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Indian Industrial Sxhool,  
Carlisle, Pa.,  
April 4. 1903.

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Col. & Supt.

Suggesting change in designa-  
tion of positions - Carpenter  
to Instructor in Carpentry,  
etc.

To Supt. Apr. 14/03

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Department of the Interior,

INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,

Carlisle, Pa., April 4, 1903.

To The Honorable,

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

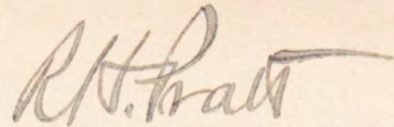
Washington, D. C.

Sir :

In making up the salary list for this school for the ensuing year, and in view of some of the difficulties we have experienced in getting proper mechanical instructors and the position the Civil Service Commission takes with regard to such employes, I beg to suggest that if throughout the Indian school service mechanical instructors instead of being designated as carpenter, blacksmith, etc. were designated as Instructor in Carpentry, Instructor in Blacksmithing, etc. we could demand a different quality from what we can by simply calling them carpenter, blacksmith, etc. I would like to make this change in the designation of my employe force for the ensuing year on this account, but before doing so submit the question for your decision.

I await reply to this before sending in my list of salaries.

Very respectfully,

  
Colonel & Supt.