

Indian Indus. School,  
Carlisle, Pa., Apr. 26; '01.

Miss Lida B. Jones, Teacher,  
applies for transfer to western  
school.

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Respectfully forwarded to the  
Honorable Commissioner of Indian  
Affairs.

Miss Jones is a fairly good  
teacher, but as she has come to  
think a transfer conducive to her  
interests, I approve.

*R.H. Pratt*  
Lt. Col. & Supt.

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*R. H. Pratt  
Carlisle school*

*Apr. 26*

*Forwards request  
of Lida B. Jones  
for transfer*

*To Carlisle May 30/01  
" " July 18/01  
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In reply to:

Department of the Interior,

INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,

23171

Carlisle, Pa.

April 21, 1901.

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

(Through Col. R. H. Pratt Supt.)

Sir:-

I herewith submit my application for transfer at the close of the present school year, to one of the Indian boarding or non-reservation schools of the west.

In explanation of this request and aside from the fact that my interests have for the most part been in the west, I should state that I find it necessary for personal reasons to better my position financially, if practicable, but do not ask favor beyond what I am ready to give in faithful and I trust effective service.

I have had twenty years experience in the public schools of Nebraska, Kansas, and Indiana, and left a principalship in one of the ward schools in Gas City, Indiana to accept

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INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,

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appointment in the Indian Service Mar. 12, 1908.  
The Indian work appealed to me and I hoped  
after becoming somewhat familiar with this line  
of work to advance

My years experience at Carlisle has been of  
much benefit to me in the way of understanding  
the nature and the peculiar needs of the Indian  
in the school room work. This together with my  
former experience in public school work I think  
should fit me for effective work in any Indian  
school and any grade.

Should there be a vacancy at the end of the  
year or during the summer as principal teacher  
in a boarding or other school preferably in a dry  
climate, I should be glad to be considered for  
that, or for any teacher's position which might  
give me a chance for advancement as I prove my  
ability. If desired, I can send recommendations.

Very Respectfully,

Lida Jones.