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The Honorable,  
Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Referring further to the matter that was reported in my letter of April the 11th I respectfully add that at the request of Superintendent Paquette of the Navajo Agency the body of Frank Peshlakie is being shipped by express to Gallup, New Mexico. Funeral services were held in the School Auditorium this afternoon and all students were present.

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Very respectfully,

*[Handwritten signature]*

HKM.

Superintendent.

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Sir:

I regret very much to report that Frank Peshlakie, who was enrolled here from Fort Defiance, Arizona, in November of 1911, died at 7.00 o'clock this morning.

The report I submit below was handed to me this forenoon by our Visiting School Physician:

"Frank Peshlakie was admitted to the Hospital February 23rd for pulmonary hemorrhage following a wrestling bout on the grounds with one of the student body. This hemorrhage was severe and continued for several days, off and on. Following the hemorrhage was a high fever and a marked advancement of his lung lesion. He never showed any signs of improvement even though he was kept on the balconies and later in a tent erected for his benefit. His condition was steadily downward and he died suddenly this morning at 7.00 o'clock.

This boy was never in condition to send home at any time after his admission to the Hospital. Previous to the time of the hemorrhage there was no reason to recommend his return home."

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*E. H. A.*

-2- Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Just as soon as it can be learned what other action shall be taken regarding the disposition of the body a supplementary report will be submitted.

Very respectfully,



HKM.

Superintendent.