

# FOGH SMOKES A PEACE PIPE

### Indians in North Dakota Entertained Recent Visit to the Teton Tribe of Souix.

(By Associated Press)  
BISMARCK, Jan. 6.—All the mystery of the Indian understanding of life, earth, water and sky entered into ceremony in which the members of the Teton tribe of the Sioux nation smoked the pipe and smoked with him the pipe of peace, according to M. V. R. Gilmore, curator of the North Dakota Historical Society. In the rush of completing the ceremony within the allotted few minutes, a wrong interpretation was placed upon the pipe bestowed by Red-Tomahawk, according to Mr. Gilmore, who had the Indian chief repeat the name after the ceremony, that he might be certain of having it correctly placed in his historical records. Marshall Foch is placed in the mythology of the Teton as Charging Lightning, the words for thunder and lightning being almost the same.

Dr. Gilmore's historical statement of the event says in part:  
"Marshal Foch was met by a delegation of Teton-Dakotas from the Standing Rock reservation of the Dakota nation. The leader of this delegation was Red-Tomahawk, who ceremonially presented a pipe to Marshal Foch, and also conferred upon him a name in the Dakota nation. In his speech to the marshal he said: 'My friend: The first time I ever heard of the great general, Marshal Foch, was at the time when we sent our young men to France. At that time I never thought that I should ever see the great general; but today I have the honor and the pleasure to see him, and I am glad. The young men of the French nation and young men of the Dakota nation fought together in the same cause against our common enemy, and some of both nations died together in that struggle and were buried in the same ground.'

"Then he held up the pipe and said: 'Among my people, the Dakotas, it is our custom to offer the pipe and smoke together; so in like manner I wish to smoke with the marshal and give to him this pipe as a token of friendship. Now the meaning of the pipe and its parts are these: the pipe-bowl is made from catlinite, a red stone which is found only in southwestern Minnesota. The stem in this case signifies firm and lasting friendship. The pipe-stem is of ashwood, and signifies that our friendship shall be durable and unbroken. The hollow of the pipestem through which we draw the smoke is straight signifying that the words proceed-

ing from our lips shall be just and true, and that our paths shall be straight. The colors of these ribbons upon the pipestem also have their meaning. The white signifies that all former differences are cleared away, and we shall be cordial friends. The red ribbon is the color of blood and signifies that we are all of one blood.'

"Then Red-Tomahawk held the pipe first to the north, then east, to south, and to the west; then aloft to the sky, then downwards to Mother Earth. This was a form of invocation to all the Divine Powers. He then lighted the pipe and drew upon it, and then offered the mouthpiece to the marshal, who also drew upon it, and then to Major Welch.

"Red-Tomahawk was obliged to abbreviate the ceremony because of the lack of time. He also abbreviated the explanations of the symbolism for the same reason. If time had permitted all should have been seated upon the ground.

"The material for smoking, with which the pipe was filled, was a mixture of tobacco and the inner bark of a native shrub, a piece of deerwood, *Cornus stolonifera*.

"Tobacco is invested with something of mystery and sacredness in the Indian thought, and was used ceremonially in the manner of incense.  
"After delivering the pipe to Marshal Foch Red-Tomahawk declared his desire and purpose to confer upon the marshal the honor of a name in the Dakota nation, Wokinyan Watakoop. This name with which Red-Tomahawk interested the marshal has significance in connection with the historic message sent by the marshal at the first battle of the Marne: 'The situation is excellent, I am attacking.' The meaning of the Dakota word watakoop is 'to make a attack,' 'to charge.' The meaning of the Dakota word Wokinyan, is lightning. There fore the meaning of the name is 'Lightning-in-attack,' or 'Lightning-which-attacks.'

### FIFTY BODIES RECOVERED IN GREEK TRAGEDY TODAY

(By Associated Press)  
ATHENS, Jan. 6.—Fifty bodies were recovered from the Greek torpedo boat destroyer *Leona* anchored in Piræus harbor, wrecked yesterday by the explosion of a torpedo. The explosion damaged the nearby warships and caused houses ashore to collapse, killing a number of inhabitants.

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# HUSBANDS ARE HONOR GUESTS

(Special to The Observer)

WOLF CREEK, Jan. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Talley entertained their relatives and friends at a New Year's dinner. Those present were Arroy Talley and family, Stanley Shaw and family, Will Lovorn and family, Mill Talley and Earl Gilkerson.

Miss Mable McKinney is visiting at the home of Walter Cook this week. Mrs. H. M. Gilkerson visited with Mrs. Will Lovorn one day this week.

Mrs. Horace Belding visited at the Earl Standley home one day this week. Miss Pearl Wicks, who is in a hospital in Baker, is reported to be improving very rapidly.

Mrs. Walter Standley visited with Mrs. Homer Carnes one day last week. The Busy Dozen club entertained their husbands Thursday of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Turner. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lovorn, Mr. and Mrs. Wenden Carnes and Mrs. Carnes' grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Duet, of Tekoa, Washington; Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Standley, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nice, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goram, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis M. Harry, Mrs. Cordia Gilkerson and Miss Rose Gilkerson.

The evening was delightfully spent and a delicious lunch was served by the hostess. All expressed themselves as having had an enjoyable time.  
Marion E. Standley of Portland has been visiting his brothers, Walter and Earl. He has gone to Baker to visit relatives and while there will also go to Durkee to visit his sister, Mrs. Josie Jacobs.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Atterbury and two sons visited Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gilkerson this week.

The weather has been cold the past week. On January 3 it was 3 degrees below zero. There is four inches of snow on the ground.

Charlie Smith and Charlie Lane are hauling wood this week.

Mrs. Rose and son Walter of Pendleton are visiting with Mrs. Rose's brother, Walter Cook.  
James Simons, who is trapping, caught a red fox in one of his traps recently. He has caught a number of coyotes recently.  
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Carnes were North Powder visitors Saturday.  
The Wolf Creek club met with Mrs. Oscar Smith this week.

### Promise News Items

(Special to The Observer)  
FROM 182, Jan. 6.—Promise is experiencing a cold spell this week.

The Promise Lumber company has started planing operations at its mill here.  
There was a dance at Luther Trump's Saturday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carper moved to Vincent Friday.  
J. W. Carper and family visited with the Thomas Bennett family Sunday.

G. F. Bentie held services at the school house Sunday. There will be no services next Sunday.  
L. M. Flesham and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Thompson Thursday.

W. A. Carper moved his family to Promise last week.  
John Smith and family returned to Wallawa Friday after a several days' visit with his brother, Lee Smith.

Mrs. G. L. Trump called on Mrs. B. E. Thompson Monday.  
Frank Sarnar and family and Ethel Sniffer were passengers on the out-going stage Monday.  
Mrs. N. L. Smith and Miss Nellie Poulson visited R. W. Colpitt and family Tuesday.  
Mrs. J. J. Poulson spent Sunday at the home of her son and family, Truman Poulson.  
A literary society will be organized at the Promise school house Monday.

The first basketball game this evening commences at 8:15 sharp, at the "Y".  
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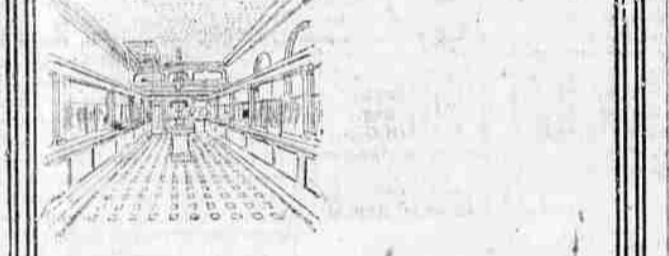
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### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE STATE BANK OF IMBLER

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RESOURCES	
1. Loans and discounts, including red-counts shown in item 31, if any	\$106,047.17
2. Overdrafts secured and unsecured	218.16
3. U. S. Government securities owned, including those shown in items 31 and 35, if any	3,300.00
4. Other bonds, warrants and securities, including foreign government, state, municipal, corporation, etc., including those shown in items 31 and 35, if any	1,525.58
5. Stocks, securities, claims, items, judgments, etc.	600.00
6. Banking house, \$8,450.00; furniture and fixtures, \$2,375.00	10,725.00
7. Real estate owned other than banking	3,500.00
8. Amounts due from banks, bankers and trust companies not designated as approved reserve banks	1,417.00
9. (a) Lawful reserve with Federal reserve bank	None
(b) Amounts due from banks, bankers and trust companies, designated and approved reserve agents of this bank	22,520.42
10. Checks on banks outside city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	16.25
11. Exchanges for clearing house and items on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	None
12. Cash on hand in vault	7,738.13
Total cash and due from banks, items 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12	\$31,691.80
13. Interest, taxes and charges paid	None
14. Customer's liability under letters of credit	None
15. Customer's liability accounts of "acceptances" executed by this bank and by other banks for the account of this bank	None
16. Other assets, if any	None
Total	\$157,607.71
LIABILITIES	
17. Capital stock paid in	\$ 40,000.00
18. Surplus fund	3,900.00
19. (a) Undivided profits	\$12,504.37
(b) Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	3,901.59
20. Dividends unpaid	3,262.78
21. Amounts due to banks, bankers and trust companies not approved or designated as reserve agents for this bank	None
22. Amounts due to banks, bankers and trust companies approved and designated as reserve agents of this bank	None
23. United States deposits, including postal savings and deposits of United States disbursing agents	None
24. Demand deposits, other than banks, subject to general withdrawal	None
25. Deposits due the State of Oregon, and deposits due county or cities, and other public funds	43,626.15
26. Individual deposits subject to check	36,690.41
27. Demand certificates of deposit outstanding	262.45
28. Cashier's checks of this bank outstanding payable on demand	81.27
29. Certified checks outstanding	None
Total of demand deposits, other than bank deposits, subject to reserve, items 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28	\$73,330.28
30. Note and savings liabilities, subject to reserve and payable on demand and subject to withdrawal	None
31. Note certificates of deposit outstanding	27,878.65
32. Savings deposits, payable on demand	None
Total of time and savings deposits payable on demand and subject to withdrawal, items 31 and 32	\$27,878.65
33. Checks and notes payable and other liabilities including bonds or other securities, and other liabilities with agreements with other banks	None
34. Note payable to other banks	10,000.00
35. Reserve for notes, subject to withdrawal	None
36. Reserve of assets commercial	None
37. Amounts advanced by this bank for customers based on commercial notes or commercial transactions	None
38. Dividend reserve or other funds borrowed	None
39. Balances due, reverse the above stated, if any	None
Total	\$157,607.71

State of Oregon, County of Union, ss.  
I, L. L. STRINGHAM, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
L. L. STRINGHAM, Cashier.  
CORRECT—Attest: E. C. Myers, Clay W. Fox, J. D. Stringham, Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January, 1922.  
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