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Capt. F. H. South,  
Carlisle, Pa.  
March 18, 1887,

Enc. letter from  
Willie Souders  
who was appointed teach-  
er of Menominee  
School, re: the a-  
gent's delay in placing  
her on duty as a  
teacher, and of course if  
she is not to be em-  
ployed, it would  
not be better to return  
her to Carlisle. Call  
attention to correspond-  
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Indian Industrial School,

Carlisle, Pa., March, 18. 1887.

To the Hon.

The Commr. of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I inclose for your information a letter just received from Nellie Londrosh, who was appointed Asst. teacher at the Winnebago Industrial School by your letter of January 29<sup>th</sup> last. If she is not to be so employed, had she not better return to Carlisle?

In this connection I invite your attention to my letter to you of August 18. '86: your letter to me of Decr. 12. '86, marked, Education 32811; my reply dated Decr. 22. '86, and your farther letter of January 29. '87, marked Sch. Exp. Letter 1080.

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt. Servt.

A. H. Pratt  
Capt. 10<sup>th</sup> Cav.  
Supt.

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Winnebago Agency,  
March 14 "1887.

Capt. R. H. Pratt

Dear Sir:-

I thought I would write to you this evening to ask if you have any letters that you received from Washington, about my coming here to take a position in the Winnebago Industrial School, that would be of any use to me now. When I came home I went to see the agent - Colonel Warner - and he wished to see my orders for entering the school as an assistant teacher. I told him I brought no orders with me. He then said I would have to wait until he could hear from Washington as he had had no orders for

anxiously for a letter from you. Please give my love to the teachers, especially to Miss Sempé and Miss Irvine.

I am Very Truly -

Mellie Londrosch

Winnebago Agency

Dakota Co.

Nebraska

placing me in the school.

It seems that he has appointed one of my cousins - Annie St Cyr to fill the place since he appointed me. She is there now and I am still waiting for him to hear from Washington. For three weeks I was doing nothing expecting he would soon hear but as he did not, I came to work for the trader's family until he would hear something. I have been here over a week now.

I thought I would not write to you until I was all settled because I did not wish to worry you about it. Mother saw the Agency Doctor the other day and he told her I had better <sup>write</sup> to you and see if you had any papers or letters that would help me any. He said they did the same

thing to him when he first came here and it was some time before he began to draw any pay. I have an idea that Col. Warner would rather keep cousin Annie in there and is only doing this so she can stay there longer.

There is a good deal of party feeling on the Reserve just now. The school is very much run down. I heard that the Superintendent and his daughter - who is the laundress - were both suspended for insubordination this morning. I have been almost sorry a good many times that I came at all, but then I think it is all for the best and am contented again.

Please write to me soon and let me know if you have any thing there, I shall look very