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In reply to letter dated May 21st, marked "Education 195 83-1897, requesting approval of employment of irregular service for current month.

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In reply to:

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

Carlisle, Pa., May 26th, 1897.

To the Honorable,

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Replying to your letter dated May 21st, marked "Education, 19583-1897," in relation to my letter of May 19th, requesting approval of the employment of irregular service for the current month amounting to \$80.32, I respectfully submit the following information showing the necessity for the service:

The large amount of work to be done in the tailor shop requires an assistant. During the previous fiscal years this position was regularly authorized.

The services of an assistant are needed to manage the general reference library in the school building, and to attend to the issuing of school supplies to the different schools.

The Asst. Disciplinarian at \$1.00 per day fills the position authorized at \$600 per year.

The position of Asst. Nurse at \$360. per year is vacant, the work being done by Ella Rikert and Joseph Adams at a saving of more than one-third of the salary authorized.

Frank Cayou is in the place of Clarence W. Thunder, Asst. Disciplinarian, resigned.

Thomas Marshall is in charge of the gymnasium and large boys' library and reading room.

W.B.B. (Mc)

Very respectfully,
R.H. Ball
Capt. 10th Cav'y., Supt