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India School, Carlisle, Pa.,
July 10, 1906.

Maj. W. A. Mercer,
Supt.

Requests that position of Printer be filled by Civil Service appointment.

To Supt 7/16/06

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I should like to have this position filled as soon as possible. I wish to advise him as to the conditions in his salary.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL,

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT.

CARLISLE PA.

J.R.W.
July 10, 1906.

The Honorable,

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Answering Office letter "Education" dated the 9th instant by the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs relative to filling the position of printer authorized for this school beginning July 1st at \$720 per annum, I have to state that I have no one to recommend for the place and that I would like to have you make a selection from the Civil Service Commission's list of eligibles. In making the selection I will very much appreciate it if you will select a man suitable, if possible, in every way for the work required of him. The appointee should not only be a practical printer in all its branches but should besides be able to impart the necessary instruction to our apprentices and should have the educational qualifications needed to supervise the publication of our school paper, and while it is realized that the salary now paid is not as large as it should be to meet the qualifications outlined, the conditions are such that the expectation of an increase in salary may be held out for the right kind of a man, and if you select a man who you think will

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Subj. Maj. W. A. Mercer,

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meet the requirements I wish you would advise him as to the conditions and the prospect of an increase in salary.

I should like to have this position filled as soon as possible.

Very respectfully,

Handwritten signature of Major W. A. Mercer.

Major 11th Cavalry,

Superintendent.

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