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INDIAN SCHOOL.

Carlisle, Pa. Agency,

Dec. 7, 1897

R. H. Pratt, Superintendent.

Forwards application of

J. W. Hendren

for leave of absence.

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Department of the Interior,  
INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE.

Indian Industrial School, Carlisle Pa., Dec. 7, 1897.

The Honorable,

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Sir:

I have the honor to request a leave of absence for the period of thirty (30) days, to date from and include the 22nd day of November, 1897.

I am compelled to relinquish my duty as teacher for several months on account of ill health, as per letter.

Very respectfully,

James Henderson

(Sign full name.)

Teacher

(Position of applicant.)

Through the Superintendent at Carlisle, Pa.

(Superintendent.)

(School.)

Respectfully forwarded. This applicant has been absent since July 1st of the present fiscal year as follows: Annual leave ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ days; sick 16 days; without pay ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ days.

This application is therefore ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ approved, with recommendation that the same be ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ granted <sup>(or dis)</sup> with pay, for the following reason:

As above. See certificate of physician, herewith

Very respectfully,

R. H. Pratt

Capt. with Charge, Supt.

(Superintendent.)

I recommend that the above application be \_\_\_\_\_

U. S. Indian Agent.

\* If leave of absence is asked at a time when the school is not in vacation, applicant will state here specifically the reason therefor.



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School Physician's  
Report of condi-  
tion of J. W. Han-  
den, Teacher  
Carlisle, Pa.

INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE  
Department of the Interior

Department of the Interior,  
INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,  
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,

December 7<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Capt. R. N. Pratt,  
Superintendent.

Sir;

James St. Neudrin  
has been receiving my attention  
since November 22<sup>nd</sup>. He has had  
a severe bronchial cold, and with  
it a rheumatic condition in thigh  
and back. He is a little better  
but not well. He coughs yet & has  
fever very dry. I do not think  
I could cure him in this climate  
under two months.

I would recommend that he be  
permitted to try a change of climate

Respectfully,  
J. L. Dwyer,  
School Physician.



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U.S. Indian School,  
Carlisle, Penna.  
December 7th, '97

J.W. Hendren,  
Teacher.

Requests 30 days' sick leave,  
forwards resignation from  
Carlisle to take effect at  
expiration of that leave,  
also requests three months'  
leave without pay.

1st Endorsement.

Indian Indus. School,  
Carlisle, Penna.  
December 7th, 1897.

Respectfully forwarded to the  
Honorable Commissioner of  
Indian Affairs.  
I approve Mr. Hendren's appli-  
cation for a leave of ab-  
sence, also his resignation  
from Carlisle at the expira-  
tion of that leave, Dec. 21st

Mr. Hendren is a most ex-  
cellent man, and I trust that  
his further request for three  
months' leave, without pay,  
may also be granted.

*R.H. Pratt*  
Capt. 10th Cav'y.

Supt.

*2 Enclosures*



Department of the Interior,  
INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,  
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dec. 7 1897

To Capt. R. H. Pratt,  
Supt. Indian School,  
Carlisle Pa.

Dear Sir:

Owing to the present condition of my health, I think it wise to ask for thirty days' sick leave dating from Nov. 22 when I was compelled to quit duty.

I also wish to resign my position as teacher at the Carlisle Indian School to date from expiration of sick leave, but do not wish to resign from the service.

I therefore ask for a leave of absence, <sup>without pay</sup> for three months to begin Dec. 22. If in the meantime my health



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improves sufficiently, I wish  
to <sup>return to</sup> duty in the service, but  
would then ask appointment  
in some warmer and dryer  
climate.

Very truly yours  
J. W. Hendren.  
Teacher