

## SENATOR QUAY DEAD.

"The Pine, the Oak, the Iron-wood and even Rocks decay and are returned to the earth to spring from thence into a new life. My friend you are starting on a long journey from whence you will never return. The tears of your friends and red brothers flow on account of this separation from them although it is but temporary. When you reach the forks of the paths at the abode of the Great Megis, he will direct you which of these paths to follow. Do not hesitate when you reach the Great Black River, be not afraid, but continue your journey as you will be directed to do by the Great Megis. If you do not lose your way after you have reached the Great Black River, you will cross it and soon hear the tum-tums of the Wooden Kettle Drum which will enable you by following its sounds to reach your forefathers." Excerpt from the Grand Medicine burial service.

Senator Quay is dead. This news will, before many suns, have reached every Indian reservation in the United States and every tepee and log hut thereon. The old men of each tribe, who, as they sit with their heads bowed in sorrow, will say to their children, "SEQUAY, your friend and benefactor, my children, has been taken from us. He never forgot that the Great Spirit created him to love his red brothers as well as his white brothers, and to protect their interests impartially.

When you who are still young, have been called to the Happy Hunting Ground, and have passed away from the flesh that holds your spirit, your descendants, our descendants, will say "OUR FRIEND SEQUAY."

The gratitude of an Indian never dies towards anyone who has rendered him an unselfish and disinterested service. Many of the old chiefs of the different tribes of Indians throughout the United States who knew Sen. Quay, will feel sincere grief over his death. They will miss his kindly advice and assistance hereafter, whenever they go to Washington.

Senator Quay was the truest friend the American Indians ever had in congress. His devotion to them and their interests was extremely touching. He had many political enemies, but not one of these ever questioned the sincerity of his motives towards the Indians.

Chief Wah-we-yea-cumig, of the Mille Lacs, has said truly; "The Great Spirit will recognize the goodness of his heart, his worth, and will reward him accordingly."

## UNIQUE CEREMONY.

Leche Steenerson to be Adopted By Chippewas.

The Chippewas of White Earth have decided, if it is agreeable to Congressman Steenerson, to adopt him as a member of the Chippewa tribe of Minnesota. The ceremony, which will be unique and extraordinary, will take place here during the 14th, of June celebration.

Never has a white man ever been adopted by the Chippewa tribe, although this is a common thing among other tribes, especially those located in the Indian Territory.

The adoption of a white man by the Chippewas is one of the greatest honors they can confer on him. Mr. Steenerson has been duly notified of the wish of the Chippewas, and it is now up to him to decide whether he will become a red man or not.

## SOO R. R. STATIONS.

Mr. Lawson, a representative of the right of way department of the Soo Line, has served notice on Miss Bement on whose allotment the railroad station for this Agency will, we are informed, be located. The location seems to have been selected merely for the purpose of furthering the interests of townsites boomers and not with the view to accommodating the reservation public since the location is in the most sparsely settled portion of the reservation through which the railroad runs; The townsites boomers bought a tract of inherited Indian land which adjoins Miss Bement's allotment and are, it is stated, going to establish a town there.

The establishment of a railroad station so far away from the principal point of the reservation without regard to the wishes of the reservation public, will surely meet with a vigorous protest, and the Indians will let the company know in no uncertain way that the compensation they receive for the right of way through the reservation did not compensate them for the land taken if their interests are ignored in regard to the locations of reservation railroad stations.

When the Great Northern Railway built through the Chippewa reservation in this state, the wishes of the Indians thereon regarding stations were taken into consideration. The Soo Road should do likewise.

## DECORATION DAY.

Decoration day was observed here as usual. The few remaining members of the G. A. R. now here went to the Catholic cemetery in the forenoon where the services were read by James VanWert, speeches were made by Father Aloysius and Theodore Beaulieu, selections were played by the Government School band and patriotic songs sung by the children of the Catholic boarding school. In the afternoon this program was repeated at the Episcopal cemetery. At that cemetery Agent Michelet and the Supt. of the government boarding school, Davis, were the speakers. The school children of the government boarding school were also in attendance at the Episcopal cemetery.

## Notice of Application for Guardianship of Minors.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss  
COUNTY OF BECKER. }  
In Probate Court, special term, May 18th, 1904.

In the matter of the guardianship of Joseph Bellanger and George Bellanger, Minors.

On reading and filing the petition of George a Morrison, guardian of said minors, representing, among other things, that his said wards are seized of certain real estate in Becker County, Minnesota, and that for the benefit of said wards the same should be sold, and praying for license to sell the same. And it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, from said petition, that for the benefit of said wards said real estate should be sold:

IT IS ORDERED, That all persons interested in said estate appear before this Court on Monday, the 13th, day of June, A. D., 1904, at ten o'clock, a. m., at the Court House in the city of Detroit, in said County, then and there to show cause (if any there be) why license should not be granted for the sale of said real estate, according to the prayer of said petition.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That this Order shall be published once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the TOMAHAWK, a weekly newspaper printed and published at White Earth in said County.

Dated at Detroit, Minn., the 18th, day of May, A. D., 1904.

By the Court:  
W. W. Wilkins,  
Judge of Probate.

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Under the law just passed by Congress all Mississippi Chippewas are entitled to select an additional 80 acres of land on the White Earth Reservation. In order to locate the best of these lands it is necessary to know just what lands are taken, and what lands are unclaimed and subject to entry.

The Detroit Record's new map, made from the official records, gives all of this information, and the map is of great value to all those who are entitled to additional allotments. All lands now taken are shown, and names of the owners are given. Also all vacant or unallotted lands are shown.

Buy a copy of this map and take it with you when you go to make your selections. It is worth many times the price to every man on the reservation. The map is sold at the low price of \$5, and it will be sent at once by stage on receipt of the money, or an approved note due November 1st. Address.

Geo. D. Hamilton, - - Detroit, Minn

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

A Democratic county convention will be held at Detroit, Minn. June 11, 1904, for the purpose of nominating delegates to the Democratic State convention to be held at Duluth, June 22, next. White Earth should not fail to be represented at the county convention.

## Local Items.

Peter King has opened up a wagon repairing shop.

LOST:—A bunch of keys, finder please leave at this office.

The TOMAHAWK is prepared to do job printing at reasonable prices.

H. Starkey, of the Pembina Settlement, was an Agency visitor this week.

Buy home made bread at Mrs. Baker's, the baker, at Mrs. McMartin's building.

Charles Grais, the Ponsford merchant, was doing business at the Agency during the week.

Henry Selkirk cut his foot quite badly last week and in consequence is now using crutches.

Mr. Lawson, right of way representative of the Soo Line, was a guest at the Hotel Leecy last Saturday.

Mrs. Annie Richardson, a recent arrival here, is thinking of opening a millinery and dress making establishment here.

Clarence Holmes, who has been acting as assistant Post Master here, left for his home at St. Cloud, yesterday.

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Major Michelet and Wah-we-yea-cumig left yesterday afternoon for Mille Lac to remove some Mille Lac Indians to this reservation.

EYES: Dr. J. A. L. Walman the eye specialist of Minneapolis, visits Detroit City June 7-8-9. Office at Hotel Minnesota. Those having eye trouble or needing good glasses should not fail to see Dr. Walman, it matters not how bad your eyes are, he can help you.

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