

CARLISLE

INDIAN SCHOOL

COMMENCEMENT

1903

FIFTEENTH COMMENCEMENT

AND THE TWENTY-FOURTH YEAR

OF THE

INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL, CARLISLE, PENNSYLVANIA.

TUESDAY, THE TENTH,

WEDNESDAY, THE ELEVENTH,

THURSDAY, THE TWELFTH,

FEBRUARY, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND THREE

School Motto: "God Helps Them Who Help Themselves"

Names of the Graduates—Class 1903.

BEGIN AT THE TOP AND READ FROM LEFT TO RIGHT.

FIRST ROW.

LILIAN A. BROWN, Sioux, S. Dak.
HENRY D. TATIYOPA, Sioux, S. Dak.
ELIZABETH B. WILLIAMS, Chippewa, Mich.
MARTIN A. COSTO, Mission, Cal.
MINNIE J. CALLSEN, Alaskan, Alaska.
WILLIAM WESHINWATOK, Menominee, Wis
NANNIE E. STURM, Caddo, Okla.
IDA V. GRIFFIN, Okinagan, Wash.

SECOND ROW.

OSCAR D. DAVIS, Chippewa, Minn.
EARNEY E. WILBER, Menominee, Wis.
JOHN W. KIMBAL, Ponca, Okla.
AMY E. DOLPHUS, Sioux, S. Dak.
COMMODORE C. DOXTATOR, Seneca, N. Y.
SUSIE M. RAYOS, Pueblo, Laguna, N. M.
MAUD E. SNYDER, Seneca, N. Y.
THOMAS A. GRIFFIN, Okinagan, Wash.
BERTHA M. JAMESON, Seneca, N. Y.

THIRD ROW.

ELIZABETH E. KNUEDSEN, Klamath, Cal.
SOPHIA AMERICANHORSE, Sioux, S. Dak.
JOSEPH S. RUIZ, Pueblo, Las Cruces, N. M.
JOSEPH EZHUNA, Apache, Arizona.
LIZZETTE S. ROUBIDEAUX, Oto, Okla.
KATRINA E. CALLSEN, Alaskan, Alaska.

FOURTH ROW.

LIZZIE M. WILLIAMS, Tuscarora, N. Y.
LILIAN E. CORNELIUS, Oneida, Wis.
FRANK G. YARLOT, Crow, Mont.
MINNIE G. GEORGE, Seneca, N. Y.
CELINDA D. KING, Oneida, Wis.
CLARINDA L. CHARLES, Seneca, N. Y.
JAMES KING, Assiniboin, Mont

FIFTH ROW.

CHARLOTTE A. GEISDORFF, Crow, Mont.
ALICE E. DOXTATOR, Oneida, Wis.
JOHN H. LONDROCHE, Winnebago, Minn.
BESSIE PETERS, Stockbridge, Wis.
FRANK BISHOP, Seneca, N. Y.
EMMA G. SKY, Sioux, Neb.
PHILIP R. RABBITT, Arapahoe, Okla.
MABEL F. GREELEY, Sioux, S. Dak.

SIXTH ROW.

SOPHIA M. WARREN, Chippewa, Minn.
AMOS GEORGE, Seneca, N. Y.
GERTRUDE AMY HILL, Sioux, S. Dak.
MADELINE G. WELCH, Cherokee, N. C.
SAMUEL W. BRUSHEL, Stockbridge, Wis.
SARA CORBIN, Cherokee, Ind. Terr.
GEORGE H. PRADT, Jr., Pueblo, Laguna, N. M.

SEVENTH ROW.

EUGENE A. TIBBETTS, Chippewa, Minn.
JOHN M. MILLER, Stockbridge, Wis. (Not in the picture.)



Thursday Afternoon.

ENTRANCE MARCH—

FOLLOWED BY MARCH "CLASS 1908"—COMPOSED BY CONDUCTOR J. R. WHEELOCK, CLASS '06

Programme—Part First

ROSSINI'S—

"GUILLAUME TELL"

BAND

~~~~~INVOCATION~~~~~

BAND

"EVENING SONG"—  
(SEE WORDS LAST PAGE)

SCHOOL

ORATION—

INDUSTRY AND INDEPENDENCE

EARNEY E. WILBER  
MENOMINEE, WISCONSIN

ORATION—

INDIANS OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

MARTIN COSTO  
MISSION, CALIF.

PIANO DUET—

"SPRING SERENADE"—P. LACOMBE

MINNIE GRACE GEORGE  
MINNIE J. CALLSEN



Programme—Part Second

ORATION—

STRIKING A BALANCE

OSCAR D. DAVIS  
CHIPPEWA, MINN.

ORATION—

BARRIERS TO THE PROGRESS OF THE SIOUX

HENRY D. TATIYOPA  
SIOUX, SOUTH DAKOTA

SONG—

"JUNE"—SCHNECKER—(WORDS BY LOWELL)

CHOIR

RECITATION—

"GREAT STONE FACE"—HAWTHORNE

AMY E. DOLPHUS  
SIOUX, SOUTH DAKOTA

ORATION—

CARLISLE EXPECTS EVERY INDIAN TO DO HIS DUTY

ELIZABETH E. KNUEDSEN  
KLAMATH, CALIFORNIA

MORCEAU—

"WHISPERING FLOWERS"—F. V. BLON

BAND

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS—

BISHOP CHANCELLOR C. C. McCABE

Class Motto—"Not at the Summit, but on the Way"

Class Colors—Purple and White

## STATISTICAL INFORMATION.

### HISTORY AND PURPOSE.

#### In September, 1879—

This Army Post was turned over to the Interior Department and set apart for an Industrial School with Lt. Col., (then Captain,) Pratt as Superintendent

#### On October 5th, 1879—

The first Pupils arrived—82 untaught Sioux boys and girls from Rosebud and Pine Ridge Agencies, South Dakota, in native dress

#### The Main Purpose of the School is and always has been

To give to Indian youth the ability and courage to enter the business world and to take care of themselves individually

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| Enrollment from the beginning.....                                                            | 4,587       |
| Girls.....                                                                                    | 1,745       |
| Boys.....                                                                                     | 2,842       |
| Enrolled at present.....                                                                      | 1,011       |
| Girls.....                                                                                    | 450         |
| Boys.....                                                                                     | 561         |
| Number present at school.....                                                                 | 710         |
| Girls.....                                                                                    | 281         |
| Boys.....                                                                                     | 429         |
| Number out in country homes attending public schools.....                                     | 301         |
| Girls.....                                                                                    | 169         |
| Boys.....                                                                                     | 132         |
| Average number in country homes during last vacation.....                                     | 615         |
| Amount earned by students through the outing during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1902..... | \$31,619.16 |
| Girls.....                                                                                    | \$11,373.39 |
| Boys.....                                                                                     | \$20,245.77 |

## EVENING SONG

HARK, the Vesper hymn is stealing  
O'er the waters soft and clear;  
Nearer yet, and nearer pealing  
Soft it breaks upon the ear:  
Jubilate, jubilate, dubilate, Amen;  
Farther now, now farther stealing  
Soft it fades upon the ear.

NOW like moonlight waves retreating  
To the shore it dies along;  
Now, like angry surges meeting,  
Breaks the mingled tide of song:  
Jubilate, jubilate, dubilate, Amen;  
Hark again, like waves retreating,  
To the shore it dies along.





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COMMENCEMENT WEEK ANNOUNCEMENTS  
AT THE  
INDIAN SCHOOL, CARLISLE, PA.

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8th, 3:30 P. M.—Baccalaureate Sermon by Rev. Robert A. MacFadden, Danvers, Mass.

MONDAY EVENING, 7:30—Inspection of Gymnastics and Drills in the Gymnasium, for our town guests.

TUESDAY—Inspection of Industries for town guests from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

TUESDAY EVENING, 7:30—Lecture in Gymnasium before the Literary Societies by Rev. Josiah Strong, D. D., of New York, author of "Our Country," and other works.

WEDNESDAY FROM 1:30 TO 4:30 P. M.—Inspection of Gymnastics, Drills and Industries, for guests from a distance.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, 7:30—Music and short addresses from representative alumni, ex-students and visitors, in the Gymnasium.

THURSDAY MORNING FROM 9 TO 11—The school-rooms will be visited and methods and class-work illustrated.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, 2 o'clock—Graduating Exercises in the Gymnasium.

THURSDAY EVENING—Alumni Meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Hall.

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THE CLASS RECEPTION WAS GIVEN BY COLONEL AND MRS. PRATT  
AT THEIR RESIDENCE ON THE EVENING OF JANUARY 21st