on _____, I made a careful examination of the physical condition of _____, (As soon after arrival as possible.) 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 _____, 1914

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.

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

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NUMBER 5238	ENGLISH NAME Emerson Metoxen	AGENCY Aneida	NATION Aneida	
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Father Nelson Metoxen, Aneida, Wis.		
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD 3/4	AGE 15	HEIGHT	WEIGHT
FATHER L	MOTHER L	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX M
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Sept. 26, 1914	FOR WHAT PERIOD Three years	DATE DISCHARGED June 14, 1918	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Line out	
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS			FROM COUNTRY
5-28-15	Geo. H. Rno, Yardley, Pa.			6-19-15
5-31-16	Jos. W. Oliver, Lake County, Pa.			9-7-16
6-15-17	Gabriel R. Mason, Becket, Mass.			9-5-17

Months in school before Carlisle, 7 yrs.

Trade entered at Carlisle.

Trade at date of Discharge.

Trade or Industry.

Church. Methodist

1/4 mi. to public school

REPORT OF Emerson Mitotini pupil of Carlisle Indian
 School, who went 5-28-15 to live with George W. Row
 of Yardley, Bucks,
 (Date) (Patron)
 (Post Office) (County)
Pa, Yardley Railroad Station
 (State)

Conduct Good

Health Good except for sore eyes

Ability Good

Cleanliness Good

Economy Good

Situation of Room Second floor

Condition of Room Good

Condition of Clothing Good

Wages Sixteen dollars per month

Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes

Are careful accounts kept by pupil? no

Number of days at school No school Summer time

Distance to school " " " "

Grade or quality of school " " " "

Name and address of teacher " " " "

Qualifications of teacher " " " "

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? 6th

In what grade is pupil at present? 6th

Attends what church and Sunday school? Methodist

Distance to church One mile

Is there a Catholic church in locality? not handy

Who compose patron's family? man, wife and son with wife

What other help is employed? Indian help

Locality of home Near Yardley

Home life and environments Good

Trade at school None

Nature of work Farm work

Pupil's age 16 Experience fair

Feb 28, 1916
 W. A. Dickey

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

CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

May 24, 1917, 191

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

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.	GRADE.	RATING.
English	2nd Voc.	83
General Exercises		82
Arithmetic		59
Commercial Geography		82
United States History		85
Soils and Soil Fertility		83
Engineering	1st Voc.	87

Effort _____

Department _____

DETAILS SERVED.	LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.	RATING.

and is ~~XXXXX~~ eligible to pursue work in the Third Year Vocational grade, academic; and
(Cancel one.)

Second ~~XXXXX~~ year vocational.

John Francis
 Superintendent.

Chas. Blair
 Principal.

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Effort

Department

DETAILS SERVED.

LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.

RATING.

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

Second~~year~~ year vocational.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.

Sept 22nd., 1915.

Mr. Meyer:

Emerson Metoxen is sitting up out of bed. He has no pain and in general is in such a splendid condition that his case no longer holds any medical interest.

Herbert Peppin is actively ill with pneumonia. His general condition is as good as might be expected. In fact no dangerous symptoms have manifested themselves at this time. The crisis must be awaited in patience.

Hilton Skenadore sustained a comminuted fracture of the tibia while playing at football. The limb is set and the patient resting comfortably.

Respectfully,

Walter Rindt m. s.

Emerson Metaphen

PRESENT NAME

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.

Aug. 20th., 1915.

Mr. Meyer:

Emersen Metoxen is in the hospital suffering with a mild attack of appendicitis. As it might become necessary to operate at some future period I recommend that permission be requested at this time from his parents.

Respectfully,

Walter Rindtorff M. D.

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Aug. 21st, 1915.

Mr. Jos. C. Hart,
Superintendent, The Oneida Agency,
Oneida, Wis.

My dear Sir:

I respectfully submit below for your information
a copy of a communication that was addressed to me this
morning by our School Physician:

"Emerson Metoxen is in the hospital
suffering with a mild attack of appendicitis.
As it might become necessary to operate at
some future period I recommend that per-
mission be requested at this time from his
parents."

Although it is hoped that an operation will not be-
come necessary it is desired that you secure from the
parents of the boy the permission that should be given by
them before an operation is performed.

Your cooperation in the matter will be a favor.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.

Sept., 14th., 1915.

Mr. Meyer:

I am glad to report that the present writing find Emersen
Metoxen sitting up in bed. There is still considerable discharge of
pus from the abdomen but the boys general condition is excellent.

Respectfully,

Walter Rindtorff.

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Sept. 14th, 1915.

Mr. Nelson Metoxen,
Oneida, Wisconsin.

My dear Sir:

This morning our School Physician submitted a report as follows regarding the condition of your son Emerson:

"I am glad to report that the present writing finds Emerson Metoxen sitting up in bed. There is still considerable discharge of pus from the abdomen but the boy's general condition is excellent."

It is certainly a pleasure to convey so favorable a report to you and as present indications are that your boy will soon be entirely well it is hoped a final report can be made soon.

Very respectfully,

HCH.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Hart.)

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Sept. 8th, 1915.

Mr. Nelson Metoxen,

Oneida, Wis.

My dear Mr. Metoxen:

Yesterday morning our School Physician submitted
a report as follows:

"I find it necessary to operate upon
Emerson Metoxen on account of a suppurative
appendicitis which in my opinion is threaten-
ing him. I have taken all necessary steps
and will perform the operation at 9 o'clock
this morning. I will be glad to have you
present at the operation should you so de-
sire."

The operation was performed as stated above and
this morning a report as follows was addressed to me by
the Physician:

"I am glad to report that Emerson Metoxen
is in excellent condition at this time. Pus
is flowing freely out of the tubes provided
for drainage. There is no indication of any
complication at this writing."

Assuring you that everything possible is being done
to take good care of your boy and hoping that other such

-2- Mr. Nelson Metoxen, Oneida, Wis.

favorable reports as the one received this morning can be conveyed to you, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Hart.)

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Sept. 9th, 1915.

Mr. Nelson Metoxen,
Oneida, Wisconsin.

My dear Sir:

I take pleasure in reporting to you that the condition of your son Emerson is entirely satisfactory today and that our School Physician is very well pleased with the progress that is being made toward a complete recovery.

I submit below for your information a copy of the report that was issued this afternoon by the School Physician:

"Emerson Metoxen's condition is excellent and he shows every tendency to make an uneventful recovery."

Very respectfully,

EKM.

Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.

Sept. 6th., 1915.

Superintendent O.H. Lipps,

Dear sir:

I find it necessary to operate upon Emerson Metexen on account of a suppurative appendicitis which in my opinion is threatening him. I have taken all necessary steps and will perform the operation at 9 o'clock this morning. I will be glad to have you present at the operation should you so desire.

Respectfully,

Walter Rindert m. r

Mr. Meyer Please advise
parents results of this
operation

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Sept. 22nd, 1915.

Mr. Nelson Metoxen,
Oneida, Wisconsin.

My dear Sir:

At my request our School Physician has made another report relative to the very satisfactory condition of your son Emerson. I submit a copy of it below for your information:

Emerson Metoxen is sitting up out of bed. He has no pain and in general is in such a splendid condition that his case no longer holds any medical interest."

Thanking you for consenting to have the required operation performed and assuring you that such confidence in the judgment of those here who are interested in your boy is appreciated, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Hart.)

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Oct. 4th, 1915.

Mr. Nelson Metoxen,

Oneida, Wis.

My dear Sir:

I take pleasure in reporting that your son Emerson was seen at this office this morning and that he is rapidly regaining his usual strength. He should soon be able now to resume his work and studies.

Very truly yours,

H.M.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Hart.)

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Home Address Nelson Matopen, Oneida, Tribe Oneida

JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL OR AVERAGE
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9-8-16

E_X	E_X	E_X
E_X	E_X	E_X
E_X	E_X	E_X
15	15	15

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

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

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Date of report *May 1915*
Name of child *Emerson Metoxen* Age *16* Grade *6, B*
Home post office *Oneida, Wisconsin*
Tribe *Oneida* Degree of Indian blood *Three fourths*
How many acres of land do you own *not any* Location _____
What is the annual income from your land *not any*
Do you have any other income *not any* How much *not any*
Is your father living *yes he is living*
Father's name *Nelson Metoxen*
Home post office *Oneida, Wis*
Tribe *Oneida* Degree of Indian blood *full*
Is he a citizen *do not know*
How much land does he own *14 acres* Allotment No. *do not know*
What is its estimated value *do not know*
What is the annual income from his land *do not know*
Does he have any other income *I don't know*
If so, how much _____
Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property *He pays taxes on land.*
Is your mother living ~~Yes~~ *I have a stepmother*
Mother's name *Julia Metoxen*
Home post office *Oneida, Wis*
Tribe *Oneida* Degree of Indian blood *I do not know*
Is she a citizen _____
How much land does your mother own _____ Allotment No. _____
What is its estimated value _____

What is the annual income from her land *do not know*
Does she have any other income *do not know*
If so, how much
Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property *can't answer it*
With whom do you make your home *my father & mother*
How many rooms in the house *six rooms in the house*
How many live in the house *the whole family 7 in all*
How far is your home from nearest public school *about six miles*
Why do you not attend that school *because our father can not afford our car fare up there all the year round.*
How many teachers employed there *do not know*
How many grades maintained *it is a grammar school*
How many months of school each year *9 school months*
Did you ever attend a public school *yes I have*
If so, how long *Two years* Where *West He River, Ark*
How many brothers of school age have you *one brother of school age*
How many sisters of school age have you *three of school age.*
Are they in school *yes*
Where *2 at Oneida Boarding School & at Carlisle*

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.

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CAMP GREYLOCK

"IN THE HEART OF THE BERKSHIRES"

A SUMMER CAMP FOR BOYS

BECKET, MASS.

NEW YORK OFFICE
1107 FOREST AVENUE
NEW YORK
TELEPHONE INTERVALE 2626

GABRIEL R. MASON, PH. D.
DIRECTOR
GEORGE Z. MASON, M. F.
ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR

Account of Emerson Metcain

Credits

Salary	\$50.00	
Gratuities	38.00	\$88.00

Debits

July 2"	Cash	\$ 5.00	
9"	Clothing	1.89	
Aug. 22"	Cash	5.00	
Sept. 1"	Laundry	.95	
3"	Cash	15.00	27.84
	Balance		60.16
	Fare to New York		3.85
	Check enclosed for	\$	<u>56.31</u>

20.95
38.5
24.80

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July 16, 1918.

Dear Emerson,-

I have your letter and am very glad to send you application blanks for the signature of yourself and sister. I am also sending you the blanks which you and Evelyn signed so that you can ask your father to sign and then when he has also signed for Cecilia and Pearson, take all four to Mr. Hart for his approval. Your father will have to pay the fare for Pearson as he is too young to come at government expense. Return all the blanks to me and I will have tickets placed for your use whenever you are ready to start for Carlisle.

We are printing no Arrow now but I will send you the Year Book as soon as it is out. With best regards to you, I am

Very truly yours

NRD-Incl.

Trav. Aud. in Charge.

Manitowoc, Wis.
July 13, 1918.

Dear Mrs. Henry,
It last

I am working in the
ship yards, the place I
have been longing for
for a long time.

I am in the best of
health and I certainly
enjoy my work.

Joseph Morrie is also
working here so I am
not alone as I thought.
Five ships are under
construction and three have

been launched so
the ship builders are
putting the ships out
rather fast.

I wish you could
do me a favor by sending
me the answer. I am
anxious to know just
what is going on at school.

Cecelia and Tearson, my
brother and sister wish to
come back to school with
me and my brother is
eleven years old probably
he will not be accepted.
Cecelia is ready to come but
has not yet signed.

If Teasow is too young my father is willing to pay his fare.

I must close hoping that these few words will find you all well and happy.

I am yours affectionately

Emerson Metcalf

611 North Franklin St.

Manitowoc,
Wis.

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CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

June 14, 1918., 191

This certifies that Emerson Metoxen

(Name of student.)

has made the following record in Carlisle Indian School

(Name of school.)

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.

GRADE.

RATING.

English3rd Yr. Voc.93Physics"84Chemistry"77General Exercises"85General Average"87

Effort _____

Deportment _____

DETAILS SERVED.

LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.

RATING.

and is ~~XXXXX~~ eligible to pursue work in the Fourth Year Vocational grade, academic; and
(Cancel one.)

_____ grade or year vocational

John H. ...
Superintendent.Chas. Blair
Principal.