

land. And I think that it has a closeness that - instead of sometime back in our early association with the coming of the white man. And I think it is still here today.

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There are other things that I could mention but at the moment I keep dwelling on the fact of current things that are going on about us. And the warrior of yesterday is still the warrior of today among the Indian people. And the people are deeply patriotic. When a soldier returns we find him very proud. Everybody shares in this fact and he is accorded very much courtsey. And this is the way it should be. And anytime a person thinks of being disrespectful it certainly - this very idea won't be found among our Indian people. If it is, it is very small minority among our people. Because this dates back to our background as warriors and people of the plains who had to fight and protect what was theirs; and if you were man of battle and so on. And I think this all very much a part of what we are today. And so the warrior of yesterday is still the warrior today.

I don't believe in looking back too far. I think we must look forward but we can't leave the past because it is so much a part of the future. And yet we must realize that our people have great need and we do have to look forward and plan. But everything we do plan must be orderly and with dignity. Always with dignity.

I think this is one of the things that Indian people must keep in mind and as I always think of the great leaders of the past - Pontiac, Sitting Bull, Geronimo, all of them in their way were statesmen and they were only fighting for what they felt was their rights and standing for their convictions and it was with dignity. So I think Indian people must keep this in mind and (words not clear).

LIFE IN BOARDING SCHOOLS

Going back into my childhood as a youngster; I was educated in public schools until I was in about the eighth grade or ninth. I attended the St. Louis school