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139 West 45th St.

New York.

Oct. 25, 1882.

Hon. Commissioner of Indian Affairs

Dear Sir:

Owing to my forwarding your letter of Sept. 30. Sent to Boston has just reached me. I regret the delay & beg you to excuse it.

I made application for the admission of five Omaha boys to Carlisle School to be supported by private contributions, and unfortunately omitted one Cad. Joseph Boy. I have been speaking in churches, trying to raise the money, and the work is nearly accomplished.

So that if you will grant per-  
mission, the Six Omahas can  
derive the inestimable benefit  
of Industrial Training.

It seems almost foolish to  
write the words, I beg of you  
to do this, for your noble  
Christian heart will prompt  
the act, with out the asking.

Again ~~excusing~~ your indulgence  
for the long & unintentional  
silence.

I remain

Yours respectfully

A. C. Fletcher.

Wm. H. Price

Commissioner Ind. Affairs  
Washington.

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Hon. Commissioner Ind. Affairs.

Dear Sir:

Yours of Oct 25 - this I remember  
decid. On my arrival here I  
ans'd yours of 30<sup>th</sup> the delay  
has been occasioned by my not  
returning to Boston when the  
letter had been sent. The boys  
are the same referred to by  
Capt. Peatt. Six Omahas. By  
a mistake I omitted the  
name of Joseph Boy in my  
application to the Secretary  
of the Interior.

I greatly regret the long

silence, & trust you will  
favorably regard the case of  
the boys.

Yours respectfully  
A. C. Fletcher.

I have nearly completed the  
Amk. needed for their maintenance  
this year. Speaking in various  
cities in New England on their  
behalf.

A. C. F.

Wm. H. Rice

Washington D.C.