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CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 4410 6270		ENGLISH NAME Don G. Ortega		AGENCY Mescaleros		NATION Pueblo			
BAND		INDIAN NAME		HOME ADDRESS Inocente Ortega Bent, N. Mex.					
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EPXR.	SEX.	
FATHER, L		MOTHER, L	1/2	21	5-4 1/4	114 3/4	35 3/4	33	M.
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL 10-15-1910		FOR WHAT PERIOD Five years		DATE DISCHARGED 6-3-15		CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Time out.			
TO COUNTRY		PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS						FROM COUNTRY	
4-28-'11		Geo. L. White, Morrisville, Pa.						Pa. 9-9-'11	
Sr. 9-9-'11		John Lewdrop, Bloomsbury, N. J.							
Tr. 4-9-'12		H. P. Harris, Jeruym, Pa.						7-5-'12	
6-7-'13		Louis Sadner, P. O. Carlisle, Pa.						9-30-13	
4-30-14		Jno. Lewdrop, Bloomsbury, N. J.						8-28-14	

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MUSKOGEE, N. 79104

Months in school before Carlisle, 26

Grade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Catholic

Miles to school - 5

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BRIEF.

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APPLICATION OF

Inocente Ortego

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Don. G. Ortego

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania,

POST OFFICE ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:

Bent, New Mexico.

Date of enrollment, _____, 190

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

NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

Position, _____

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APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT IN A NONRESERVATION SCHOOL.

(For a child not enrolled at an Agency.)

For and in consideration of the United States assuming the care, education, and maintenance in the United States Indian School at Carlisle, Penna., of Don. G. Ortego, Male, I, Inocente Ortego of Bent P. O., State of New Mexico, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to his enrollment in said school for a period of five years, and also obligate and bind myself to abide by all the rules and regulations for Indian schools.

I further say that the said child was born at Bent, N. Mex. on May 24, 1889; that the father, Inocente Ortego, is a 1/8 Indian of the Pueblo Tribe located at Isleta (N.M.) Agency; that he left the tribe about 1877; that the mother, Antonia M. Ortego, is a 1/2 Indian of the Pueblo Tribe located at Isleta (N.M.) Agency, and left the tribe about 1877; that the said child was born and reared in the United States, and now actually resides therein; and that he has attended the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL—PUBLIC, GOVERNMENT, OR MISSION.	LOCATED AT—	DATE OF ENROLLMENT.	DATE OF DISCHARGE.	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE.	GRADE.
<u>Santa Fe, New Mexico, (Indian School)</u>	<u>Santa Fe, N. Mex.</u>	<u>1905</u>	<u>1910</u>	<u>Complt.</u>	<u>8th</u>

This 30th day of September, 1910.

Two witnesses:

[Signature]
[Signature]

Inocente Ortego ^{his}
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) ^{mark}

P. O., Bent, New Mexico.

(NOTE.—Every blank in this application must be properly filled out by the applicant, in his own handwriting, if possible. The signature, whether by mark or otherwise, must be attested by two witnesses.)

AFFIDAVIT.

I, Inocente Ortego, do hereby swear that the statements made in the above application are true.

Inocente Ortego ^{his}
(Signature of applicant.) (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) ^{mark}

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of September, 1910.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

(NOTE.—This application and affidavit must be executed before some officer authorized to administer oaths by the parent with whom the child is living; if the parents are dead, by the guardian or next of kin.)

My Commission Expires April 17, 1913.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN.

I, John R. Callaway, a practicing physician of Mescalero
N. Mex., do hereby certify that I have carefully examined Don G. Ortego,
the child named in this application, and find that he is in proper physical condition to attend
school, and is not afflicted with tuberculosis or other disease which would be a menace to the health
of other pupils.

This 4th day of October, 1910. John R. Callaway, M. D.

VOUCHER OF SOLICITOR FOR SCHOOL.

I hereby certify that I was present and witnessed the execution of the foregoing application
made by _____; that its contents were explained or interpreted to
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
by _____; that I believe _____ understood the purport
(Name of interpreter.)
thereof; that I was present at the medical examination of the child named herein; that _____
resides with _____, in or near the town of _____;
(Name of person—parent, guardian, etc.)
that the child can not have adequate and proper educational facilities at home for the reason that

Dated at _____

this _____ day of _____, 190_____
(Official title.)

(NOTE.—This voucher must be executed by the official representative of the nonreservation school to which application
is made. Pupils and Indian solicitors will not be accepted.)

VOUCHERS OF DISINTERESTED PERSONS.

VOUCHER NO. 1.

I, Henry B. Walters, a Farmer, of
(Business, calling, or profession.)
Bent, N. Mex., do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with
Inocente Ortego who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his state-
ments therein are true; that I am acquainted with Don. G. Ortego;
(Name of child.)
that he is known and recognized in the community in which he lives as an Indian; that in my opinion
he can not receive proper and adequate schooling at home for the reason that the section in
which he lives is sparsely settled; and for the further reason that
I believe that he is capable of further advancement.

This 30th day of September, 19010. Henry B. Walters

I, Nestor Herrera, a Farmer of Bent, N. Mex., do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with Inocente Ortego, who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his statements therein are true; that I am acquainted with Don. G. Ortego; that he is known and recognized in the community in which he lives as an Indian; and that in my opinion he can not receive proper and adequate schooling at home for the reason that the section in which he lives is sparsely settled; and for the further reason that I believe he is capable of further advancement which he is not able to secure in the public schools.

This 30th day of September, 1910.

Nestor Herrera

CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

I hereby certify that on _____, I made a careful examination of the physical condition of _____, the child named in the foregoing application, and found _____ to be _____

I therefore recommend that the said child be _____ enrolled in this school.

This _____ day of _____, 190 _____

School Physician.

INDORSEMENT.

A child showing one-sixteenth or less Indian blood, whose parents live on an Indian reservation, Indian fashion, who, if debarred from the Government schools, could not obtain an education, may be permitted in the reservation day and boarding schools, but it is preferable that it be not transferred to a nonreservation school, without special permission from the Office. Children showing one-eighth or less Indian blood, whose parents do not live on an Indian reservation, whose home is among white people where there are churches and schools, who are presumed to have adopted the white man's manners and customs, and are to all intents and purposes white people, are debarred from enrollment in the Government nonreservation and reservation schools. Superintendents, in all cases where doubt exists as to the degree of Indian blood of a child proposed for transfer, should fully satisfy themselves of the facts by affidavits from reliable persons, which affidavits must be kept on file at the school.

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.

A pupil dismissed from school for cause must not be enrolled in any other school without the permission of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs. Full facts must be submitted with each request.

NAME Don G. Artego

Sex Male.
 Female.

Tribes { Full } Pueblo State N Mex

October 4, 1910

Age 20 years

Respiration 18

Condition of, Eyes good

Height 5- ft. 1 ins.

Mensuration { Insp. 35-

Ears good

Weight 115- lbs.

{ Exp. 32

Throat good

Temperature 98.8

Vaccination no

Cervical glands normal

Pulse 72

Vision 20/20

Skin normal

Inspection Chest development good

Palpation negative

Percussion negative

Auscultation negative

Heart normal

(Menstruation)



FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father	✓	good		
Mother	✓	good		
Brothers <u>7</u>	<u>6</u>	good	<u>1</u>	unknown
Sisters <u>5-</u>	<u>1</u>	good		

Personal history Scars on upper left chest and upper third humerus right arm said to be due to injury from broken bone caused by fall from horse; also scar left thigh middle third femur said to be due same cause.

Present condition good

John R. Colman, M. D.

This form is for the record of the physical condition of pupils of boarding or nonreservation Indian schools. It should be filled in by the school physician at the time of the admission of the pupil.

Physicians in the field should use this form to record the examination of pupils for transfer to nonreservation schools. It should accompany the pupils' transfer blanks.

The reverse side is intended as a card-index case-record for use by all Service physicians.

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-2- Mr. Don Ortego, Bent, New Mexico.

talk the matter over with Superintendent Morris of the Messalero Agency in order that you can have the benefit of his business experiences and his advice.

Jan. 6th, 1916.

Mr. Don Ortego, Bent, New Mexico.

My dear Friend:

Very respectfully.

I have noted in your letter of the 30th ultimo that you are planning to enter the moving picture business, and in compliance with your request I am having listed below the firm names of a few of the manufacturers to whom you might write for catalogues and further information:

Advice Machine Mfg. Co.,
302 1/2 East 3rd St., Los Angeles, Calif.

Amusement Supply Co.,
107 N. Dearborn St., Chicago, Illinois.

Stelzer Brothers,
Lincoln, Illinois.

Cameron Picture Machine Co.,
61 Poplar Street, Brooklyn, New York.

Lubin Manufacturing Company,
20th and Indiana Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.

C. J. Lang Manufacturing Co.,
Olean, New York.

In this connection I beg leave to suggest that you

-2- Mr. Don Ortego, Bent, New Mexico.

Bent N Mex. 12/24/18

talk the matter over with Superintendent Jefferis of the
Mescalero Agency in order that you can have the benefit of
his business experiences and his advice.

Trusting this will find you well and getting along
satisfactorily, I remain,

Very respectfully,

EAM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Jefferis.)

*I want to buy moving
pictures outfit but as you
know a great deal more about
this business than I do I thou-
ght to ask you how can I get
a good moving pictures outfit
please give me names
of some of the manufacturers
where the moving pictures*

Bent n Mex. 12/30/15.

A few days ago I was thinking where I could find a good friend and last night a post card from Carlisle and than I thought that you was a good friend of all the Indian boys while I was in Carlisle and now I need a little help.

I want to buy moving pictures outfit but as you know a great deal more about this business than I do I thought to ask you how can I get a good moving pictures outfit please give me names of some of the manufacturers where the moving pictures

machines are made.

I have a good house to be use for moving pictures and the nearest moving pictures house from this of mine is 15 miles and the only place where the people go is to the saloons and there are two of them and so I think that by putting up a moving picture show here I can earn my living and do a great deal of good to the people. as there are very few of the people that know little about history and newspapers and many other things that can be an education.

Address Don Ortego
Bent new mex
Otero Co

Advice Machine Mfg Co
302 1/2 East 3rd
Los Angeles

Amusement Supply Co
107 N Dearborn

Stelzer Bros,
Lincoln, Ill.

Camera Picture
Machine Co.
61 Poplar, Brooklyn

Zubin Mfg Co.
20th and 2nd, Phila

L. J. Zang. Mfg. Co
Cedar, N. J.

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Ford Motor Company

HEAD OFFICE
FORD MOTOR COMPANY
DETOIT, MICHIGAN, U.S.A.

Automobile Manufacturers

Detroit, U.S.A.

John Francis Jr
United States Indian School
Carlisle Pa

Feb 9 1918
February 15, 1918.

Mr. Don Ortego
Bent, N. M.

Dear friend:- I sent you a copy of a letter which I wrote to Mr. Winter, Head of the Education Department of the Ford Company, asking him to help us get Emanuel's trunk to you. This is his answer to my letter, "We have taken up the matter with Guy Burns. Burns states that he has this trunk and as Ortego has some outstanding money which he is trying to collect, in order to enable him to send this trunk which he will do as early as possible." If the trunk does not reach you in due time, I would suggest that you write again to Mr. Winter. Very truly yours
I'll do as early as possible.

NRD

Yours very Superintendent.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY
Department of Education

By- *answert*

ABW VG

PLEASE ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE COMPANY AND NOT TO INDIVIDUALS REFERRING TO THE FOLLOWING NUMBER:

Ford Motor Company

Automobile Manufacturers

Detroit, U.S.A.

HENRY FORD, President.
EDSEL B. FORD, Vice Pres. & Secretary.
F. L. KLINGENSMITH, Vice Pres. & Treas.

John Francis Jr
United States Indian School
Carlisle Pa

Feb 9 1916

Dear Sir:-

ALL STATEMENTS OR AGREEMENTS CONTAINED IN THIS LETTER ARE CONTINGENT ON STRIKES, ACCIDENTS, FIRES, OR ANY OTHER CAUSES BEYOND OUR CONTROL AND ALL CONTRACTS ARE SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY THE SIGNATURE OF A DULY AUTHORIZED EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THIS COMPANY. CLERICAL ERRORS SUBJECT TO CORRECTION.

With reference to your letter of Jan 28th, we have taken the matter up with Guy Burns as to Imanuel Ortego's trunk. Burns states that he has this trunk and as Ortego has some outstanding money which he is trying to collect, in order to enable him to send this trunk which he will do as early as possible.

Yours very truly,

FORD MOTOR COMPANY
Department of Education

By- *anselment*

ABW VG

PLEASE ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO THE COMPANY AND NOT TO INDIVIDUALS
REFERRING TO THE FOLLOWING NUMBER:

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Bent n. meyer.
9/4, '18.

I think there was a
mistake as this letter
was intend for A. B. Winton
and so I return the
letter to you.

your truly

Don Ortega

January 28, 1918.

Mr. A. B. Winter
Dept. of Education Ford Motor Co.
Detroit, Michigan.

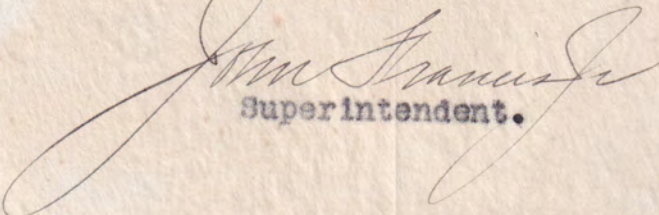
Dear Sir:-

I have a letter from Don Ortego whose address is Bent, New Mexico, asking me to help him get his brother Emanuel's trunk which he left with Guy Burns, another Carlisle boy, when he joined the Army. Don states that he has written to Guy about this trunk but has received no reply from him.

Will it be asking too much of you to ask you to help Don get this trunk? Should the trunk be located, it can be shipped to Tularosa, New Mexico which is Don's nearest railroad point.

I will appreciate your help in this matter. Thanking you for all past favors, I am

Very truly yours


Superintendent.

NRD

cc to Don Ortego
Bent, N.M.

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REPORT OF Don Ortago pupil of Carlisle Indian
School, who went 7/1, 1911 to live with John Lew Drop
of Bloomsbury, Warren
M. J., Bloomsbury Railroad Station
(Date) (Patron) (Post Office) (County) (State)

Conduct Excellent
Health Good
Ability Good
Cleanliness Good
Economy Very Good
Situation of Room Second floor
Condition of Room Excellent
Condition of Clothing Good
Wages Twelve dollars per month.
Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes.
Are careful accounts kept by pupil? yes
Number of days at school Sixty five
Distance to school One block
Grade or quality of school Grammar school
Name and address of teacher D Oscar Fisher
Qualifications of teacher Normal School
In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? Sixth toth
In what grade is pupil at present? Seventh 7th.
Attends what church and Sunday school? Catholic
Distance to church By train eight miles
Is there a Catholic church in locality? No.

Who compose patron's family? Maud, wife and three children
What other help is employed? None
Locality of home In Bloomsbury
Home life and environments Excellent
Trade at school Blacksmith
Nature of work Blacksmith
Pupil's age 20 Experience One season.

Any general statement or wishes of patron or pupils, together with Agent's estimate of place, people, and pupil:

Mr. Lewdrof affords an excellent home for his boys and is a good mechanic.

Don does not know his trade very well but works faithfully and it is to be hoped he will gain ability. He likes his home very well and wishes to remain as long as he can.

Mr. Lewdrof has asked to keep him during the summer season and Don has consented to remain.

Feb. 5th, 1912

D. H. Dickey
Putting Agent.

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

71. May 202 917

Name of Student *Don J. Ortega 44* Home Address *Inocente Ortegas, Bent, Pueblo* Tribe *Pueblo*

Age at Entrance *21* Date of Entrance *10-15-'10* Shop _____
 Patron _____ Locality _____ Days in School _____
 Address *H. G. Harris, Jermyn, Pa.* R. R. Station _____ Conduct _____
 Recommended by _____ Grade in School _____ Ability _____
 Grade of Home _____ Church _____ Health _____
 Date of Outing *4-9-'12* Date Returned *8-31-'12* Wages _____ Earnings _____

JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL OR AVERAGE
7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	

*J. H. Smith
Carlisle, Pa.*

*9. 7. 9. 9.
9. 9. 7. 7.
9. 9. 9.
5.45 3.40 5.20 5.40*

*Ret'd
Luis Ladner
Carlisle, Pa. R.D.*

*6-3-'13 9-30-'13
Mrs. Lewdnap,
Bloomsbury, N.J.*

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" 4 4
" 4 4*

4-29-'14 8-28-14

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OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

N. Me 917

Name of Student *Don E. Ortega* Home Address *Inocente Ortega, Benb, Pueblo* Tribe *Pueblo*
 Age at Entrance *21* Date of Entrance *10-15-'10* Shop _____

Patron *Geo. L. White* Locality _____ Days in School _____
 Address *Morrisville, Pa.* R. R. Station _____ Conduct _____
 Recommended by _____ Grade in School _____ Ability _____
 Grade of Home _____ Church _____ Health _____
 Date of Outing *4-6-'11* Date Returned *9-1-'11* Wages _____ Earnings _____

JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL OR AVERAGE
<i>July</i>	<i>Aug</i>	<i>Sept</i>	<i>Oct</i>	<i>Nov</i>	<i>Dec</i>	<i>Jan</i>	<i>Feb</i>	<i>Mar</i>	<i>Apr</i>	<i>May</i>	<i>June</i>	
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15. 15.

John Lewdrop
Bloomsbury, N.J.

				<i>18</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>21</i>				
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<i>9.</i>	<i>12.</i>											<i>3.50</i>

9-1-'11 *4-9-'12*
H. G. Harris
Jermyn, Pa.

y y y
y y y
y y y

4-9-'12 *8-31-'12*

3.00 10.50 3.50

Don Ortego

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May 17th, 1915.

Mr. Inocenti Ortego,
Bent, New Mexico.

My dear Sir:

This is to notify you that arrangements are being made to have your three sons leave here on June the 3rd to go to their home on account of the fact that their periods of enrolment terminate at the close of this week's exercises.

They will be provided with transportation for their passage to Tularosa and it is hoped you can arrange to meet them at that point.

Trusting that you will be well pleased with the appearance of your boys and that they will do as well out of school as they have done here, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Jefferis.)

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INFORMATION REGARDING RETURNED STUDENTS

PART 1

REPORT BY NONRESERVATION SUPERINTENDENT OR RESERVATION SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

SCHOOL, Carlisle, Pa., July 1, 1915.

Name, Ortego, Don G.; Sex, M; Age, 25; Deg. Indian Blood, 1/2

Belongs: State, N.M.; Agency, _____; Tribe, Pueblo

Home address, whose care, etc., C/o Inocento Ortego, Bent, N. M.

Grade in school, VIII; health, good; height, 5'5"; weight, 121

Number months instruction given pupil in each school department, including music, Data incom-
plete. Outing 21; carpentry ;8; blacksmithing 8.

Course completed, None; years in this school, 4 1/2

Years spent in other schools and names of schools, No data

Character and disposition, Very satisfactory

Recommended for what positions, suitability in order named: 1. _____
2. _____; 3. _____; 4. _____

Remarks: _____

_____, Supt.

PART 2

REPORT BY RESERVATION SUPERINTENDENT

AGENCY, _____, _____, 1915

Date pupil returned from school, _____; employed since return as follows:

Are home and local conditions favorable? _____

Should he receive assistance to find employment? _____

At what employment do you think he would do best? _____

Remarks: _____

_____, Supt.

SUGGESTIONS FOR SUPPLYING THE INFORMATION REQUESTED ON THIS BLANK

1. The report of nonreservation school Superintendent should be made at the time or a little before the pupil leaves school, whether at the end of the school year or during the school year, provided the pupil is 18 years of age or over, or younger, if for any special reason the pupil is quitting school permanently. As soon as this report is received, or at least very soon after the pupil returns home, the Supervisor of Indian Employment will correspond with the returned student for the purpose of getting more in personal touch with him and finding out something about his wishes, etc. His answer will be attached to and filed as part of this report.

2. Health, height, and weight of returned students are sometimes very important in placing them properly; height and weight could be approximated very satisfactorily, though from the pupil records now in use all information called for in part 1 of this blank can readily be obtained and be definite.

3. The State, agency, and tribe are important, and where the pupil is not attached to any agency this fact should be stated and the Superintendent should give all available information as to the home and local conditions surrounding the pupil.

4. Where the outgoing pupil has passed the civil-service examination for any position, this fact should always be noted, giving position for which examination was taken.

5. It should be remembered that the Supervisor of Indian Employment can but seldom have a personal acquaintance with the outgoing student, and that he must depend on the information furnished in this report for his basis of action in behalf of the pupil.

6. The degree of Indian blood should always be given, as this fact largely determines how much effort will be made on behalf of any particular returned student; qualifications being equal, or nearly so, the preference will be given to those having the greatest degree of Indian blood.

7. This report should be forwarded promptly to the Supervisor of Indian Employment, Indian Office, Washington, D. C.

8. Reports on students from reservation schools should be made only as to those who leave the schools at 18 years of age, or older, and who will probably not go away to school.

9. If part 1 of this report is made out by the principal of a reservation school, the reservation Superintendent should supply information called for in part 2 if the principal is not informed as to home surroundings and local conditions. Such information is essential to a proper understanding of the difficulties and needs of the pupil.

10. When part 1 is made out by a nonreservation Superintendent, this blank will be sent by the Supervisor of Indian Employment to the Superintendent of the reservation where the outgoing student belongs. He should fill out part 2 and return the blank as promptly as possible, for practically nothing can be done until the information called for in part 2 is supplied.

Information under the heading "Employed since return as follows," will be valuable only in cases where the pupil has been home for some time.

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TRADE RECORD, CARLISLE.

JUL 1 1910 to June 30, 1911
JAN 1 1911

PUPIL *Don Ortega*

TRADE *cook*

ABILITY *Fair*

CONDUCT *good*

REMARKS *Not able to take charge*

INSTRUCTOR *Lizzie Garner*

Information regarding pupils to test eligibility and whether in need of Federal aid.

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Date of report

April 28, 1915

Name of child

Don Ortega

Age

24

Grade

7

Home post office

Bent. New Mexico

Otero Co

Tribe

Pueblo

Degree of Indian blood

$\frac{2}{16}$

How many acres of land do you own

none

Location

What is the annual income from your land

I do not have any income

Do you have any other income

no

How much

Is your father living

yes

Father's name

Inocent Ortega

Home post office

Bent. New Mexico Otero Co,

Tribe

I do not know

Degree of Indian blood

$\frac{1}{8}$

Is he a citizen

yes

How much land does he own

Do not own any land. Allotment No.

What is its estimated value

What is the annual income from his land

Does he have any other income

He does not have any other income

If so, how much

Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property

no.

Is your mother living

yes

Mother's name

Antonia Ortega

Home post office

Bent. New Mexico Otero Co

Tribe

Pueblo

Degree of Indian blood

full blood.

Is she a citizen

yes

How much land does your mother own

She does not own any land

Allotment No

What is its estimated value

What is the annual income from her land *She has no land income*

Does she have any other income *She has no other income*

If so, how much *✓*

Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property *She does not pay taxes.*

With whom do you make your home *I live with both of them.*

How many rooms in the house *father and mother*
They have no house.

How many live in the house *I do not know.*

How far is your home from nearest public school *at the present about 3 or 4 miles*

Why do you not attend that school *Because it only lasts 3 months in*
a year. and the highest grade is the fifth grade and too far.

How many teachers employed there *There is only one.*

How many grades maintained *five*

How many months of school each year *Three months*

Did you ever attend a public school *no*

If so, how long *✓* Where *✓*

How many brothers of school age have you *I have one*

How many sisters of school age have you *I have one*

Are they in school *no*

Where *✓*

Remarks and recommendations of superintendent with reference to eligibility and need of Federal aid:

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Superintendent.

NOTE.—One of these blanks should be filled out by each pupil at Government boarding schools, preferably with the assistance of the superintendent or some one designated to act as his representative. If the superintendent is of opinion from the information given that the pupil is entitled to enrollment he should so indicate by signing the blank in the proper place and filing in the individual pupil's folder. In the case of pupils concerning whose eligibility or need of Government aid there is some doubt, superintendents should make proper remarks and recommendations in the space indicated and forward the form to the Indian Office for consideration.

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No.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE



Carlisle, Penna. Feb. 24th, 1914.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to recommend that I be authorized to approve the checks of Don Ortego whose balance in bank is \$ \$81.39, in the amounts and for the purposes specified below:

	AMOUNT OF AUTHORITY.	EXPENDITURES.	
		DATE.	AMOUNT.
For the purchase of a typewriter. This boy has been a student in the business department and is desirous of owning a typewriter. He is offered a good second hand machine for the sum of--	45.00		

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C. H. Fippes
Supervisor in charge. Agent or Superintendent.

Approved: *E. M. ...* Commissioner.
Date, _____

FEB 27 1914