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Capt. R. M. Pratt,
Carlisle School
Feb. 19/91.

Enclosing letter
of Nellie L. Nunn rel.
to position for her husband
as Farmer.

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INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL,
CARLISLE, PA.

PERSONAL.

February 19th, 1891.

Hon. T. J. Morgan,

Commr. of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

Dear General:-

I have made it a point to stave off all applications to me for any backing for agency appointments and always state the fact that it is not my province. I have done so in the enclosed case, and yet there are some things in this letter that I would like you to read, and so I send it. I have always heard good accounts of the man spoken of.

Very sincerely yours,

R.H. Pratt

would do the same

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Emerson, Nebr.

Feb. 11th 1891.

Capt. R. H. Pratt,

Carlisle, Penna.

Dear friend:-

It seems as if I never write to you unless I want something. I was over at the Agency lately and I heard a good deal of talk about how much certain parties wanted to help the returned pupils. I think Benj. Lowry is to have the Assistant Industrial teachers position at the school, that is if you would recommend him. I am now writing to ask if you would ask the Com. of Indian Affairs to give my husband the farmers position at the Agency. I thought

as you often went to Washington
that you would be willing
do this for us. If you think
would be better to have some
one recommend him, he could
get Rev. W. T. Findley at the
Agency and the gentleman
used to work for to do so.

One reason I wish he could
get that position is that then
we could live at the Agency
and I could always attend
church. Here we live so far
away that I seldom get there.

Then I would do what I could
in the Sunday school and I
would also be where I could
see the pupils that come back.
I imagine that I could have
a good deal of influence over
and help them for they would
know I was one of them and
would perhaps often come to see
when they would not go to other

We now live eighteen miles from
the Agency and there are no
Indians at all living near us.

Hoping to hear from you
soon. Very Truly,

Nellie L. Munn.

Emerson

Nebraska.

N. B. I was so sorry to hear
of Charles Mamm's disgrace.
Surely he could have done
better if he had only tried.

I can truthfully say that my
school days were the three
happiest years of my life.

I do not mean by that that
I am unhappy now. - quite
the contrary for I have a good
kind husband and a dear
little girl still I look back
with pleasure to the time when
I was a student at the Carlisle
School. Oh, that all whom you
have tried to do so much for