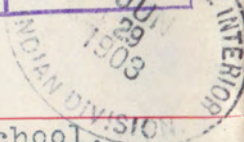


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Indian Industrial School,  
Carlisle, Pa., April 10, 1903.

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Replying to Circular # 92 "Ed-  
ucation," April 7th.

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To Secy. - June 26, 1903.

To Supt. - July 11, 1903.

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Department of the Interior,  
INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,

Carlisle, Pa., April 10, 1903.

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

Sir :

Replying to Circular # 92 marked "Education" and dated April 7th, I have to respectfully advise you

- 1st; That so far during the fiscal year 1903 we have used \$13,478.22 in transportation of pupils to and from this school.
- 2nd; That the number so transported is 465 and that they have come from practically all parts of the Indian field, including small party from Alaska in the fall.
- 3rd; That the average cost of collecting and returning pupils was \$28.99 per capita.
- 4th; It is my intention to unite the return of pupils to their homes from this school, sending all home-goers away immediately after the 1st of July. This has been our usual custom,
- 5th; Therefore, needs no answer.
- 6th; \$16,000.

With regard to amount of transportation to and from their homes needed for pupils during the fiscal year 1904, I now estimate that \$16,000 will be necessary. In reply to the particular data asked for, I have to advise you

- 1st; It is not possible for me to indicate now either the number or the localities from which we can collect students. We are compelled and it is advisable that we accept them from all over the field.
- 2nd; That it is not possible for me now to estimate the number who will be returned during the year 1904. The greater part of our home-going party for 1904 will be those students whose time expires in 1903 but are not returned until the close of the fiscal year 1904.



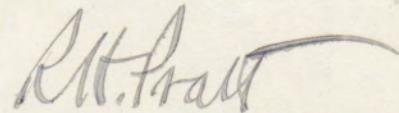
Enrolment for the first three quarters of the fiscal year 1903.

	1st Quar.	2nd Quar.	3rd Quar.
Boys	585	581	599
Girls	458	454	462
Total	1,043	1,035	1,061

3rd; It is my intention to increase the average attendance for the fiscal year 1904 to 1100.  
This is to be done by making larger use of the Outing.

As yours is a circular letter, not so specially applicable to Carlisle as to those schools which have to draw from the general transportation fund, and it is not practicable to give more definite information, I trust this answer will be considered sufficient.

Very respectfully,



Col. & Supt.