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Reply to office letter
of 5th inst. re. to
Employment of a
Physician and
Subs. proposal of
Mr. J. J. Burden

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12/31 v.s. see letter to
P. H. 24, 27/80.
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United States Indian Service,

TRAINING SCHOOL FOR INDIAN YOUTH,

CARLISLE BARRACKS,

Carlisle, Pa., Dec 10th 1879

Hon. E. A. Hoyt.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs
Washington D. C.

Sir,

I have the honor to respectfully recall to you my letter of Nov. 4th last in which I asked for four thousand Dollars to cover back debts and to carry us through to the end of the present quarter.

In reply to this appeal you sent me \$1031.³⁴/₁₀₀ for these purposes. (See your letter of Nov. 12th). In making up my estimate I am compelled to ask for no more than is necessary. The difference between the amount asked (\$4000.⁰⁰) and the sum allowed (\$1031.³⁴/₁₀₀) is needed to cover us in these expenses for the time named. I have incurred the obligations, and these people are clamoring for their money. I find that \$2100.⁰⁰ of this is needed for rations, which brings our ration expense under 17¢ per day. The full army ration here costs 19¢ per day, the difference being in our beef contracts. The balance required to make up the

Your thousand Dollars is needed to pay employees
both Regular and irregular, including Secretaries &
outside the line of Repairs.

I Respectfully Request that you Reconsider the
letter referred to and make me the additional allowance
asked for.

A. Grooms's Response to this will save me from a
great deal of Annoyance.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant
J. H. Smith

120 Dr. 10th Ave. In charge

Oct. 30

Nov. 4

C. C. Brooks says send
this money,

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J. H. S.