



GLACIER PARK HOTEL COMPANY

HOTELS AND CHALET'S IN GLACIER NATIONAL PARK, MONTANA
AND WATERTON LAKES NATIONAL PARK, ALBERTA, CANADA

GENERAL OFFICE
JUNE TO OCTOBER
GLACIER PARK, MONTANA

NOVEMBER TO JUNE
GREAT NORTHERN BLDG.
ST. PAUL, MINN.

Last Rider

Louis Choupaing



GLACIER PARK HOTEL
MANY-GLACIER HOTEL
PRINCE OF WALES HOTEL
GOING-TO-THE-SUN CHALET'S
TWO MEDICINE CHALET'S
CUT BANK CHALET'S
ST. MARY CHALET'S
SPERRY GLACIER CHALET'S
GRANITE PARK CHALET'S

REACHED VIA THE
GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY

Now to give a feast to Striped Lodge.
Former owners called on to be present.
Ash pile, sage around, sweet grass lighted
Take names, begin to travel.
Sag for each unwrapping until rain stop,
wolverine

Pipe very large, little bag near low rattle
and claws of buffalo. white owner smokes pipe.
Bells, 1st white man
Hair of every owner in it.
Wolverine is stuffed.
Buckle the radio man led out when they
broke camp.
Addressed each animal separately.

(Cow lit a house + started to cow)
Okla, area or man. Sawed man slaps
there.

Visit The New
PRINCE OF WALES HOTEL
Waterton Lakes National Park, Alberta, Canada

Bear Dance Society also Bear Dog Society ^{Eli} ~~Quintessence~~
Dog " " but 12 bears, claws about ~~claws~~

wh. wear in dance.

Two bears in Bear Soc. did
short arrows up, pretend to shoot

people. Black paint on face, lie on ground
until some one wakes them. 4th the short in
air, arrows.

2 bear with Dances (Blood)

" " " Dogs

" " " Braves.

Dogs don't have arrows.

Has seen Sun Lodge of Aes + chips away -
punished harder than Black.

Aes had Big Ghost - worshipped as god.

not Sun, a woman.

chips. didn't pray w Sun like Ple.

Aes + chips. have a man dressed up peculiar
ly, called The Cannibal - has long switch,
drives children etc, etc.

Peq in Fly society do this.

Buffalo Child - Blood Indian. ^{Elie -} ~~Grandson~~ ^{love}
when no women folks around all
each other out in camp.
Folks loved him so much didn't want
him to go to war.

Iried ~~them~~ ^{around} ~~around~~ ^{around} ~~around~~ ^{around}
camps. Men wouldn't let the women look
at him - might pick them holes. Men
would take whips & use on women for
fear they were looking.

(One woman with ears cut off)
Eagle Head oldest man among Piepans.

mt. chief d. called Stalking in the Daytime
because mt. chief stole black horse for ears
^{in days time}

Black Horse Rider shot - his son.
With out fit that killed old Man Clark.
Called Big Brave. Battle with ears, ears around
trying to get away - many killed near lethbridge
saw stretched when wet. mt. chief lots of news.

Malcolm Clark killed by an Indian. Had a woman
& tried to steal a woman out of camp. Beat a
boy - Pete Cabell to Blood People out fit - dark
he is low. Had handsome wife - c. tried to take
c. took Pete's horse so he couldn't leave. Hit
him also. Went away - to Benton

Di Grandjean

Jim White Calf - Chief medicine man in charge of ceremonies. Age 72.
Engaged in many horse stealing frays on other tribes. Admits scalping at least one enemy and has scalp to prove it.

Chewingblackbones - Assisting medicine man. Age 71. Admits scalping two Indian enemies. Leader of medicine pipe ceremonies.

Three Calf - Famous warrior. Age 72. Fought roving band of Indians from an open flat all day alone. At sundown his adversaries invited him to feast with them. Said they couldn't kill a crazy man.

Mike Day Rider - Joined army at 19 to fight Sitting Bull. Age 67.
Helped army quell labor uprising of railroad laborers 1894.

Ridesatthedoer - Age 72. Claims to have held off a band of the enemy with a butcher knife while his brother escaped. Doesn't say what happened then.

Louis Champine - Age 71. Scout for U. S. Army while they were cleaning up western outlaws.

Aims Back - Age 66. Leader of medicine pipe ceremony.

Arrow Top Knot - Age 75. Noted Indian Sage and philosopher.

Weasel Tail - Age 78. Scalped his first enemy when 18 years old.

Robert Many Hides - Joined the army when 20. Helped quell trouble on railroad in 1894.

Black Weasel -

John Spotted Wolf -

Elis Grandysee

Middle Rider -

Juniper Old Person -

Mud Head -

Busty Bull -

Stabs By Mistake -

Shoots First -

Yellow Kidney -

Among Indians a name is given for deeds of valor and bravery so one Indian may have several different names. To show friendship or for adoption an Indian may give one of his names to another and it is customary for the one receiving the name to give his most prized possession to show that he knows the significance and honor of the name he receives. This is an Indian custom.

Notes

Woman + Buffalo Bill

Eliz - Guard
Jan. 1929.

Had a Buffalo fall. An Ind. + 2 went out to bring the buff. in. Woman chopping wood. She thought they would have trouble getting them. She saw a buff. + said "If you will load the buff. over the cliff I'll name you."

Later after wood, saw young man. He began to talk. She said didn't want to talk. He: must have forgotten promise.

She: never made any promise to you.

He: remember when you told buff. to.

She followed him. Her hus. lost his woman. Hus. went away, got weapons, searched for wife. Looked wherever there were buff.

They'd run - wouldn't stay still. Once all wood spring - lying around water. He could

looked all over - end of head to other. Couldn't find wife. Stayed, crawled around low places. Finally recognized his wife among the buff. He sneaked up + took

her - started to run off with her. Bill

woke up - got direction she had gone - followed. To. When hus. saw buff. + had following. Got to timber. They climbed a tree.

Buff. passed by - all three brush.

2/3 (1)

this knew the Buff. Bull - got mous
nady, started to shoot, 1 arrow left, piece
of metal on the. must not miss him - but
metal killed him. Rest left.

Arrow feathers a protection vs. lightning.
Was taken up by Thunder

2/3 (1)

To many camps - before entering get up a
rock, or ~~on~~ mound - every.

4 Bears go up on same stone as had
Wolf - big red bear - that he couldn't see.
strong red. Every that

4 Bears when had Wolf finished got down
to fire, got up on rock, to find out if he
had courage of had Wolf

When they pulled out to steal horses.
W. said lets go together - to some lodge
4 B. pulled to one side - white, pants. 4 B. said -
4 B. talked right at hand - (W) in going
to take it - out hand - say, here's 4 B. going
to take your horses.

4 Bears

4 B. began to run. Among water - afraid
of bad wolf.
Back to camp Mr. W. said I almost cried
I believe I did cry
I know I cried.

4 Bears On another war path. stopped. always
went on. One said let's wait here. - watched pass
in trail. 4 B. thinking Suppose he should return
camp + get horses - have to get friends to help -
4 B. thinking I'd get this fellow to go and the
other three left.
He jumped up + said Brothers give us
some of your horses. 4 B. that he was
alone, talking to himself. Would be chief - could
dictate
4 B. said Say nothing, at least he, when
they give me something to eat, you just
look at me + I'll give you something. 4 B.
almost starved. Finally the boys looked at
him. He said "ah you can tell it if you
want to, I'm pretty nearly starved to death."
He was camp chief. Chiefs would get together
+ decide what to announce - he announced it.

See me going on war path
" " " to steal horses
" " " going to move camp.

Societies would give their medicine to 2 yrs.
younger - not to next younger.
They would quarrel - said

4 B. had can be argued with that way
(Man with Buckhorn split in two)
4 Bears said he had never stolen any horses
never committed any wrongs.

They give feast. 4 Bears passing every
thing around. Buckhorn stood at door. Always
covered half of face with blanket - part Sealer

See me in corner - 4 B. hadn't noticed.

Bade. said: Haidjai - you're giving these
fellows and this, some nothing

4 B. said You never want to war, what
do you talk like that for. Once when they
went out for horses you after girls. They drove
you out + you ran into 2 wild horses -
+ since you think you were on the war path.

Looks like a person in a man - calls it one
digger person.

Woman ran off from husband - Had a boy
after boy certain size, she left with her
& boy. Hus. searched for wife - Friend with
him - Took boy along - couldn't find her. Folly
after Gov. saw. Paper Bl. went to stores.

2 young fellows together. One would call the
boy, would take his sword (was his mother)
called it Little Brother Nis Kun - Hus.
her. Ready to kill her. Had dagger. One, despite

negotiating a redemptio -
got hold of her. She flew up out of top of lodge. He
cut her leg off - She went up to moon.

Peter Oscar's father
was Little Chief

Wife's father
The Straw
mother, Gray Snake Woman

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Map of Western Canada, especially Alberta, in the early days, latter
eighteenth or early nineteenth century.

Tyji - Blood

4 poles tied together, rope around each 2
usual ties

6 poles bet. 2 on n. side first - 1 or 2 later

7 " " " " 3 4

2 ft downway at E

2 " W

1 with tyji

2 ~~poles~~

Tie tyji right to 1 pole - main pole, at back
of tyji - opposite to way.

All poles on n. side then one opening in
the "nest." Those on S all in same - in
opposite direction.

- | | | | |
|--------------------|---|----------|-----------|
| 1. T | 8. T | 17. T | FT |
| 2. T | 9. 0 | 18. T | |
| 3. ? | 10. T. | 19. T. 0 | |
| 4. T Birds Patches | 11. T. | 20. 0 | Wm's name |
| 5. 9, 1 man only | 12. T. | 21. 0 | |
| 6. T. | 13. ? | 22. T. | |
| 7. T. | 14. T. | 23. 0 | |
| | 15. T. | 24. 0 | ately |
| | 16. Hard Topknots.
Big = only 1 man. | | |

Check in Ginnell's
Yodge Tales.

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Eli Gourdyeer

Blade Eagle talked ^{Bekus Massore} one time near Cheyenne
Colonel Bekus said he was going to help MT. Chief says
Abit Gourdyeer told Eli's father what Bekus said
(Abit Abit, Fink)

Dick Kipp's father was Henry Runner, 1st. talked
Joe Kipp came from Ft. Shaw riding gray horse.
to Cheyenne - gone 3 days - back to Cheyenne. Henry Runner
still there - also Bonehead. Joe said they better
look after their horses - Night 11th he pulled out. Eli
caused the soldiers coming up from Shaw. Caused
at Collins.

MT Chief says had moved.

St. Peter Mission - 1850 m

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Nezpi + Chickens

Big stick laid for his under cut bank.
He. on top - 3 tracks + 4 th, ch. flew out -
Nezpi went into creek. got out. Went down, saw
the bears.

Bears.

After bears, saw shadow of red berries in
water. Said

my p. in low. told me how good those
berries are. I'm going to have those berries.
Dined down, saw them, couldn't find them.
out on side on sand bar, got rocks tied
around ankles, wrists, neck.

Dine down. Rocks awful heavy. Drowning
hoke thing. So much water in stomach would
I get rid of it - lay flat. Looked up saw
berries. Said

"There you are. I'll get you. About
7 or 8 branches, got long sticks, pounded
them. Said "There. That's the way you'll be treated
after this."

(see + Pegan same way)
see W. Sak kē' sak - minutes to love - doesn't, ~~mean~~
chipmunk. Hara o po soh'

Eli's 1st shot a blackbird - a flint lock - ^{2/3 (5)}
9 yrs. old.

12 . . . packed gun most of time - a
double barrel flint lock - a smooth bore
His father shot a " " " "
32 balls 6 lb.

English bullet only 30 - harder.

1st real rifle was a Hawkes -

Took a Henry carbine - 66 model - later
Winchester
Remington - a repeater. Loaded with
thumb screw - turned around - exposed
magazine - spring pulled up - threw
shells in backward. - held 6 shells.

My gun was loaded from side - patented
before 73 Winchester one it.

Bought me of these from Joe Butsch - for
wolf skins (was herding horses of wolfers,
trappers) got it at dusk. At daylight

Indians around - Sweet Grass Hills -
Piegan - Eli 2 horses. Another for work -

noticed pole with those made of sticks -
a war lodge - father had field glasses

saw 1/2 doz. heads looking over rocks.
Traders in - gave them whiskey.

White people & half breeds - + Ted 2/3 (4)
Towers.

Piegans stole woman, (71-2) Brody
ran off with her - Tom Hardwick's wife. He
got down on the woman. Tom called her
stand off - got her there.

Van Hall 1 of 1st rangers in Yellowstone
country - Park. In north until 1876.

Piegans were drunk - Elis uncle hollered
in Assiniboin -

Elis father started me to stop the Piegans
then in camp drunk - will shoot them. Only
1 who wouldn't drink, he a fool, left handed.

Father said Who are you

Ed: Pitame

Fath: Maybe Blood

Ed: no answer.

Fath: Go down evening

Istead went up -

Hardwick climbed hill - shot at them -
didn't hit.

Elis into Boston's home

Put gun in shack - at home.

Boston threw dish water out, grabbed for

old Spencer rifle.

Elis grabbed gun - Father sent him to
talk with Piegans.

Another party altogether, 50 ~ 60 ^{2/3} (7)
are Assin. Gros. Yankton - That day
were the Piegans back.

Fath: stand = are all are

Ind: 2, chipeway,

Fath: Try to escape. Whites will shoot
anything.

Eli. shot - into bunch

Ind. ran into camp:

2 tried to escape - jumped off bank.
knocked 1 down, shot other as he climbed

up bank.

Butch asked for Eli's gun - wanted some fur.

Ran the Ind. into mts. Killed 12.

as warriors in Eli's camp - white & mixed.

Eli only 14 yrs. old.

Eli to Piegans in 1868 - 11 yrs. old.

Killed an antelope same year.

Antelope around Swiss town, bet. Mussel shell &

Missouri.

White road in dome - on flats like herd of

sheep.

Wolves - One carcass - buffalo - and dead wolves
around it next morning.

Came into camp - caught horses. Scare away
on horse's back.

Killed game when they needed it.
Ind. had a limit. Some had better luck ^{2/3 (8)}
could get more. Some got cold hands
easily, couldn't kill more than 1 or 2.
Eli got 18 fat cows in 1 run. Used repeating
rifle.

held bullet in mouth. Measured powder in
hands, made 1/2 of hand. Dropped bullet after
powder.

Some prepared to + more. Put 3 arrows at
a time. Eli never when in the run used arrows
used arrow stem of service berry bush for small
game - no point.

Bows all same length. Others much longer
kind Eli made.

Shot wouldn't catch, fashion, could pull it
easily - didn't shoot so far as long men.
Could hit buff cow in back & split back
bone - with arrow. Also split shoulder bone
in hard part.

Some buff bull coming along. One horse took
run 15 ft. away, hit on top of rump -
~~bullet~~ ^{arrow} came out collar. (Better than rifle).
great strength. Thought they had missed it.
Bull fell. arrow thru lung. shot into dirt.

Green wood; oak, elm, ash (Montana ^{2/3} (9))
7th sapling 2 2nd growth. Whittle flat
dry it, no fire place - half of winter. When
dry enough burned it, tapered gradually.
Flattened. No knots.

Could kill buff in head with muzzle load
but not with 73 Winchester 44. Shot behind
shoulder.