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*A. J. Standing,  
Carlisle, Pa.*

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*Wants certain instruc-  
tions re. to the Dept,  
Exhibits to be made at  
Nashville, Tenn.*

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In reply to:

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

Carlisle, Pa., February 8th, 1897.

To the Honorable,

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs ,

Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Referring to the details mentioned in your letter of the 3rd inst. to Capt. Pratt in regard to the Department Exhibit at Nashville, which has been handed to me for information and suggestions, I respectfully state that the several points mentioned have usually been covered in our exhibits in the past, and can be so done again. There will, however, be some expense connected with the preparation of the exhibit: photographs, frames, mounting, printing, etc. I would like to be informed fully as to how these charges are to be met.

I should think that very much of the mounted school work used at Atlanta would still be in good condition and available, as well as other material now in the cases in Washington. In regard to photographs, I favor them being of a good size, the larger the better; small ones are comparatively useless for exhibit purposes. Such as are to be framed would usually appear the best on 22 x 28 frames, placed horizontally. The oak frames needed to suit any size can be cheaply made in our shops here.

The schoolroom and other specimen work from Carlisle would not be available until after Commencement, about the middle of March.

Hon. Com. of Indian Affairs. -2-

I shall give the matter of the Exhibit my attention from this time on, and cover as far as practicable the plan outlined in your letters of the 3rd and 6th insts.

Respectfully yours,

*A. J. Standing*

Assistant Superintendent.

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