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## CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT.

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| NUMBER<br><b>3186</b>                    | ENGLISH NAME<br><i>Alvin Kennedy</i>   | AGENCY                                                | NATION<br><i>Seneca</i>               |
| BAND                                     | INDIAN NAME                            | HOME ADDRESS<br><i>Walter Kennedy, Kilbuck, N. Y.</i> |                                       |
| PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD                   | BLOOD<br><i>Full</i>                   | AGE<br><i>12</i>                                      | HEIGHT<br><i>4-9</i>                  |
| FATHER, <i>L</i>                         | MOTHER, <i>L</i>                       | WEIGHT<br><i>84</i>                                   | FORCED INSP.<br><i>29</i>             |
| ARRIVED AT SCHOOL<br><i>Nov. 20-1903</i> | FOR WHAT PERIOD<br><i>Five years.</i>  | DATE DISCHARGED<br><i>June 19 1908</i>                | CAUSE OF DISCHARGE<br><i>Time out</i> |
| TO COUNTRY                               | PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS               |                                                       | FROM COUNTRY                          |
| <i>9-23-'04</i>                          | <i>G. G. Atkinson, Penns Park, Pa.</i> |                                                       | <i>1-1-08</i>                         |
| <i>3-31-06</i>                           | <i>A. H. Baker, Martins Creek, Pa.</i> |                                                       | <i>9-2-06</i>                         |
| <b>APR 8-1907</b>                        | <i>Lewis J Price Doylestown Pa</i>     |                                                       | <b>AUG 31 1907</b>                    |
| <i>6-19-08</i>                           | <i>Home</i>                            |                                                       |                                       |
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SHAW-WALKER MUSKOGON 5178

Months in school before Carlisle, .....

Grade entered at Carlisle, .....

Grade at date of Discharge, .....

Trade or Industry, .....

Church, *Methodist* .....

Conduct .....

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MUD"EGON-CHICAGO 33877

Months in school before Carlisle, 48  
Grade entered at Carlisle, 5<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup>  
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Grade at date of Discharge,  
Trade or Industry,  
March, Presbyterian  
Miles to Sch., 2

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kennedy, two of our estimable young people whose recent marriage was chronicled in a former issue of THE ARROW, are now living in Washington, D. C. Mr. Kennedy, who has been steadily rising in his profession of wireless telegraphy in the Navy, has recently received a promotion with headquarters at Arlington, Va. 1914

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**BRIEF.**

**Application of**

*Alvin Kennedy*

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

*Self*

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

**Carlisle, Pennsylvania**

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

*Killbuck, N. Y.*

Date of enrollment, 1908

Term of enrollment, *Three* (3) years.

NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

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 Alvin Kennedy ; Male ; date of birth Mar. 12 '93  
(Name of child.) (Sex.)

(Tribe.)

| NAME OF FATHER.<br>(Both Indian and English.) | Living or<br>Dead. | TRIBE.        | BAND. | DEGREE OF<br>INDIAN BLOOD. |
|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------|-------|----------------------------|
| <u>Halter Kennedy</u>                         | <u>R</u>           | <u>Seneca</u> |       | <u>Full</u>                |
| NAME OF MOTHER.                               |                    |               |       |                            |
| <u>Kathryn Kennedy</u>                        | <u>R</u>           | <u>"</u>      |       | <u>1/2</u>                 |

I, Alvin Kennedy, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to enrollment in said school for a period of 3 yrs years, and also obligate myself to abide by all the rules and regulations for Indian schools.  
(Not less than 3.)

The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:

| NAME OF SCHOOL.                                  | DATE OF<br>ENROLLMENT. | DATE OF<br>DISCHARGE. | CAUSE.      | GRADE.     |
|--------------------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|------------|
| 1. <u>Thos. Ind. Sch</u><br><u>Logans, N. Y.</u> | <u>—</u>               |                       | <u>Home</u> | <u>4th</u> |
| 2.                                               |                        |                       |             |            |
| 3.                                               |                        |                       |             |            |
| 4.                                               |                        |                       |             |            |

Alvin Kennedy  
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Halter Kennedy,  
Killbuck, N. Y.

Two witnesses:

Emma P. C. Hetrick  
Miss N. V. Miller



## 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.....day of....., 190.....

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.....  
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)  
was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This.....day of....., 190.....

Agent or Superintendent.

## 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 Agency records. The agent will then send to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs his certificate as provided by law. All the blanks must be properly filled in every case.

*NOTE. — Age limits, fourteen to twenty years. Preferably fourteen to eighteen. Students must be at least one-fourth Indian, preferably full Indian. Special cases beyond the age limit will be given consideration. An industrial course only can be taken and the term reduced to three years, in exceptional cases.*

## 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.)

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.

This form is to be used only in transfers from reservations or Indian schools to nonreservation schools.





# PHYSICAL RECORD,

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL.

NAME OF PUPIL Kennedy, Alvin DATE 17/16 1908

AGE 16 YEARS { NEW STUDENT. } TRIBE Seneca STATE Ny.

DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.....

INSPECTION Well developed

PALPATION Normal

PERCUSSION Normal

AUSCULTATION { RESONANCE.....  
RESP. MURMUR Normal

HEART SOUNDS.....

MENSURATION { INSP. 35 1/2  
EXP. 32 RESPIRATION 18 PULSE 80

TEMPERATURE 98 degs. HEIGHT 5 FT. 6 IN. WEIGHT 138 LBS.

VISION 10/10 VACCINATION good - Rev. 17/22/08

FAMILY HISTORY:

|             | Living.    | Condition of Health. | Dead. | Cause of death. |
|-------------|------------|----------------------|-------|-----------------|
| FATHER..... | <u>yes</u> | <u>good</u>          |       |                 |
| MOTHER..... | <u>yes</u> | <u>good</u>          |       |                 |
| BROTHERS {  | <u>1</u>   | <u>good</u>          |       |                 |
| SISTERS {   | <u>1</u>   | <u>good</u>          |       |                 |

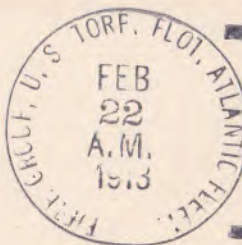
PERSONAL HISTORY: Good Health

REMARKS:



EXAMINATION FOR OUTING:

## Department of the Interior.

Mr. M. FriedmanSupt. U. S. Indian SchoolCarlislePennsylvania

6-3305

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February 20. 1913

Name Alvin W Kennedy  
(Please give name by which enrolled and also present or married name.)Tribe SenecaPresent Address U. S. S Jenkins Guantanamo Bay Cuba.Former Address Brooklyn Navy Yard N.Y.  
(Address from which we heard from you last.)Present Occupation Radiotelegraphy operatorRemarks: Just received this letter & so am sending it. Getting along fine. The service is alright working as (wired) operator



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July 28th, 1914.

Mr. A. W. Kennedy,  
U. S. S. Jenkins,  
C/o Postmaster, New York City.

My dear Friend:

I want to thank you for your favor of July the 24th, advising me what you have accomplished since your graduation three years ago. It is gratifying to get such letters as yours and to be assured anew that you give much of the credit for your success to the training that was given you at Carlisle.

I trust you will continue to like the work in the Navy and that you will win promotions as you continue in the service. You have my best wishes for the greatest success that can come to you.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Norfolk Va  
July 27 1914

H. O. H. Lippel  
Carlisle Penna.

Dear sir:

I shall write a short letter  
sending ~~my~~ thanks and appreciation  
of the June issue of "The Red man".

It surely is interesting. I have not  
read it thru as I have just returned  
from leave of absence granted  
to the crew of this ship.

We had just arrived from  
Mexican waters so you can  
see that we were right glad to  
step ashore once more.

I hardly have any time to visit  
the school when I should,  
namely, at commencement time.



ship being in southern  
at that time. going thru  
yearly manouvers and  
tactical problems necessary to  
the efficiency of the fleet. In fact  
there are several divisions  
of large ships and about  
six divisions of the torpedo boat  
destroyer class taking part in  
these exercises.

I am getting along fine  
left school in 1911 and a few  
months later enlisted in the  
navy. I like the work and  
surroundings.

I managed to visit the  
school around the Xmas  
holidays we are then in our  
home port so before going north  
I drop in to remind me of  
former school days.

ever holding a job  
and a selectman and wireless  
since enlisting so you  
can see I am contented.

Again I thank you for  
sending "The Red man". I shall  
subscribe for it later on at  
present we are having busy  
times doing repair work  
and have just finished experimental  
work

Hoping this will be proof  
of my appreciation of the catalogue  
I shall close

Very truly

A. W. Kennedy  
U. S. S. Jenkins

% P. M. M. Y City



A charming letter has been received from Alvin Kennedy, of whose travels since his graduation last March, his numerous friends at Carlisle will be interested to hear. He has been to Wisconsin, North Dakota, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and other provinces of northwestern Canada. He returned to his home in Killbuck, New York, in time to eat Christmas dinner with his own people. 306

506 **LIKES THE NAVY.**

A card from Alvin Kennedy, Carlisle '11, locates him now in Cuba, a "jackie" on one of our battle ships. He is getting on finely and is well-satisfied with his work having recently been promoted in position and in pay. He also expresses his regret in being unable to attend Commencement exercises this year as he will not return to the United States until April 7th.

1914

A very interesting letter was received from Alvin Kennedy, Class '11, who is on the U. S. S. *Jenkins* as a wireless operator. The *Jenkins* is at present in Philippine waters, but she is expected to sail for the "States" on April 10th—"too late for me to attend the Carlisle Commencement," Alvin writes regretfully. He adds that he is getting along nicely, is well treated, and the ocean life is agreeable to him. 1913

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Thompson R.I.  
May 1912.

Mrs. Wallace Denny  
Ind. School  
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

I shall write a short letter this p.m. Have entered the U.S. Navy and it is a fine place for healthy young fellows. I took an examination as a wireless telegraph operator and passed easily.

I hope you are getting along nicely with the small boys. There were five

warships here but three  
went away to target  
practice but will be back  
by next week. Expect to be  
shipped any day as the  
Atlantic fleet is due  
here by the 15<sup>th</sup> of June.

This is a fine place  
in summer.

If I get a furlough  
I expect to visit the school  
but I can not say for  
certain as it is summer  
and the fleet is coming.

Give my regards to the  
small boys

Goodby Mr. Denny  
+ Tom Alvin Kennedy  
Newport, R.I.

M.T.S

Barack's "C"





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Name Kennedy, Alvin

Age 20 Deg. Ind. blood  $\frac{1}{2}$

Address

% Walter Kennedy, Kilbuck, N. Y.

Information from Carlisle Indian School Date May 30, 1910  
State N. Y. Agency Tribe Seneca

POSITIONS FOR WHICH LISTED. SUITABILITY IN ORDER NAMED.

- |    |            |    |
|----|------------|----|
| 1. | Telegraphy | 2. |
| 3. | Farmer     | 4. |

Remarks: Has been working at Gettysburg Junction, Pa.  
for 2 years.

*Wm. Kennedy*  
*Box 16*

Killbuck. N.Y.  
 Aug-21<sup>st</sup>. 1891

M. Friedman Supt—  
 U. S. Indian School  
 Carlisle, Pa.

Sir:—

Would say, having received a letter from my son "Dillon Skye" stating that he would be leaving your School the first or second week in Sept—, I would like to have you send him home to me. to Salamanca. N.Y. will meet him at depot. please let me know date of his leaving. My son "Alvin" writes and tells me he is out in "H. Dakota" working for the C. N. W. R.R.

Very Resptly Yours—

Walter Kennedy

(Box 16)

Killbuck. N.Y.



# OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

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Seneca

Name of Student *Alvin Kennedy*

Home Address *Walter Kennedy - Killbuck, N.Y.*

Age at Entrance *17* Date of Entrance *Sept-12-1908* Shop

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

Patron *Mrs. J. V. Peck* Locality *Jullytown, Pa.*  
 Address *Jullytown, Pa.* R. R. Station *Jullytown, Pa.*  
 Recommended by *Jullytown, Pa.* Grade in School

Days in School

Conduct

Ability

Health

Earnings

*Ex. Ex*  
*Gd Gd*  
*Gd Gd*  
*15. 13.50*

Grade of Home Church *Methodist*

Date of Outing *June-2-1909* Date Returned *AUG 28 1909* Wages

*J. E. Hutton*  
*Carlisle, Pa.*

*Home*

*25*  
*25*  
*25*  
*5.*

## OUTING RECORD — CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

[illegible]



# RETURNED STUDENT.

## PART 1.

Report by Non-reservation Superintendent or Reservation School Principal.

School Carlisle Indian

Date March 21, 1911.

Name Alvin Kennedy Sex M Age 20 Deg. Indian Blood  $\frac{1}{2}$

Belongs, State N. Y. Agency \_\_\_\_\_ Tribe Seneca

Home address, whose care, etc. Walter Kennedy, Kilbuck, N. Y.

Grade in school Graduate health Excellent height 5'-6" weight 142

Number months instruction given pupil in each department, including music \_\_\_\_\_

Telegraphy, - 5 years.

Course completed Graduate, Class 1911. years in this school 8

Years spent in other schools and names of schools \_\_\_\_\_

Character and disposition Character (Excellent) Disposition (Very Good)

Recommended for what employment, suitability in order named, 1. Telegraphy

2. Farmer 3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks: Alvin Kennedy has been working at Gettysburg Junction Pa. for 2 yrs.

## PART 2.

Report by Agent or Reservation Superintendent.

Agency \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Date pupil returned from school \_\_\_\_\_ employed since return as follows \_\_\_\_\_

Are home and local conditions favorable \_\_\_\_\_

Should he receive assistance to find employment \_\_\_\_\_

At what employment do you think he would do best \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_



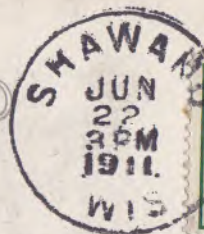
**Suggestions for Supplying the Information Requested on this Blank.**

1. The report of Non-reservation School Superintendents should be made at the time or a little before the pupil leaves school, whether at the end of the school year or during the year, provided the pupil is 18 years of age and over, or younger, if for any special reason the pupil is quitting school permanently. As soon as this report is received, or at least very soon after the pupil returns home, the Supervisor of Indian Employment will correspond with him, for the purpose of getting more in personal touch with the returned student, and finding out something about his wishes etc. The answer to this letter when received will be attached to and filed as part of this report.
2. Health, height, and weight of returned students are sometimes very essential in placing them properly, but height and weight could be approximated very satisfactorily, though from the pupil records now being gotten up, all information called for in part 1, of this blank, could readily be secured and be definite.
3. The State, Agency, and Tribe are important, and where the pupil is not attached to any agency, this fact should be stated as "no agency," and in such cases the Superintendents should give all available information as to the home and local conditions surrounding the pupil.
4. Where the out-going pupil has passed the Civil Service Examination for any position, this fact should always be noted, giving position for which examination was taken.
5. It should be remembered that the Supervisor of Indian Employment can but seldom have a personal acquaintance with the out-going student, and that he must depend on the information furnished in this report for his basis of action in behalf of the pupil.
6. The degree of Indian blood should always be stated, as this fact largely determines the amount of efforts that will be made on behalf of any particular returned student. Qualifications being equal or even nearly so, the preference will be given to those having the greatest degree of Indian blood.
7. This report should be forwarded promptly to the Supervisor of Indian Employment, Denver, Colorado.
8. Reports on out-going students from Reservation Schools, are made only on pupils leaving the school who are 18 years old or over, and who will probably not go away to school.
9. If Part 1, of this report is made out by the Principal of the Reservation School, the Agent or Reservation Superintendent should supply information called for in Part 2, if the Principal has not the necessary information on home surroundings and local conditions. Information in regard to home surroundings and local conditions is very essential to properly understand the pupils' difficulties and needs.
10. When Part One is made out by Non-reservation Superintendents, this blank will be sent by the Supervisor of Indian Employment to the Agent or Superintendent of the Reservation, where the out-going student belongs, to have Part 2 filled out. This should be filled out and returned to the Supervisor of Indian Employment, Denver, Colorado, as promptly as possible, for, practically nothing can be done, till the receipt of this blank, with Part 2 filled out by the Reservation authorities. The information "Employed since return as follows," will be valuable only in cases where the pupil has been home for some time.

C. AND N.W. DEPOT SHAWANO WIS.



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POST CARD



CORRESPONDENCE HERE

NAME AND ADDRESS HERE

Here's where I stick  
now. nice little  
town. Working night  
your student Alvin  
Kennedy. Hope every  
thing is going along nicely  
at Carlisle.

Mr. Wm Miller  
Indian School  
Carlisle  
Pa.



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Washington, D.C.  
July 8, 1918.

Mr. Alvin Kennedy

119 C. St. N. E. Washington, D.C.

Dear friend:-I am in receipt of your letter asking if it will be possible for you to secure a duplicate diploma to replace yours which has been lost. As we do not keep copies of these diplomas, the only thing I can suggest for you to do is to borrow a diploma from one of your class-mates and send here. We can then make a copy for you one one of the regular forms and you can send to the different ones who signed the diploma, for their signestures to the duplicate.

Very truly yours

Trav. Aud. in Charge.

NRD



Washington, D.C.

July 6, 1918.

To; Supt. Carlisle Indian School, Carlisle, Pa.

From; Kennedy A.W.

Subject: Duplicate Diploma.

Sir:

I am writing in reference, towards procuring a duplicate diploma, in place of the one I lost, which I considered very unfortunate.

I completed the academic course in the year of 1911 with an excellent average, a perusal of which I hope you will avail yourself attesting to my privilege of having a duplicate one issued me.

I am at present working for the Federal Government at the Washington Navy Yard, relative to the Radio-Telegraph part of which I have followed since leaving Carlisle.

I believe it is in line with the principles as set for all boys and girls who have successfully completed the course as offered at the Carlisle Indian School,

I trust you will give this matter an impartial investigation on your part so that I may abide in your verdict with the knowledge of knowing that I may have a duplicate issued me.

Respectfully,

*Alvin W. Kennedy*

119 C.St.N.E.  
Wash.D.C.

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NAME AT CARLISLE

Alvin Kennedy

PRESENT NAME

| DATE | INFORMATION<br>THROUGH | ADDRESS          | OCCUPATION  | ITEMS OF INTEREST | GRADE |
|------|------------------------|------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------|
| 1911 | Father                 | N.D.             | Telegrapher |                   |       |
| 1913 |                        | Guantanamo Bay   | C. N. P. P. |                   |       |
| 1914 |                        | Washington, D.C. | In Navy     |                   |       |



Kennedy, Alvin.  
Re. Tenroll. of

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Kennedy, Alvin 5507 Ex-stu.

Guardian - Mrs. Hattie Snow

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Father's file - Walter Kennedy

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Correspondence

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