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Indian Industrial School,

Carlisle, Pa., July 5 1884

To the Hon.

The Commr. of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

When I sent home the pupils whose terms had expired during the past fiscal year, I retained two, Harry Marmon and Lena Carr, from Laguna, N. M., because when they came Dr. Sheldon Jackson, who brought them, informed me they were to stay until they were grown, if the Govt. would keep them so long; their parents having consented.

Since the party reached home I have letters from the father of one and guardian of the other, and from the Gov^r of the Pueblo, which show that it will aid getting a new party to send them home now, to return to Carlisle with the party we expect to bring in next month.

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I also retained Kise, one of the Cheyenne pupils, to manage our Harness Shop until I can find a suitable harness maker. He wishes to be sent home when I can spare him.

I respectfully request authority to cover me in returning these three. The two for Laguna can travel on half rate fare.

Very Respectfully

R.H. Ball

Capt. 10th Cav.
Sept.