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BRIEF.

APPLICATION OF

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Palito Chaves

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carhile, Pa

POST-OFFICE ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:

Date of enrollment, *Sept 3rd 1913*

Term of enrollment, *Three (3)* years.

NAME OF COLLECTING AGENT:

Position,

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 Pa, of Palita Chaves, M, I, Justo Chaves (Name of child.) (Sex.) (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) of Los Lunas P. O., State of New Mex, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to enrollment in said school for a period of 3 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 Las Lunas N.M. on 1898; that the father, Justo Chaves, is a 1/2 Indian of the Palita Tribe located at Albuquerque Agency; that he left the tribe about 1883; that the mother, Yolanda Peralta Chaves, is a 1/2 Indian of the Palita Tribe located at Albuquerque Agency, and left the tribe about 1883; 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>Public</u>	<u>Las Lunas</u>				

This 1st day of October, 1913

Two witnesses:

Justo Chaves
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

P. O.,

(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, Justo Chaves, do hereby swear that the statements made in the above application are true.

Justo Chaves
(Signature of applicant.) (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of October, 1913

(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.)

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN.

I, James Edward Day, a practicing physician of Albuquerque N. M., do hereby certify that I have carefully examined Polito Chavez, 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 2 day of October, 1913 James Edward Day, 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 _____ by _____; that I believe _____ understood the purport thereof; that I was present at the medical examination of the child named herein; that _____ resides with _____, in or near the town of _____; that the child can not have adequate and proper educational facilities at home for the reason that _____

Dated at _____

this _____ day of _____, 19 _____ (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, Rev. A. Deacon, a Chaplain, of Yaleto, N. M., do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with Justo Chavez who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his statements therein are true; that I am acquainted with Polito Chavez; 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 school facilities near his home very poor

This 17 day of October, 1913 A. Deacon

VOUCHER NO. 2.

I, _____, a _____ of _____, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with _____, who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his statements therein are true; that I am acquainted with _____; 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 _____

This _____ day of _____, 19 _____

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 _____, 19 _____

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.

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

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DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 5050	ENGLISH NAME Polito Charz	AGENCY	NATION Pueblo				
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Father - Justo Charz, Los Serites, N.M.					
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD	AGE 16	HEIGHT 122	WEIGHT 5-5½	FORCED INSP. 36½	FORCED EXPR. 34	SEX. M
FATHER, L	MOTHER, L	ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Oct. 5, 1913	FOR WHAT PERIOD 3 years	DATE DISCHARGED Sept. 5, 1916	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Time out		
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS					FROM COUNTRY	
4-30-14	B.F. Wright, Prospectville, Pa.					8-28-14	
4-1-15	Wm. Yates, Wood Hill, Pa.					9-1-16	

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MUSKOGEE 121021

Months in school before Carlisle,

Grade entered at Carlisle,

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Catholic

REPORT OF Polito Chavez pupil of Carlisle Indian School, who went 4/2/15 to live with Wm. Yates of Wood Hill, Bucks, Pa, Newton Railroad Station

Conduct Excellent

Health Good

Ability Good

Cleanliness Fair

Economy Good

Situation of Room Second floor

Condition of Room Very good

Condition of Clothing Fair shoes needed

Wages Fifteen dollars per month

Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes

Are careful accounts kept by pupil? No

Number of days at school Attends regularly for 5 months

Distance to school One third of a mile

Grade or quality of school County school

Name and address of teacher C. C. J. Sterner

Qualifications of teacher Normal school graduate

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? Third

In what grade is pupil at present? Fourth

Attends what church and Sunday school? Catholic

Distance to church At Newton 1/4 of a mile

Is there a Catholic church in locality? yes

Who compose patron's family? Man, wife and father

What other help is employed? None

Locality of home Near Stoops corner

Home life and environments Good

Trade at school Wood worker

Nature of work General farmer

Pupil's age 18 Experience Fair

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

A series of horizontal dotted lines for writing.

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

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Name of Student

Polito Chavez

Home Address

Polito Chavez, Las Lutas, ^{9. Mex.} Tribe Pueblo

Age at Entrance

16

Date of Entrance

10-5-13

Shop

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	

Patron

B. F. Wright

Locality

Days in School

Address

Prospectville, Pa.

R. R. Station

Conduct

Recommended by

Grade in School

Ability

Grade of Home

Church

Health

Date of Outing

4-30-14

Date Returned

8-28-14

Wages

Earnings

6.00 8.00

Wm Yates

Wood Hill, Pa.

y y

y y y

y

Fr. y y

y

y y y

4-1-15

9-1-16

8.00 8

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

Date of report *May 3, 1915*

Name of child *Polito Chaves* Age *18* Grade *Fifth*

Home post office *Los Lunas New Mexico*

Tribe *Pueblo* Degree of Indian blood *I dont know*

How many acres of land do you own *I dont know* Location *I dont know*

What is the annual income from your land *I dont know*

Do you have any other income *wages* How much *14 a month*

Is your father living *Yes*

Father's name *Justo Chaves*

Home post office *Los Lunas*

Tribe *Pueblo* Degree of Indian blood *I dont know*

Is he a citizen *Yes*

How much land does he own *I dont know* Allotment No. _____

What is its estimated value *I dont know*

What is the annual income from his land *I know*

Does he have any other income *I dont know*

If so, how much *I dont know*

Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property *on Both*

Is your mother living *Yes*

Mother's name *Yes I dont know*

Home post office *Los Lunas*

Tribe *Pueblo* Degree of Indian blood *I dont know*

Is she a citizen *Yes*

How much land does your mother own *I dont know* Allotment No. _____

What is its estimated value *I dont know*

What is the annual income from her land *I dont know*
Does she have any other income *I dont know*
If so, how much *I dont know*
Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property *I dont know*
With whom do you make your home *Williams Yates*
How many rooms in the house *Ten rooms*
How many live in the house *Seven*
How far is your home from nearest public school *quarter a mile*
Why do you not attend that school *have been here long enough*
How many teachers employed there *one*
How many grades maintained *8*
How many months of school each year *9*
Did you ever attend a public school *yes*
If so, how long *I dont know* Where *a home*
How many brothers of school age have you *Two*
How many sisters of school age have you *none*
Are they in school *yes*
Where *Carlisle*

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

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.

Los Lunas N.M.
May. 22. 1914

Oscar Klippis.

Dear Superintendent

I hope your are well.
This lines I wrote you
is to let you know
to please let me know
where is my son Polito ^{Blanco}
working in what place.
because he has not write
us a few lines. since
thy had vacation. and
we are sorry about.
please let us know.
of my other son yes

Mr. Justo Chavez
Los Lunas, N. M.
Dear friend:

we don't
Think about
received my best regards

Your true friend
Justo Chavez.

answered me soon.

- 82 B.F. Wright, Prospectville
- 86 W.H. Highland, Wood Hill Pa.

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Sept. 5th, 1916.

Mr. Jose Chaves,

Los Lunas, New Mexico.

My dear Sir:

Your son Polito returned here from his outing home the latter part of last week and as his period of enrolment at Carlisle has terminated it is being arranged so that he can leave here this evening to come to your home. A ticket for his use to Los Lunas will be provided.

Hoping you will be very well pleased with your boy and that some arrangement for his return here later can be made, I am,

Very truly yours,

HCM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Lonergan.)

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Sept. 19th, 1916.

Mr. Polito Chaves,

Los Lunas, New Mexico.

My dear Friend:

I have received your letter of a recent date and am pleased to note therein that you had a pleasant trip from Carlisle to your home and that now you are making use of your training by helping your father with his farm work. It may be possible that you can help him to introduce some of the methods you learned while you were with farmers under our outing system, for that would be the very best you could do for him and yourself.

Referring further to your letter I can advise you that Mr. Yates sent your wages here shortly after you had started for your home and that now I enclose herewith a check in the amount of \$53.55 which closes out your account. Be sure and make good use of it because it represents savings you worked hard to accumulate.

Hoping you will continue to enjoy your stay at home and that I will hear from you from time to time, I am,

Very truly yours,

Encl.

HKM.

Superintendent.

Los Lunas, N. Mex
Mr. Lipp: -

Carlisle Pennsylvania.

Dear sir. I want to write
to you and let you know I got
back home well and safe.

Nothing new around here. I
am helping my father on the farm.

and if I got any money at
school please send it back to me.

I am at Los Lunas New Mexico.
Because you didn't give me all
the money I made last time
because my boss didn't send it that day.

I hope I hear from you soon.
You can ask Mrs Denny she tell you.

That is all for this time your
pupil Polito Chaves to Los Lunas
New Mexico.

October 5, 1916

Mr. Polito Chaves,

Los Lunas, N. M.

Dear Friend:

I am enclosing herewith a duplicate check in the amount of \$53.55 which is to take the place of the one sent you which was mutilated.

I trust you will have no trouble in getting this one cashed.

Very respectfully,

Superintendent.

CVP:LG

Enc.

Calise Pa

Sept 29, 1910.

Mr. Lipp:-

My dear Friend, I
have not got time to write to
you on account we got so much
work to do down here. But I
am going try to write you this
letter and let you how the bank is
done with my check.

The same day I went and took
the check to getting it cash but they
did not cash it for me. They tell me
that can't cash it unless you send
a good clean check and then they
will any time I am going ask if
you send another check please write
your own name I am write mine
and send it as soon as you can.
To Polifo Chaves Los Lunas.
New Mexico.

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May 11, 1917

Mr. Polito Chaves,
Los Lunas, N. M.

Dear Polito:

I am enclosing herewith a check for \$1.22 which covers interest received on the money you had in bank here. This interest was received after the balance of your money had been sent to you. Please sign and endorse the check before getting it cashed.

With kind regards and best wishes, I am

Yours very truly,

Superintendent.

LG

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