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Suggests the Orphan Home
at Gettysburg now vacant
and for sale: as an Indian
school.

Dept. of the Interior,

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is fully referred to the
Com. of Indian Affairs,

W. M. Wood
Chief Clerk.

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To the Hon. Sec. of the Interior.

Having spent 3 years with the Ojoe & Missouri Indian & feeling much interest in their progress, I visited the Indian School at Carlisle Pa. & think it a noble move toward civilization away from the influence of the tribe, for the schools on the reservation are not as successful as we would like them.

The place at Gettysburg formerly occupied as "The Orphans Home", now vacant, & for sale, I would be glad

to see used for an Indian
School, and should be
thankful for your opinion
on the practicability of the
plan, & the course to pursue
in that direction.

I am not pecuniarily
interested in the sale of
the above mentioned
property.

Very Respectfully

Andrew J. Koser,
Bigler,
Adams Co.
Pa.