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To Commissioner of Indian Affairs Washn D.C.

In Contradiction of what our Enemies are industriously putting out through the County through the Mouths of the Sioux Deeds now in Washn that from thirty to seventy per cent of our returned pupils dying within four years after teaching those I find we sent one hundred and one rosebud and Pine Ridge Students home prior to Jan'y 1st 86-

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Dated. Some of them have been home nine years by  
thorough careful inquiry show that Eighty Two are living  
today which is less than twenty per cent of deaths

and covering a much longer period we have no pupils  
from the other two Agencies. Their other statements and position  
are equally mendacious.

Pratt Supt