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## RED MEN GREAT COUNCIL

### One of the Most Successful Gatherings in the History of the Minnesota Order

The Red Men have come and gone. They went away satisfied with the hospitality of Little Falls, pleased with their entertainment, and expressing only good will for Little Falls and its people.

Delegates for the convention began to arrive Monday, but the bulk of them came Monday night. The band and a large number of Red Men were at the station, and waited several hours for the belated train, due here at 12:05, to arrive. A number remained until the train came. All the visitors were provided for at hotels and private residences comfortably.

The exercises opened Tuesday morning at I O O F hall, Chairman P J Vasaly of the general committee calling the meeting to order, and introducing Mayor Vasaly, who made an address of welcome, presenting at its close a pipe of peace. Great Sachem F W Lyon fittingly responded.

The council fire was then kindled and thirty past sachems given the degree of the great council. The rest of the morning was devoted to hearing reports of the state officers. The order has 4,200 members in the state, and the Degree of Pocahontas 488. In the United States the Red Men have nearly 450,000 members.

All were disappointed to learn that it was impossible for Great Senior Sagamore Bird, of Kansas, to be present, a telegram being received from him to that effect.

In the afternoon committee reports were considered. No radical changes in law were proposed or considered. The ways and means of extending the order received considerable attention, and after much discussion it was decided to appoint a committee of six which will look after the matter and put organizers in the field. A strong attempt will be made during the coming year to increase the membership.

The advisability of organizing a great council of the Degree of Pocahontas was considered and it was decided to postpone such action until the next great council. In the meantime it is thought additional councils of the Degree will be organized.

Tuesday afternoon the visitors were taken on a drive about the city, visiting the paper mill, the saw mill, and other industrial establishments, and the Kiewel brewery. Mr. Kiewel presenting each visitor with a neat souvenir.

Wednesday morning the following resolutions were adopted:

#### RESOLUTIONS.

Our labors of this great sun's council are nearing an end; we are about to depart to our respective hunting grounds in the various parts of the reservation. Our labors have been inspired by a feeling of zeal and love for the order, and we believe much good legislation has been accomplished by the improved Order of Red Men in Minnesota.

We have spent a considerable portion of our time in this beautifully decorated wigwam, yet we have already had ample time for the enjoyment of the bountiful hospitality which the good people of Little Falls have extended to us. In our drives about this thriving and enterprising city, we have noticed the labor and wampum that have been expended in the decorations of the public and private buildings, everywhere it has been made apparent to us, indeed more frequent than words, "You are welcome."

Therefore, we, your committee, offer the following resolutions:

Resolved, that we extend our hearty congratulations to the citizens of Little Falls for the magnificent manner in which they have prepared for and handled this convention.

Resolved, that we show our appreciation of and extend our sincere thanks for the many courtesies and attentions shown us to the members of Winnepago tribe No. 88 and their

committee on arrangements for their labors; to the ladies of the Hiawatha council No. 18, Degree of Pocahontas, for their co-operation in providing such a welcome and to the palefaces and newspapers of these hunting grounds for their hospitality. We will ever carry in our memories a bright recollection of our sojourn here.

W. E. Cowles, the gifted author of the story of Redmanship, and editor of the Speaking Leaf, the organ of the order, who has acted as journal clerk of the great council for the past five years, will be presented with a gift in appreciation of his work. Mr. Cowles is an old time newspaper man and has long been a prominent worker for the order.

Tuesday evening the parade took place and there was a large turnout. Thos. Gannon and E. S. Tanner were marshals of the parade. The streets were crowded with people, and all seemed to be enjoying themselves. Before the parade Prof. Fraselli kept the crowd interested with expert and fancy bicycle riding. The evening's exercises closed with a ball at Elks hall in honor of the visiting Red Men, which was a very successful affair.

Wednesday afternoon the election of officers took place, with result as follows:

Great Sachem—E. G. Milander, Moorhead.

Great Senior Sagamore—J. T. Arthur, Stillwater.

Great Junior Sagamore—Vivian Prince, Eveleth.

Great Prophet—F. W. Lyon, Little Falls.

Great Trustees—S. C. Tubbe, Park Rapids and W. S. Wright, St. Paul. Member Board of Appeals—Prof. U. C. Curtis, Lake City.

Representatives to Great Council U. S.—T. J. McKeon, Duluth, G. W. Hoffman, Winona. F. J. Hebl, St. Paul. W. E. Cowles and L. E. Longley hold over.

Appointive officers: Great Sannap—J. W. Higgins, Moorhead. Great Mishinewa—C. R. Sievers, Minneapolis.

Great Guard of the Wigwam—H. L. Hanson, St. Cloud.

Great Guard of Forest—Tim Hastings, Crookston.

The Great Chief of Records, F. J. Hebl of St. Paul, and Mr. Forsell, the Great Keeper of Wampum, St. Paul, hold over.

The next great council will be held at St. Peter. Moorhead was after it. Retiring Great Sachem Lyon was presented with a past sachem's jewel, Past Great Sachem Hoffman making the presentation speech.

The great council completed its business and adjourned about 6 o'clock.

In the evening the leap for life by Prof. DeVolo proved a diversion that amused the large crowd out on the streets. A man in tights walked through the crowd and up to the roof of the Buckman block. But instead of a live man leaping, a dummy was thrown to the ground. Willing hands at once carried the dummy into Wulling's drug store. The joke dawned on the crowd and they laughed long and loud. Gleason's famous Tipperary band, led by the inimitable Gleason of Minneapolis, made fun in all directions.

The dance given by the degree of Pocahontas was largely attended and was a very enjoyable affair.

The banquet at Hotel Buckman was a fitting climax of the meeting of the great council. The banquet was served after several selections by the band, whose music was one of the pleasant features of the meeting. After the good things had been disposed of, and cigars passed around, Toastmaster F. W. Lyon opened the speaking exercises after which Mayor Vasaly spoke to the

toast "Our Guests." Mr. Lyon called on "Pap" Harting, as the oldest Red Man in the state, and a member of the order for forty-five years, to make some remarks. Mr. Harting made some appropriate remarks. T. J. McKeon gave the Red Men good advice in the interests of the order. Ross Hazzard well treated the subject of "Freedom, Friendship and Charity," and F. J. Hebl gave a well conceived address on the order, under the title of "The Recording Angel." Dr. Reid of Minneapolis gave a very fine address on "The Fraternal Age," and the address of G. W. Hoffman on "The Ladies" was unique and eloquent. Chas. R. Boostrom's address on "Redmanship and Patriotism" was a splendid effort. Gleason of Minneapolis scintillated a while, and Mr. Calkins of Menasha made an address on the good of the order. On motion of Mr. Hazzard a rising vote of thanks was given Winnepago tribe and the city for the fine treatment accorded the delegates, and Col. Snow received a similar honor. Toastmaster Lyon made an excellent toastmaster.

Most of the guests left on the morning train for home, a few not departing till yesterday. The ladies accompanying the visitors were cared for by the Degree of Pocahontas in a splendid manner. They were given a reception, a drive, a card party, and a dance was given in their honor. They expressed themselves as having had a fine time. Meses. Hebl, McKeon and Bohlig were among the ladies present.

Judging from the expression of the visitors, Little Falls has again added to its reputation of knowing how to properly care for conventions, and making visitors feel at home. The decorations were numerous and of fine effect, the electrical effects being especially noteworthy.

The ball game between Little Falls and Elk River Wednesday afternoon was a splendid one and enjoyed by all who saw it. Little Falls won, 3 to 2.

#### WHAT THE KETTLE HOLDS.

Canape Caviare  
Vegetable Soup Sliced Cucumbers  
Broiled White Fish, Maitre d'Hotel  
Saratoga Chips Celery  
Fried Spring Chicken, Maryland Style  
Browned New Potatoes New Green Peas  
Mayonnaise of Shrimp  
Vanilla Ice Cream Assorted Cake  
Coffee Crackers Cheese

"Praise the generous gods for giving—  
In a world of wrath and strife,  
With a little time for living—  
Unto all the joy of life."

Master of Council Chamber  
"And with a F. W. LYON, Great Sachem  
"And with a sparkle on the tongue,  
"And mirth shall overflow."

The Visiting Chiefs, Our Guests  
"The dwelling place is in our hearts;  
"They live in the chambers of our memory."

A Few Remarks from a Northern Minnesota Red Man. THOS. J. MCKEON  
"From the Northland comes a voice that's ringing,  
"All the strength and vigor of the Northland bringing.  
"Freedom, Friendship and Charity  
"ROSS HAZARD, Past Great Sachem  
"Be well the destitute to clothe and feed,  
"Free bounty to bestow,  
"Supply the helpless orphan's need,  
"And soothe the widow's woe."

The Recording Angel, Great Chief of Records  
"The moving finger writes, and having writ,  
"Moves on; not all thy wits, altho' wit  
"Can alter then a line of it."

THOS. JAS. REID, Past Sachem  
"Let us today be faithful,  
"As were the brave of old,  
"Till we, their work completing,  
"Bring in the age of gold."

The Lights of the Wigwam—the Ladies  
G. W. HOFFMAN, Past Great Sachem  
"Long live all girls! A health to you!  
"Long live our wives and sweethearts too—  
"Gentle, loving, tender, true."

Redmanship and Patriotism, m  
CHAS. A. BOOSTROM, Past Sachem  
"Then for God and duty stand,  
"Heart to heart and hand to hand—  
"Freedom's soil has only one place  
"For a brave and fearless race."

"Jog on, jog on, the footpath way,  
"And merrily hent the stile—  
"A merry heart goes all the way,  
"Your sad one tires in a mile."

Staples World: The writer spent a few hours at Cushing Monday, visiting H. Carlson, the merchant and his bookkeeper, John Pearson. The latter has been sick for several years and although he is now as well able to attend to business as any one, he has but slight use of his lower limbs and gets around but little. Although somewhat disabled physically he is as alert as ever mentally and the few hours we spent with him in reviewing past events and former acquaintances were a rare treat to us.

E. Bloux has gone to Horace, N. D., where, as he has done for many seasons, he will operate a threshing rig.

#### ASSOCIATION OF CHIEFS OF RECORDS.

The thirteen Chiefs of Records in attendance at the great council met Tuesday evening and organized the Chiefs of Records Association of the Minnesota I. O. B. M. Its objects are the good of the order in general, and an endeavor will be made to get a uniform system of accounting. Officers as follows were elected: President—Judge Vivian Prince, Eveleth. Vice Pres.—J. T. Arthur, Stillwater. Secretary—Prof. V. Curtis, Lake City. Treasurer—F. J. Hebl, St. Paul. The association will meet annually, wherever the great council meets.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Hamlin, Aug. 6th, a son.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Town of Gravelville, Aug. 3d, a daughter.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tindell, of Belle Prairie, Aug. 6th, a son, 14 lbs. Wm. has almost recovered. He is the popular section foreman at Belle Prairie.

P. H. Anderson has gone to Dawson, N. D., for the harvest, to be away some time.

Sergeant Alexis Gallend, U. S. A., of St. Paul, has opened a recruiting station here, to be maintained during August and September, at the American house.

Staples World: George Wolf, of Motley, returned home Saturday from Minneapolis where he had been to look after his case in the district court. He thinks the case will be decided in favor of him and his partner, and if so, will have quite a bearing on a number of other similar suits contemplated by other parties. The suit is over work done on the Soo extension north of Alexandria. The contractors failed and the sub-contractors filed liens against the new road bed.

#### UNHAPPY LIFE ENDED.

Stillwater, Aug. 8.—Nellie Frayer, one of the fourteen female inmates of the state prison, died this morning of consumption, aged 44 years.

She was under life sentence for murder in the second degree. The offense was the burning of her young son to death, in a barn in the village of Daggett Brook, near Brainerd, eight years ago.

She was indicted for murder in the first degree, pleaded guilty to second degree, and was received at the prison March 10, 1897. A son was born to her a few weeks after being received in the prison. He and her three daughters live in California. Her husband was divorced years ago.

C. H. Vining, manager of the opera house, says that the city needs an opera house that would be an advertisement, a building which in order to make a good showing, must be in a good location, and not in a back street like the library. It should seat about 800 people and probably cost \$20,000. He says an opera house only suited for theatrical performances would be no financial gain to anyone, as the profits are not large enough, but if the old opera house had been bricked up and fixed it would have suited the city perhaps better than a new one, as it had a large and commodious floor for public meetings, dances, church fairs, etc. In the meantime the city has a convenient and comfortable, though small, opera house at the corner of First avenue and Second street southeast, and the owners intend in the spring to build a large hall.

#### DIED

Rev. Simplicius Wimmer, O. S. B., died at St. John's abbey on Saturday morning a little before 12 o'clock, of tuberculosis, after an illness of over four months.

Father Simplicius was born at Salzburg in Bavaria, Dec. 10, 1844. He came to the United States in 1868, and to St. John's in 1869, and was ordained in 1872. He filled various parishes, and for the last ten years has been professor of liturgy and sacred scriptures at St. John's. The funeral took place Tuesday morning at St. John's. Many priests had studied under Father Simplicius and he was highly regarded.

The baby son, aged nine months, of Mr. and Mrs. Ang. Mrosek of the West side, died Sunday afternoon of stomach trouble. The interment was at Flensburg, where services were held in the Catholic church Tuesday morning.

Miss Mayme Gorman, for some years a popular teacher in the Little Falls schools, was married July 25th at Spokane to W. P. Lakin, a merchant of Miles City, Mont.

Phil Areadt will leave tomorrow for Milwaukee to attend the silver jubilee of a sister, who has been a member of a religious order for many years.

Hunting is strictly prohibited in the Town of Ripley. All offenders will be severely dealt with.

Town Board of Ripley.

#### A TERRIBLE ACCIDENT

##### Swan River Farmer Kills His Little Son With a Binder

The three-year-old son of Paul Herman, a well known farmer of Swan River, was killed Tuesday morning, a binder driven by his father running over him.

Mr. Herman had made one round with his binder, testing it to get ready for cutting in the afternoon. About 11 o'clock he started on the second round. His little son was playing in the thick wheat, about twenty rods from the house. He did not know the boy was there, and was watching the team, one of the horses being a fractious colt. Mr. Herman heard a scream and shouted to his wife. She had the baby in her arms, and thinking her husband was hurt, ran toward the binder, dropping the child. She found the little boy on the ground, one leg cut off below the knee, and picked him up. He was dead before she reached the house.

Mr. Herman was made almost frantic by the accident, as was his wife. The bereaved father came to town Tuesday evening for the little coffin. The funeral took place from the Swan River church yesterday morning. The whole neighborhood is shocked by the accident, and much sympathy is expressed for the family.

#### MR. MANN RELIEVED.

T. W. Mann, the well known station agent in this city, who has been in the employ of the Northern Pacific Ry. Co. for nearly a quarter of a century, and been agent here for twelve years, was yesterday relieved of his position.

Mr. Mann refused to act as operator, and his stand for a principle he believed right has brought about his dismissal. He is succeeded for the present by Frank Ruth.

Saturday Auditor W. H. McGowan of the general offices went out over the branch checking out agents who had quit. Glenwood, Villard and Cyrus among them. There are no operators at closed offices, but someone is left to look after mail and express.

One of the great inconveniences at offices where there is still an agent but no operator is that no information about train movements can be learned, and passengers must wait in the station hours for trains, or likely miss them.

All express is taken subject to delay, and many articles are being sent by freight which ordinarily would go by freight. The delay in receiving farm repairs is causing much complaint, as this is the season when the repairs are greatly needed.

It seems that local passenger trains keep on time pretty well, that east bound coast trains are generally late, and that the freight service is demoralized to a great extent.

There is difficulty in getting competent operators, and the expert train dispatchers who have been doing the most of the work, and are pretty tired. Undoubtedly a good many incompetents and men who know but little about operating have taken the opportunity to get transportation free out west. Chief Train Dispatcher McLane is still in charge of the local office.

The passenger trains appear to be piloted by short freights, consisting of engine, caboose, and a single car.

A strike breaker from Chicago got into an altercation with Supt. Sovereign at Staples, and struck the superintendent in the face. He was arrested and bound over.

Dr. G. M. A. Fortier, who is a St. Raphael's hospital at St. Cloud with his right hand affected by blood poisoning, is doing nicely. It will be necessary, however, to amputate the affected finger, the second of the hand. This will not interfere seriously with the use of the hand in surgical work. The doctor's general health has much improved.

There will be a dinner given at the Swedish Lutheran church on the West side at 1 o'clock next Sunday afternoon, Aug. 13th, to which all are invited. Tickets, 25 cents, children, 15 cents. There will probably be a program of music and speaking at 3 o'clock.

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#### CITY COUNCIL.

The council met in regular session Monday evening.

Justice Hunter made a proposition, referred to the building committee, that if the roof leaks were stopped, he would fix up his office without charge to the city.

Henry Otto was allowed \$10 to decorate the city hall, and retain the decorations.

W. H. Ryan was granted a plumber's license.

The street committee was instructed to look into the complaint that a barn on the West side belonging to Kerrieh & Moelein was partly in the alley.

The state fair exhibit committee was allowed \$100 for advertising, a pamphlet about the city to be distributed at the fair.

The bill of Leon Boisjoli, \$50, was rejected. While Mr. Boisjoli was crossing, a bridge in the northern part of the city with a load of shingles, he claims a washout caused him to fall from the load. The council thought the amount asked too much.

The application of J. H. Guerin, for \$6.67 refund on opera house license was referred to the city attorney.

The bill of the Western Granite Co., \$5 for additional curb and work, was referred to the board of public works. The bills of Phil Randall, H. A. Rider, R. J. Batzer, were laid over.

The bill of J. N. True, \$50, legal services in the Wachlarowicz case, was laid over.

The bill of the Water Power Co. \$9.75, for moving a hydrant near J. R. Richard's was referred to the city attorney.

Bills allowed:

#### FIRE BILLS.

H. Freisinger, reeling hose.....	\$ 3.00
J. W. Jones, same.....	1.00
M. J. Coleman, washing towels.....	5.85
J. F. Skinner, hauling.....	1.80
Hose Co No 2, services.....	10.00
Hook & Ladder Co, same.....	10.50
Hose Co No 1, same.....	12.50
Chemical No 1, same.....	15.50
M. Jansen, hauling.....	7.50
D. Brown, hauling.....	7.50
C. O. Brannen, repairing hose cart.....	2.50

#### POOR.

A. Tanner, rent.....	8.00
W. T. Tourtellotte, fare.....	41.49
A. Blair, rent.....	10.00
C. Droskowiak, mds.....	7.50
N. H. Jacobson, mds.....	6.41
McGregor Bros, hack.....	1.50
J. Droskowiak, mds.....	3.50
Harting & Son, burial.....	7.50
J. R. Steele, rent.....	7.50
M. E. Johnson, rent.....	3.00
Richard Bros, mds.....	9.57
Raymond & Ebert Bros, same.....	5.00
Nels N. Olson, rent.....	3.50
Pine Tree Lumber Co, wood.....	14.00
D. Brown, team.....	1.00

#### SIDEWALK REFUND.

John Schrieber.....	32.85
M. Gandet.....	51.43
F. W. Lyon.....	14.88
Andrew Simon.....	10.11
T. J. Monahan.....	10.10
L. E. Richard.....	52.66
J. B. Richard.....	27.66
St. John's German Luth church.....	13.38
S. E. Betts.....	12.50
Mrs. Mary Swanberg.....	6.66
German American Bank.....	64.50
Marcus Manrin.....	13.38
A. C. Bryant.....	20.00

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

Henry Tidd, care sick, \$18, allowed.....	9.00
Dave Bryant, care sick.....	21.00
Mrs. J. Bryant, board.....	9.00
Geo. Klewel, 8 days board equalization.....	9.00
E. A. King, court commis.....	1.50
Water Power Co, water rental.....	290.00
Adams Bros, building cement sidewalk city hall.....	112.51
P. J. Vasaly, refund sprinkling tax error.....	2.51
J. F. McNally, special police.....	3.00
Leo McDonald, care Thos. Russell.....	1.00
Transcript, legal publishing.....	33.80
Joe Jarvis, ties for bridge.....	2.40
Denison Campbell, assisting city engineer.....	14.00
George Schroeder, repairs.....	1.95
W. A. Dow, printing.....	5.50
W. V. Wetzel, drug.....	10.65
Water Power Co, lights.....	241.05
Red Men band, services 4th July.....	50.00
Geo. Lafond, attending city and county boards of equalization.....	25.00

Misses Madge and Olive Cornwell left Friday for a visit to Cleveland, O., going to St. Ignace, Mich., by rail, to Mackinac Island, and across Lakes Huron and Erie, by steamer.

Ralph Millard, who has charge of Brown's Business College, has gone to Northfield for a vacation of a few weeks.

Misses Foisy visited Miss Stella Leach at Brainerd.