

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL

4676

No. 4771	NAME.	AGE.	TRIBE.	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD.	NAME OF AGENCY AND RESERVATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT, POST OFFICE OF FAMILY.
	Jose Gonzalo	12	Porto Rican	Full	San Juan, P. R.

DATE ENTERED.	Months in school before enrollment here.	IN WHAT GRADE OR ROOM.		Distance to nearest public school from pupil's home.	REMARKS.		
		On entering here.	At date of this report.		(Temporarily absent, outing, deserters, on sick leave, special authorities for enrollment, etc.)		
Sept. 17, 1912	36				To COUNTRY	FROM COUNTRY	DATE DISCHARGE
Sept 1913			No. 8		4-8-14	AUG 28 1914	
" 1914	-	-	9	-	May 24, 1915		JAN 28 1917
" 1915	-	-	VII				file
							Catholic

Progress from _____ (Date) _____, to _____ (Date) _____.

FIRST YEAR IN THIS SCHOOL	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.
Class or grade								
Academic standing*								
Industrial standing* (Department)								
Musical: Band standing*								
Vocal standing*								
Orchestra standing*								
Department standing*								
Physical condition								

Remarks: _____

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

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NUMBER 47071		ENGLISH NAME Jose Gonzalo			AGENCY		NATION Puerto Rican		
BAND		INDIAN NAME			HOME ADDRESS Dominga Gonzalo, San Juan, P.R.				
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD Full	AGE 12	HEIGHT 4-3	WEIGHT 73	FORCED INSP. 26	FORCED EXPR. 23	SEX. M.	
FATHER. D	MOTHER. L	ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Sept. 17, 1912.		FOR WHAT PERIOD Three years	DATE DISCHARGED 1-23-17	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Parents' request			
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS						FROM COUNTRY		
4-8-14	Franklin D. Everett, R. #3, Trenton, N. J.						8-28-14		
5-24-15	L. A. Deering, 242 S. 20th St., Philadelphia						1-23-17		

THE SHAW-WALKER CO., MISKFEON 121071

Months in school before Carlisle, 36

Trade entered at Carlisle,

Trade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Catholic

Gonzalo, Jose
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BRIEF.

Application of

Dominga Agosto

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Jose' Gonzalo

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

POST-OFFICE ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:

San Juan, Porto Rico

Date of enrollment, _____, 191_____

Term of enrollment, *Three* (3) years

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 Carliste, Penna., of José Gonzalo, (Name of child.) I, Dominga Gonzalo (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) of San Juan P. O., State of Porto Rico, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to this 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 Carolina P.R. on August 10, 1899 (Date.) that the father, Berito Gonzalo (Name of father.) a Indian of the Spaniard (Is or was.) (Degree.) Tribe located at Spain Agency; that he left the tribe about _____; (Approximate date.) that the mother, Dominga Agosto (Name.) a Indian of the Porto Rican (Is or was.) (Degree.) Tribe located at _____ Agency, and left the tribe about _____; (Approximate date.) 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.
<p><i>This child has been attending the Public Schools from the age of 6 years and is at present a pupil of the 5th grade at the San Juan Graded School No. 1, San Juan, P.R.</i></p>					

This 23 day of July, 1912

Two witnesses:

M. Ruiz Perach

Dominga Gonzalo
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

Julian J. Gutiérrez

P. O., San Juan

(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.)

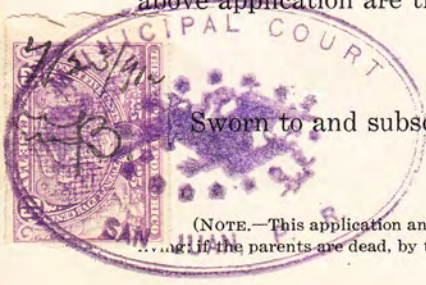
AFFIDAVIT.

I, Dominga Gonzalo, do hereby swear that the statements made in the above application are true.

Dominga Gonzalo (madre)
(Signature of applicant.) (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23 day of July, 1912

Impaeto Bahoo
Jefe Municipal de San Juan P.R.



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

Certificate of Physician.

I, J. M. Cabell, a practicing physician of Medicine and Surgery, do hereby certify that I have carefully examined José Gonzalez,

the child named in this application, and find that 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 23 day of July, 1912 J. M. Cabell, M. D.

Vouchers of Disinterested Persons.

VOUCHER NO. 1.

I, M. Ruiz Rexach, a Clerk of the Dept of Justice, of San Juan, P. R., do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with José Gonzalez who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his statements therein are true; that I am acquainted with José Gonzalez; 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 I think that Carlisle is the proper place for him to acquire a thorough industrial training and good knowledge of the English language

This 23 day of July, 1912 M. Ruiz Rexach

VOUCHER NO. 2.

I, Julian J. Gutierrez, a Government Employee of San Juan, Puerto Rico, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with Dominga Agosto, who makes the foregoing application; that I believe his statements therein are true; that I am acquainted with José Gonzalez; that

he is known and recognized in the community in which he lives as an Indian; and that in my opinion he cannot receive proper and adequate schooling at home for the reason that he cannot learn the English language among Spanish speaking people

This 23 day of July, 1912 Julian J. Gutierrez

Certificate of School Physician.

I hereby certify that on _____, I made a careful examination
(As soon after arrival as possible.)
of the physical condition of _____, the child named in the fore-
going application, and found _____ to be _____

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

This _____ day of _____, 191_____

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 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 non-reservation 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 Jose Gonsalo Sex Male. Female.
 Tribe Spaniard State Porto Rico Sept 20, 1912

Age 12 years Respiration _____ Condition of, Eyes O.K.
 Height _____ ft. _____ ins. Mensuration { Insp. 26 Ears O.K.
 Weight _____ lbs. { Exp. 23 Throat O.K.
 Temperature _____ Vaccination yes! Cervical glands O.K.
 Pulse _____ Vision _____ Skin O.K.

Inspection Fairly well developed.
 Palpation No abnormalities
 Percussion No dullness!

Auscultation No rales!

Heart No murmurs!

(Menstruation) _____

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father			<u>yes!</u>	<u>Throat.</u>
Mother	<u>yes!</u>	<u>good.</u>		
Brothers	<u>4</u>	<u>good.</u>		
Sisters	<u>5</u>	<u>good</u>	<u>none!</u>	

Personal history Measles!

Present condition Good.

H. B. Frazer, 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.

REPORT OF Jose Gonzalez pupil of Carlisle Indian
 School, who went Sept 1915 to live with Father Deering
(Date) (Patron)
 of 1630 Pine St Philadelphia
(Post Office) (County)
Pa Phila Railroad Station
(State)

Conduct Fair

Health Good

Ability Good

Cleanliness Good

Economy Fair

Situation of Room Second floor in home. 1630 Pine St

Condition of Room Very Good

Condition of Clothing Good

Wages Attends school

Are careful accounts kept by patron? No accounts

Are careful accounts kept by pupil? " "

Number of days at school Attends regularly - ten months

Distance to school Four blocks

Grade or quality of school Catholic school

Name and address of teacher Father Deering

Qualifications of teacher Catholic Priest

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? 1st

In what grade is pupil at present? 7th

Attends what church and Sunday school? Catholic

Distance to church Four blocks in city

Is there a Catholic church in locality? yes

Who compose patron's family? Lady and two daughters when

What other help is employed? (None his remains) he rooms

Locality of home 1630 Pine St

Home life and environments Very good

Trade at school none

Nature of work Student

Pupil's age 14 Experience Good student

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

Is in in care of father Deering
of Philadelphia but he boards out
in another home and attends the
Catholic school.

W. W. Dickey
Agent.

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

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Tribe *Porto Rican*

Name of Student *Jose Esongalo* Home Address

Age at Entrance *12* Date of Entrance *9-17-'12* Shop

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

Patron *Franklin G. Everett,* Locality Days in School

Address *Drenton, N.J. R#2* R. R. Station Conduct

Recommended by Grade in School Ability

Grade of Home Church Health

Date of Outing *4-8-'14* Date Returned *8-28-14* Wages Earnings

7 7 1
4 4 4
4 4 4
4.00 5.00 4.50

N.Y.
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San Juan, P. R., June 13th, 1913.

*Read
copy*

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

Dear Sir:-

In answer to your kind letter of the 6th inst. I enclose herewith a money order for \$5.00 to pay for the violin and its repairs as stated in your above mentioned communication. I am very much obliged at the interest you show toward the welfare of my son José. In regard to his learning music I wish to state that while I would be very glad to have him acquire that knowledge, I would not want him to neglect his other studies, because all my hopes are that he may become familiar with the complete commercial education taught by your school and therefore beg of you to see that he gives preference to his school work.

With best regards to Mrs. Friedman I remain sincerely yours,

Dominga Agosto Gonzalo,

D.A.G.
per

MR.

Stauffer

Redding
SEP 1913
San Juan, P. R. September 2, 1913.

Supt. M. Friedman,
Carlisle, Pa.

Mayer

Dear Mr. Friedman:

I am enclosing M. O. for \$34.00 to be placed to the credit of José for six months tuition. It will be a year on the 17th of this month that he entered that institution and it has pleased me greatly his knowledge of the language acquired during that short period. His English letters written to me are pretty good. I am also pleased with his last reports and hope that he will do much better this coming year.

The little boy whose application was sent requiring to be admitted as student of the school, will be sent over as soon as we hear from the Commissioner favorably. I have tried all my best with his father to send him. He is willing to send him to the school because he knows that he will be treated as José is. He is looking for someone to take care of him in the boat and perhaps he will have no trouble to find it, but it will be very hard for him ^{to} get anyone to take or direct the little boy from New York to Carlisle.

When you write to me again kindly let me know about José.

With my regards to Mrs. Friedman, I remain,

Very respectfully,

Louisa A. Uda. de Gonzalo

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Sept. 22nd, 1913.

Mrs. Dominga A. Vda. de Gonzalo,
San Juan, P. R.

My dear Madam:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your favor of September the 2nd, with which you enclosed an eighty-four dollar Money Order to pay for the tuition of your son Jose during the half year beginning September the 17th. I thank you for the same.

I will also take this opportunity to report to you that your son has progressed very rapidly in acquiring a knowledge of the English language. He has been an orderly at my office during the vacation months, where he has come in daily contact with visitors to the school and where he has had to converse in English with those he has guided thru our different Departments. He has had a special opportunity in connection with his work at my office to acquire a use of English and he has profited greatly thereby.

Assuring you of my continued interest in Jose

-2- Mrs. de Gonzalo.

and hoping that he will have a very successful school
year, I remain,

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Superintendent.

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San Juan, P.R. Nov. 11, 1913.

Supt. M. Friedman,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Friedman:

Your kind letter enclosing
Jose's report for Oct. received.
I was pleased to look over
the program which is
very interesting.

I can see very well
that Jose is improving in
the English rapidly but
his two last reports are
very discouraging to me.
He should at least make
very good, if not excellent,
his notes. I do not know
the reason why he do not

obtain better reports as he
used to here [at school]. They
were excellent.

Kindly call his attention
to the matter as I have done
it several times but he seems
to forget it.

I wish that you could
read Spanish so that
you may have an idea of
what I say to him in my
letters. I know he is too young,
but he could do better if he would
only pay attention to my letters.

With best regards to Mrs.
Friedman I remain,

Yours respectfully,
Lomina A. Wade Gonzales

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March 17, 1914

Mrs. Dominga A. Vda. de Gonzalo,

San Juan, P. R.

Dear Madam:

I enclose herewith certificate in triplicate covering tuition of your son Jose for the six coming months, beginning March 17, which please sign at the place indicated for Payor. Please give this matter your immediate attention, and return at your earliest convenience.

Very respectfully,

Supervisor in Charge.

SJN-BH

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March 23rd, 1914.

Mr. M. Ruiz Rexach,

Box 1397, San Juan, Porto Rico.

My dear Sir:

It gives me pleasure to report to you, in reply to your favor of March the 11th, that the Money Order for \$84.00 that was forwarded to Mr. Friedman at this School on March the 3rd is now in the possession of this office and that it will be used for the purpose of continuing Jose Gonzalo's enrolment at this school.

Thanking you for your kind personal wishes and assuring you that your further co-operation is desired and will be appreciated, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Copy.

San Juan, P. R., March 3rd, 1914.

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

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed herewith please find Money
Order amounting to \$84.00, drawn in your favor,
in payment for the tuition of my son José du-
ring the six coming months beginning March the
17th.

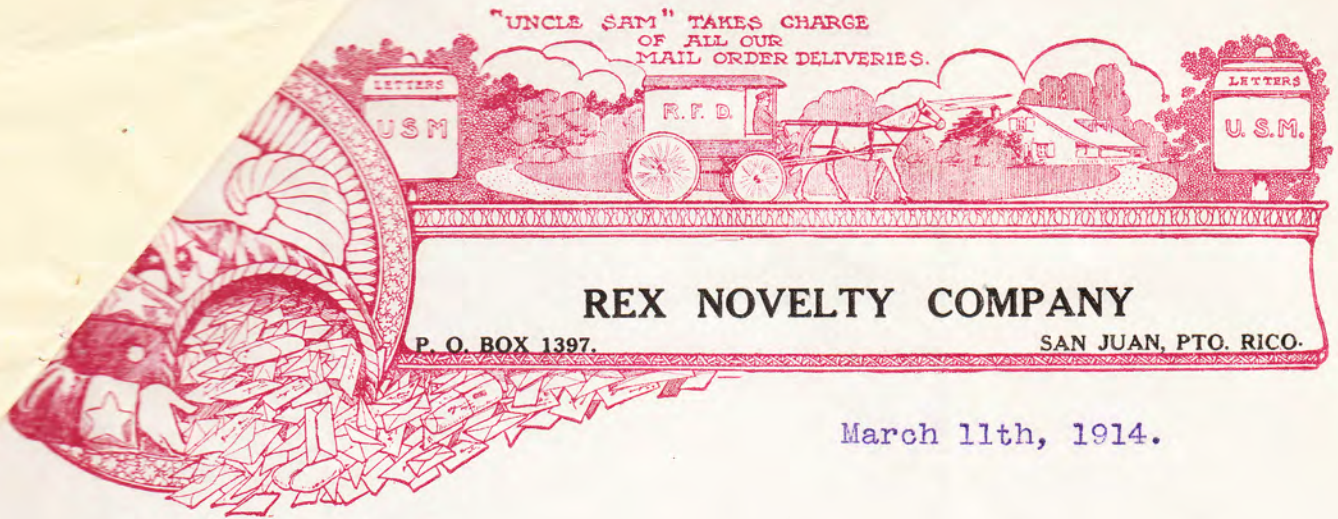
Wishing you success in your educational
work and with best wishes for Mrs. Friedman, I
remain,

Respectfully,

(signed) Dominga A. Vda. de Gonzalo,

Address:-

Mrs. Dominga A. Vda. de Gonzalo,
San Juan, P. R.



REX NOVELTY COMPANY

P. O. BOX 1397.

SAN JUAN, P.T.O. RICO.

March 11th, 1914.

The Superintendent of the U. S. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to inform you that under date of March 3rd, Mrs. Dominga Gonzalo of this city wrote a letter, (copy of which is enclosed herewith) to Mr. M. Friedman as Superintendent of the Indian School, Carlisle, Pa., enclosing a Money Order for \$84.00, drawn in his favor by the writer, in payment for six months tuition of her son José Gonzalo, who is at the school.

Since I have been informed that Mr. Friedman has ceased to be Superintendent at Carlisle, and in case that the above mentioned money has not been received by you, I request you to claim same from the said Mr. Friedman.

As a graduate of the school, it is with pleasure that I take the opportunity to extend my respects to you wishing you a complete success in your new line of work.

Hoping to hear from you soon, I remain,

Respectfully,

Class '05.

Address:- M. Ruiz Rexach,
P. O. Box 1397,
SAN JUAN, P. R.

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July 21, 1914.

Dominga A. Vda. de Gonzalo
Cristo St., No. 3
San Juan, P. R.

Dear Madam:-

I have your letter relative to your son, Jose, and have sent it to Mr. Dickey, the visiting agent for outing boys. He will visit your son, make a thorough investigation and if he finds that your son is not in good hands, I will have him recalled to the school.

Your letter is the first intimation I have had that Jose is not contented in his outing home. Jose has been at the school quite a long time and has never done any real hard work here and it may be that the work he has to do on a farm seems hard to him. If he is not over-worked, I think the change would benefit him. Mr. Dickey has the interest of the boys at heart and would not recommend anything that would not be for the best welfare of the boys. I do not want you to worry about your little son. We will do the best we can for him while he is in our care. I will write you again as soon as I hear from Mr. Dickey.

With best wishes, I am

Your friend

NRD

Supervisor in Charge.

San Juan, P.R. August 31, 1914

Supt. Oscar H. Lipps:

Dear Sir:

I received your kind letters relative to Jose's condition out in the country which have pleased me very much and are highly appreciated for the interest you have shown to my little boy. I also heard from him stating that things had changed some and that he was willing to remain until Sept. I am satisfied that he is well cared for and have not to be worried for him.

What do you think of the European conflict? We all fear that the United States may have some interference in it. If that may happen, kindly let

me know it, if possible, in
time to bring my boy home.

I am sending you by this
mail a money order for \$84.00
Jose's tuition for six months or to
March 17, 1915.

Thanking you for your kind
note and hoping to hear from you
soon, I remain,

Yours very truly,
Dominga A. Vda. Gonzales

Cristo St. no. 3.
San Juan. P.R.

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Sept. 14th, 1914.

Mrs. Dominga A. Vda. Gonzalo,

Coisto St. No. 3, San Juan, P. R.

My dear Madam:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your favor of August the 31st, with which you enclosed a Money Order for an amount of \$84.00 to pay for your son Jose's tuition during the school year that has just begun. Due credit has been given for the amount and Jose can continue with his school work.

He seems to have profited by his experiences under our Outing System this summer and it is hoped his command of English will be further broadened by his studies here in school during this year.

The probability of the United States becoming involved in the European conflict seems to be remote, and unless anything unforeseen should occur it is my opinion that you need not be alarmed about your son staying here. Your request will be kept in mind, however, and will be complied with if necessity demands it.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Jose Gonzales 360

San Juan, P. R. Sept. 29, 1914.

Mr. Oscar H. Lipps,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Your letter stating the receipt
ment of Jose's tuition for the coming
year, was received.

I am very pleased to know
of Jose's progress obtained during
the vacation months out in the
country and hope that he may
continue doing the same at the
school. I am very anxious
for him to get through the
Eighth Grade so that he may
be able there to take up a
course in shorthand etc.
and return home to take care
of me, that I am getting very

From you again,
I remain,
Yours very truly,
Domingo A. Vda. Goyals

Baguers & Co.,
P. O. Box 327,
San Juan, P. R.

old and tired. I have worked so hard in order to have him at said institution and have worried so much over him, that I fear not to be able to see him again if he stays too long at the school. He is my only hope and my dearest baby and I am always thinking of him, of course, I feel quite at ease to know that he ^{is} well cared for and that everybody at the school likes him so well, for which I am most thankful to you all, and if you ever should happen to come and visit this island, I can then show you the full appreciation of your kindness toward my dear boy.

With best wishes for success and hoping to hear

San Juan, P. R., March 2, 1915.

The Superintendent of the
U. S. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure en sending herewith enclosed
a money order for \$84.00 in full payment for the tuition
of my son José Gonzalo, for the next six months starting
on the 17th instant.

Please acknowledge receipt of same and oblige.

Yours respectfully,

Dominga Agosto Vda de Gonzalo

*Box 51
San Juan*

March 15, 1915.

Mrs. Dominga A. Vda de Gonzalo,

Box 51, San Juan, P. R.

My dear Mrs. Gonzalo:

I acknowledge receipt of a money order for \$84 enclosed with your letter of March 2, 1915, which is to cover payment for the tuition of your son Jose Gonzalo for six months commencing March 17, 1915. I am enclosing herewith a payor's certificate which I would thank you to sign and return in the enclosed franked envelope.

Thanking you, I am

Yours very respectfully,

Supervisor in Charge.

CVP:LG

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

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Date of report APR 30 1915

Name of child Josef Gonzalo Age 13 Grade 6-A
Home post office Calle del Sol # 80, San Juan, Porto Rico
Tribe Portorican Degree of Indian blood Portorican full Blood

How many acres of land do you own I don't know Location _____

What is the annual income from your land none

Do you have any other income no How much _____

Is your father living no

Father's name _____

Home post office _____

Tribe _____ Degree of Indian blood _____

Is he a citizen _____

How much land does he own _____ Allotment No _____

What is its estimated value _____

What is the annual income from his land _____

Does he have any other income _____

If so, how much _____

Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property _____

Is your mother living Yes

Mother's name Dominga Gonzalo

Home post office Calle del Sol # 80

Tribe Portorican Degree of Indian blood Portorican full blood

Is she a citizen _____

How much land does your mother own I don't know Allotment No I don't know

What is its estimated value I don't know

What is the annual income from her land... *I don't know*

Does she have any other income... *I don't know*
" " "

If so, how much.....

Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property... *I don't know*

With whom do you make your home... *with my mother*

How many rooms in the house... *6 rooms*

How many live in the house... *5*

How far is your home from nearest public school... *1 mile*

Why do you not attend that school... *Because I wanted to learn*
outside.

How many teachers employed there... *I don't know*

How many grades maintained... *8 grade*

How many months of school each year... *9*

Did you ever attend a public school... *Yes*

If so, how long... *3 yrs.* Where... *San Juan P.R.*

How many brothers of school age have you... *none*

How many sisters of school age have you... *none*

Are they in school... *no*

Where... *i*

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.

San Juan, P. R., May 7th, 1915.

Mr. O. H. Lipps, Supervisor in Charge,
U. S. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

Inasmuch as the school term is coming to its end, I have been thinking about the best way in which my son José might spend his vacations and I take pleasure in informing you that I have made arrangements so that he may spend them at Philadelphia with Rev. L. A. Deering to whom I have recommended him. José has just written me telling me that he wrote to Father Deering and in reply he stated that he would be very glad to have him during the summer, so that he may get a chance to attend a summer school in that City. Therefore I request you to kindly make all arrangements with José, who will give you all the details about his trip to Philadelphia, so that he may go as soon as the school term is over.

Hoping that I may hear from you favorably and thanking you for this favor, I remain with best regards,

Sincerely yours,

Dominga Agosto Vda de Gonzalo

ADDRESS:-

Sra. Dominga Agosto Vda de Gonzalo,
General Contreras Street No. 80,
San Juan, P. R.

242 So. 20th
Sat.

XXXXXXXXXX
Superintendent.

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May 18th, 1915.

Rev. L. A. Deering,
242 So. 20th St., Philadelphia.

My dear Sir:

Being advised by Mrs. Gonzalo of San Juan, Porto Rico, that you have consented to care for her son Jose during the summer vacation months, I take the liberty to advise that it is the boy's desire to leave here on Saturday of this week. It will be arranged, therefore, so that he can leave in time to arrive at the Broad Street Station on Pennsylvania train No. 50 at 2.33 that afternoon unless I am advised by you that other action would be more desirable as far as you are concerned.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

ST. PATRICK'S,
PHILADELPHIA

Mr. O. P. Liffs.

Dear Sir,

Please have Jose
Gonzalo come here on
Monday by the same train
instead of Saturday. I
will try to be at the
station to meet the boy,
but if I should not

be there, any policeman
will direct him how
to reach our house,

242 S. 20th Street.

With best wishes

Yours sincerely
Lawrence A. Dering

May 20th 1915.

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May 22nd, 1915.

Rev. Lawrence A. Deering,
242 So. 20th St., Philadelphia.

My dear Sir:

As is requested in your favor of the 20th, it will be arranged so that Jose Gonzalo can leave here for Philadelphia on Monday morning, the 24th. He may be expected to arrive at the Broad Street Station at 2.33 as was previously planned.

Jose is a bright young man and will not have any difficulty about reaching your home if you find it inconvenient to meet him upon arrival at the Station.

Hoping you will not hesitate to let me hear from you if I can be of assistance, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

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May 25th, 1915.

Sra. Dominga Agosto Vda de Gonzalo,
General Contreras Street No. 80,
San Juan, Porto Rico.

Madam:

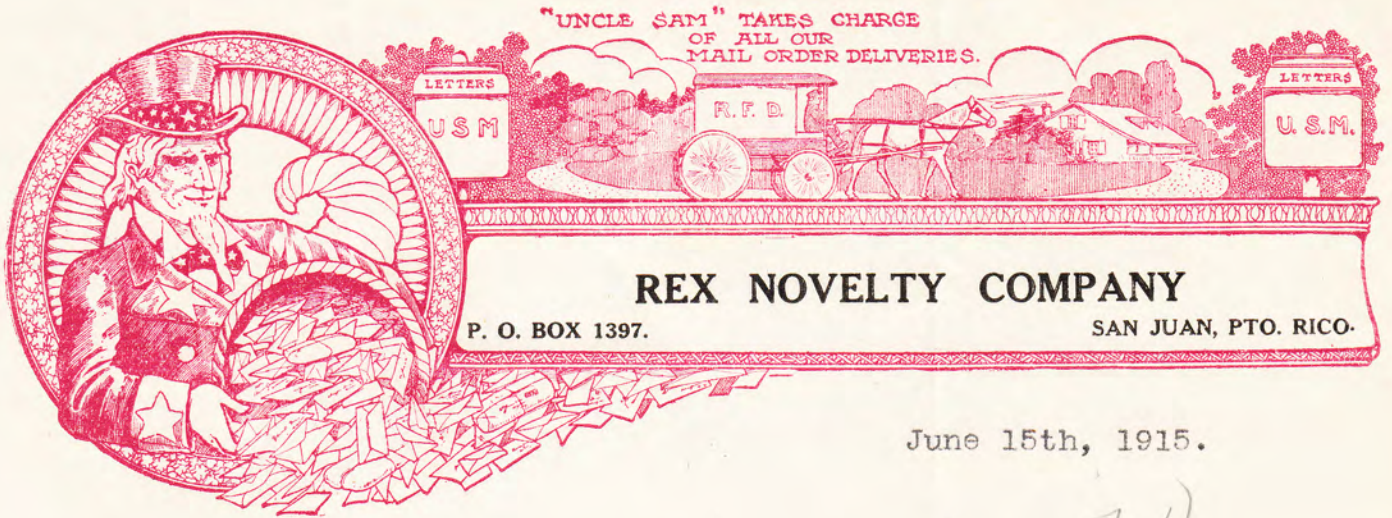
Upon receipt of your favor of the 7th instant I wrote to Father L. A. Deering relative to his taking charge of your son Jose during the summer months or longer. As requested by him it was arranged so that your boy left here yesterday with full instructions how to reach his home on South 20th Street in case he could not arrange to meet Jose upon arrival in Philadelphia.

Assuring you that it is a pleasure to co-operate with you in doing what seems best for your son, because the latter shows by the progress he is making that he too appreciates all that is being done for him, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.



June 15th, 1915.

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Mr. H. Lipps,
Superintendent,
Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Jose Gonzales

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in answering you letter of the 25th ultimo thanking you for all the troubles you have taken to send my son to Philadelphia. I have just heard from him and he says that he is delighted with the place he has. He is attending a public school and making great progress in his studies.

Thanking you for your kindness, I remain sincerely yours,

Dominga Agosto Pda. de Gonzales.



Sn. Juan, P.R.,

August 31, 1905.

Supt. of the I. School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

It is about three years now since my boy, José, entered said institution with the purpose of taking up a commercial course. As said department has been abolished, I have decided to leave him at Philadelphia with Father Weering, until he is ready to return home. If for some reason or other, he may decide to go back to the school again, I would

P.S. -

My address hereafter
will be as follows:
#16, Cristo St.,
San Juan, P. R.

be very glad to have him
do so, and every opportunity
I may obtain to recommend
your institution for the
good training and excellent
care taken of the students
sent there, I will do with
pleasure. Indeed, I have
no words to express my
full appreciation for your
kindness towards him
during his stay in said
institution.

Wishing you all
continued success for
progress, I am,

Yours respectfully,
Dominga Agosto
vda. de Gonzalo.

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Sept. 9th, 1915.

Mrs. Dominga Agosto,

No 16, Cristo St., San Juan, P. R.

My dear Madam:

I have received your favor of the 31st ultimo and take pleasure in stating in reply thereto that arrangements have already been made to allow your son Jose to remain under the care of Father Deering in Philadelphia. *Agosto*

Assuring you that your kind words of appreciation of what has been done here for your son are gratifying and that I will gladly cooperate with you further as may be required to secure for your boy the very best training possible, I remain,

Very truly yours,

Superintendent.

HKM.

San Juan, P. R. Dec. 22, 1915.

Supt. Lipps,
Indian School,
Carlisle.

My dear Mr Lipps:

José feels lonesome for Carlisle and has written me several letters stating that he wishes to return to the School.

I have no objection at all for him to do so for I always thought and think a great deal of the School and its good and efficient method of training. But the question lies, in that I could not pay much more than I used to for his boarding and training when he is ready to take up a Commercial course, will say next year, when I hope he will have finish up his Eighth Grade course, for the reason that said Department has been abolished at your institution and he would have to go to town to the Commercial College established there and from where my daughter Esperanza, was graduated .

I would highly appreciate, you if you could give me as soon as possible (for I want José to be happy) an idea of the expenses (least) or amount, for his boarding at the Indian School, (for a year as I prefer for him to be under your care,) and also the fees that I should pay for his Commercial course in town, with or without clothing etc.

With best wishes for the season to you and yours, I remain,

Yours very truly,

Domingo A. Vda Jozals

My present address:- Cristo St. No. 16,

San Juan, P. R.

Kindly send the Arrow to the above address.

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Jan. 6th, 1916.

Mrs. Dominga A. Vda Gonzalo,

Cristo St. No. 16, San Juan, P. R.

My dear Madam:

The contents of your letter of December the 22nd have been carefully noted and in reply thereto can state that we will be pleased to have your son Jose return to Carlisle if it is decided that such a course of action is for his best interests. It is my belief that he is better off where he is now because you intend to have him take a business course when he has completed the work in the Grades. Here at Carlisle you would be required to pay for his tuition and board and the added expenses of keeping him in the Commercial College. In Philadelphia he would have access to the best business schools and his constant association with other young people who have to make the best possible use of their time would be added training for him.

This year a charge of \$200.00 is made at Carlisle for board and tuition, but it could probably be arranged

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to keep Jose for the amount per year, \$167.00, you formerly paid. At the Commercial College the expenses per year would be \$75.00.

Assuring you that our further cooperation may be asked in doing for your son what is best, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

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UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL

CARLISLE, PA.

3718 Walnut St. Philadelphia, Pa.

January 20, 1917.

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MISS LIDA M. JOHNSTON, Girls' Agent.
MR. D. H. DICKEY, Boys' Agent.

Mr. O. H. Lipps.
Supt. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr Lipps:-

To-day Faku Deering of 242 - S 20th St. Philadelphia
gave me the following report concerning Jose Geonzalus.
Jose Geonzalus went to his own home in Porto Rico
about the last of April or early in May - 1916. He went
home at the request of his parents. He was a good student
and had completed eighth grade.

Very respectfully.

Lida M. Johnston