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Mr. M. Friedman,

Sup't Carlisle School.

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Sir:

The Office has received your letter dated October 19, 1912, setting forth the claim that an allowance of \$54,668.99, covering your annual estimate for the fiscal year 1914, will be inadequate.

When revising the annual estimates of schools for which specific appropriations are made, it is the policy of the Office to reserve at least 10% of the appropriation to cover unforeseen purchases. The sum of \$132,000 was appropriated for the support of your school during the present fiscal year, and it is assumed that a like sum will be appropriated for the ensuing year. Deducting 10% from this leaves \$118,800. From this must be taken the amount allowed for salaries and wages, \$55,794.44, leaving an available balance of \$63,005.56 for the purchase of supplies. You will readily see from this that it will be impracticable to allow the amount requested in your letter.

You state that should every pupil require the full amount of clothing allowed on the estimate it would

require nearly the entire allowance of \$54,668.99. If the male pupils at your school were furnished the full amount of clothing as prescribed in the table of allowances in the annual estimate blank, it would cost, at general contract prices, approximately \$38 per pupil, and the cost for the girls would be approximately \$32 per pupil. These allowances for clothing are maximum and are to be reduced where possible. Assuming, however, that the whole number of pupils, 800, would require an expenditure of \$38 each for clothing, the total amount needed for this purpose would aggregate only \$30,400.

In view of the above, the Office does not consider it advisable to extend the limitation for the purchase of annual estimate supplies for your school for the fiscal year 1914 to \$69,668.99. You are, however, authorized to increase such allowance to \$60,000.

Respectfully,

(Signed) C. F. Hauke.

Acting Commissioner.

\$38.45; for girls, \$31.14. Assuming for the sake of argument that the whole number of pupils, 800, would require an expenditure of \$38.45 each for clothing, even then the total for clothing would in the aggregate approximate only \$30,760.

In view of the above, the Office does not feel justified in extending the limitation for the support of the Carlisle School for the fiscal year 1914 to \$69,688.99. You are, however, authorized to increase the limitation for support to \$60,000.

Respectfully,

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Acting Commissioner.



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

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October 19th, 1912.

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

Sir:-

In preparing estimate for fiscal year ending June 30th, 1914, I find the allowance of \$54668.99 entirely inadequate to provide for this school. This amount is nearly consumed for Provisions, Clothing, Fuel and Feed for Animals.

Estimate of mine is based on six hundred pupils for provisions and eight hundred pupils for clothing, should every pupil require full amount of clothing as allowed on estimate it would require nearly entire allowance of \$54668.99.

Since I am in charge of this School I have never exceeded appropriation, in fact returned a surplus to the Treasury. I respectfully request that amount be increased \$15,000 or total of \$69688.99.

Very respectfully,

[Signature]
 Superintendent.

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