

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT.

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Record of Graduates and Returned Students.

U. S INDIAN SCHOOL, CARLISLE, PA.

Winnebago Nebr. jany 10th 1910.

NAME Henry Decora Jr.

1. Are you married and if so to whom? Yes, wife's name Nellie Raymond
2. What is your present address? Winnebago Nebraska
3. Did you attend or graduate from any other schools after leaving Carlisle? yes Give names of schools and dates if possible About one year after I left Carlisle which I think was in 1897 I went to Haskell Institute for about four months, after which I went to Chillicothe and worked for about six months assisting the engineer
4. What is your present occupation? farming
5. Tell something of your present home I am at present living on and farming forty acres of land that was allotted to Bradford L. Porter which is now owned by two children of my wife's by a former and deceased husband, this home I improved placing thereon a house 16 x 34 one and a half stories high, also built a barn, hog shed, cow shed and corn crib also a well, total cost \$1,500.00 including apple trees which I set out
6. What property in the way of land, stock, buildings or money do you have? I have 240 acres of land which I have inherited, seven head of horses, three cows, three hogs. my wife has nine ~~chickens~~ dozen chickens I have four set of harness, wagons buggies and farming implements sufficient to farm one hundred acres. I farmed one hundred and ten acres this year. but did not raise as much as I should my crop was strck with hail
7. Have you been in the Indian Service? In what positions? How long in each? Never in the Indian service

8. What other positions have you held since leaving Carlisle?

Worked on farm for St Pair Owen for two years after I came home from school.

9. Tell me anything else of interest connected with your life:

I have been greatly benefited by what I learned at Carlisle and for which I am very grateful to the Carlisle school.

After coming home from school I formed the habit of using intoxicating liquor, and was very much injured thereby, but have quit that three years ago and never touched it since.

Am now a member of the Presbyterian Church which we have here before I joined this church I was a member of the Mescal, but the Mescal first taught me that there was a God and a hereafter.

been I have greatly assisted by Rev. Waltermulder who is always willing to assist and will go any where or do any thing to teach the Indians the true life.

I have some marked ideas about what should be done for the Indians as a tribe but do not suppose that would interest your department if it would I would be glad to give you my views on the subject.

Yours Truly

Henry Deeva Jr.

Department of the Interior.

Mr. M. FriedmanSupt. U. S. Indian SchoolCarlislePennsylvania

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January 2^d, 1913.

Name Henry E. Decora,
(Please give name by which enrolled and also present or married name.)

Tribe Winnebago,

Present Address Winnebago, Neb.

Former Address " "
(Address from which we heard from you last.)

Present Occupation Farmer.

Remarks: a deacon and member
of the Reformed Church in America.

Henry De Cora, Jr., who left Carlisle in 1897, is living with his wife and children on his farm on the Winnebago reservation. He owns two hundred and eighty acres and is a successful farmer.

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NAME AT CARLISLE

REPORT AFTER LEAVING

Henry Decora

PRESENT NAME