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## Department of the Interior,

INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,

Carlisle, Pa., May 3, 1899.

To The Honorable,

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

Sir :-

Referring to my letter of April 26th advising that Ella Rikert would leave for Fort shaw, her new station on Monday last, I have
to respectfully advise you that having been placed in quarantine, it
did not seem best for her to leave until the quarantine was removed,
as if anything occurred, Carlisle would be blamed. I therefore delayed her departure. If all goes well, as now seems assured, she
can leave here on Monday next, a week later.

Very respectfully,

Major 1st Cavalry, Supt.

Dictated (P)