

RECORD OF GRADUATES AND RETURNED STUDENTS.

UNITED STATES INDIAN SCHOOL, CARLISLE, PENNSYLVANIA.

Name Nettie Pierce Parker

1. Are you married and if so to whom? I am married to Gaylord Parker

2. What is your present address? Irving N.Y.

3. Did you attend or graduate from any other schools after leaving Carlisle? Give names of school and dates if possible. I have not attended any other school since leaving Carlisle as I have been a wife and mother since then.

4. What is your present occupation? -Salary? Housekeeping.

5. Do you own your home? Yes.

6. What kind of a house is it? Number of rooms? We have a frame building with six spacious rooms. Our home is on the main road where the free mail delivery goes through every day. Location is beautiful has a maple tree grow in front of the house.

7. How much property do you possess?

Stock We keep three horses 1 cow swine and a large flock of chickens.

Land We have altogether about thirty acres of land most of it cleared.

A part of it in bushes that we use
as a pasture.

Real Estate

8. Do you have money in the bank? *no* How much?

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

*I have not been in the Indian
service at all*

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 done as much as I can
to better my people this in a way
may mean very little to some people
for since I have made known
that I have been a wife and mother
and I have devoted much of my time
to my husband & family. Still being
close neighbors to other people I have
used my influence and what I have
learned from Carlisle in many ways
have been beneficial to other mothers.*

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

I have told more now in other parts and I think there is nothing more to tell. Hope this will be satisfactory.



Department of the Interior.

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

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December 27, 1912.

Name

Nettie (Piercer) Parker

(Please give name by which enrolled and also present or married name.)

Tribe

Seneca.

Present Address

Irving N. Y.

Former Address

Irving N. Y.

(Address from which we heard from you last.)

Present Occupation

Housekeeper.

Remarks:

I am now a widow with four children one boy and three girls.

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Febr. 3rd, 1913.

Mrs. Nettie Pierce Parker,
R. F. D. 1, Irving, New York.

My dear Friend:

I have your letter of recent date and have noted what you say in regard to securing a position in the Indian School Service. I believe that there is a chance for you and I would suggest that you request the Commissioner of Indian Affairs at Washington to send you a blank upon which your application can be submitted for consideration. Such an application will then be referred to me and I will gladly recommend you for a position.

The matter of placing your children in the school where you would be employed would have to be decided after you receive an appointment. It will be well, however, for you to go into details about the matter when you write to the Commissioner.

Hoping I can be of further service to you and assuring you of my interest in your desire, I am,

Sincerely your friend,

Superintendent.

Living N.Y.

Jan 3rd 1913.

Mr. Morris Friedman:

Supt. Indian School,
Carlisle Pa.

Dear Mr. Friedman:-

I have received your letter and cards and in return hope you spent a very enjoyable Christmas and also wish you a very Happy New Year.

I am writing you in regard to my entering the Government Service.

I have four children the oldest of them eleven and three girls ages respectively nine, seven and a baby girl twenty one months old. I should very much like to have you help me obtain a position in some western Government school as head matron. I do not know what

to apply to, and I come to you for
help. I became a widow last Sept.
the 8th. my husband was a farmer
and he passed away in his thirty
ninth year. I would like to know
if, on obtaining a position, I could
take my children with me and
enter them in the same school as
I would be employed.

Please answer as soon as
it is possibly convenient to you.

Yours very truly,

(Nettie Pierce Parker,

Irvine N. Y.

P. F. B. No. 1.

Good and Mrs.
stamp
referred to me

Aug. 12th, 1916.

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Mrs. Nettie Parker.

R. F. D. 1, Irving, New York.

My dear Madam:

I have received your letter of the 7th instant and have noted that you are anxious to enroll two of your children at Carlisle. It has also been noted that the girl is but thirteen years of age at her next birthday and because of that I must state that her enrolment here cannot be effected at this time. It is believed that students of that age should not be allowed to associate with the many older students we have here and it is suggested, therefore, that you keep her in the Thomas Indian School until she has come to the minimum age of fourteen now required for enrolment.

The boy can be admitted here if it is learned that he is eligible for enrolment. The blank I enclose may be filled out and submitted for consideration. I can then tell you without delay whether or not a ticket for his use can be made available.

Trusting that the arrangements suggested above can be carried out so that neither of your children will have to re-

-2- Mrs. Nettie Parker.

main out of school this coming year, I remain,

Very truly yours,

Encl.

H.M.

Indian School,

Carhoke Pa.

Superintendent.

Sir

I am writing a few lines
to you in regard to my
two oldest children who want
to be enrolled at your school.

The boy, which is the oldest
is fifteen and will be sixteen
next March, the girl will be
thirteen at her next birthday
which is in January, but she
is large for her age.

The girl has been attending
the Shonau Indian School.

Irving N. Y.
Aug 7th 1916.

Mr. Lipps.

Supt. Indian School,
Carhoke Pa.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing a few lines to you in regard to my two oldest children who wish to be enrolled at your school.

The boy which is the oldest is fifteen and will be sixteen next March, the girl will be thirteen at her next birthday which is in January, but she is large for her age.

The girl has been attending the Thomas Indian School

for the past four years but
I find little fault with their
attendants regarding their discipl-
ine. I find they do not look
after the girls as they ought
to and my daughter has
approached the age where
she needs more attention in
regard to watchfulness in
forming her character and
every mother who wishes to
see her children grow into
fine men and women sees
to the forming of good character,
and I know your school sees
into that. I have been a widow
for almost four years and it
has been kind of hard to get
along with my family, so if
you will take the two oldest

When I will feel very gratified
that will relieve me of
me. of the care and I will
or more contented if they enter
your school, I have kept the
boy out of school so much of
the time since we have been
alone that I have kept him back
in his studies. Please write
and tell me if they can be
accepted.

Hoping to hear from
you soon I remain

Very resp.

Nettie Parker.

Irving

R. F. S. I. N. Y.

REPORT AFTER LEAVING CARLISLE

NAME AT CARLISLE

Nettie Pierce

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PRESENT NAME

Mrs. Gaylord Parker

DATE	INFORMATION THROUGH	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	ITEMS OF INTEREST	GRADE
1907	Self.	Iwing. N. Y.	Housewife	Own frame house - 6 large rooms.	
1909	"	"	"		
1913	"	"	"		

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

January 21, 1907

Nethie Pierce
Irving, N. Y.

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? *Yes, Gaylord Parker.*
What is your Post Office address? *Irving N. Y.*
What is your occupation? *Housekeeping.*

Have you been in the Indian Service, in what positions and how long in each? *No, I have not held any position in the Indian Service.*

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? *I have lived at home ever since my graduation as I was married soon after and have kept house ever since then.*

Your friend

W. A. Mercer

Major 11th Cavalry,
Superintendent.