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BRIEF.

Application of

J o h n T o r t i l l o

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

E r i c T o r t i l l o

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Mescalero Agency, New Mexico.

Date of enrollment,, 1909.

Term of enrollment, *Five* (*5*) years

Application for Enrollment in a Non-reservation School.

(For a child enrolled at an Agency)

For and in consideration of the Government of the United States assuming the care, education, and maintenance in the United States Indian School at Carlisle, Pennsylvania,

of Eric Tortillo ; Male ; date of birth 1893.
(Name of Child) (Sex)

Mescalero Apache
(Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER (Both Indian and English)	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<u>Ka-hunt-lin</u>				
<u>John Tortillo</u> NAME OF MOTHER	<u>Living</u>	<u>Mescalero</u>	<u>Apache</u>	<u>Full</u>
<u>Jennie Tortillo</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Mescalero</u>	<u>Apache</u>	<u>Full</u>

I, John Tortillo do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to his
enrollment in said school for a period of five years, and also obligate myself to abide by all
(Not less than 3)
the rules and regulations for Indian Schools.

The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL	DATE OF ENROLLMENT	DATE OF DISCHARGE	CAUSE	GRADE
<u>Mescalero Boarding</u>	<u>1900</u>	<u>1909</u>	<u>Completed course</u>	<u>6th</u>
2.			<u>of study.</u>	
3.				
4.				

John X Tortillo
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: Mescalero,

Two Witnesses:

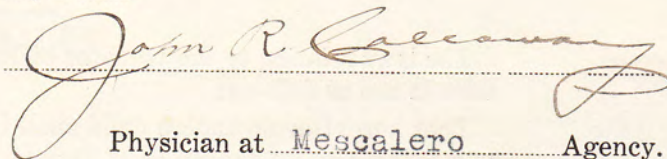
New Mexico.

Alb. Owens
Amel. Chise

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find him to be in proper physical condition to attend school, and not afflicted with tuberculosis or any disease which would be a menace to the health of other pupils.

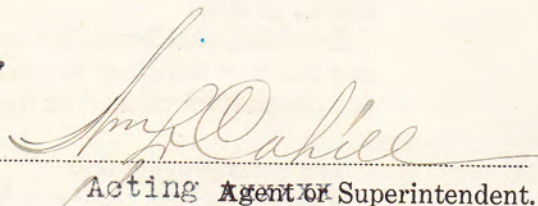
This 20th day of November, 1909.


Physician at Mescalero Agency.

CERTIFICATE OF AGENT OR SUPERINTENDENT.

I hereby certify that the statements made in the foregoing application and certificate, to the best of my knowledge and belief, are true, that the consent of John Tortillo
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This 20th day of November, 1909,


Acting ~~Agent~~ Superintendent.

SPECIAL NOTE.

This form must be executed in duplicate when a child is transferred from a reservation to a non-reservation school. The Superintendent of the nonreservation school will retain the original for his files, and the duplicate shall be deposited in the Agency records. The agent will then send to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs his certificate as provided by law. All the blanks must be properly filled in every case.

NOTE.—Age limits, fourteen to twenty years. Preferably fourteen to eighteen. Students must be at least one-fourth Indian, preferably full Indian. Special cases beyond the age limit will be given consideration. An industrial course only can be taken and the term reduced to three years, in exceptional cases.

INDORSEMENTS.

The laws relating to the transfer of Indian children from reservations and schools are as follows:

That hereafter no Indian child shall be sent from any Indian reservation to a school beyond the State or Territory in which said reservation is situated without the voluntary consent of the father or mother of such child if either of them is living, and if neither of them is living without the voluntary consent of the next of kin of such child. Such consent shall be made before the agent of the reservation, and he shall send to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs his certificate that such consent has been voluntarily given before such child shall be removed from such reservation. And it shall be unlawful for any Indian agent or other employee of the Government to induce, or seek to induce, by withholding rations or by other improper means, the parents or next of kin of any Indian to consent to the removal of any Indian child beyond the limits of any reservation. (28 Stats., p. 906.)

Provided, that hereafter no Indian child shall be taken from any school in any State or Territory to a school in any other State against its will or without the written consent of its parents. (29 Stats., p. 348.)

The rules provide that—

A pupil who has been regularly enrolled in a nonreservation school must not be taken to any other nonreservation school without the consent of both Superintendents and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and Superintendents will be held to strict accountability for such pupils taken to their schools.

An Indian boy or girl 18 years old and over may, without the consent of parents or others, personally sign the application form on its being changed to suit the case.

This form is to be used only in transfers from reservations or Indian schools to nonreservation schools.



Tortillo, Eric

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Agent's file

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Transportation (R.I. & Trisco Lines)

2547

TRADE RECORD, CARLISLE.

Jan. 1, 19¹⁰ to June 30, 19¹⁰.

PUPIL

TRADE

ABILITY

CONDUCT

REMARKS

INSTRUCTOR

Eric F. White
Apprentice

John R. Auer

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

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NUMBER 4240 6040	ENGLISH NAME Eric Tortillo	AGENCY	NATION Apache					
BAND	INDIAN NAME Fath. Ka-hunt-lin	HOME ADDRESS Fath. Jno. Tortillo, Mescalero, N. Mex.						
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	Both L.	BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EPXR.	SEX.
FATHER,	Jennie Tortillo	F.	16	5-6 1/2	159	38 1/2	35	
MOTHER,								
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL	FOR WHAT PERIOD		DATE DISCHARGED		CAUSE OF DISCHARGE			
Nov. 26, '09	Five Years		June 8, 1914		Time out			
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS						FROM COUNTRY	
4-6-'10	GEO. H. BETTE, Newton, Pa.						8-31-'10	
4-28-'11	Samuel Hibbs, Langhorne, Pa.						9-1-'11	
6-14-'12	W. Sayler Buggs, Woodbury, Va.						8-31-'12	
9-11-'12	A. M. Lovett, Morrisville, Pa.						2-11-23-'12	
11-23-'12	J. P. Canby, Langhorne, Pa.						Dr.	
4-9-'13	A. M. Lovett, Morrisville, Pa.						8-30-'13	

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MUSKOGEE. 79104

Months in school before Carlisle, **108**
Mescalero Bdg. 1900-'09 - 6th. Gr.

Grade entered at Carlisle, **4th.**

Grade at Date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, **Catholic**

Miles to sch. **18**

Catholie
~ 1639 ~

(Date)

(Date)

Remarks: _____

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PARENT OR GUARDIAN.

Mescaleros

AGE.

HOME ADDRESS

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John Tortillo
Mescalero, N. Mex.

SPECIAL REMARKS.

Conduct.

Free

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V. 5.

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TRADE RECORD, CARLISLE.

PUPIL Eric Tartella

TRADE Joiner and Gardener

ABILITY good

CONDUCT good

REMARKS seems to like his work.

INSTRUCTOR _____

REPORT OF Crick Zortilla pupil of Carlisle Indian
School, who went April 9 to live with H. M. Lovett
(Date) (Patron)
of Morrisville, Bucks
(Post Office) (County)
Penn, Morrisville Pk Railroad Station
(State)

Conduct Good
Health Good
Ability Excellent
Cleanliness Good
Economy Good
Situation of Room Access to whole house
Condition of Room Good
Condition of Clothing Good
Wages \$18

Are careful accounts kept by patron? Yes
Are careful accounts kept by pupil? Yes
Number of days at school 3 yrs. Carlisle
Distance to school One mile
Grade or quality of school Public
Name and address of teacher —
Qualifications of teacher —

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? 6th
In what grade is pupil at present? 6th
Attends what church and Sunday school? Catholic
Distance to church One mile
Is there a Catholic church in locality? Yes

Who compose patron's family? Man - wife and daughter
What other help is employed? Two hired men
Locality of home One mile from town - Good
Home life and environments Excellent
Trade at school Baker
Nature of work Farming and trucking
Pupil's age 19 Experience 3 years.

Eric Tortilla

PRESENT NAME

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Home Address *Jno. Tortillo, Mesquero, N.M. Tribe Apache.*

JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL OR AVERAGE
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Days in School

Conduct

Ability

Health

Earnings

July Aug Sept Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar Apr May June

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g	g
g	g
13.	14

2	8
4	4
6	2
14.	14.

			5	22	20
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g.	q.	q.		g.	g.
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g.	g.	g.	g.	g.
g.	g.	g.	g.	g.
9.50	15.	7.50		

7-11-12 or 11-23-13

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PHYSICAL RECORD,

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL.

NAME OF PUPIL Tortilla, Eric DATE Nov 29 1909AGE 16 YEARS { NEW RETURNED STUDENT. TRIBE Apache STATE N. MexDEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD FullINSPECTION Well developedPALPATION NormalPERCUSSION NormalAUSCULTATION { Normal
RESONANCE
RESP. MURMUR Diastolic rales over bronchial tubes acute bronchitis.HEART SOUNDS NormalMENSURATION { 39
INSP.
EXP. 39 1/2 RESPIRATION 16 PULSE 76TEMPERATURE 98 degs. HEIGHT 5 FT. 3 3/8 IN. WEIGHT 166 LBS.VISION 100 VACCINATION Good scar

FAMILY HISTORY:

	Living.	Condition of Health.	Dead.	Cause of death.
FATHER	yes	good		
MOTHER	"	"		
BROTHERS {	1	good	1	?
SISTERS {	2	generally well		

PERSONAL HISTORY:

Had some illness but does not know case and the time.

REMARKS:

(over)

HOSPITAL RECORD.....

EXAMINATION FOR OUTING:

DATES:

CONDITION:

PHYSICAL RECORD,

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL.

NAME OF PUPIL Tortilla Eric DATE Mar 22 1910

AGE 16 YEARS { NEW { STUDENT. TRIBE Apache STATE N. Mex

DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD + well

INSPECTION good development

PALPATION normal

PERCUSSION normal

AUSCULTATION { RESONANCE normal
RESP. MURMUR normal

HEART SOUNDS normal

MENSURATION { INSP. 38 1/2
EXP. 25 RESPIRATION 20 PULSE 64

TEMPERATURE 99.8 degs. HEIGHT 5 FT. 6 1/2 IN. WEIGHT 159 LBS.

VISION 10/10 VACCINATION good

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>1</u>	<u>good</u>		
			<u>1</u>	<u>?</u>
SISTERS {	<u>2</u>	<u>generally well</u>		

PERSONAL HISTORY:

REMARKS:

HOSPITAL RECORD.....

EXAMINATION FOR OUTING:

DATES:

CONDITION:

Mch. 22 - 1910
Apr 24 1912

Good
Rejected Ladman

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May 27th, 1914.

Mr. John Tortillo,

Mescalero, New Mexico.

My dear Sir:

This is to inform you that arrangements are being made to have your son Eric leave here on June the 8th with the other boys who will be entitled to leave the school on that date. Transportation for his passage to Tularosa will be provided for his use and it is hoped you can arrange to meet him at that point.

Will you please let me hear from you when Eric has arrived at your home?

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Copy to Superintendent Jefferis.

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June 18th, 1914.

Mr. John Tortilla,
Mescalero, New Mexico.

My dear Sir:

I want to thank you for your very kind letter of June the 15th, advising that your son Eric had arrived at your home and that you are so well pleased with the progress he made while he was at the Carlisle School.

It is gratifying to have such a favorable note of commendation, and it will help us to do all the better for the young men and women whose periods of enrolment at Carlisle have not yet terminated.

I want to hear that Eric is making a good record at home and that he is making use of the training he received while at this school. With best wishes for his success, I remain,

Very sincerely yours,

HEN.

Supervisor in Charge.

Mescalero, N. Mex. June 13, 14

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Carlisle Indian Sch.

Dear friends.

I will write to you in behalf of my son who have arrived yesterday and was very glad to see him back looking so well, nothing wrong with him whatever, that goes to show to us that you are turning out a good product which leads our thoughts towards a higher civilization.

He told us all about the school and he said ^{he} likes it very well that he didn't felt like coming home. I shall send him back for more education if he wants to go. and I thank you very much for taking a good care of my son while there. I wish you godspeed in turning out ^{more} good men and women.

Cordially yours John Tortilla

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July 2nd, 1914.

Superintendent,

Mescalero, Agency, N.M.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 25th, and am enclosing herewith
check for 101.59 transferring to your supervision the account of
Eric Tortillo.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Supervisor in Charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Mescalero Indian Agency,

Mescalero, New Mexico,

June 25, 1914.

The Superintendent,

U. S. Indian School,

Carlisle, Penna.

Sir:

Eric Tortillo, recently returned to this agency from Carlisle, states that he has about one hundred dollars on deposit at Carlisle. He wishes to withdraw the entire amount of his deposit, for use during the summer.

Kindly advise as to the facts.

Very respectfully,

C. R. Jeffers
Superintendent

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Dec. 1st, 1914.

Mr. C. R. Jefferis,
Superintendent, The Mescalero Agency,
Mescalero, N. M.

Dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your favor of November the 28th, with which you submitted approved applications to cover the transfer to Carlisle of Eric Tortillo, Charles Belin and John Allard.

In view of the fact that Eric was formerly enrolled at Carlisle and his age now necessitates his paying for his own transportation he may be sent on at once. In the cases of the other two boys I will have to be assured by you in writing that they do not have access to any other school and that you can recommend them as being worthy in every way of being given a chance to continue with their education. Only a very few additional students can be enrolled for this year's work, and I must have entirely satisfactory recommendations from Superintendents before any additional ones will be received.

I would thank you to advise me whether the parents of the two boys referred to above would arrange to pro-

-2- Mr. C. R. Jefferis, Superintendent.

vide transportation if it were decided that the boys
can be admitted under such conditions.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor ^M in Charge.

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-3- M.L. C.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Mescalero Agency

Mescalero, New Mexico,

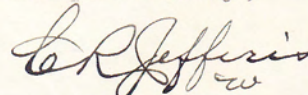
November 28, 1914.

Superintendent,
U. S. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Sir:

Enclosed herewith are applications for
enrollment of Charles Belin, John Allard and Eric
Tortillo in the Carlisle School.

Very respectfully,



Superintendent.

LRW

Oct. 13th, 1914.

Mr. C. R. Jefferis,
Superintendent, The Mescalero Agency,
Mescalero, N. M.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your favor of October the 5th, this is to state that I would be pleased to co-operate with you to effect the re-enrolment at Carlisle of Eric Tortillo, but because he is now twenty-one years of age he will be required to pay for his transportation from personal funds.

Herewith I enclose blanks upon which applications for the enrolment of the three young men you mentioned in your letter may be submitted to me for consideration. With each application there should be submitted a statement regarding the applicant's former record in school and your recommendation.

The transportation available at Carlisle this year is limited and it may have to be decided later on that the three young men would have to pay for their transportation from personal funds.

Hoping to hear from you again, I remain,

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Mescalero Indian Agency,

Mescalero, New Mexico,

October 5, 1914.

Mr. O. H. Lipps,
Supervisor in Charge,
Carlisle, Penna.

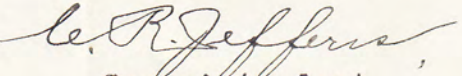
Sir:

Informal request has been submitted to this office by
Eric Tortillo, age 21
John Allard, age 18
June Runningwater, age 19
for enrolment at Carlisle School.

The first named Indian was until recently enrolled at Carlisle; June Runningwater was recently a pupil at Santa Fe; while John Allard has not been in school since he came to this agency a year ago. Each states that they desire to enroll for a period of from three to five years.

Please advise whether or not you will be able to take these young people at Carlisle.

Very respectfully,


Superintendent

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November 13, 1916.

Mr. Erio Tortillo,

Mescalero, New Mexico.

Through Sup't. William A. Light.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith a check for the amount of \$1.85, which is to balance your account on the books of this school. As this amount is somewhat small, the bank will probably want to charge you a small amount for its collection. I would advise you to sign and endorse the check and return it to me, and I shall be glad to mail either money or postage covering same.

I am enclosing herewith a franked envelope for reply, which requires no postage, and will thank you to give this matter your early attention.

Yours very truly,

CVP-RFH

Superintendent.