

John Head Carrier

From Suptd. Fred Campbell's 1921 notes

"The next allotment was that of John Headcarrier, age 43, a widower with 3 children, including a crippled daughter. His home is on White Tail Creek near Heart Butte. He has a one room log house, shingle roof and board floor. This is only fairly well furnished but enough furniture that they seemed to be comfortable.

Living in this home also was an Indian by the name of Old Rock. He has his own home near Aimsback on the Blacktail and plans on returning there to put in his garden and make his home. He is only living with Headcarrier to help put in his grain.....

Headcarrier plans on putting in his garden near his house and also stated that he would build a cellar and have it ready in time to take care of his garden supplies for the winter. He has two children at home attending the Heart Butte day school. He is a widower having lost his wife about four years ago. He has no cattle but has one team with which he farms, and one horse on the range."

Above: Henry Head Carried, also known as Moves Out, wearing a horned weasel headdress This noted leader was then holder of one of the original Beaver bundles, a very old and large one. It eventually spent some 80 years at the Museum of the American Indian, Heye Foundation, in New York City, before repatriation brought it back into the Blackfoot Confederacy in 2002.

Edward S. Curtis Photo

Right: John Head Carrier, half brother of Henry, in 1921.

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Heavy Breast

Full Piegan, 65 years

Father: Heavy Breast, parents and family

unknown.

Mother: Bear Eye

Father: Bear Shoulder

Mother: Snow

Maternal uncles and aunts: Owl Child, full-brother, died leaving Mary Cobell, now dead leaving a lot of children. Owl Child also had another daughter, Cutting Head Off Woman, widow of Malcolm Clarke, mother of Horace J. and Helen P. Clarke, etc. First wife: Waylaid Woman, 56 years, full Piegan, married 38 years ago by Indian custom.

Father: Wolf Bedding Father: Eagle Road

Mother: Many Necklace, living with son, Big

Spring.

Father: Turned Up Nose Mother: Kills On Way Home

Paternal uncles and aunts: Wolf Eagle, brother; Black Horn, sister, living in Canada and married to a white man.

Maternal uncles and aunts: Chief Elk, brother, died leaving daughter, Little Woman, widow of Bull Shoe; Rough Face, wife of John White Man.

Brothers and sisters: Big Spring, full-brother.

Children: four, all dead.

Second wife: Tall Nose, full Piegan, deceased.

Father: Bear Chief Mother: The Only Hit

Children: Owen Heavy Breast, 27 years, married. Third wife: Safe Woman, 48 years, full Piegan, mar-

ried 38 years ago by Indian custom.

Father: Big Painted Lodge
Father: White Bull
Mother: Wild Cat Woman

Mother: She Kills First, living wife of Stingy

Father: The Mountains In Sight

Mother: Shell

Paternal uncles and aunts: Kicking Woman, brother, died leaving Buffalo Body, son, Good Stab, son, Good Leader Woman, wife of Heavy Black

Handsome, wife of Heavy Gun.

Maternal uncles and aunts: Strikes One Another, full-sister, died leaving Old Chief; Edgar Many Guns;







