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UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL,
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SUBJECT:
Admission
of Porto Rican
to Carlisle.

November 3rd, 1909.

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

Sir:

Referring to Office letter of November 2nd, 1909, marked "Education - Administration, 78220-1909, F.I.P.", relative to the admission of Manuel Hidalgo, a Porto Rican student, this is to report that the young man will be admitted at Carlisle.

I am asking the Commissioner of Education of the island of Porto Rico to forward me the checks to cover his tuition and so that the balance of the amount of his scholarship may be placed to his credit in the school bank and then expended under proper supervision.

Very respectfully,

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Superintendent.

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FOR FILE

Moses Friedman, Esq.,

Superintendent Carlisle Indian School,

Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Sir:

The Office has received your letter of September 28, with regard to the enrolment of Manuel Hidalgo, a Porto Rican, who has a fourlyears scholarship amounting to \$250 annually from the Government of Porto Rico.

As a month has elapsed since the arrival of this young man, you have had some opportunity to test the advisability of enrolling him. The law which permits the enrolment of white children in Indian Boarding Schools on the payment of a proper tuition fee, contemplates the admission only of those whose presence and association would be of advantage to the Indian pupils. If Manuel Hidalgo is of this class, you may enroll him; but he must not be favored in any way above the Indian pupils by exemption from routine duties, by being provided with special teachers, or having any special privileges.

The tuition fee should not be less than \$167 per annum. Monthly payments would be proper, if it is your opinion that the

boy should be admitted. Please advise of the action you
take.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) F. H. Abbott,
Assistant Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL,
CARLISLE, PA.



Subject:

Porto Rican student.

October 25th, 1909.

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

Sir:

Referring to my letter of September 28th, 1909, subject as above, I respectfully inquire what action to take concerning the enrolment of the Manuel Hidalgo sent here from Porto Rico.

Very respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "M. J. Friedman".

HKM.

Superintendent.

E-ad

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL,
CARLISLE, PA.

SUBJECT:
Porto
Rican student.

September 28th, 1909.



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

Sir:

I respectfully transmit herewith copies of two letters received during the past week, and which is the extent of the correspondence that has been received in connection with this matter.

The student, Manuel Hidalgo, arrived here on Sunday morning, September 26th.

I respectfully request that instructions be issued me what to do concerning his enrolment.

Very respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "M. J. Friedman".

Superintendent.

HKM.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ead".

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September 8th, 1909.

To the Superintendent,
Indian Industrial School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Sir:

This will introduce Mr. Manuel Hidalgo, one of the students whom the Government of Porto Rico is sending to the States for education. He is the recipient of a scholarship good for four years' time, unless rescinded because of misconduct, of the value of two hundred and fifty dollars (250) annually, payable in twelve monthly installments. This is probably his entire asset and any leniency you may show him in the matter of paying his tuition in advance, will be greatly appreciated.

I believe Mr. Hidalgo is an earnest young man, and any interest you may show him or anything you may do to aid him in getting a start at your Institution, will be greatly appreciated.

Yours very truly,

E. G. DEXTER

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Commissioner of Education.

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September 13th, 1909.

The Superintendent,
Carlisle Industrial School,
Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Sir:

We are sending one of our young men to your school under a scholarship of \$250.00 a year, for four years. Payments will be made to him from this office monthly consisting of \$20.83. As the expense of travel will use a great part of his first three checks, we trust that you will do all that you can to aid him to obtain necessary articles, etc., until the arrival of his next check. Also we beg that you will do all you can to help the young man in his future life there.

As the boat that Mr. Hidalgo goes to the States on, will arrive in New York about the 20th, he should reach Carlisle about the 21st. If someone could meet him at the station in Carlisle, we believe that it would aid the young man quite a little and at the same time would be greatly appreciated by this Department.

Thanking you for all that you may be able to do to make his career successful at your Institution,

Very truly yours,

Commissioner of Education
per J. L. Dunlevy.