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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AFFAIRS.
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Indian Training Sch. Carlisle, Pa.
Capt R H Pratt, Supt
Dear Sir: Dec 15th 1891

Regarding complaint made
by Pestus Pelone as to
his treatment at school.

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Dec 15, 1891

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Deplying to your letter of Dec. 6th, marked "Reference-
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can see that he is not entitled to any very great consideration.
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Very respectfully,
Your obt. servant,

[Handwritten signature]

Genl. John G. ... Supt.

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INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL,
CARLISLE, PA.

Dec. 15, 1891.

The Honorable,

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

Sir:

Replying to your letter of Dec. 8th, marked "Education, 42822, in reference to complaint of Festus Pelone, whose letter is enclosed, I enclose to you his record, by which you can see that he is not entitled to any very great consideration. Festus has improved, and although he has been without the usual apprentice pay for nearly six months he deserves just what he is receiving, and the fact that it hurts is only a satisfactory proof of the wholesomeness of the punishment. He will come off the no pay list on Dec. 31. In regard to his going home, his career here has been such as to lead us to be willing to get rid of the bother, but, for his own good and its influence on the other Apaches, I think the home going had better be left in my hands. His letter is herewith.

Very respectfully,
Your obt. servt.,



Capt. 10th Cav'y., Supt.

Record of
Festas Below.

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Record of Festus Velours.

- (1) He was Court Martialed Dec 27th '86 for disobeying and resisting his Employer on farm -
Plea - Guilty Finding Guilty
2. He was Courtmartialed Apr. 13 '88 for
1. Stealing 2. Runaway & Forgery
Plea Guilty to all Finding Guilty to all
3. He was Court-Martialed Jan 14 '90 for
Misconduct on farm
Plea Guilty Finding Guilty -
4. He was Court Martialed May 27 '91 for
Farm Failure
His Plea was "Guilty" Finding "Guilty".

In this last case he was with M. Williamson White of Tullytown, Bucks Co. Pa. Whom I consider one of our best patrons. Some laboring man in the community put it into Festus' head that \$13 was not sufficient wages. Festus became dis contented and wrote you. You replied that \$13 was sufficient wages and for him to do his duty. He wrote you again, acted badly and refusing to obey his employer was ordered in -
He subscribed \$10 to Gym - His acct at present
Dr. 7.58