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Carlisle, Pa.

Dec. 29, 1906.

W. A. Mercer,  
Major 11th Cavalry, Superintendent

recommends that salary of  
assistant clerk, \$420. per annum  
be not increased.

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The position of assistant clerk at \$420 per annum in the Carlisle School has been vacant since August 18, 1906. The Superintendent was asked for his recommendations, and he requests that a female clerk be appointed qualified as stenographer and typewriter.

5 appointments have been made to the vacancy and each appointee declined. Major Mercer was asked on the 13th ultimo with reference to increasing the salary to \$540 or \$600 so as to get the vacancy filled. His reply is herewith attached.

Shall we go on and try to fill this place at \$420 per annum. This is a small amount for a competent stenographer and typewriter and I have not much hope that we will be able to fill it.

Mr. Ditch says that the Comr says to go ahead and try to fill the position at \$420 per annum.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT.

CARLISLE, PA December 29, 1906.

The Honorable,

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

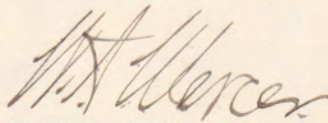
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I am in receipt of office letter of the 28th instant, Education, in regard to increasing the salary of assistant clerk at this school from \$420. to \$540 or \$600. per annum in order to procure a civil service eligible.

In reply I have the honor to inform you that the present temporary incumbent of this position is doing excellent work and giving thorough satisfaction, and under these circumstances I recommend that the salary be left at its present figure and that matters go on as at present until a suitable applicant from the civil service list can be appointed at the present salary.

Very respectfully,



Major 11th Cavalry,  
Superintendent.

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