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Towards letter of  
Chas. Dagenett re.  
his re-appointment

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Department of the Interior,  
INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,

Carlisle, Pa., Dec. 12, 1900.

To The Honorable,  
The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir :-

I enclose you a letter from Charles Dagenett, which is the second I have received from him on the same subject. My recollection is that Charlie did not do just as he should have done in the premises, and therefore I did not respond to his first letter. I reply to this one, telling him that my recollection is there were some complications on account of his own action which threw the matter over entirely to you for settlement.

Very respectfully,

*R.H. Pratt*  
Major 10th Cavalry, Supt.

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a letter from  
Charles Dagenett

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Miami, Ind. Terr.

Dec. 7th. 1900.

My Dear Major:-

I wrote you sometime since in regard to my reappointment, but as it has been so long, have concluded you did not get my letter, and will write again.

As you remember, the Commissioner promised, unconditionally, to give me the place as clerk at the Quapaw Agency and that in a few days, and it was on the strength of that promise that I resigned my place at Carlisle.

I took a three months trip overland through western Kansas

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and Southern Colorado and am now back home and am in the best of health again, and would like to be back at work.

I write you as it was through you, principally, the arrangements were made, and you understand the situation. I would like a place in the southwest or middle west, similar to the one promised me or in a day school. I would like to be located so Esther could have a place also.

Major, I trust you will attend to this matter at an early date, for me, as I am anxious to be doing something. I have

made no other plans as I have  
depended on the Commissioner's  
promise.

Kindly let me know as soon  
as you can how the matter stands  
and what I can depend on.

I trust this matter to you  
as I know you will arrange it  
satisfactorily, and I assure you  
that anything you may do on  
my behalf will be fully appreci-  
ated.

With kind regards to all,

I am and remain

Your devoted pupil

b. E. Dagenette

Miami, I. P.