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Capt. Pratt, Supt.,

Re: Mary H. Whelan's  
application for a  
matronship.

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Letter to C. d. A. '92, recommending  
as matron at Painesville.

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Your obedient servant

Very respectfully,

(Signature)

*[Handwritten signature]*

1895

In reply to:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE  
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,

*Carlisle, Pa., December 1st 1894.*

*Dr. W. N. Hailman, Supt. Indian Schools,  
Indian Office,  
Washington, D. C.*

*Dear Sir:-*

*I am in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Mary H. Whelan of Kokomo, Indiana, asking my intercession in her behalf for appointment as school matron, teacher, nurse or seamstress or as field matron or agency nurse. I have never met Mrs. Whelan and know nothing of her personally. She has written me from time to time and I have been led to believe that she was a somewhat efficient employe for she has been quite a little in the Indian service. Just why she changed from place to place I never knew. My impressions of her are favorable but of course the records in the Department will be a much better guide. If she is worthy and efficient I know that I need not press her upon your attention if you have a place for her.*

*Very respectfully,*

*(Dictated)*



*Capt. 10th Cav'y., U.S.A.,  
Supt.*