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Indian Industrial School,

Carlisle, Pa. March 3. 1896.

Pratt, R. H.,

Captain 10th Cav'y, Supt.

*Acknowledges report
of Agent Woodson
regarding article in
Indian Helper, and
advised that same
has been sent to
Richard Davis for
answer.*

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In reply to:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,

Carlisle, Pa., March 3rd 1896.

To the Honorable,

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

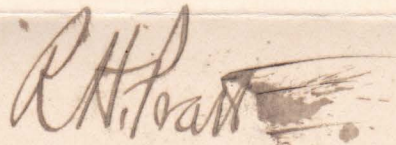
Sir:-

Referring to your letter of the 17th marked "E," enclosing for my information a report made by Acting Indian Agent Woodson of the Cheyenne and Arapahoe Agency, in reference to an article published in the Indian Helper, I have the honor to respectfully inform you that I thought it best to send the same to Richard Davis for his information and answer, if he chose to make answer, of which I will inform you later.

Very respectfully,

(Dictated)

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Capt. 10th Cav'y., U.S.A., Supt.

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Refer in reply to the following:

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Department of the Interior,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

WASHINGTON, Jany. 24, 1896.

Capt. A. E. Woodson,
Acting U. S. Indian Agent,
Cheyenne & Arapahoe Agency,
Darlington, Oklahoma.

Sir:

The "Indian Helper", of January 17, 1896, published at the Carlisle Indian School, Penn., contains a letter purporting to have been written by a former student of that school who had returned to his reservation. In it was contained a charge against a certain reservation school. The matter was submitted to Capt. Pratt, Superintendent of the Carlisle school, for the name of the school and the author of the letter. I find from his reply that he refers to your reservation and to the Seger school. Copies of this entire correspondence are herewith submitted to you, and through you, to Superintendent Seger of the Seger Colony school, for such report as may be necessary in the premises. I desire you to give the matter a full and thorough investigation, especially in reference to the standing of Richard Davis, the author of said letter.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) D. M. Browning,

Commissioner.

J.H.D. (A)

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Department of the Interior,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

WASHINGTON, Febr. 17, 1896.

Refer in reply to the following:

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Capt. R. H. Pratt,
Supt. Carlisle School,
Carlisle, Penna.

Sir:

I herewith enclose for your information a report made by Acting U. S. Indian Agent A. E. Woodson of the Cheyenne and Arapahoe Agency in reference to an article published in the "Indian Helper" stating that in a recent four days' Ghost Dance three of the school girls of aschool were allowed to come and take part, and they proved to be the best dancers of any.

Respectfully,

(Signed) D. M. Browning,

Commissioner.

J.H.D.
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