

CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

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RECORD OF GRADUATES AND RETURNED STUDENTS.

UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL, CARLISLE, PENNSYLVANIA.

Name Mrs Ellen Thomas Prophet
 1. Are you married and if so to whom? Mr John T. Prophet.
 2. What is your present address? Leola Mo

3. Did you attend or graduate from any other schools after leaving Carlisle? Give names of school and dates if possible. No

4. What is your present occupation? Salary? House keeper on farm no salary

5. Do you own your home? Yes

6. What kind of a house is it? Number of rooms? Frame house
Two story 5 rooms

7. How much property do you possess?

Stock 10 cows 25 calves 4 horses
2 mules.

Land Own 180 acres.

Real Estate

8. Do you have money in the bank? *Yes* How much? *\$1,000. 25-*

9. Have you been in the Indian Service? In what positions? How long in each?

*I was in the Hickapoo school
2 years as teacher and 2 years
at Red Lake Mission as seamstress
and 1 year at Vermillion Lake school
as teacher*

10. What other positions have you held since leaving Carlisle? *None*

11. Have you done anything for the betterment of your people? Write fully

*I have been in the Govt service
only —*

12. Tell me anything else of interest connected with your life

Mrs J. L. Prophet



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE
INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL
CARLISLE, PA.

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January 21, 1907

Allen Thomas Prophet
Shell Lake, Wis.

Dear friend;-

Please oblige by answering the questions below accurately and promptly and return this paper to me in the enclosed envelope, which requires no postage.

Are you married and if so to whom?

What is your Post Office address?

What is your occupation?

John T. Prophet
Seneca, Mo.
House Keeper

Have you been in the Indian Service, in what positions and how long in each?

Teacher, at Kickapoo School,
at Metawaka Kans. 1 1/2 yrs.
Seamstress at Red Lake School, Red Lake Minn.
1 year and Assistant Matron 1 year, " " "

Have you lived in the East any part of the time since your graduation and if so, where, how long and what positions did you fill?

At Olney Pa. as servant
about 2 months.

Your friend

W. A. Mercer

Major 11th Cavalry,
Superintendent.

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December 14, 1912.

Mrs. Ellen Prophet,
Rice, Arizona.

Dear Friend:-

I have your letter of December ninth, and note what you say about the matron's place being filled. Your sister did not seem to be very anxious to take the place, and as it was necessary for her to take the Civil Service examination, the delay made it possible for someone else to be appointed.

I was very sorry, indeed, to hear of the death of Guy Cooley. He was a student here when I first came to Carlisle and I helped him get his place in Washington. He was a boy of fine character, and I am very sorry that his life has thus been cut short. Someone sent me a newspaper containing an item about his death the other day, so that I was already informed.

I hope that you shall continue to do well in your position, and that I shall hear continued good reports about you. With best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

MF:SR

Superintendent.

Rice Arizona
Dec. 9-1912.

Mr. M. Friedman,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir,

I see I spoke for my sister too late. A new Matron (Boys) arrived here last night. I hope she will get a position in some other school.

I feel it is my duty to write and tell you the death of Guy Cooley. He died here Thanks giving Day, without an attendant. He had been failing fast for the last two months, but he did not give up until about two days before he died. I guess you know he was sent here from the Indian Office to be under the Doctor's Care. Of course I have not anything against Doctor Perkins, but he never try to make it pleasant for Guy. Guy's room had been neglected for about two years. It had not been cleaned in that length of time. And Dr. Perkins admits that he was afraid to go in Guy's room while he was sick.

The women employees had any so
so, about Guy. They would have had it
in a tent, and took turns in waiting
on him. They never thought of doing any
thing for him until after he was dead.
They took his body up to Globe, Ariz, and
had services, and buried him up there.
Mr Friedman please do not give me away
for telling you this much. for I am not ready
to quit my job yet, but thought I would
tell you this much, as Guy had been a
Carlisle student, but do not know since
you have been there or not.

yours Respect fully,
Mrs. Ellen Prophet.

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Position 1.....Cook.....

Other positions for which suited, and in order named. 2....

3.....4.....

Name...Prophet, Mrs. Ellen W.Age 40...Deg. Ind. Blood... $\frac{1}{2}$

Address...Rice, Arizona.....

Tribe.....Agency.....State.....

Information from...Herself.....Date...Oct. 1912...

Mrs. Ellen Thomas Prophet, a graduate of Class '98, has recently accepted a position as cook in the Indian School at Rice, Arizona.

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Ellen Thomas

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Mrs. John L. Prophet

DATE	INFORMATION THROUGH	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	ITEMS OF INTEREST	GRADE
1907	Self-	Seneca, Mo.	Housewife	Ind. Rev. 3 1/2 yrs. Teacher Comm. Matron	
1909	"	"	"		
1911		"	"		