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Leila W. Hayden
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Application for Clerkship
at Carlisle School.

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The Honorable
Commissioner of Indian Affairs
Washington, D. C.

Sir: Replying to your letter of April
1, 1899 regarding my application
for a clerkship in the Indian
Service: Since making an ap-
plication for a clerkship I have
filed one for that of matron
and if there is a possibility of
my receiving an appointment
to a position of matron in the
near future I would prefer it
to that of clerk as I have a little
daughter nearly three years of age
to care for. If there is no such
possibility I will gladly accept
the former. I am not a grad-

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state of any school and have
only attended public schools.

I have taught shorthand; for
two years had charge of the
shorthand department of the
Curtiss Business College of Minne-
apolis, this state and Mr Curtis
would gladly certify to my qual-
ifications as a teacher of shorthand
and typewriting.

I enclose, herewith, application
blank, filled out

Very respectfully

Leila W. Hayden

In closure.

The Honorable

COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I have the honor to apply for the position of *Clerk*

in the Indian Service. I declare upon my honor that the answers to the subjoined questions are true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Respectfully,

(Signature.) *Leila H. Hayden*

QUESTIONS.	ANSWERS.
1. What is your name in full?	<i>Leila H. Hayden</i>
2. What is the date of your birth?	<i>July 14, 1860</i>
3. Where were you born?	<i>Morrison County, Minnesota</i>
4. To what tribe of Indians do you belong.	<i>Chippewa</i>
5. Where is your present residence?	<i>Detroit, Minnesota</i>
6. What Indian schools have you attended?	<i>None</i>
7. From which of these schools were you graduated?	<i>None</i>
8. Are you or have you been married?	<i>Married</i>
9. If married, how many children, if any, dependent upon you?	<i>One</i>
10. Are you physically strong enough for the duties of the position to which you seek appointment?	<i>Yes</i>
11. Have you any defect of sight?	<i>No</i>
12. Have you any defect of hearing?	<i>No</i>
13. Have you any defect of limb?	<i>No</i>
14. Have you any defect of speech?	<i>No</i>
15. What is your height measured in your bare feet?	<i>Five feet three and one half inches</i>
16. What is your weight in your ordinary clothing?	<i>138 pounds</i>

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QUESTIONS.	ANSWERS.
17. Have you any chronic disease or disorder?	No
18. Have you had any severe illness during the past five years?	No
19. Do you promise on your honor to abstain from the use of alcoholic liquors while in the service?	Yes.
20. What experience have you had in the work you seek?	Nine years
21. Do you sing?	No
22. What musical instruments, if any, do you play?	None

I inclose a copy of my certificate of graduation (or attendance) at the last Indian School of which I was a member, the names of one Agent, one Superintendent, and one matron, to whom I refer as to my character and fitness for the work I seek.

Respectfully,

(Signature.) *Leila W. Hayden*

(Post-office address.) *White Earth
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HAYDEN, MRS. LEILA W.

An Indian of the

Tribe

For appointment as

CLERK, CARLISLE SCHOOL, PENN.