

April 29th, 1915.

My dear Mr. Dickey:

I submit below for your information and guidance a copy of a part of a letter that has been received here from Superintendent Henderson of the Cherokee School in North Carolina:

"The mother of James Graybeard reports that she has not been receiving letters from James. She says that she understands that he has been sent to the country and that she does not hear from him. She has the idea that he is not being properly supervised and asks that if he is not that he be returned to the school."

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Mr. D. H. Dickey,
Boys' Agent, U. S. Ind. Schl. at Carlisle,
Newtown, Pa.

5845
Deceased

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 5374	ENGLISH NAME Jas. Graybeard	AGENCY	NATION Cherokee					
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Moses Vilnoty Cherokee, N. C.						
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD 1/2	AGE 14	HEIGHT 5ft.	WEIGHT 89	FORCED INSP. 31	FORCED EXPR. 29 1/2	SEX M
FATHER L	MOTHER L	ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Jan. 28, 1915		FOR WHAT PERIOD Three years	DATE DISCHARGED Feb. 1-16	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Deceased.		
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS						FROM COUNTRY	
4-1-15	D. H. Dickey, Newtown, Pa.						8-15-15	
9-2-15	W. I. Lathrop, New Hope, Pa.							

SHAW-WALKER, MUSKOGEE, MICHIGAN. 43445

Months in school before Carlisle, 10 yrs.

Grade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Methodist

7 mi. to public school

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Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully

BRIEF.

Application of

Moses Wikert

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

James Guybeard

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Date of enrollment 191⁵

Term of enrollment (3) 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 Carlisle, Pa.

of James Greybeard; Male; date of birth 1901
(Name of Child) (Sex)
Eastern Cherokee
(Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER <small>(Both Indian and English)</small>	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<u>John Greybeard</u>	<u>dead</u>	<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Eastern</u>	<u>4/24</u>
<u>Hazelton Wilnoty</u>	<u>living</u>	<u>white</u>	<u>---</u>	<u>---</u>

I, Moses Wilnoty, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to his enrollment in said school for a period of three 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 ENROLLMENT	DATE OF DISCHARGE	CAUSE	GRADE
1. <u>Cherokee Boarding</u>	<u>1905</u>	<u>1915</u>	<u>Transfer Carlisle</u>	<u>Fifth</u>
2.				
3.				
4.				

Moses Wilnoty
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: Cherokee

Two Witnesses: M. C.

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 26th day of January, 1912.

Leo L. Elliott

Physician at Cherokee Agency.

CERTIFICATE OF AGENT OR 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 Moses Wisnoly
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This 11th day of Jan., 1913.

James Anderson
Agent or Superintendent.

SPECIAL NOTE.

This form must be executed in duplicate when a child is transferred from a reservation to a non-reservation 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.

Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully

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 is living, and if neither of them is 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.

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NAME James Graybeard. Sex Male. Female.

Tribes ^{Fam} 1/2 Cherokee State N. C. January 26, 1915

Age 14 years Respiration 18 Condition of, Eyes Trachoma

Height 5 ft. — ins. Mensuration { Insp. 34 Ears normal

Weight 89 lbs. { Exp. 29 1/2 Throat normal

Temperature 98.8 Vaccination yes Cervical glands normal

Pulse 90 Vision good Skin normal

Inspection normal

Palpation normal fremitus

Percussion normal

Auscultation normal sounds

Heart normal

(Menstruation) _____

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father			dead	unknown
Mother	living	good health		
Brothers	2 (husb)	good health		
Sisters	5	good health	1	unknown

Personal history _____

Present condition _____

Leo L Elliott, 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.

5845

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL

No. 5877		NAME.		AGE.	TRIBE.		DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.	NAME OF AGENCY AND RESERVATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT, POST OFFICE OF FAMILY.	
Graybeard, James		14		Cherokee		2		Cherokee, N.C.	
DATE ENTERED.	Months in school before enrollment here.	IN WHAT GRADE OR ROOM.		Distance to nearest public school from pupil's home.	REMARKS. (Temporarily absent, outing, deserters, on sick leave, special authorities for enrollment, etc.)				
		On entering here.	At date of this report.						
1-28-15	10			7	TO COUNTRY		FROM COUNTRY		DATE DISCHARGED
Sept, 1915	~	~	IV	~	APR 1 1915 SEP 2 1915		8-15-15 Died		~ 2-1-16

Methodist
1859

Progress from _____ (Date) to _____ (Date)

FIRST YEAR IN THIS SCHOOL	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.
Class or grade								
Academic standing*								
Industrial standing* (Department)								
Musical: Band standing*								
Vocal standing*								
Orchestra standing*								
Department standing*								
Physical condition								

Remarks: _____

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Mrs. Moses

afternoon.

February 2, 1916.

Mrs. Moses Wilnoty
Cherokee, N. C.

Dear Madam:-

Following up my telegrams to Mr. Henderson regarding your son James, I have to say that this morning I have two letters from Mr. Dickey, one written Monday night and the other Tuesday morning. In the first one he says, "James is resting easier tonight but is still quite sick. It seems that he got hurt at school while playing, then took cold which makes him very sore. Dr. Doan will see him in the morning and if he is able to travel, we will return him to Carlisle."

The other letter says, "James is dangerously ill this morning. Dr. Doan is changing his medicine and says a change one way or the other must come soon. He pronounces his trouble double pneumonia. I will stay with him day and night and give him all the care I can. The doctor says we cannot possibly move him to a hospital at present and we will know in 24 hours what turn he is to take."

The first knowledge we had that James was sick, came to us Monday morning in the form of a telegram from his country-father. This message stated that he was taken sick the 27th with inflammatory rheumatism. Mr. Dickey went to him immediately and was with him constantly until his death which occurred at 1:45, Tuesday

Misses Wilnoty-2

afternoon. I wired Mr. Dickey immediately to have the body prepared for shipment and am now waiting to hear from Mr. Henderson so I shall know where to send it.

Sallie left early this morning for Philadelphia where Miss Johnston, the girls' visiting agent will meet her and take her out to see her brother. Had we known sooner that James was so dangerously ill, Sallie could have gone out with Mr. Dickey, but we had no way of knowing the turn his illness would take.

James was a splendid little boy in every way and endeared himself to his playmates and teachers here. While we cannot understand why he should be taken away just at the beginning of a life which seemed so full of promise, it is not for us to question the works of the Great Ruler of us all. My sympathy and the sympathy of the whole school is extended to you in this hour of your great bereavement.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

5-43

Name of Student

James Graybeard

Home Address

Cherokee, N. C.

Tribe

Cherokee

Age at Entrance

14

Date of Entrance

1-28-15

Shop

JAN.

FEB.

MAR.

APR.

MAY

JUNE

JULY

AUG.

SEPT.

OCT.

NOV.

DEC.

TOTAL OR AVERAGE

Patron

D. H. Dickey

Locality

Days in School

Address

Newtown, Pa.

R. R. Station

Conduct

Recommended by

Grade in School

Ability

Grade of Home

Church

Health

Date of Outing

4-1-15

Date Returned

8-15-15

Wages

Earnings

5. 6. 8⁰⁰ 8. 8 8 8

Geo. W. Row
Yardley, Pa.

21
y.
F.
y.

10-8-15 - 2-1-16 - Died of pneumonia

20 18

y Ex. Ex y. Ex y y y y

y v.y. Ex v.y. y y 7. 7. 7.

y v.y. y y y y y y

Febr. 12th, 1916.

My dear Mr. Henderson:

I am having enclosed herewith for your information a copy of the letter reporting to the Office the death of James Graybeard.

You are advised further that in compliance with the suggestion contained in your favor of the 10th instant Mr. Row and Mr. Dickey are being requested to write to you full particulars relative to the illness and death of the young man. It will be a favor if you will then reassure the sorrying mother of the boy further that he was well cared for and that the complete particulars of his illness were contained in my letter to her on the second instant.

Very truly yours,

Encl.

HKM.

Superintendent.

Mr. James E. Henderson,
Supt., The Cherokee Agency,
Cherokee, N. C.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Cherokee Indian School,
Cherokee, N.C., Feb. 10, 1916.

Mr. G. E. Lipps,

Supt. U. S. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

My dear Mr. Lipps;

The body of James Greybeard arrived in good condition at Cherokee last Saturday morning and it was taken by school conveyance to his Mother's home. It goes without saying that his Mother is very much hurt over the death of her son. She wishes to know all of the particulars relative to his illness and death. I will be glad if you will write the Mother and also have his country parents write her in detail regarding the matter. A letter from Mr. Dickey would also be acceptable. I think it wise to do this for the influence it will have on parents of prospective students for your school.

Very respectfully,

James E. Hudson
Superintendent.

March 6, 1916.

Mrs. Moses Wilnoty
Cherokee, N. C.

Dear Madam:-

Your letter dated February 29th has been received. Mr. Dickey wrote you a letter last Saturday telling you about your son's last hours. I hope this is what you want.

I am sorry that there has to be delay in getting the money to you but I have to follow out the instructions of the Indian Office and to do this requires time. It is not possible to send you this money direct. It has to be taken up by the Indian Office first.

I enclose another check for Ten Cents, made payable to Mr. Henderson which you will have to take to him. This is some interest money.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Feb 23

Cherokee, N. C.

Feb - 29. 1916.

Dear Sean

I will now write you
a few lines to let you
know that the trunk
has come to Cherokee
and now we want his
money because we have to
get up the money some
way pay the express
to get the trunk I went
to Mr. Henderson to get the
money. But he said he would
pay us the money when

we heard from the
Indian Office. I don't know
that he will pay us
money soon. we wait.
I wish you would have
sent it to us you sent it to
the post office at Cherokee
I would be glad if you
had. I wish you would
ask Mr. Dickey how James
took to him before he died
and tell him to write to
us and tell us what he
said to him well this is about

all I have to say for
this time. write just
as soon as you can.
and tell Sallie to write
to us so good by to
you all.

from Mrs. Moses Wilkety

To Mr. O. H. Gipps

February 15, 1916.

Mr. George W. Row
Yardley, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

I have had a letter from Mr. Henderson who is now Superintendent of the Cherokee School from which place James Graybeard came to us. He says James' mother is very anxious to get all the particulars regarding the illness and death of her boy. It would be some consolation to the grief-stricken mother to give her this information and I wish that you or some member of your family could take the time to write to her. Her name and address are Mrs. Moses Wilnoty, Cherokee, N. C.

Mr. Dickey who is here just now is going to write to the mother but I thought it would be well for you to write also.

I will appreciate it if you could do this at your earliest opportunity.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

February 17, 1916.

Mrs. George W. Row
Yardley, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

I have had an inquiry from the mother of James Graybeard concerning his little belongings. She would like to have them. Mr. Dickey informs me that his trunk is packed and ready to ship. Will you please send this by express, charges collect, to Mrs. Moses Wilnoty, Cherokee, N. C. I will write her to day that you will do this.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

James Dickey

February 17, 1916.

Mrs. Moses Wilnoty
Cherokee, N. C.

Dear Mrs. Wilnoty:-

I have your inquiry concerning the belongings of your son James, and have written Mr. Row in this mail to ship his trunk to you by express, charges collect. Mr. Dickey informs me that he gave James' watch to Sallie. All the rest of his belongings are in the trunk.

James has also a balance of Ten Dollars and Thirty Cents (\$10.30) to his credit in bank here. This amount will be transferred to Mr. Henderson who will eventually turn it over to you.

Trusting that the above arrangements are all satisfactory to you, I am

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Cherokee, W.C.

May 7, 1916



Dear Sir,

I will write you a new
line to see what is delay
the money so long. we have
not got that money yet. the
belongings of Jamie Grad. bread
I want you to write to the
Indian Office and see what
is wrong that the money is
delay. we was wanting it
to buy some stones to put
to his grave before the
Decoration day if we can get
it in time. well I done as
you tole me I. take the

little check to Mr. Hendon
and he took it from me and
kept it and has got it yet.
I want you to write to me
just as soon as you get
this and tell me what you
think about it we got his
trunk all right that is a
bout all for this time so
I will close now so by
to you

from Mrs. Willerby.
Cherokee.

D.C.

MR. O. H. LIPP, DEAR FRIEND.
I WOULD YOU TO TELL MR. D. H. DICKEY,
TO WRITE TO ME TILL HIM HE DOES
I LOOK FOR LETTERS FROM HIS
HOME I WAS EVER GLAD TO GET
HIS LETTERS HE TOLD ME ABOUT MY
LITTLE SON JAMES GREY BEARD
TILL HIM OF HE HAS GOT WON OF
JAMES PICTURE PLEASE SEND ME ONE
TILL HIM ALSO TO SEND ME THE
PICTURE OF HIM AND HIS WIFE AND
BABY IT WILL CHEAR MY HEART
TO SEE THE FATHER AND MOTHER
THAT CARD FOR MY LITTLE SON
JAMES I CAN NOT WRITE NOR READ
WRITER.

I. ONLY READ THE BOOK.

MR. HUBBARD IS WRITTEN TO YOU FOR

MR. O. H. LIPPEZ. PLEASE WRITE TO ME

AND TELL MR. D. H. DICKEK TO

WRITE TO ME

FROM HAZELTINE WILL NOT EX

THE MOTHER ^{OF} ZALLIE AND

JAMES GREYBEARD

TO MR. O. H. LIPPEZ

AND MR. D. H. DICKEK.

May 11, 1914.

Mrs. Haseltine Willnoty
Cherokee, N. C.

Dear Mrs. Willnoty:-

I have your letter relative to the money due your son James and have to say that a check for Ten Dollars and Thirty Cents (\$10.30) the amount due him was sent to Mr. Henderson some time ago. We have no money here now that is due James.

I showed your letter to Mr. Dickey and he has taken your address and will send you a picture of himself and family.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

KRD

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

Date of report _____

Name of child James Greybeard Age 14 Grade 4

Home post office Cherokee North Carolina

Tribe Cherokee Degree of Indian blood half

How many acres of land do you own _____ Location _____

What is the annual income from your land _____

Do you have any other income _____ How much _____

Is your father living no

Father's name John Greybeard

Home post office Cherokee N C

Tribe Cherokee 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 Hazelene Wilnotah

Home post office Cherokee N C

Tribe _____ Degree of Indian blood _____

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.....

Does she have any other income.....

If so, how much.....

Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property.....

With whom do you make your home *My mother and step father*

How many rooms in the house *three*

How many live in the house *six*

How far is your home from nearest public school *1/2 mile*

Why do you not attend that school.....

How many teachers employed there *three*

How many grades maintained.....

How many months of school each year.....

Did you ever attend a public school *yes*

If so, how long *19 years* Where.....

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

How many sisters of school age have you *one*

Are they in school *yes*

Where *Carlisle Indian School*

Remarks and recommendations of superintendent with reference to eligibility and need of Federal aid:

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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.