

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

5619

NUMBER 4551 6351		ENGLISH NAME George Tibbets		AGENCY		NATION Chippewa			
BAND Ottetail		INDIAN NAME		HOME ADDRESS Rte Oakfield, Lengby, Minn.					
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX.	
FATHER, S.		MOTHER, S.	3/16	17	5'9"	135	35	31	M.
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Sep. 8, 11		FOR WHAT PERIOD Four years		DATE DISCHARGED Dec. 14, 1917		CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Given position Asst. Director			
TO COUNTRY		PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS					FROM COUNTRY		
6-14-12		Samuel W. Tibbets, Langhorne, Pa.					8-31-12		
6-3-13		Frank Hoffmann, Rte 8 Carlisle, Pa.					7-15-13		
5-18-14		On leave Returned					9-9-14		
6-14-15		On leave					6-24-15		
7-1-15		Geo. A. Kohnert, Camp Kohnert, Oxford, Me.					9-4-15		
6-28-16		Reenrolled Sept 6-15 for one year					9-1-16		
6-1-17		Reenrolled for 1 yr. Sept 2, 1916 Anting - G. A. Kohnert, Oxford, Me.					9-2-16		
							9-1-17		

Months in school before Carlisle, 45

Trade entered at,

Trade at,

Trade or Industry,

Church,

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL

5619

DEGREE
OF
INDIAN
BLOOD.

NAME OF AGENCY AND RESER-
VATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT,
POST OFFICE OF FAMILY.

No. 4551

NAME.

AGE.

TRIBE.

George Tibbets

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Chippewa

3/16

Lengby, Minn

Months
in
school
before
enroll-
ment
here.

IN WHAT GRADE
OR ROOM.

On
entering
here.

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.)

DATE ENTERED.

Sept 8, 1911

45

TO COUNTRY

FROM COUNTRY

DATE DISCHARGE

Sept 19/13

45

No. 10

Leave 5-18-14

9-9-14 = L

April 1914

No. 11

" 6-14-15

L = 6-24-15

Sept. 14

11

7-1-15

SEP 4 1915

" 1915

11

6-29-16

SEP 1 1916

" 1916

X

JUN - 1 1917

SEP - 1 1917

DEC 1 4 1917

Epis.

Progress from _____, to _____,

(Date)

(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*

Department standing*

Physical condition

Remarks:

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June 7, 1917.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of April 28, 1917, in which you direct attention to that paragraph of the Declaration of Policy in the Administration of Indian Affairs which refers to Indian students over 21 years of age and who have completed the full course of instruction in the Government schools, being declared competent.

In accordance with these directions I have the honor to report that George Tibbets, ~~age~~ 23/16 blood Chippewa Indian, 23 years of age, was graduated from Carlisle, having passed his examination, on May 24, 1917.

Superintendent Hinton of the White Earth Agency reports that George has no individual Indian money at his agency but that he has original allotment No. 2231, comprising the S/2 of SW/4, Section 3, Township 146, N., Range 40 W. 5th P.M., containing 80 acres. This tract is a sandy loam covered with brush and valued at \$1000.

It appears that he also owns additional allot-

6/7/17

at No. 1626, comprising the W/2 of SE/4, Section 2, Township 146 N., Range 38 W. 5th P.M., containing 80 acres. The tract is brush land and has a light sandy loam soil and is valued at \$640.

The Superintendent invites attention to the fact that George owns this land in fee simple by virtue of the Act of June 21, 1916, which vested fee title to their allotments of land in all adult mixed blood Indians of the White Earth Reservation.

Principal Blair reports that George is one of the best qualified of our graduates. He is always dependable and willing to do what he should to the best of his ability. He is a good student, a hard worker, and a fine boy in every way. He is particularly well qualified in athletics, music (band), indoor gymnasium, and as a drillmaster in the school battalion.

Director of Mechanic Arts Bradley reports that George Tibbetts (Thompson's) morals are beyond reproach and he has enough education and ability to make his way in the world.

George Tibbetts Thompson has the appearance of a white man and acts like a white man in all of his dealings. He is a splendid young man, honorable, ambitious and energetic, and perfectly capable of managing his own affairs.

Apparently no further steps are necessary to be taken in his case, unless it would be the issuance of a

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certificate of competency. If this is deemed
advisable I most strongly recommend that it be
done.

Very truly yours,

JF:E

Superintendent.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING COMPETENCY
OF GEORGE TIBBETTS A GRADUATE OF
CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL.

(See report dated 6/7/17)

NAME:	George Tibbetts
AGE:	22
SEX:	Male
TRIBE:	Chippewa
DEGREE OF BLOOD	3/16
GRADUATED:	Tentative Course of Study
COURSE PURSUED:	Carpentry
HEALTH:	Good
HOW PERSONAL FUNDS HANDLED:	He is careful in spending his money.

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH:

His mother is Mrs. Kate W. Wakefield of Deer River, Minnesota. She has a grammar school education. George has 80 acres of land covered with brush and 80 acres more that it sandy and covered with stumps. He was reared on a farm and worked on farms under the Outing two summers. Since coming to Carlisle he has worked in the print shop about 4 years, two years in the carpenter shop, two summer on farms and two summers at athletics. He is well equipped in band work, athletics, and as a carpenter, and as a disciplinarian.

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December 4th, 1915,

Mr. John R. Howard,
Superintendent,
White Earth, Minn.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 30th, ult. enclosing
check of \$18.50 in favor of George Thompson. *Fibbetts*

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
United States Indian Service.
WHITE EARTH AGENCY

White Earth, Minn.,

Nov. 30, 1915

Mr. D. H. Lippert, Supt.
U. S. Indian School
Carlisle, Penn.

Sir:- For your delivery
Geo. Thompson's

I am inclosing herewith check covering your
annuity for the year 1915, as follows:

Check No. 14337 for 1 Shares, amount \$ 18.50
Check No. for Shares, amount \$
Check No. for Shares, amount \$

Very respectfully,

JOHN R. HOWARD,

Superintendent.



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May 16th, 1914.

Mrs. Geo. Wakefield,
Bora, Minnesota.

My dear Madam:

This is to inform you that your son, George Tibbetts, has been given permission to return home and that arrangements will be completed to have him leave here on Monday evening of next week. Transportation will be procured for his use, for which he will make payment from his personal funds.

Hoping that George will succeed in finding employment for the summer months and that it can be arranged in some way for him to continue with his education, I am,

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Copy to Superintendent Howard.

May 16th, 1914.

Mr. McKean:

George Tibbetts is to leave for his home in Minnesota, on train at 5.41 on Monday evening, May the 18th. You will please report him "on leave".

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Name of Student

George Tibbetts

Home Address

321
Minn. Chippewa
Katie Nabezfeld, Lengby, Tribe

Age at Entrance

17

Date of Entrance

9-8-'11

Shop

7 8 9 10 11 12 1 2 3 4 5 6 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

6-14-'12

Date Returned

8-31-'12

Wages

Earnings

Ges. A. Kohnert
Camp Kohnert, Oxford, Me.
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Retd 6-28-16 9-1-16
7-1-15- 9-4-15-

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

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Mr. George Tibbetts,

FEB -2 1918

(Through Supt. Carlisle School).

My dear Mr. Tibbetts:

It gives me pleasure to hand you the inclosed certificate of educational competency, because I believe you have earned it by faithful attention to your studies and by efforts to prove yourself worthy of the opportunities afforded you in the Government Indian Schools. I note that you completed the course in carpentry and have had experience in the print shop and on farms and that you enjoy athletics. This is a good combination that must have given you practical and helpful training which with good health should safely equip you for successful management of your own affairs.

I am anxious that you shall do well and trust that in the management of any property you will exercise careful judgment and forethought and avoid enterprises in which you would have to assume much risk.

I want you to know that I am personally interested in your welfare and would like you to write me after one year has elapsed and tell me how you are getting on, with something of your plans and prospects. I shall ask your School and Reservation Superintendents to report to me at that time about you.

Should you hereafter desire to apply under applicable laws for a patent in fee or for the removal of any restrictions on land allotted to you, the inclosed certificate will show that you are educationally qualified to make free use of your property, and, in the absence of later information or developments to the contrary, will be so recognized if submitted to me for consideration in connection with the action then to be determined.

With best wishes for your success, I am,

Sincerely yours, *(Signed) Cato Sells*

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March
Fourth,
1918

Mr. E. Hubert Litchfield,
Major, A. S., Sig. R. C.,
Office of the Chief Signal Officer,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Mr. George W. Tibbetts has advised me that he has made application for admission to the Aviation section of the Signal Corps as a skilled worker in certain trades.

George W. Tibbetts is a 3/16 blood Chippewa from the White Earth reservation, Minnesota. He enrolled in Carlisle in 1911 and graduated in 1917. Prior to that time he attended the Pipestone Indian School for three years and the Tower Indian School for 2½ years, at which institution he was Lieutenant and Captain of his company. He was, 3½ years, Captain of a company at this school which four times won the prize in Competitive drills. He has spent three summers at a Summer Camp as Councilor and at the present time is employed at this school as director of athletics.

George is a man of the highest character. He is capable of handling men as shown by his experience. He is absolutely to be depended upon at all times. He was Captain of the Indian School football team for the season of 1917.

In addition to the above, Mr. Tibbetts received Industrial training and graduated in the course of Carpentry as given at this school. He is a young man of real ability and unquestionably would be of value to the Military Service of the United States.

Sincerely yours,

JF-E

Superintendent

REPORT OF George Tibbitts pupil of Carlisle Indian
School, who went 6/25/16 to live with Geo. & Robert
of Oxford (Post Office), me (County), Oxford Me Railroad Station
(State)

Conduct Excellent
Health Good
Ability Excellent
Cleanliness Good
Economy Good
Situation of Room Was not visited
Condition of Room " " "
Condition of Clothing " " "
Wages \$50.00 Fifty dollars per month.
Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes
Are careful accounts kept by pupil? yes
Number of days at school Summer Outing
Distance to school " " "
Grade or quality of school " " "
Name and address of teacher " " "
Qualifications of teacher " " "
In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? " " "
In what grade is pupil at present? " " "
Attends what church and Sunday school? Not visited
Distance to church " " "
Is there a Catholic church in locality? " " "
Who compose patron's family? " " "
What other help is employed? " " "
Locality of home " " "
Home life and environments " " "
Trade at school " " "
Nature of work Camp Outing
Pupil's age 19 Experience Good

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

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Handwritten: H.H. L. and
January 6, 1917.

JAN 6, 1917.

The H.C. Lilley and Company
Columbus, Ohio.

The H.C. Lilley and Company

Columbus, Ohio.

Sirs:-

Sirs:-

I enclose herewith \$.77 in stamps to pay the bill
for the same amount. I enclose herewith stamps amounting to

Respectfully,
Very truly yours

Chief Clerk in Charge.

NRD
Inclosure

23658
5-1100

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

ADDRESS ONLY THE
COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

WASHINGTON

FEB -2 1918

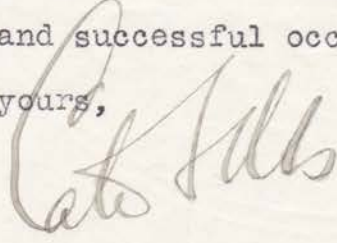
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Mr. John Francis, Jr.,

Supt. Carlisle School.

My dear Mr. Francis:

As indicated in the inclosed copy of my letter of this date to one of your graduates, George Tibbetts, I shall be pleased to receive from you a year hence any information you may have or can conveniently obtain as to the progress of this graduate in the way of self-support and successful occupation.

Sincerely yours,


Commissioner.

May 5th, 1916.

Mr. Frank T. Mann,
Superintendent, U. S. Indian School,
Pipestone, Minn.

My dear Mr. Mann:

George Tibbetts, one of our very best boys, has come to this office with a request that I take up with you the matter of securing an application for the transfer to Carlisle of his brother Elmer, now enrolled at the Pipestone School. It has been pointed out to George that if his brother has not completed the work that can be given him at Pipestone it will be required that he return there if he desires to continue with his education. However, George fears that his brother will go home at the termination of his period of enrolment and that he will not return to Pipestone.

Will you please take time to let me hear from you regarding the case and what can be done to carry out the wishes of the older brother?

With sincere regards, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

Febr. 3rd, 1916.

Mr. L. C. Leshar,
Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

My dear Sir:

I am sending George Tibbetts to you with a piece of suiting that has been awarded him by the Athletic Association at this school. He will be allowed an amount of \$15.00 to pay for the tailoring of the suit and your bill for that amount, signed by the bearer of this communication, will be given prompt attention if it is sent direct to me. If more than the amount specified above is required to pay for the tailoring that is desired by George he will have to pay for the additional amount from his own funds.

Very truly yours,

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Manager of Athletics.

No. _____

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE.



Carlisle, Penna. September 19th, 1913.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to recommend that I be authorized to approve
the checks of George Tibbetts,
whose balance in bank is \$_____, in the amounts and
for the purposes specified below:

For the purchase of a clarionet,

ck 21742

AMOUNT OF AUTHORITY.	EXPENDITURES.	
	DATE.	AMOUNT.
50.00		

C. H. S.

Agent or Superintendent.

Approved: _____

Second Assistant

Commissioner.

Date, _____

SEP 27 1913

Department of the Interior.

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The SuperintendentUnited States Indian SchoolCarlislePennsylvania

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Mr. Meyers:

I returned home safe and sound. Mr. McMillin said he would send that Bank book up to you. I did not have time to come up and tell you.

Yours truly

Geo. F. Biddle

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

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Date of report *April 27, 1915*

Name of child *George Tibbetts* Age *21* Grade *7th*

Home post office *Bena, Minnesota*

Tribe *Chippewa* Degree of Indian blood *$\frac{1}{4}$*

How many acres of land do you own *160 Acres* Location *White Earth Res.*

What is the annual income from your land *none*

Do you have any other income *no* How much *not any*

Is your father living *no*

Father's name *R. G. Tibbetts*

Home post office

Tribe *White man* Degree of Indian blood

Is he a citizen

How much land does he own Allotment No.

What is its estimated value

What is the annual income from his land

Does he have any other income

If so, how much

Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property

Is your mother living *yes*

Mother's name *Mrs. Geo. W. Wakefield*

Home post office *Bena, Minn*

Tribe *Chippewa* Degree of Indian blood *$\frac{1}{2}$*

Is she a citizen *no*

How much land does your mother own *not any* Allotment No.

What is its estimated value

What is the annual income from her land.....

Does she have any other income..... *No.*

If so, how much..... *not any*

Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property..... *No*

With whom do you make your home..... *My mother*

How many rooms in the house..... *3*

How many live in the house..... *4*

How far is your home from the nearest public school..... *9 miles*

Why do you not attend that school..... *No tracks to learn.*

..... *No music lessons. Too far to walk.*

How many teachers employed there..... *3*

How many grades maintained..... *7 or 8*

How many months of school each year..... *9 mo.*

Did you ever attend a public school..... *Yes.*

If so, how long..... *2 years* Where..... *Cass Lake & Lehigh, Minn.*

How many brothers of school age have you..... *1*

How many sisters of school age have you..... *none*

Are they in school..... *Yes*

Where..... *Pipulone Minn.*

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.

DUPLICATE

A G R E E M E N T

THIS AGREEMENT ENTERED into this 13th day of June, 1915, between KAMP KOHUT and MR. GEORGE TIBBETTS,
WITNESSETH:

THAT KAMP KOHUT engages the services of Mr. George Tibbetts as camp councilor, at Oxford, Maine, and agrees to defray Mr. Tibbetts' transportation from New York City to KAMP KOHUT and return, and all other expenses of maintenance, laundry, etc., and to pay a fee of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for the entire season of nine weeks, beginning with July 1st, 1915 and ending with September 3rd, 1915. KAMP KOHUT stipulates that Mr. Tibbetts devote his time and attention exclusively to the care of the camp community and that he pledge himself to fulfill the duties imposed by his office to the best of his ability.

KAMP KOHUT.

per

Robert H. E. Kohut
Director

Geo. Tibbetts
Councilor

WITNESSED BY Elinor Sachs

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May 15th, 1916.

Mr. F. T. Mann,
Superintendent, The Indian School,
Pipestone, Minn.

My dear Mr. Mann:

When your letter of the 9th instant was referred to George Tibbetts at this school he reiterated what he stated when first he mentioned the matter of his brother's transfer and that is that he fears the younger brother will return to his home at the close of this school year and that he will then refuse to return to Pipestone at the opening of the next school year. However, it is hoped that George's fears are unwarranted and that there is something you can do to insure the brother's return to continue with his work under you.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

PIPESTONE SCHOOL, MINN.

May 9, 1916.



Superintendent O. H. Lipps,
U. S. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps:

I have your letter of May 5th with enclosures, in which you say that George Tibbetts wishes the enrolment of his brother Elmer in the Carlisle school upon completion of his term of enrolment here next June.

In answer I have to say that Elmer is in the fifth grade and is rather small for his age. There is much that he can do at Pipestone before being transferred to another school and in view of paragraph No. 119a of the Rules which expressly prohibits the transfer of pupils from one non-reservation school to another, except upon good cause, I do not approve Elmer's transfer at this time. There is absolutely no reason why he should go to Carlisle yet, except that his brother is there, which in my opinion does not constitute a sufficient reason.

Please do not understand from this that I will oppose the transfer of any pupil whose case warrants

it. Under the present management, I believe that Carlisle is one of the best schools in the Service and when one of our pupils reaches a status that warrants transfer, I shall not hesitate to endorse the same. In my estimation, Circular No. 1044, if properly enforced, will do much towards correcting the worst evil of the Indian school system and regardless of what effect it may have on my particular work, I wish to do everything in my power to carry out its provisions.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. J. Mann".

Superintendent.

FTM:K

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February 27, 1917.

To the Officer in Charge:-

Sir:-

The bearer, Captain George Tibbetts, one of my
trusty officers in the Indian School at Carlisle, Pennsylvania,
desires to visit your institution in the interests of his
work at Carlisle. He will appreciate any courtesies you
may be able to extend to him.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

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KAMP KOHUT
- 302 West 87th Street -
New York City

May 10th, 1917

Dear George:- *7-10-17*

I am in receipt of your invitation for the Commencement Exercises of your school and keenly regret that it will not be my pleasure to witness this historic occasion. I have no doubt, judging from the program, that it will be most interesting and that your part in it will reflect considerable credit upon you. However, I take pleasure in extending to you my hearty felicitations upon this event, in my own name as well as on Mr. Friedrich's and Mr. Kugel's behalf, and trust that this may be the beginning of a brilliant and useful career, in the furtherance of which we are all vitally interested. You have shown so much dignity, manliness and loyalty in your work that I have no doubt that you will acquit yourself with honor in any task of responsibility with which you may be charged. I hope that it may be my privilege to assist you in securing some congenial employment in the Fall, and, if there is anything I can do now to help you get located, please command my services.

I am hoping that nothing may prevent your coming to us this summer and that, in the event of a draft, you and your friend, Vigil, may not be obliged to cancel your engagement at camp. We have already lost some of our best men on this account, and it would be a source of deep regret to us to be compelled to give you up. However, the country's welfare comes first, and, if you think there is any likelihood of your inability to join us, I wonder whether you could secure for us two or three of the older graduates, who may be disengaged and could arrange to spend the summer at camp. In view of the present draft age limit, I cannot expect any of the present students to come to us, and it is just possible that your Superintendent may have on file the names of other eligible men whom he could recommend for our purpose.

With cordial personal greetings, I am,

Very faithfully yours,

Samuel H. Kugel

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AVIATION SECTION SIGNAL CORPS
AVIATION CAMP WACO, TEXAS

51st Squadron

March 25, 1918.

Dear Mr. Francis:

I am getting along fine. We are doing some good hard work digging ditches, and piling wood, but I am not have any trouble to ^{do} as much work as the other fellows. The most of them are soft guges, that never did work I guess.

We have not received our uniforms yet, nor our special places. I will tell you

more about the place, after
I get in the hand, and the
things get to going good.

I have not had the
chance to show them what
I can do in drilling yet.
Just wait until I get to
skipping notes in the
hand, then I ^{shall} have some
thing to tell you.

I have not seen anyone
from Carlisle since I came
down here.

Best regards to yourself
and Mrs. Francis.

I am your friend,

Geo. Libbitt
51st Squadron
Aviation Camp
Waco, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

May 24, 1917

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This certifies that

George Tibbetts

(Name of student.)

has made the following record in

Carlisle Indian School

(Name of school.)

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.

GRADE.

RATING.

English

4th Voc.

88

General Exercises

91

Field Crops

85

Plant Diseases

84

Insects and Insecticides

84

Rural Economics

89

Carpentry

92

Effort

Deportment

DETAILS SERVED.

LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.

RATING.

and is or is not eligible to pursue work in the _____ grade, academic; and
(Cancel one.)

_____ grade or year vocational.

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(Cancel one.)

_____ grade or year vocational.

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APPLICATION OF

George Wakefield

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

George Tibbells

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pa.

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Date of enrollment, Aug. 25, 1911

Term of enrollment, Four (4) 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 _____

of George Libbells Carlisle, Pa.; date of birth 1894;
(Name of child.) (Sex.)
Chippewa
(Tribe.)

NAME OF FATHER. (Both Indian and English.)	LIVING OR DEAD.	TRIBE.	BAND.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.
<u>George Wakefield</u> <u>(Stepfather)</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Chippewa</u>	<u>Attentail</u>	<u>1/4</u>
NAME OF MOTHER. <u>Katie Wakefield</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>3/8</u>

I, George Wakefield, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to his
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
 enrollment in said school for a period of four 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.
<u>1 Pipestone Minn</u>	<u>Sep 1904</u>	<u>June 1907</u>	<u>close of school</u>	<u>3rd</u>
<u>2 Vermillion Lake Minn</u>	<u>Sep 1909</u>	<u>June 1911</u>	<u>close of school</u>	<u>5th</u>
<u>3.</u>				
<u>4.</u>				

Katie Wakefield
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O. address: Lengby
Minnesota

Two witnesses:

Wm W. Abbott
Birdette Abbott

GOVERNMENT 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 28 day of Aug., 1911

Wm W. R. Pratt

Physician at White Earth Minn. Agency

RESERVATION BONDED SUPERINTENDENT'S CERTIFICATE.

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 the said child. The economic conditions of this pupil's home are (here state facts which will enable the Superintendent of the nonreservation school to give the pupil such instruction and training as may best prepare him to meet these conditions, if he is to return to them):

This 31st day of Aug, 1911

John R. Howard
W. R. W. Superintendent.

NONRESERVATION SCHOOL PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

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 _____, 1911

Nonreservation 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

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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—

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Carlisle Pa.

NAME George Libbells Sex { Male. Female. }
 Tribe { Part } Chippewa State Minnesota Aug 28, 1911
 Age 17 years Respiration normal Condition of, Eyes Good
 Height 5 ft. 9 ins. Mensuration { Insp. 35 Ears normal
 Weight 135 lbs. { Exp. 31 Throat "
 Temperature normal Vaccination yes Cervical glands "
 Pulse " Vision Good Skin "
 Inspection negative
 Palpation "
 Percussion "

Auscultation normal
 Heart "
 (Menstruation) "

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father			1	<u>Pneumonia</u>
Mother	1	<u>Good</u>		
Brothers	1	<u>"</u>		
Sisters			1	<u>unknown</u>

Personal history measles + mumps

Present condition Good

Wm W. Abbott, M. D.

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Age _____ Sex { Male. / Female. } Tribe { Full / 1/ } _____ Residence _____
(On _____, 19____)

6—1955

Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully

BRIEF.

Application of

George Tibbets

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

himself

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

White Earth, Minn.

Date of enrollment

Sept. 2nd

191*6*.

Term of enrollment

One

(*1*) years

Printed by Carlisle Indians.

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 Non-reservation 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 Carlisle, Pa.
George Tibbetts; M.; date of birth 1895
 (Name of Child) (Sex)
Chippewa
 (Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER (Both Indian and English)	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
Rock Tibbetts	D.			0
NAME OF MOTHER				
Katie Tibbetts Wakefield	L.	Chippewa	1/2	

I, Geo. Tibbetts, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to my
 enrollment in said school for a period of one years, and also obligate myself to abide by all
 the rules and regulations for Indian Schools.
 (Not less than 9)

The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL	DATE OF ENROLLMENT	DATE OF DISCHARGE	CAUSE	GRADE
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				

Geo. Tibbetts
 (Parent, guardian, or next of kin)
 P. O. address: Carlisle
Pa.

Two Witnesses:

Harvey K. Meyer

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This.....day of....., 19.....

Physician at.....Agency.

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Agent or Superintendent.

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FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

himself

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

White Earth, Minn.

Date of enrollment *Sept. 6th* 191*5*

Term of enrollment *One* (*1*) years

Printed by Carlisle Indians.

Ed. June 13-6000

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Chippewa
(Tribe)

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NAME OF MOTHER				
Kate Wakefield	L.	Chippewa		1/2

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TRADE RECORD, CARLISLE.

En. 321

PUPIL *George Tibbitts*

TRADE *Printing.*

ABILITY *Fair. New boy.*

CONDUCT *Good.*

REMARKS *Earning nicely.*

INSTRUCTOR *E. H. Miller.*

NAME

Geo. Libbetts

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Sex { Male.
Female.

Tribe

Full
3/16

Chippewa

State

Minn.

Sept 11, 1911

Age

17

years

Respiration

15

Condition of, Eyes

OK

Height

5' 8 1/2"

ins.

Mensuration

Insp.

36

Ears

OK

Weight

136

lbs.

Exp.

32

Throat

OK

Temperature

98.2

Vaccination

Sept 11-11

Cervical glands

OK

Pulse

76

Vision

Skin

OK.

Inspection

OK

Palpation

OK

Percussion

OK

Auscultation

OK

Heart

OK no murmurs.

(Menstruation)

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father			yes	P
Mother	yes	well		
Brothers	1	"		
Sisters				

Personal history

measles, mumps, whooping cough.

Present condition

good.

Elmer Hise, M. D.

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George Tibbetts

PRESENT NAME

Tibbets, Geo.

5619

Mrs. Kate Wakefield - guardian

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