

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON.

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51836/08
WAM

August 3, 1908.

Subject: Abolishing position of assistant
matron at Carlisle.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Sir:

Based on the recommendation of Superintendent Friedman,
authority is hereby granted for the abolishment of the po-
sition of assistant matron at \$600 per annum at the Carlisle
School, Pennsylvania, to take effect August 6, 1908.

Very respectfully,

TFM

Assistant Secretary.



AUTHORITY

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Copy to Carlisle Aug. 5/08
" " Auditor " " "

Trans. to "A." Aug. 7, 1908.

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

Education
51836/08
WAM

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

August 3, 1908.

Subject: Filling position of asst. matron.

Supt. Indian School,
Carlisle, Penn.

Sir:

Your letter of July 30, recommending that the position of assistant matron at \$800 per annum which was recently declined by Miss Ida F. O'Neal, be discontinued as it is not needed because of the return home of the New York Indian pupils, is received.

The Secretary has been asked to abolish the position to take effect August 6, and you are authorized, as recommended by you, to detail Mrs. Allie B. Carter, the present assistant matron in charge of the small boys, to the work of assistant matron in the girls' building.

Very respectfully,

[Handwritten Signature]

Acting Commissioner.

TFM

Indian Industrial School,

Carlisle, Pa., July 30, 1908.

Subject:

Filling position of
assistant matron.

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C.R.
The Commissioner

of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I have your Office letter, "Education 49873/08, WAM", dated July 25, 1908, stating that Miss Ida F. O'Neal declined the position of assistant matron at this school and asking for recommendations.

In reply, I respectfully recommend that this position be abolished and that I be granted authority to detail Mrs. Allie B. Carter, at present assistant matron in the small boys' building, to do the work of assistant matron in the girls' building.

Acting upon the recent regulations sent out by your Office concerning the New York Indians, I have sent home practically all the boys and girls under the age of fourteen from that State. These children constituted by far the largest number of children under fourteen years of age who were enrolled

at this school. The reason for having a woman in the small boys' building has been the presence of so many of the small children necessitating the care of a woman. Inasmuch as there are not over half a dozen of these smaller boys in the small boys' home, the reason for having an assistant matron in that building has been done away with. I am of the opinion that the disciplinarian and his assistants can satisfactorily take charge of this work. For your information, I would say that at present Mr. Harry M. Carter is disciplinarian in charge of the small boys' home at a salary of \$720.00 per annum.

If your Office concurs in my recommendation, it would simply be necessary to abolish the position of assistant matron now vacant, and I could then detail Mrs. Carter to do this work.

Very respectfully,



Superintendent.

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