

Wish to Organize North Minot

Residents of the North Side Ask the Commissioners for the Privilege of Voting on the Organization--Hope to Have a Nice Little City of Their Own.

The residents of the northern part of the city, in which is known as Harrison township, are arranging to incorporate into a city within a short time. An independent representative was shown the plat of the new town-to-be which will comprise 1920 acres if the present plans materialize. "We have plenty of good enterprising men in our proposed new town to run a nice clean little city, and if successful, we propose to make a showing. We will endeavor to go ahead with our improvements, have electric lights if possible and if we cannot, then we will use the old fashioned street lights until we can make better arrangements. We expect business to thrive in North Minot. We have nothing against the city of Minot, but we believe that we can conduct our business along more economical lines, and

expect to have comparatively small taxes." The above are statements from one of the residents of that portion of the city.

The action on the part of the residents of North Minot is the result of a struggle on the part of the City of Minot to extend the city limits taking this territory within her boundaries. Once a resolution was passed by the city council extending the limits over into Harrison township, whereupon the residents, or a majority of them, filed a protest.

The North Minot enthusiasts are preparing to ask the county commissioners for the privilege of calling a special election within a short time, to vote upon the question of incorporation. There is likely to be a lively struggle before North Minot is organized properly.

The Fargo Forum has the following mention of a Masonic apron possessed by Attorney Ray Andrews, the gift of his father, the late Francis Andrews, and which many Granville Masons have seen: "Atty. Ray Andrews of Bowbells has a curio that is of much interest, especially to members of the Masonic order. It is an apron worn by Masons of the family probably more than 200 years ago. It is a lamb skin, with a border of white (originally blue) ribbon, and on the front of the apron all the Masonic emblems have been artistically drawn in ink by hand, in colors. Mr. Andrews has followed its history back to the year 1722, when his great-great grandfather, Joseph Waite, brought it from England. It was handed down to his grandfather, Joel C. Chamberlin, in 1797, and his mother and he came into possession Aug. 1, 1908. The apron has a money value, but the owner prefers to keep it in his own family, and has it well insured against loss by fire."

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| Flax No. 2 | 1.40 |
| Oats | 41 |
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| Rye | 57 |

Chas. Wistrom and Miss Irene Campbell were married this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell in this city. Only a few

of the friends of the couple were present. They were attended by O. L. Veach, of the Minot Drug Co. and Miss Florence Giddley, one of the popular employees at the court house. The couple will soon go to Coteau, N. D., where the groom has a responsible position as manager of a drug store. Mr. Wistrom has been a resident of Minot for some years and is a druggist of ability. Miss Campbell is a charming young woman, being unusually accomplished. She is one of Minot's popular vocalists and pianists and will be missed in our musical circles. The Independent extends congratulations.

Mr. Sherman, agent of the Soo in Minot, has returned from Paynesville, Minn., where he attended the fortieth anniversary of the Masonic lodge of that place. Mr. Sherman relates a noteworthy incident. The secretary of the lodge was one of the seven charter members of the lodge, and for many years has been the secretary of the lodge. There have been but three such officers during the past forty years. The old secretary was personally acquainted with every member of the order, and responded to the toast: "To the Absent Members," in a touching manner. For an hour he talked in an unusually interesting manner of the members who have died or moved away. Since the lodge was organized, the names of 163 members have been placed on the records.

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Hagbardt Halvorson, the head push for the Roth & Forsyth coal mine near Burlington, was in Minot Saturday. Hagbardt says that he is getting out a large quantity of the finest kind of coal. This is the mine that was formerly owned by old man Forsyth.

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Dated at Minot, North Dakota, this 23rd day of January A. D. 1908.

Martin Jacobson, Mortgagee.

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