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CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 3236	ENGLISH NAME Estella Lawe	AGENCY	NATION Menominee
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Jos. Lawe, Keshewa, Wis.	

PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD 1/2	AGE 14	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX
FATHER	MOTHER						

ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Oct. 2, 1917	FOR WHAT PERIOD	DATE DISCHARGED	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE
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TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS	FROM COUNTRY
6-7-18	on leave	

U.S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1914. 60940

Date of school before Carlisle,
 Date of school at Carlisle, ... 7th
 Date of discharge,
 Place of birth,
 Church, ... Catholic

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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

Jo Lawe

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Estella Myrtle Lawe

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle Pa

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Keshena Wis

Date of enrollment, *Sept*, 1917

Term of enrollment, (.....) years.

NAME OF PERSON ARRANGING FOR THE TRANSFER:

Myrtle W Marble

Position, *Field Matron*

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 Catletta Pa

of Estella Lawe (Name of child.); F (Sex.); age 14; date of birth March 13-1903
Menominee (Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>John McCloud</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>White</u>		
NAME OF MOTHER. <u>Sibbie McCloud</u> (nee Longley)	<u>D.</u>	<u>Menominee</u>		

I, Estella Lawe (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.), do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to any enrollment in said school for a period of 5 (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. <u>Catholic Mission</u>	<u>1910</u>	<u>1917</u>		<u>7th</u>
2.				
3.				
4.				

Estella Lawe
 (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address:

approved Guicherson
supnt
Both parents Dead 6-1870

Two witnesses:

Approves:
W.S. Coleman
 Inspector.

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 19 day of September, 1917

Dr W R B Bout

Physician at Keshena 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 _____ (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 school available within reasonable distance

I recommend the transfer of the said child.

This 20 day of Sept, 1917

A. G. Johnson
Agent or Superintendent.

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

I hereby certify that on Oct 5, 17, I made a careful examination of the physical condition of Estelle Lane, the child named in the foregoing application, and found her to be good physical condition.

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

This 5 day of Oct, 1917

Edw J Meyer
School Physician.

SPECIAL NOTE.

This form must be executed in duplicate when a child is transferred from a reservation to a nonreservation school. The Superintendent of the nonreservation school will retain the original for his files, and the duplicate shall be deposited in the reservation school records. The reservation superintendent should send to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs his certificate as provided by law. All the blanks must be properly filled in every case.

If the information called for on any part of the blank is not known, that fact should be stated. No space should be left unfilled. Whether the parents are living or dead, their names must be given.

The person who signs the blank as consenting to the transfer should indicate his relation to the applicant by marking out the word "parent," "guardian," or "next of kin," leaving unmarked only the title appropriate to the signer.

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the student named in the foregoing application and certificate is the holder of a valid license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of _____ and that he is qualified to practice medicine and surgery in the State of _____ with the exception of any laws or regulations which may be in force at the time of his practice.

CERTIFICATE OF BOARD SUPERVISOR

I hereby certify that the student named in the foregoing application and certificate is the holder of a valid license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of _____ and that he is qualified to practice medicine and surgery in the State of _____ with the exception of any laws or regulations which may be in force at the time of his practice.

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.

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

I hereby certify that on _____ the student named in the foregoing application and certificate is the holder of a valid license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of _____ and that he is qualified to practice medicine and surgery in the State of _____ with the exception of any laws or regulations which may be in force at the time of his practice.

SPECIAL NOTE

This form shall be prepared by the physician or school physician named in the foregoing application and certificate and shall be filled out by the student named in the foregoing application and certificate. It shall be filled out by the student named in the foregoing application and certificate and shall be filled out by the student named in the foregoing application and certificate.

NAME Estella Myrtle Lawe Sex Male. Female.

Tribe Full 1/2 Menominee State Wisconsin Sep tember 19 17, 19 17

Age 14 years Respiration 18 Condition of, Eyes Good

Height 5 ft. 2 ins. Ears Good

Weight 101½ lbs. Mensuration { Insp. 29½ Exp. 28 Throat Good

Temperature 98.6 Vaccination Yes Cervical glands Small goiter

Pulse 79 Vision Not good Skin Good

Inspection Fulsation over base of heart.

Palpation Thrill over region of heart

Perussion Venous hum below clavicles

Auscultation

Heart Suspect mitral stenosis

(Menstruation) Regular

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father			"	Killed
Mother			"	Unknown
Brothers	1	Good		
Sisters			1	Unknown

Personal history History of measles. Has had two fainting spells the last occuring about two months ago. she said that they were momentary and thought that they were due to the heart

Present condition Good except as noted above.

W R Bebout, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Keshena Indian School
Keshena, Wis.

Sept. 20, 1917.

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

Dear Mr. Francis:

I am enclosing herewith application of Estella Lawe, an enrolled Menominee, 14 years of age, who seeks to attend Carlisle school. It is explained that this girl is an orphan, without near relatives. Joe Lawe, with whom she has been making her home for some time, is willing to sign for her enrollment during a term of three years, but refuses to give his consent to a five year term. The home conditions are such that the girl, who is very bright and deserving, should be in the Carlisle or some other good non-reservation school.

Her transfer is approved by this agency, by Inspector Coleman, now on the ground, and if you are willing to enroll her under the circumstances, please wire permission to have her join the Menominee class to start about October first; unless there is time to get a reply to us by mail.

Very respectfully,

C. A. Marbois

HPM/H - Encls.

Carbon of letter to I

Assistant Superintendent.

Indian Office attached.

Copy

Keshena Indian School
Keshena, Wis.

Sept. 20, 1917.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Commissioner:

I have the honor to refer to the case of Estella Lawe, an enrolled Indian girl of this jurisdiction, who has completed the seventh grade at the Mission school, Keshena, and seeks transfer to Carlisle. She is an orphan and was for many years cared for by the late Mrs. Lydia Lawe, who died about a year ago. The latter always expressed a desire for the girl to attend Carlisle school, when she became of suitable age and attainment. The girl is very anxious to start with the class of pupils to be transferred about October first. Joe Lawe, husband of the lady who cared for and raised the girl, has given his consent that she go to Carlisle for three years, but refuses permission for her to remain five years.

It is quite evident that his desire is that she remain at home to keep house for him. Her home conditions are unfavorable throughout and if anything is to

be done toward educating and preserving her for good womanhood, she should leave the reservation for Carlisle or some other good school at this time.

My conclusions in the matter are based upon personal knowledge of conditions, corroborated by reports from the field matron, whose letter is enclosed herewith. Inspector Coleman, who is now on the ground at this agency has investigated the case and approves my course in permitting the girl to sign her own application for transfer.

It is requested that the Office approve, therefore, the transfer of Estella Lawe to Carlisle school for a period of five years, and if necessary, authorize Superintendent Francis to wire her acceptance that she may start with the class indicated.

Very respectfully,

HPM/H - Encls.

Superintendent.

I endorse the request of Superintendent
Nichelson as set forth above.

Keshena, Wis.,
Sept. 20, 1917.

Inspector.

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Mr. A. S. Nicholson,
Supt. Keshena School.

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My dear Mr. Nicholson:

Referring to your letter of September 20th, recommending enrollment of Estella Lawe in the Carlisle School, you are advised that the Office has no objection to the enrollment of this girl provided she is eligible for transfer to that school and the superintendent is willing to receive her. In view of the fact that she is an orphan and that Joe Lawe does not appear to ^{be} her guardian, she may sign her own application for transfer.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) E. B. Meritt
Assistant Commissioner.

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Copy to Carlisle.

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April 9, 1918

Mr. Joe. Lawe,
Keshena, Wis.

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter requesting that your daughter, Estella, be retained at the school until vacation, at which time you would like her to come home. Your request has been noted. I enclose a vacation request blank which you can fill out and return to me, complying with the requirements thereon, anytime between now and the first week in June when school closes.

Very truly yours,

D-E

Superintendent

Enc.

Keshua. Wis. April 2. 1918.

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

Sir:

I write you with reference to my daughter, Estella Lawe, who is attending your school.

It is my desire that when vacation time arrives that she be permitted to come home to spend her vacation; I therefore respectfully request that she be not sent into the country.

When the proper time arrives, I will endeavor to have sufficient funds deposited with you to purchase

transportation for her
home trip & her return
to your school at the proper
time the coming school
year.

Hoping to receive favorable
reply from you at an early
date.

Very respectfully,
for Leave

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DILLETT & WINTER

Attorneys at Law

SHAWANO, WISCONSIN

May 27, 1918.

John Frances Jr.,
Supt. U.S. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

We herewith inclose an application made by Joe Lawe, father of Estalla Lawe requesting a vacation and Mr. Lawe is herewith sending a draft of \$60.00 to pay her railroad fare and whatever additional money is left over he desires that you hand that to his daughter Estella.

We note that the request for vacation seems to require the signature of the mother also, but the mother in this case is dead.

Mr. Lawe would like to have you notify him of the date of her arrival so he can come to Shawano to meet his daughter. We are writing this letter for him at his request. His address is Keshena, Wisconsin.

Yours respectfully,

DILLETT & WINTER.

PJW/VF

Enc.

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July 29, 1918

Miss Estella M. Lawe,

P. O. Box 21,

Keshona, Wis.

Dear Estella:

Complying with your request, I enclose here-
with a check for \$24.75, this being the amount your
father deposited for your return fare to Carlisle.

Very truly yours,

D-E

Trav. Aud. in Charge

Enc.

Keshena, Wis.

July, 25, 118.

Dear Sir:

I will now
drop a few lines in
order to get a little
information about
the Cashile Indian
School, we are hearing
strange news about
that school out here.

Has it now come to
a close and opened for
a hospital for the
soldiers?

If so, what are they
to do with us?

I am indeed sorry to
say I can not return

back to Carlisle if the
school is still on, as
my father is very sick
I came home last
month and found him
very sick, but he is
unable to nurse him-
self so I have to
take care of him.

And about my fare
when returning, would
you kindly send me the
rest of my money as I
need it, for I am
not to return.

How are they doing
with the Carlisle Assurance
I am still anxiously
waiting for a copy of

The Carliole Arrow of
1918 and will be pleased
to receive on, will
you kindly send me one
thanking you in
advance I remain
as ever

Miss Estella M. Lane
Keokuk
Iowa.

P.O. Box 21.

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VACATION REQUEST FOR PUPIL.

We, the undersigned, respectfully request that leave of absence be granted

..... Estella Lawe

from June 6, 1918 to

to enable her to visit her home. We hereby agree to pay all expenses, including round-trip railroad fares, sleeping-car fares, meals, lodging, stage fares, telegraph and telephone messages, and other incidental expenses connected with the visit. We further agree that said pupil shall be returned to the Carlisle school on or before the last day of the leave of absence.

We further agree to deposit with the superintendent of the school sufficient money to defray all expenses to be incurred, and should the pupils, or any one of them, fail to return to school at such time as may be agreed upon by the parents or guardian and the superintendent of the school in which the pupils are enrolled, the amount of money remaining with the superintendent, necessary to the return transportation of the pupil or pupils so neglecting to return, shall be forfeited to the Government; provided, however, that in all cases where it can be shown that there were justifiable reasons for the failure of the return of the pupil the forfeiture of the funds shall not take place.

If the pupil neglecting to return is from a reservation, the superintendent of the reservation shall certify to the reasons for the nonreturn of the pupil or pupils. If a pupil's home is not on a reservation, then the certificate of some reputable, disinterested citizen of the community may be requested as to the reasons for the nonreturn of the pupil or pupils.

For Lawe
Father.

.....
Mother.

.....
Guardian.

Date: May 27-1918

NOTE TO DISBURSING OFFICERS.—All receipts under this agreement must be accounted for officially as Individual Indian Money. However, any forfeitures must be transferred to Miscellaneous Receipts, Class I, and deposited in the Treasury to the credit of the United States.

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CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

June 14, 1918.

This certifies that **Estelle Lawe**

(Name of student.)

has made the following record in **Carlisle Indian School**

(Name of school.)

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.	GRADE.	RATING.
English	Sixth	80
General Exercises	"	77
Arithmetic	"	63
Geography	"	72
Physiology	"	83
Penmanship	"	90
Drawing	"	75
History	"	67
General Average	"	76

Effort

Department

DETAILS SERVED.	LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.	RATING.
Industrial		76

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

grade or year vocational

John Francis

Superintendent.

Wm Blair

Principal.