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Cheyenne, Mont

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Tongue River Agency,
Lame Deer, Montana,
May 23, 1910.

Mr. M. Friedman,
Superintendent;
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir;

Mr. Hammersley, the clerk of the Tongue River Irrigation project has taken the enclosed films showing David Littleoldman at work upon his 20 acre irrigated allotment on Tongue River. David as shown is actually plowing upon his ranch which was given to him this spring. He has fenced his 20 acres and has plowed up five acres and already planted to corn, potatoes, and garden vegetables for summer and winter use. David is one of our progressives. He is shown on one of the pictures herewith as hoeing a horse at the shop in which he was regularly employed last year at \$75 per month. As a horseshoer he gave satisfaction and he was found competent to sharpen plowpoints, repair wagons, and generally perform such miscellaneous work as falls to a general blacksmith.

From the pictures we feel you can make enlargements that will serve your purpose. Make such use of the films and pictures as you choose and later we will have Mr. Hammersley submit his bill. I trust from the enclosed you will be able to make enlargements that will suit your purpose.

David will plow up the remaining 15 acres of his tract after he cuts this season's crop of wild hay therefrom, and after irrigation water has been applied to the ground to make it readily respond to the plow in late summer. I feel confident that David will continue to self support himself and his time spent at Carlisle has insured him against pauperism.

Very truly yours,


Supt. & S.D.A.

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PHYSICAL RECORD,

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL.

NAME OF PUPIL Oldman, David DATE 12/15 1908

AGE 24 YEARS } NEW } STUDENT. TRIBE Cheyenne STATE Mont.
 } RETURNED }

DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD _____

INSPECTION Well developed. Thyroid en-
larged.

PALPATION Normal

PERCUSSION Normal

AUSCULTATION { RESONANCE _____
 { RESP. MURMUR Normal

HEART SOUNDS _____

MENSURATION { INSP. 39 1/4 RESPIRATION 20 PULSE 60
 { EXP. 33 3/4

TEMPERATURE 98 4 degs. HEIGHT 6 FT. IN. WEIGHT 172 LBS.

VISION 10/10 VACCINATION good. 1/24/08

FAMILY HISTORY:

	Living.	Condition of Health.	Dead.	Cause of death.
FATHER	<u>yes</u>	<u>good</u>		
MOTHER	<u>yes</u>	<u>good</u>		
BROTHERS {	<u>2</u>	<u>good</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>?</u>
SISTERS {	<u>3</u>	<u>good</u>		

PERSONAL HISTORY: Good health

REMARKS: _____

Name David Oldman Tribe Cheyenne Age 21

Entered Aug. 13, 1904 Address Lame Deer, Mont.

Trade Blacksmithing Size of allotment None

Nature of allotment.....

How much under cultivation? — How much can be cultivated? —

When you leave Carlisle do you expect to return home? Yes

What do you expect to do for a livelihood? Trade - Blacksmith

Have you previously worked at farming? Yes

Where? Home How long? 2 yrs.

Have you worked at a trade?..... What trade?.....

Where? — How long? —

Remarks.....

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Date Feb. 27, 1907

Craftsman

Birney,
Montana.

Aug. 7, 1909.

Mr. M. Friedman,
Indain Indus. School,
Carlisle, Penna.

Dear sir,

I thought of writing to you this evening in order to let you know how I am getting along here at my reservation, I am getting along very nicely with my people in every way.

I am now unsingle man ever since July 18, 1909. I was expecting to go back to Carlisle this coming fall, but now I have to labor very hard.

every day in order to live up
with my wife.

I am now regular black
smith here on the irrigation
ditch, my salary per month
is \$75⁰⁰ (seventy five dollars)

I am going to stay with
it as long I can.

Mr. M. Friedman? did you
send my money to Mr Eddy?
if not please send me if
possible instead to Mr Eddy.

I close my letter with
very best wishes,

From yours truly,
David Little Aldman.

Two Carlislars Making Good.

We learn through Superintendent Eddy that David Little Oldman is now engaged in improving his allotment of 20 acres of irrigation land on Tongue River, given him this spring. He has been employed at the Tongue River Agency as horse-shoer at a salary of \$75 per month, in which position he gave satisfaction. Since receiving his allotment he has fenced in the entire 20 acres, and plowed 5 acres, planting it in corn, potatoes and garden vegetables for winter use. Supt. Eddy speaks in high terms of him and his evidently progressive spirit. David is an ex-student of Carlisle, and we are very pleased to learn of his success.

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Binney,
Montana

Mar. 20/1911

Mr. M. Friedman,

Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Mr. Friedman,

I am very much
pleased to received
request from graduating
Class 1911 at their
Commencement

Exercises which is
to be held March
twenty sixth to thirty
first & nineteen hundred
and eleven.

Please excuse me
for their Commencement
Exercises.

Tell all my school
mates that I am
getting along very
nicely at my
reservation home.

I am going to do
farming work
this spring and
I may do little
blacksmithing.

My present address
is Birney, Montana.
From yours truly.

David Little Oldman.

Cheyenne, Mont

May 5th, 190

Mr. David Little Oldman,

Binney, Montana.

Friend David:

I am in receipt of your letter of the 29th ultimo, stating that you are getting along very well with your work. I am certainly glad to know that such is the case, but it is not any more than I expected you to do and knew you would do if you got a chance to show what you could do.

You have had splendid training at Carlisle and such that fitted you to take your place with any white man in your line of work, and now it depends on you as to whether you will continue to "make good".

I have confidence that you will do the best you can and that fact is always appreciated by the people with whom you come in contact. When they see you doing your best, they will have confidence in you and will lend you such assistance as they can give.

I shall hope to have further good reports from you, and shall certainly be pleased to hear of your continued success.

Your sincere friend,

Superintendent

Birney, P.O.,
Montana.

Apr. 29, 1909.

Mr. M. Friedman,
Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear sir,

I desire to let you
know how I am
getting along at the
Cheyenne reservation
of Montana.

As far as I know
I am getting along very

nicely with my parents
and also all of my relatives.

I am very interesting
(as) my work in the
blacksmith shop.

I have had many
difficult things I
made. When the
irrigation ditch
begins to work on
by the Indians I
will have plenty
of work to do.

They are going to
start to work on it
on May 15.

I hope I will get
\$3.00 per day.

I enclose my letter
with best regards
to the students.

From yours truly,

David Oldman.

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NAME: Little Old Man, David		TRIBE: Cheyenne.	PARENT OR GUARDIAN: Louis Little Old Man
DATE ENROLLED: Aug. 13, 1904	TERM: 5 Years	AGE: 22	HOME ADDRESS: Lame Deer, Mont.

DATE OF RECORD	ACADEMIC DEPARTMENT.			INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.			DORMITORY.			OUTING		SPECIAL REMARKS.
	ROOM NO.	Scholarship	Conduct.	Shop.	Ability.	Conduct	Room No.	Neatness	Conduct.	Ability.	Conduct.	
Apr. 07	5	Medium	Ex.									
Apr. 08	7	Medium	Ex.									
Jan. 09	8	Medium	Ex	Black Smith	V. Good	Ex	A.2.5	Good	V. Good			

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NAME AT CARLISLE

PRESENT NAME

DATE	INFORMATION THROUGH	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	ITEMS OF INTEREST	GRADE
1910	Self	Berney, Mont.	Blacksmith		
1911	Eddy	"	Rancher		

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