

INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL,
CARLISLE, PA.

Nov. 24, 1891.

The Honorable,

The Commr. of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

Sir:

It is right that you should know that the seven children which you instructed me, in yours of Sept. 25, to arrange for from Red Lake, Minn., have all failed to materialize, notwithstanding my arrangements for transportation, etc., and that one young man whom Agent Shuler wished to send in with this party from White Earth has arrived at the school and proves, on examination by my school physician, to be suffering from a vile disorder. It seems imperative that we every time protect ourselves by either going or sending after children. To depend upon the people at the Agency is a failure oftener than it is a success. I have, therefore, to say that if we should conclude to take the 50 Apaches from San Carlos, as indicated in my letter of 20th inst., that we should send an agent from here for them.

Very respectfully,

Your obt. servt.,

R.H. Pratt

Capt. 10th Cav'y., Supt.