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Indian Indus. School,  
Carlisle, Pa., April 22, 1895.

Pratt, Capt. R. D., 10th U.S. Cav.,  
Superintendent.

Returns application  
of Chester Smith, pupil,  
with endorsement.

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In reply to:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,  
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,

Carlisle, Pa., April 22nd 1895.

To the Honorable,

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

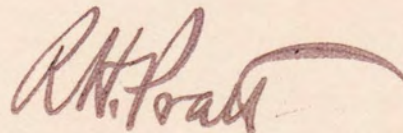
Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of April 19th, marked "Finance 11877, '95, Cl. 82553" enclosing application of Chester Smith, I respectfully return said application with my endorsement thereon as directed.

Very respectfully,

(Dictated)  
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Capt. 10th Cav'y., U.S.A.,

Supt.

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Indian Industrial School,  
Carlisle, Pa. Dec. 8 1894

Commissionary of Indian Affairs  
Washington  
D. C.

Sir

I never did draw  
my money since I come here so I like  
to know what become of it.

I am a Osage boy, I come here in 1890  
and I am here four years now, My Father  
and Mother were died about six years ago.  
My Sister is married and brother is with  
her and I am by myself here at this school  
so I like to draw it out every payment.  
I wish your ~~all~~ to know that I am here  
at Carlisle Indian Training School four  
years now, next year will be a time for me  
to go home. if I get my money I would  
stay here longer. I wish to know that

I am a message boy.

Your truly  
Chester Smith

My message name Wah-tsa-lah-tah

P. S.

Please let me know as soon as possible if your can.

This student is only sixteen years old. He will be benefitted by having his money retained in the Treasury until he is more mature.

R.H. Pratt  
Capt. & Supt.

Indian School, Carlisle, Pa. }  
Apr. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1895 }

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Chester Smith  
Carlisle School  
Dec. 8/94  
Wants his army  
money

Transfer to 4/12/1894.  
To Capt Freeman Feb 19/95

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