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PASSES BEYOND

After Lingering and Painful Sickness
J. G. Johnson Succumbs.

John Gustav Johnson was born at Rudaholm, Sweden, September 13, 1862; came to St. Paul, Minn., in the spring of 1886; removed to Crookston, Minn., in 1894; worked in a tannery there 9 years; came to Mountain Home November, 1903; died at his home in Wolfe's addition at 4 p. m. Friday, August 25, 1905, after a sickness of two months, of a disease of the stomach and intestines whose precise character was not determined.

Mr. Johnson was married to Miss Matilda Johnson in St. Paul, Minn., March 18, 1893. Five children were born to them: Esther, Ruth, Gladys, Gardner and Pearl. Gladys, the third, passed away about four years ago. The others remain with the mother.

The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at the Congregational church, Rev. C. E. Mason conducting the services.

LIBRARY MATTERS

The Library Board held its regular monthly meeting in the new quarters last Thursday afternoon. In addition to transacting routine business, the Board gave instructions to have the floor and windows cleaned, table, bookcases, etc., varnished, and two signs put up, one at the outside entrance of the building and the other on the door of the reading room.

If you are troubled with dizzy spells, headache, indigestion, constipation, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. If it fails, get your money back. That's fair. 35 cents. Roscoe W. Smith.

BUSINESS PROPERTY SALE

Phillips Bros. have sold, through Col. Linton, their two lots, with buildings, to Chas. Pascoe of the Bulletin. The consideration, it is said, was \$1350.

FALL MILLINERY

On Saturday, September 9, Mrs. Hendricks will have on display a full line of fall millinery goods, which the ladies are invited to call and examine. 49.*

COME EARLY! COME EARLY!

And have your stamp Photos made. For thirty days only, Whelchel & Finn will make stamp Photos three sizes—25, 35 and 50 cents.

ROOMS FOR RENT

Desire 970 rooms, furnished or unfurnished, for rent. Everything new, neat and clean; rooms well lighted and attractive. Call at THE REPUBLICAN office or residence of Mrs. Millie E. Longfellow for further particulars.

INTERESTING SPECULATION

Watch the Elegant "Raymond" Piano Sell Itself.

We are offering to those who intend purchasing a high-grade piano in the near future, an opportunity which they should not fail to take advantage of. The genuine white mahogany "Raymond" Piano, which would be good value if purchased at the regular price of \$475.00, is being marked down \$1.00 each day, including Sundays, until it is sold. On August 23 the price had reached the low figure of

\$453.00, and several people are already figuring on purchasing this instrument, but are waiting and hoping that it will go a few dollars lower in price. Remember this is being done by us as a legitimate method of advertising our business, and this particular piano is as fine as any piano can be and possesses a remarkable tone in addition to being encased as beautifully as any piano we have ever seen, and the purchaser of this instrument can rest assured they will have the only white mahogany piano in this part of the country.

WISE PIANO HOUSE,
911 Main Street, Boise, Idaho
Idaho's Oldest Piano Dealers.
Look for the big electric sign. *

INSTITUTE

Annual Session Begins Yesterday,
Closing Friday.

Teachers' Institute began yesterday morning and will continue in session until Friday afternoon. Up to noon yesterday these teachers had registered: Prof. A. J. Simpich, Mrs. Blanche Lovelace, the Misses Anna True, Ida Zimmerman, Nellie Johnson, Huldah Nelson, Tena Lyon, Gertrude Mellen, Ida Westgate, Katie Brady, Dona Harris. Others registering were Misses Maud Hanley, Edith Whitson, Clara and Nina Pool.

FRUIT BY AUTO

George Hall of Garnet to Inaugurate
Freight Innovation.

Peaches to market in an automobile is an innovation being planned by George P. Hall, who is the owner of a big orchard on Snake river, 40 miles southeast of Boise.

Mr. Hall is now paying an average of \$60 a day to the express companies, an expense which will continue throughout the fruit season. The road from this city to Snake river is sufficiently smooth for an automobile and he estimates that by using a machine of the van pattern he can secure all the carrying capacity necessary for bringing his crop to market, at a saving of at least one half the present cost.

The plan is to load the automobile in the evening, leaving at an hour that will enable him to be on the market with his fruit early the following morning.

Under the present arrangement of taking the peaches to the express office the day before, so that they can be loaded on the train, the fruit is exposed for a needless length of time, and when it arrives on the market the fruit will not stand up the same length of time that it would if brought direct from the trees to storage at the commission houses during the cool nights.

The experiment will be watched by the large fruit raisers with a good deal of interest, and if it proves to be a success, others will follow Mr. Hall's example.—Capital News, August 23.

CHEAP RATES

Commencing March 1 cheap one way rates will take effect from all Eastern points to all points on the O. S. L. For particulars apply to any O. S. L. Ry agent.
C. E. ULERY,
Agent

ITINERARY

Dates for President and Secretary
of Mothers' Congress.

The following is the Western itinerary of Mrs. Schoff and Mrs. Grice, the president and secretary of the Mothers' Congress:

Leave Portland Wednesday, August 23.
Lewiston Thursday, August 24.
Moscow Friday, August 25.
Spokane Saturday, August 26.
Idaho Falls Tuesday, September 5.
Pocatello Wednesday, September 6.

Mountain Home Thursday, September 7 (Mrs. Grice), at the Congregational church, 8 p. m. [Everyone interested is cordially invited to be present. Mothers, especially, urged to attend. Non-sectarian in nature, and not devoted to the interests of any one particular club, society or influence, but to the one great important phase of humanity—motherhood.]

Weiser Thursday, September 7 (Mrs. Schoff).
Caldwell Friday, September 8 (Mrs. Grice).
Payette Friday, September 8 (Mrs. Schoff).
Nampa Sunday and Monday, September 9 and 10.
Boise Tuesday, September 12.

IS HANDICAPPED

Somebody's Letter Fails to Get Fair
Start on Journey.

Somebody will begin to wonder, by and by, why no answer is received to that letter which was mailed at the Mountain Home postoffice a few days ago.

The problem is not at all intricate, though: the solution simply lies in the fact that Postmaster Turner, although quite an adept at solving puzzling propositions generally, is not yet sufficiently versed in the exhilarating art of reading blank space and deciphering name and address where none exist.

The envelope is innocent of any mark whatever, the writer of the letter, or some other person (provided, of course, that it contains a letter) having deposited it in the receiving box after sealing the flap and affixing a stamp.

The letter has been occupying a conspicuous position in the stamp window ever since it was suddenly ushered into public notice, and one sympathetic woman said yesterday that it actually assumed a pleading expression as each day passed and no one came to relieve its embarrassment.

W. C. T. U.

Regular Meeting for Election of Officers
This Afternoon.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the Congregational church this (Tuesday) afternoon, 2:30 o'clock.

This is the time to elect officers and every member should be present. All who are absent will certainly be put in office, so if you don't want an office you would better be at the meeting.

Mrs. R. P. CHATTIN,
President.
J. Custer has added considerably to the appearance, likewise the "dignity," of the Mountain Home

Bakery and Confectionery by the addition, Saturday night, of an imposing looking soda fountain, which was "on duty" Sunday. It is a very handsome piece of work.

Dear Gus:—I have solved the mother-in-law problem, just give her regularly Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It will make her healthy, happy and docile as a lamb. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Roscoe W. Smith. *

J. P. Clays will leave in a day or two for some quiet spot, probably on the coast, where he can rest and recuperate. He has not been feeling well for some time, in addition to which he is beginning to be troubled by insomnia.

VOGT COMING

General Secretary of C. E. Societies
to Speak in Boise.

Van Ogden Vogt of Boston, General Secretary of the Christian Endeavor societies, is to address the Idaho union in Boise on the night of September 11.

It is expected that Mr. Vogt will pass through here on the early morning train, accompanied by C. Foster Cable, Secretary of the Idaho union. Rev. C. E. Mason and others will be at the depot to greet them.

HAS ROSY HUE

That's How the Future Looks for
the South Boise.

Postmaster W. J. Turner seems to be pretty well satisfied with the world in general these days, if the expression of satisfaction noted on his countenance is to be accepted as a reliable indication. When he returned from the Exposition the other day, where he was accompanied by Mrs. and Miss Turner, he lost no time in getting into the South Boise country, where he has a promising placer prospect staked out. He brought home some of the "indications" in the form of shot-gold, about half the size of a wheat grain, and he doesn't hesitate to acknowledge that it "looks good" to him.

The entire section, Mr. Turner says, is assuming pronounced activity. The men having interests there are running development shafts and tunnels, and are opening up good bodies of ore. Many newcomers have recently entered the field, and more general activity is noted than for years past. In addition to this, the actual development work being done is assuming important proportions. The natural result, of course, will be the opening up of new mines, thus expanding the factor and influence which make for increased prosperity.

The future (and the very immediate future, too) for that section of the country, avers Mr. Turner, looks very bright.

J. W. Caldwell is suffering from a painful and peculiar accident. While examining the contents of a barrel of creosote roof paint, having just removed the cover, spontaneous combustion occurred. His face was enveloped in flame, burning him quite severely. Fortunately his eyesight was not affected.

Fred Marhofer came home from Kansas Saturday.

M. E. CONFERENCE

Another District is Created by Re-
annexing Territory.

The Idaho Conference of the M. E. Church held its annual session in Baker City, Oregon, adjourning August 21. The examinations were held on Wednesday. The business sessions occupied Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

On Sunday afternoon occurred the Memorial exercises and the ordination of two elders. The subjects of the memoirs were Mrs. Van Dusen, wife of the presiding elder of the Boise District, and two children of Rev. A. C. Riffe, of Middleton, all of whom had died during the year.

The appointments for the ensuing year were read Sunday evening.

The conference was presided over by Bishop W. F. McDonald, the youngest bishop of the church, elected in 1904. He is especially loved and admired for his brotherly and tender spirit, joined to other strong qualities that fit him for the high stations and varied duties to which the church has called him.

By the General Conference last year some territory in Northeastern Oregon, which had belonged to the Idaho Conference in earlier years, but for eight years previous had been attached to the Columbia River Conference, was again connected with Idaho. A small presiding elder's district was created out of most of this territory, with J. D. Gillilan serving as presiding elder and also as pastor at La Grande. This year this district, La Grande, was enlarged to include all of the Oregon territory and the charges of Cambridge, Long Valley, Payette and Weiser, Idaho. The Boise District now comprises 26 charges, La Grande 21. Of these five in the Boise district and nine in La Grande appear in the reports as "to be supplied," but several of them were filled by men in attendance upon the conference, not members.

The legal limit of a presiding elder's term on the same district is six years. Rev. W. W. Van Dusen had first served on this district for a fraction of a year, to fill a vacancy, and then five years by regular appointment; and a question had been raised whether another year's service would be allowable, but he was reappointed.

Provision was made for the organization and care of a second church in Boise, from the results of some mission work previously done by the First Church.

Rev. Thomas Johns, who, for the past two years, has served Glenn's Ferry, the one Methodist charge in Elmore county, removes to Mackay. He will be succeeded by Rev. A. W. Hartshorn, who served the charge at Sweet the fore part of last year, and devoted the latter part to evangelistic work.

The next session of the conference will be held at Idaho Falls.

It will wash and not rub off
This complexion all envy me,
It's no secret so I'll tell
Take thou Rocky Mountain Tea.
Roscoe W. Smith. *

Elegant typewriter paper, neatly boxed, for sale at this office.