

# BIRTHDAY SPREAD FOR R. F. BERDIE

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Robert F. Berdie, the silver-tongued orator of the Muskeg district, celebrated the anniversary of his birth Wednesday evening in a quiet way at a little luncheon given in his honor at the Hotel Hibbing by admiring friends. He made a very touching address from the subject, "Me and George Washington," in which parallel lines were strongly drawn. Mr. Berdie, his many friends are pleased to note, has considerably the best of the Father of His Country, in that he is alive and doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances—and it's worth a whole lot to be alive at the present time and be permitted to live in Hibbing.