

Commencement Exercises at the Oglala Boarding School, 1915:

The Annual Commencement exercise of the Oglala Indian Training School marked the passing of another successful year in the history of the school. The exercises were held from June 22 to June 24 inclusive, and during practically the entire three days, the weather conditions were most favorable. Large crowds from the immediate locality attended all the exercises, which were pronounced by those who have been here for many years the best in the school's history.

The exercises showed definite advancement over those in former years in interest and practical suggestion. All the Commencement exercises at this school were given with a view not only to graduating a class, but for the further purpose of showing to the people the every day activities of the various departments of training and instruction.

On Tuesday evening there was given a program in a most excellent manner, a practical demonstrations on what the boys and girls are doing in their respective shops, by the Industrial Departments, and the students spoke about the real things in life. The program was as follows:

MARCH— <i>Hero of the Isthmus</i>	- - - - -	Lampe
	(By the Industrial Employees Orchestra)	
BREAD BAKING	- - - - -	Bakery Girls
PLANTING & CULTIVATION OF PLANTS		
"THE TOMATO"	- - - - -	Joseph Hand
PIANO SOLO	- - - - -	Betsy Ross
LITTLE HOUSEKEEPERS	- - - - -	Matron's Detail
LEARNING OUR STITCHES	- - - - -	Four Sewing Room Girls
VOCAL QUARTETT— <i>Sweet and Low</i>	- - - - -	Barndy
	(Messrs. Turner, Demaree, Chapman, Mumblehead)	
DEMONSTRATION OF A COMPLETE MANUAL TRAINING EQUIPMENT	}	Joe W. W. Horse Thomas Two Bonnet James Glenn
CONSTRUCTION & DEMONSTRATION OF AN IMPROVED LOG HOUSE		