

Deceased 5934

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 3426 2727	ENGLISH NAME Katie Cochran	AGENCY	NATION Pueblo					
BAND Laguna	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Jose Felipe Martinez Laguna, N. Mex.						
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD		BLOOD Full	AGE 15	HEIGHT 5-1	WEIGHT 110	FORCED INSP. 34	FORCED EXPR. 32	SEX F.
FATHER, L	MOTHER, D	ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Nov. 28, 1911		FOR WHAT PERIOD Five years	DATE DISCHARGED Oct. 23, 1915	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Died		

TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS	FROM COUNTRY
4-10-12	Ralph Bowers, Waynesboro, Pa.	8-29-13
4-9-14	" " " "	8-27-14
4-2-15	John Leonard, Beverly, N. J.	7-9-15

Months in school before Carlisle, 72

Grade entered at Carlisle, Normal

Grade at date of Discharge,

Trade or Industry,

Church, Catholic

Miles to school - 50

CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL

5934

No. <u>2727</u>	NAME. <u>Hattie Cochran</u>	AGE. <u>15</u>	TRIBE. <u>Pueblo</u>	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD. <u>Full</u>	NAME OF AGENCY AND RESERVATION, IF ENROLLED; IF NOT, POST OFFICE OF FAMILY. <u>Laguna N. M.</u>
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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.)		
<u>Nov 28, 1911</u>	<u>72</u>			<u>5 mi</u>	TO COUNTRY	FROM COUNTRY	DATE DISCHARGE
<u>Sept. 1912</u>			<u>No 4</u>			<u>8-29-13</u>	<u>~~~~~</u>
<u>" 1914</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4-9-14</u>	<u>8-27-14</u>	<u>~~~~~</u>
<u>" 15</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>IV</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>APR 2 1915</u>	<u>7-9-15 (sick)</u>	<u>10-23-15</u>
							<u>DIED</u>
							<u>Catholic</u>

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:

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BRIEF.

Application of

Jose Felipe Martin

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Natie Cochran

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

.....

Date of enrollment,, 19.....

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, Pa

of Statie Cochran ; female ; date of birth 1896
(Name of Child) (Sex)
Pueblo
(Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER <small>(Both Indian and English)</small>	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<u>Wm Cochran</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>Pueblo</u>	<u>Laguna</u>	<u>full</u>
<u>Juan Cochran</u>	<u>Dead</u>	"	"	"

Jose Felipe Martinez, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to her enrollment in said school for a period of Five years, and also obligate myself to abide by all the rules and regulations for Indian Schools.
(Not less than 3)

The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL	DATE OF ENROLLMENT	DATE OF DISCHARGE	CAUSE	GRADE
<u>1. Albuquerque</u>	<u>1907</u>	<u>1911</u>	<u>time up</u>	<u>4th</u>
<u>2. Aguate Day School</u>	<u>1903</u>	<u>1907</u>	<u>transfer</u>	<u>—</u>
<u>3.</u>				
<u>4.</u>				

Jose Felipe Martinez
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: Laguna,
New Mexico

Two Witnesses:

Robert W. Cassady
Fred Dillon

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find her 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 16 day of Nov., 1911.

Fred Dillon

Physician at Albuquerque 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 Jose Felipe Martinez
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This 28th day of Nov, 1911.

R. J. Poiry

Agent or 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.



Dec. 11th, 1915.

Mr. Wm. Cochran,

Paquete, via Laguna, N. M.

My dear Mr. Cochran:

This is to inform you that your deceased daughter Katie's trunk and suit case are going forward to you today by express. Shipment to Laguna is being made and the charges will have to be paid when delivery is made.

The suit case contains a straw hat and is being shipped only because of its own value. In the trunk, besides wearing apparel, there should be found articles as is listed below:

Two strings of beads
One silver pin
One string of silver beads
Two silver rings
One neck chain
Three silver bracelets

The suit case is not locked and I enclose herewith the key to the trunk.

As Superintendent Lipps will not return to school for several days longer the check in the amount of \$61.19

Mr. Wm. Cochran.

that then closes out your daughter's account in our school bank cannot be sent today. When Mr. Lipps has signed the check it will be forwarded to Superintendent Lonergan with a copy of this letter.

Hoping that the trunk and suit case will be delivered to you in good condition and that we will hear from you after all your daughter's belongings have been checked up with this letter, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Lonergan.)

Paguate N.M.
Nov-28-1975

Dear sir

I am going to write to you and I am very glad to here from you that is my child she have \$61.19 so I like to have to sumit mit that money please very soon if you can And trunk and silver beads and ring and pin and bracelets and every thing what she have

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D. J. J.

please write me as
you because I am
very sorry I didn't
see anything yet.

Write money by letter
Please tell them Carlisle
children I write my
best love to them and
and good by to them
all Carlisle folks.

So good by
I am your friend

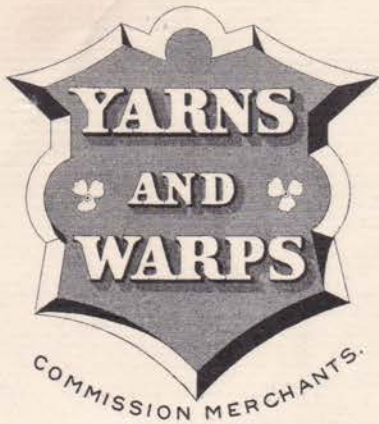
Wm Cochran
write soon please,

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Oct. 27th. 1915 -

The contents of Katie Cochran's trunk.

- | | |
|---------------------|--------------------------|
| 3 pr. Shoes | 1 silver pin |
| 1 hair brush | 1 string of silver beads |
| 2. Strings of beads | 2 silver rings |
| 1 white cap | 1 neck chain |
| 2 pr glasses | 3 silver bracelets |
| 1 winter hat | 1 new night dress. |
| 1 red tie | |
| 1 white dress | |
| 1 white skirt. | |
| 1 sweater | |
| 1 sewing bag | |
| 5 pr hose | |
| 1 muffler | |
| 1 penicillin | |
| 2 corset covers | |
| 2 night dresses | |
| 1 summer hat | |



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Philadelphia, June 26th, 1916

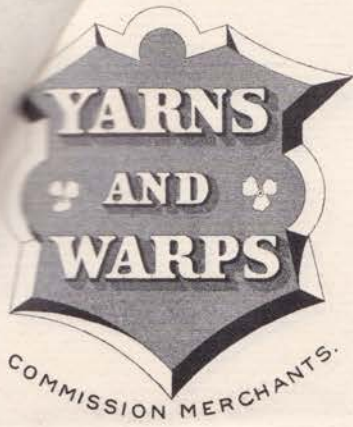
J. D. DeHuff, Asst. Supt.,
U. S. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir:

The writer is in receipt of your outrageous charges regarding Katie Cochran, who was returned by us to your school sometime ago.

When Katie Cochran arrived, she had a slight hacking cough, and we asked her several times, if she had been sick, and whether the cough was chronic, and she stated that she had the Grippe before leaving the school, but that she had fully recovered, and that she was feeling all right.

Your claim that Katie did not receive the care and attention that she should have received, is simply ridiculous, as my wife did most of the work, in fact, did all of the cooking, and the work that Katie was asked to do, was what could have been done by a child. We asked Katie time and again how she felt, and in every instance she assured us that she was feeling well. The only symptom that Katie showed that there was something wrong with her, was that she was very slow in her work, but this did not surprise us, as a great many of the girls we employ,



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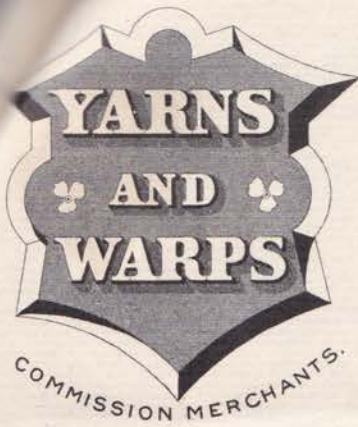
Philadelphia, _____ 191
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display this weakness, and we of course usually attributed it, to laziness.

We were very fond of Katie, and we did everything in our power to make it pleasant for her, and in fact, we have always made this a rule with any one in our employ, and the writer defies you or any one to say anything to the contrary.

When Katie was finally examined by our physician, and ordered back to the school, she consented with great reluctance, as she had become very fond of us, and told us several times, that she did not want to go back, as we had made it very pleasant for her. Surely, if we had maltreated Katie, according to your charges, she certainly would not felt this way about leaving.

When Katie first arrived, she informed us that she had been examined by the school doctor, and pronounced to be in good physical condition. If Tuberculocis was the case of Katie's death, certainly she must have contracted the disease, previous to her coming to us, and if such is the case, your Medical Department of the school is certainly " not on the job ". This is not the first time that such a thing has occurred, as we know of another case, where one of your girls had a severe case of Quinsy the day she arrived in a certain home, and she laid in bed for two weeks, after her arrival, so we are not at all surprised at



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at your sending out a sick girl to us.

It is customary, before preferring charges like these against any one, that thorough investigation should be made, and not take only one side of the question, and in this instance, you have simply drawn from your imagination, and we expect a letter of apology from you by return mail, as you have charged writer with being the cause of Katie Cochran's death.

Awaiting your reply, I remain.

J. W. C./d

Yours truly,

John W. Conrad
228 Chestnut St.
Phila

Residence Beverly N.J.

July 8, 1916.

Mr. John W. Conard
222 Chestnut Street
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your letter dated June 26th addressed to Mr. DeHuff, relative to the letter written to you about Katie Cochran, I have to say that Miss Johnston will call upon Mrs. Conard within the next few days relative to this matter.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

Oct. 25th, 1915.

Mr. William Cochran,
Paquate, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Cochran:

I regret very much to advise you that your daughter Katie died between eleven and twelve o'clock on Saturday night. At ten o'clock the local priest was called in to see Katie when it was noticed that she was sinking very rapidly.

Being advised by Superintendent Lonergan that the body is to be shipped to your home, arrangements have been completed to conduct funeral services tomorrow morning in the Catholic Church in Carlisle, after which the body will be sent to Laguna by prepaid express.

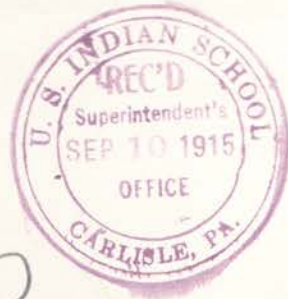
Assuring you that everything possible was done to make the girl comfortable while so sorely afflicted and hoping that I will hear from you after the body has arrived at your home, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Lonergan.)



Pagette W. M.
Sept. 6, 1915.

Dear sir

I am very sorry in did
to here from the Carlisle school
that is my child she get sick
at school but I did not know
soon just oly two day a go
he tell me Mr John Chaves so
I am feel very sorry.

Well dear. supt. you must
tell me all time how she is
my get better becuse that is
my oly daughter. Jose Fiellye he is
not belong to her but I am my-
daughter.

Well supt. we went to have
to supts to us if you please
becuse her ~~and~~ mother and grand
mother and I am we to have to

came home where she got
well that is all we went
to cause home,

Please tell her I my best
love to her good by to her
I hope soon get well, That is
all,

I am your father

William Cochran


Please tell me soon how she
is tell all time.

William Cochran
Paguti
W.M.

REPORT OF Kate Cochran pupil of Carlisle Indian
School, who went Apr. 1915 to live with Mrs. John Conrad
(Date) (Patron)
of Beverly N.J.,
(Post Office) (County)
N.J., Beverly Railroad Station
(State)

Conduct Excellent
Health See letter - July 1915
Ability Tries to do his best - slow. Most faithful
Cleanliness Excellent
Economy not wasteful
Situation of Room 2d floor
Condition of Room Very good
Condition of Clothing Very good
Wages \$8 per mo.
Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes
Are careful accounts kept by pupil?
Number of days at school School not in session
Distance to school
Grade or quality of school
Name and address of teacher
Qualifications of teacher
In what grade was pupil at Carlisle?
In what grade is pupil at present?
Attends what church and Sunday school? Catholic
Distance to church Short distance - About 4 squares
Is there a Catholic church in locality? yes

Who compose patron's family? Mr. & Mrs. Conrad and 2 young boys
What other help is employed? No other help - when washing is large - the large
pieces are sent to laundry.
Locality of home Suburban
Home life and environments Good
Trade at school
Nature of work Gen'l Helper
Pupil's age Experience



July 20th, 1915.

Mr. Jose Felipe Martinez,

Laguna, N. M.

My dear Sir:

I must advise you that Katie Cochran was returned to this school from her outing home on July the 9th because it was believed inadvisable to have her continue longer with her work on account of the condition of her health. Katie did not look at all well then and has been at our Hospital since her arrival here.

The physician who is acting during the absence from Carlisle of our regular school physician has submitted a report which indicates that Katie may be suffering from incipient tuberculosis, but there does not seem to be any very positive diagnosis. Every attention is being given the girl and when the improvement hoped for has been accomplished it will probably have to be arranged so that she can return to your home. You will be informed from time to time what progress is being made in effecting an improvement in her condition.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Lonergan.)

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL

CARLISLE, PA.

ROUTING SYSTEM

LIE R. DENNY, Manager.

LIDA M. JOHNSTON, Girls' Agent.

MR. D. H. DICKRY, Boys' Agent.

8721 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.,
July 8, 1915.Mr. O. W. Lipps,
Supt. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps: -

Katie Cochran living with Mrs. Conard, Beverly, N.J. will return to Carlisle on Friday, arriving there on the noon train. In case this letter may be delayed, I will wire on Friday morning after I have placed Katie on the train.

On Wednesday when I visited Katie, Mrs. Conard said she thought Katie was not strong, that she looked pale, had a cough. This cough she had when ^{she} came to her in April. When she asked Katie about her health, Katie replied - "I am all right."

Katie is a shy little Pueblo and says little but as I took her dry hot little hand and looked into her face I felt she ought to return to be under doctor's care. Her face has a punched look and she coughs at night and tires easily, I think.

I asked Mrs. Conard to take Katie to their family physician in the evening and have him give her a thorough examination. Mrs. Conard did so and the following is his report - There is a slight disturbance in the lungs - temperature $102\frac{1}{2}$ (normal this morning, as she went to see him again this morning), night sweats. Would have to examine sputum to determine whether or not a tubercular condition but advises her return to Carlisle to be under our physician's care.

I feel quite confident this action will meet with your approval. Mrs. Conard was to be away from home on Saturday so I thought ^{best} to send Katie in at once without awaiting your reply. It will not be necessary to supply Mrs. Conard with another girl now. Very respectfully,

Lida M. Johnston.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Mrs. Deany: —

Dr. Scheppler finds con-
gestion of left lung in Katie
Cochran. He is going to examine
the sputum to determine the nature of
her trouble.

Respectfully

L. Corneille

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Mr. Meyer.

July-20-1915.

In regard to Katie Cochran now in hospital, can say she came in July 9, with temperature of 103°, badly solidified left lung, and intestinal indigestion; with malarial symptoms.

She has since admission been in bed, and while not improving at all rapidly, has enough complications to retard recovery. I do not consider her a hopeless case, but serious, and think that if she improves sufficiently, she should be sent to better climate.

Respectfully
J. M. Shepley M.D.

Jose Felipe Martinez

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May 8th, 1914.

Mr. Ralph Bowers,
Waynesboro, Penna.

Dear Sir,

Please have Katie Cochran sign the enclosed
check of 1.36 and return to me to pay her optical bill.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Supervisor in Charge.

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REPORT OF Katie Cochran pupil of Carlisle Indian

School, who went April 1912 to live with Mr. Ralph Bowers

of Waynesboro, Franklin

(Post Office) (County) (State) Pa, Waynesboro Railroad Station

Conduct D. G.

Health Good

Ability Slow - improving - does well

Cleanliness Good

Economy Good

Situation of Room 3rd

Condition of Room D. G.

Condition of Clothing D. G.

Wages 5-⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes

Are careful accounts kept by pupil? no

Number of days at school

Distance to school

Grade or quality of school

Name and address of teacher

Qualifications of teacher

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle?

In what grade is pupil at present?

Attends what church and Sunday school? Yes. Catholic

Distance to church near

Is there a Catholic church in locality? Y

Who compose patron's family? husband - wife & two babies

What other help is employed? washing & other heavy work done out

Locality of home good

Home life and environments Yes

Trade at school

Nature of work

Pupil's age Experience

In the Borough.

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Visit made Oct. 23, 1912.

REPORT OF Katie Cochrane pupil of Carlisle Indian
School, who went Apr-16-12 to live with Mr. Ralph Bowers
(Date) (Patron)
of Waynesboro, (Post Office) _____, (County) _____,
Penn. _____, Waynesboro _____ Railroad Station
(State)

Conduct Very good.

Health Very good.

Ability Good ability - slow; very thorough.

Cleanliness Very neat and clean.

Economy Not always careful.

Situation of Room 3^d floor; 2 windows

Condition of Room Excellent

Condition of Clothing Good.

Wages Before attending school received \$5 per mo.

Are careful accounts kept by patron? Yes.

Are careful accounts kept by pupil?

Number of days at school Began last day of Sept. (Mon. Sept. 30.

Distance to school Considerable distance

Grade or quality of school Private see remarks.

Name and address of teacher Miss Busch - Mt Airy Ave, Waynesboro, Pa

Qualifications of teacher Grad. of Va. Seminary Teacher at Ursinus.

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? Normal.

In what grade is pupil at present? 3^d Grade.

Attends what church and Sunday school? Catholic; Family Methodist.

Distance to church Considerable.

Is there a Catholic church in locality? Yes.

Who compose patron's family? Mr & Mrs Bowers - 2 little girls ages 2 1/2 yrs & 2 1/2 yrs

What other help is employed? Washing and ironing done out.

Locality of home Town.

Home life and environments Very helpful.

Trade at school _____

Nature of work Genl helper.

Pupil's age 12 Experience First.

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

For some time some of the patrons in Waynesboro, particularly those who live out of the borough, have been allowed to send their Indian girls to a private school. They pay \$3 per month for tuition.

Mrs. Boner's home is in the borough but permission had been given her to allow Katie to attend this private school along with the other Indian girls who were in attendance there.

Miss Busch is an excellent teacher, I believe, and the girl receives individual instruction every afternoon for 100 days - about 2 1/2 hours per day. The girls wished to remain in this private school rather than attend public school but of course, they are not in competition with white students this way. However, I believe it is best to allow them to continue as long as they have started and are doing well but next fall have the patrons understand that their Indian girls must attend the public school.

Katie likes her home and the home influences seem to be very helpful and pleasant.

L. M. J.

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REPORT OF Katie Cochrane pupil of Carlisle Indian School, who went Apr. 9-14 to live with Mrs. Ralph Bowers

of Waynes low (Post Office), (County)

Pa. (State), Waynes low Railroad Station

Conduct Excellent

Health V. Good

Ability V. Good

Cleanliness Very clean and tidy

Economy Fair

Situation of Room 3d

Condition of Room \$5 per mo.

Condition of Clothing Good

Wages \$5.00 per mo.

Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes

Are careful accounts kept by pupil?

Number of days at school

Distance to school

Grade or quality of school

Name and address of teacher

Qualifications of teacher

In what grade was pupil at Carlisle?

In what grade is pupil at present?

Attends what church and Sunday school? Attends Catholic Church regularly

Distance to church Short distance

Is there a Catholic church in locality? yes

Who compose patron's family? Mr. & Mrs. Bowers, and two children

What other help is employed? No other help

Locality of home Down

Home life and environments Very helpful

Trade at school

Nature of work Girl Helper

Pupil's age 18 Experience

Very satisfactory in every respect.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

July - 29 - 1915

Mr. Myers.

Dear Sir:

Report of condition of Katei Baahian, is that she is generally improved: Lung still dull, temperature variable, but generally much lower. I would say she was convalescing, but very slowly.

Respectfully

B. M. Stephens M.D.

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July 31st, 1915.

Mr. Jose Felipe Martinez,
Laguna, N. M.

My dear Sir:

Reporting further relative to the condition of Katie Cochran, you are advised that the statement of which a copy is submitted below was addressed to this office yesterday by the physician who is acting in the absence of our regular School Physician:

"Report of condition of Katie Cochran is that she is generally improved. Lung still dull, temperature variable, but generally much lower. I would say she was convalescing, but very slowly."

Hoping that further such favorable reports can be conveyed to you and that it will not be necessary to take Katie out of school permanently, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Lonergan.)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

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Carlisle, Pa.

Aug. 12th ., 1915.

Mr. Meyer:

Please report to the relatives of Katie Cochran as follows :

The trouble in Katie's lungs has been shown to be of tuberculous nature. She has made slight progress for the better but is to be considered in a very ill condition. There is no immediate danger to life, and it is hoped that the progress of the consumption may be checked.

Respectfully,

Walter Rindtloff M. D.

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Aug. 13th, 1915.

Mr. Jose Felipe Martinez,

Laguna, N. M.

My dear Sir:

Upon the return to Carlisle of our regular school physician it was learned that Katie Cochran's trouble is evidently of a tubercular nature and at the request of the physician I submit below a copy of the report he addressed to me yesterday:

"The trouble in Katie's lungs has been shown to be of tuberculous nature. She has made slight progress for the better but is to be considered in a very ill condition. There is no immediate danger to life, and it is hoped that the progress of the consumption may be checked."

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Lonergan.)

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Aug. 17th, 1915.

Mr. Jose Felipe Martinez,

Laguna, N. M.

My dear Sir:

Our School Physician has not succeeded in effecting an improvement in the condition of Katie Cochran's health and at his request I submit below a copy of the report that was issued this morning:

"I regret that the outlook in the case of Katie Cochran is growing daily less hopeful. Please notify the parents that she is not improving and that her condition is thought to offer little hope of ultimate recovery."

Assuring you that the best of care is being given the girl and that everything possible is being done to keep her as comfortable as such care can make her, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Lonergan.)



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Beverly, N. J. Aug 15th 1915

Miss Katie Cochran



To Dr. George T. Tracy

For Professional Services:

1915
June

\$ 1.50

Received Payment

George T. Tracy

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.

Aug. 27th., 1915.

Mr. Meyer:

I am glad to say that Katie Cochran has undergone slight improvement. Her temperature is much less than it has been whereas she has kept a stationary weight for the last 10 days. This is in sharp contrast to the previously high fever and loss of weight. I cannot however be too optimistic of the outcome at this time as her illness is a serious one. ^{rapid}

Yours respectfully,

Walter Rindtroy M. S.

Aug. 27th, 1915.

E. T. Lonergan,
Superintendent, Pueblo Day Schools,
Albuquerque, N. M.

My dear Sir:

I send herewith three letters that have been returned to this office marked "unclaimed", and of which copies had previously been transmitted to you for the files at your office.

It is learned from Katie Cochran that her father is living and that the application for her enrolment at Carlisle was signed by her uncle, Jose Felipe Martinez. It is desired, therefore, that the reports contained in the letters herewith be brought to the attention of Mr. William Cochran at Paquate, New Mexico.

For your further information and the satisfaction of the girl's people your attention is called to a favorable report as follows that was conveyed to me this morning by our School Physician:

"I am glad to say that Katie Cochran has undergone slight improvement. Her temperature is much less than it has been, whereas she has kept a sta-

H. P. T. Lonergan, Superintendent.

tionary weight for the last 10 days. This is in sharp contrast to the previously high fever and loss of weight. I cannot, however, be too optimistic of the outcome at this time as her illness is a serious one."

Very respectfully,

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HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.
Sept 9th., 1915

Mr. Meyer:

Katie Cochran's condition remains about the same. She appears some brighter.

Emerson Nutcrum's condition is excellent and he shows very tendency to make an uneventful recovery -

Respectfully,

Walter Rindorf M.D.

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Sept. 9th, 1915.

Mr. P. T. Lonergan,
Superintendent, The Pueblo Day Schools,
Albuquerque, N. M.

My dear Sir:

Our School Physician has reported as follows regarding the condition of Katie Cochran:

"Katie Cochran's condition remains about the same. She appears somewhat brighter."

Hoping that by this time you have gotten into touch with the girl's people and that they have been assured that everything possible is being done here for their girl, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

Cattle, Sheep
Wool

Oct. 18th, 1915.

Mr. C. B. Bibo,
Bibo, New Mexico.

My dear Sir:

Upon receipt of your letter of the 8th instant, relative to the request of Katie Cochran's father that the girl be sent home, it was referred to our School Physician. The Physician has reported that at no time since Katie was admitted to the Hospital has she been in a fit physical condition to undertake so long a journey as would be the one to her home. It will not be possible, therefore, to carry out the father's request that she be allowed to come to his home.

I must also ask you to advise the father of the girl that she is very low and that a recovery in her case can hardly be expected.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Lonergan.)

Moquino Cash Store

General Merchandise

Navajo Blankets a Specialty

Hay, Grain
Native Produce

BIBO, N. M.,

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Supt Carlisle High School.

Carlisle Penn.

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Mr William Cochran father of Katie Cochran who is a pupil at your institute desires to have his daughter back home. He says they are very much worried over her condition & desires to have her spend the remaining days with them. He also begs to let him know what day she will arrive at Laguna so he can meet her. If you will address letter in my care for him will see he receives it at once.

Dr. R.

Please advise
me

negro

Very Resp

C. B. Bibb

Bibb New Mexico

Oct. 20th, 1915.

Mr. William Cochran,
Paquate, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Cochran:

I regret very much to advise you that our School Physician this morning reported as follows regarding the condition of your daughter Katie:

"Katie Cochran is very low, with no possible hope of recovery."

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Lonergan.)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Carlisle, Pa.

Oct. 18th., 1915.

Mr. Meyer:

At no time since Katie Cochran's return from the outing has she been in condition to travel. I do not see how this can be made possible at the present time. Please inform the father that Katie is very low.

Respectfully,

Walter Rindorff M. S.

Oct. 4th, 1915.

Mr. William Cochran,
Paquete, New Mexico.

My dear Mr. Cochran:

I regret very much to advise you that your daughter Katie's condition is not satisfactory. Our School Physician reported this forenoon as is copied below:

Katie Cochran is slowly declining. Nothing hopeful can be said regarding her condition."

Assuring you again that everything possible is being done for your daughter's comfort, I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Superintendent Lonergan.)

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Nov. 8th, 1915.

Miss Ottilia Kessel,
Teacher, The Paquate School,
Paquate, N. M.

Dear Madam:

I thank you for your kind letter of the 31st ultimo, conveying Mr. William Cochran's expressions of satisfaction in regard to the effort that was made to keep his daughter Katie comfortable during the time she was ill in our School Hospital. It is gratifying to know that the bereaved parent believes we did all it was possible to do.

Will you please inform Mr. Cochran that Katie's trunk is being cared for here? There has been found in it the string of silver beads he mentioned. Three bracelets, two rings and a silver pin are also in the trunk besides her other possessions. In our School Bank there is to the girl's credit an amount of \$61.19, of which \$6.00 was not found until today as it was hidden away in a box among some old letters.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Acting Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Lonergan.)

Department of the Interior,

UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,

Paguate, N. Mex.

Oct. 31, 1905.

Supt O. H. Lipps,
Carlisle, Pa. -

Dear Sir -

William Cochran requested me to write to you, and thank you for sending home the body of his daughter Katie. He says he feels sure you did all for her that could be done. We had the funeral yesterday.

Mr. Cochran wants to know where her trunk is. And do you know anything of any silver beads she may have had? He also wanted to know if she had any money left from when she worked out in the country.

Very respectfully,

Otilia Kessel.

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Teacher Paguate School.

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Mequiao Cash Store

December 27th, 1915,

Mequiao Cash Store,

Bibo, N.M.

Gentlemen,

Replying to your favor of the 22nd, relative to funds of Katie Cochran, deceased, I have to advise the balance to her credit in bank was transferred to Philip T. Lonergan, Superintendent, Pueblo day schools, December 13th, 1915.

Respectfully,

W.H.M.

Superintendent.

Moquino Cash Store

General Merchandise

Navajo Blankets a Specialty

Hay, Grain
Native Produce

BIBO, N. M., Dec. 22nd, 1915.

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

Dear Sir,

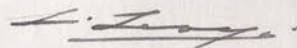
We are writing in behalf of William Cochrane, Father of Katie Cochrane, diseased.

Mr. Cochrane states that his Daughter had some money due her at Carlisle and that he has requested that a check be made out and mailed to him and that as yet he has received no answer.

Will you kindly give the matter your attention, for which he thanks you in advance.

Respectfully,

Moquino Cash Store.



Aug. 30th, 1916.

Mr. William Cochran,

Bibo P. O., New Mexico.

My dear Friend:

I have received your letter of the 25th instant and have noted that the money to the credit of your daughter Katie when she died here has not yet been turned over to you by Superintendent Lonergan of the Pueblo Day Schools. In reply to your inquiry as to the help that can be given you to secure the amount I must state that the matter is now in the Superintendent's hands and that there is nothing I can do from this end.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Supt. Lonergan.)

do for us. Thanks for
your kindness

Very Truly

William Goddard

care P. O. P.O. Box N. M.
Valencia Cal.

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

Date of report May 1, 1915

Name of child Katie Cochran Age 18 Grade 4th

Home post office Paguate

Tribe Pueblo Degree of Indian blood Full blood

How many acres of land do you own Does not know Location Does not know

What is the annual income from your land Does not know

Do you have any other income no How much —

Is your father living yes

Father's name William Cochran

Home post office Paguate New Mexico

Tribe Pueblo Degree of Indian blood Full blood

Is he a citizen yes

How much land does he own Does not know Allotment No. _____

What is its estimated value " " "

What is the annual income from his land Does not know

Does he have any other income " " "

If so, how much _____

Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property Does not know

Is your mother living no

Mother's name Mary Cochran

Home post office Paguate New Mexico

Tribe Pueblo Degree of Indian blood _____

Is she a citizen no

How much land does your mother own Mother dead Allotment No. _____

What is its estimated value _____

What is the annual income from her land.....

Does she have any other income.....

If so, how much.....

Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property.....

With whom do you make your home *With Aunt*

How many rooms in the house *4*

How many live in the house *6*

How far is your home from the nearest public school *66 miles*

Why do you not attend that school *You far from home*

How many teachers employed there *6 or 7*

How many grades maintained *8*

How many months of school each year *10*

Did you ever attend a public school *No*

If so, how long..... Where.....

How many brothers of school age have you *No brother*

How many sisters of school age have you *One*

Are they in school *yes*

Where *In Albuquerque*

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.