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Department of the Interior,
INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,

Carlisle, Pa., May 18, 1901.

To The Honorable,

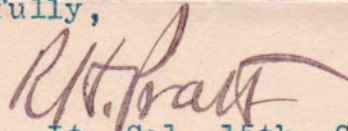
The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

Sir :-

Our threshing machine is entirely worn out and it is necessary we have another to be ready for the grain crops on our three farms. From the best information I can get, it will cost about \$300 giving our old one in exchange, and this seems to be the best method of turning to account the worn-out one. I respectfully request authority to purchase a Peerless Thresher, Class E., which seems to be the kind our farmers think best for our purpose and the most durable, at a cost not to exceed \$300, turning in our old machine as part pay.

I would like this authority to apply before July if funds for the current year permit; if not, to be available from next year's appropriation.

Very respectfully,



Lt. Col. 15th Cavalry, Supt.

Dictated(P)