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R. H. Pratt

Carlisle Pa.

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In regard to a.f.
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of building at Chi-
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U. S. Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

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January 14, 1893.

Hon. T. J. Morgan,
Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Replying to yours of the 10th instant, marked "M," I have to respectfully inform you that it does not seem exactly right that my Carlisle appropriation should be called upon to pay the salary of Mr. Standing while he is performing a general duty. With this exception I fall in with your proposition that he is the best person to take charge of the building at Chicago and arrange matters, and I am willing to spare him for that purpose, although as we are arranging for quite a special permanent display ourselves in one of the general buildings, his loss will be a material one here, aside from his loss in the preparation that we will be called upon to make to meet our obligations for the month of July as you have arranged in the special building you are erecting.

Mr. Standing would like the opportunity to become a part of the Fair for so long a time and the privilege of let-up from his long routine of service here.

Your allowance of three dollars per day for expenses

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ought to be four. While it will be possible for Mr. Standing to get on with three dollars, it will be in a niggardly way, not becoming to the Government of the United States.

He ought, of course, to select his helpers, for the sake of harmony and to secure the greatest success.

Very respectfully,


Capt. & Supt.