

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE
INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL
CARLISLE, PA.

FILE

Dec. 27, 1907.



Subject:
Do not fill
certain vacancies.

The Honorable,

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

Sir:

Replying to your Office letter (Education) by the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs, dated the 27th instant, you are advised that your directions in regard to filling vacancies in the positions of fireman, assistant carpenter and assistant matron will be complied with and that no steps will be taken to fill any of these positions temporarily. In regard to abolishing other positions you are advised that after going over the matter somewhat hastily I am unable to see how any of the positions can be abolished at this time without injury to the school. However, the matter will be gone over with more care and if it should be determined that any of the present force of employees can be spared without detriment your Office will be so advised.

Very respectfully,

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W. A. Mercer
Major 11th Cavalry,

Superintendent.

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OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

Washington, D. C., January 3, 1908.

To Mercer, Superintendent,
 Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Your letter twenty-eighth ultimo. Absolutely necessary to
discontinue some positions. Answer immediately which you
recommend.

Send by Postal.

CHARGE INDIAN OFFICE,

J. H. D. (F)^{G. R.}

(Signed)

Larrabee

Acting Commissioner.