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that apt. Miles
be allowed

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Letter to Miles Sept. 27/80
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Department of the Interior,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15, 1880

The Honorable Commissioner
of Indian Affairs,

Sir:

The Indian Chiefs who visited Carlisle with Agent Miles, had children at the school who came last October. They desired very much to have their children go with them to Washington. As these men are thoroughly loyal to the educational question ^{and} were the first to give their children from the Cheyenne ^{and} Arapahoe tribes to the Carlisle school, it was my opinion ^{and} that of Agent Miles also that it was a good time to let them accompany the party to Philadelphia ^{and} then to Washington.

In Philadelphia we visited the public

schools, hospitals, deaf ^{and} dumb asylum, &c,
under the care of ex Mayor Fox ^{and} Mr.
Steel, President of the Board of Education,
^{and} others. This visit was of great value to the
chiefs ^{and} the children who will carry back
to the Carlisle school all they saw ^{and} heard,
^{and} I think the amount thus spent a good in-
vestment. I would request that Agent
Hiles be authorized to cover in the expenses
of his party, the expenses of these six Indian
youths, Little Raven's daughter Anna, Yellow
Bear's daughter, Left Hand's son Big Horn's son,
Bob Tail's son, ^{and} Daniel Tucker, a Carlisle stu-
dent who came as Interpreter for the Arapahos.

Very respectfully,

R. H. Pratt

Ch. In Charge School