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Pueblo Indian Agency.
Santa Fe, New Mexico.
June 24 - 1882.

B. M. Thomas.
U. S. Indian Agent.

Desires to know when
Pueblo boy can be
sent to Carlisle school
and if others can go this
season.

Setter to deputy Sept 20/82

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To Lt. Pralt for report and return
July 27/82 and Sept. 27/82
Wm Cook

Office of Indian Affs
July 25, 1882.

Respectfully referred to
Lt. Pratt. The bringing of
this boy to Carlisle will neces-
sitate quite an expenditure
from your appropriation, but
it seems to me this promise
must be kept. Since you
have decided not to take Navajors
can you devise any plan of
getting the boy to Carlisle without
incurring any heavy expense?
Please make any suggestions.

A. Price
Commissioner.

United States Indian Service,

Pueblo Indian Agency,

Santa Fe, N. M. June 24", 1882.

Hon. H. Price,
Commissioner,
Washington.

Sir:

I have the honor to state that when at Washington last winter, the Pueblo Indian delegation received the promise that a young man, Juan de Jesus Paucha, of the Pueblo of Cochiti, should be sent to the Carlisle school in case Capt. Pratt's consent could be secured. The Captain afterwards gave his consent and the Indian has been expecting to go in with him and a number of Navajo children. As this opportunity does not present itself, the boy now desires to know how soon he can be sent in.

In addition to his desire to be in school, he would like to have the uncertainty removed on account of his farming operations. I suppose there would be no

difficulty about sending him in after
his transportation is arranged for.

Is there any hope of more Pueblo children
being permitted to enter that school this
year?

Very respectfully,

Your Obedt. Servt.

Bru. M. Thomas.

U. S. Indian Agent.

2nd Endorsement

Ind. N. Ind. L. School
Carlisle Pa., July 26, 82

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to receive more Pueblos.
None of our pupils as
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R. H. Road
St. P. Suph.

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Rt. Pratt
Tr. & Supr.

Dear?

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Your Obedt. Servt.

Benjamin Thomas

N. A. Indian Agent