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GENERAL HISTORIES OF IDAHO

- * Bailey, Robert G. Hell's Canyon. (Lewiston, ID: R. G. Bailey Printing Co., 1943).
- ** * Bailey, Robert G. River of No Return. (Lewiston, ID: R. G. Bailey Printing Co., 1947). A wealth of anecdotes about north central Idaho is available in these two books.
- * Bancroft, Hubert Howe. History of Washington, Idaho, and Montana. (San Francisco: The History Co., Publishers, 1890). Still an excellent source of information about Idaho Territory.
- ** * Beal, Merrill David. A History of Southeastern Idaho . . . (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1942). The standard work in this field.
- * Bradley, Cyprian and Edward J. Kelly. History of the Diocese of Boise, 1863-1952. (Boise, ID: n.p., 1953). A history of the Roman Catholic Church in Idaho. It is especially useful for an understanding of the Roman Catholic missions to the north Idaho Indians.
- ** * Defenbach, Byron. Idaho, the Place and its People . . . 3 vols. (Chicago: American Historical Society, 1933). A subscription history of Idaho.
- ** * Donaldson, Thomas. Idaho of Yesterday. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1941). A very entertaining book about territorial days by a prominent citizen of Idaho's early period.
- * Elliott, H. N., ed. History of Idaho. (San Francisco: Wallace W. Elliott, 1884). The first history of Idaho. Illustrated with good lithographs.

- ** * French, Hiram T. History of Idaho. . . . (Chicago: The Lewis Publishing Co., 1914). 3 vols. A subscription history of Idaho.
- ** * Hailey, John. The History of Idaho. (Boise, ID: Syms-York Co., 1910). The author was an enterprising pack train operator in the early days of the Idaho gold rush and a delegate to Congress from Idaho Territory. He had a unique opportunity to observe the unfolding of Idaho's story.
- ** * Hawley, James H., ed. History of Idaho. (Chicago: S. J. Clark, 1920). 4 vols. The largest of the subscription histories.
- ** * Johnson, Richard Z., ed. An Illustrated History of the State of Idaho. . . . (Chicago: Lewis Publishing Co., 1899). Most of this subscription history of Idaho is devoted to biographies of individual residents of the state.
- ** * McConnell, William J. Early History of Idaho. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, 1913). McConnell was an organizer of vigilantes at Idaho City, and served as Governor of Idaho and U.S. Senator from Idaho.

RECENT

- * Johansen, Dorothy O. And Charles M. Gates. Empire of the Columbia. (New York: Harper and Brothers, Publishers, 1957). A general Northwest history, which offers a better treatment of Idaho history than earlier books in the field of Pacific Northwest history.

Lavender, David. The Land of the Giants, the Drive to the Pacific Northwest, 1750-1950. (Garden City, New York: Doubleday and Co., 1958). The story of the settlement of the Northwest, including Idaho. The author emphasizes early history.

TEXTBOOKS

- ** Barber, F. R. And Dan W. Martin. Idaho in the Pacific Northwest. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1956). Beautifully illustrated. Intended for junior high school, but a useful work for the general reader.

- ** * Bracken, Claire Boyle. A Child's Idaho. (Boise, ID: Syms-York Co., 1942). An easy grade school textbook. It deals with Idaho's pre-territorial and territorial periods.
- ** * Brosnan, C. J. History of the State of Idaho. (New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, c. 1918). A general history of Idaho, giving particular attention to the mining, agricultural, and timber resources of the state.
- ** Haines, Francis. The Story of Idaho. (Boise, ID: Syms-York Co., 1942). A general history for young people written by a specialist on the history of the Nez Perce Indians.
- ** Rae, Thelma M. Living in Idaho. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1955). A travelogue story of Idaho with some historical information. The reading level is fourth to sixth grade.

INDIANS OF IDAHO

- * Drury, Clifford Merrill, ed. The Diaries and Letters of Henry H. Spalding and Asa Bowen Smith, Relating to the Nez Perce Mission, 1838-1852. (Glendale, CA: The Arthur H. Clark Co., 1958). Source materials for an understanding of the labors of Spalding and Smith, the first missionaries to the Nez Perce Indians. (Also listed under North Idaho.)
- ** * Drury, Clifford Merrill. Henry Harmon Spalding. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1936). The story of the founder of the Lapwai mission to the Nez Perce Indians. (Also listed under North Idaho.)
- ** * Haines, Francis. Red Eagles of the Northwest. (Portland, OR: Scholastic Press, 1939).
- ** * Haines, Francis. The Nez Percés. . . . (Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 1955). Standard works on the Nez Perce Indians. They contain substantially the same material.
- ** * Howard, Helen Addison. War Chief Joseph. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1952). The story of the Nez Perce Indian chief who led the Indians during the Nez Perce War.

- Madsen, Brigham D. The Bannock of Idaho. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1958). The story of one of south Idaho's major Indian groups.
- ** McWhorter, Lucullus Virgil. Hear Me, My Chiefs!. . . . (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1952). Nez Perce Indian history with an emphasis on Chief Joseph.
- ** * McWhorter, Lucullus Virgil. Yellow Wolf, His Own Story. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1940). The story of an Indian participant in the Nez Perce War, who presents the Indians' side of the story.

FUR TRADE ERA

- Campbell, Marjorie. The Northwest Company. (New York: St. Martin's Press, 1957). The story of the great Canadian rival of the Hudson's Bay Company in the Northwest fur trade.
- ** * Fremont, John C. A Report of the Exploring Expedition to the Rocky Mountains in the Year, 1842, and to Oregon and California in the Years, 1843-'44. (Washington, DC: United States Senate, 1845). A report of a scientific and exploring expedition which passed through southern Idaho and which took many careful observations of the natural phenomena encountered in this area.
- * Goodhart, George W. Trails of Early Idaho, The Pioneer Life of George W. Goodhart and His Association with the Hudson's Bay and American Fur Company's Traders and Trappers: As Told to Abraham C. Anderson. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1940). Goodhart was a trapper at the end of the fur trade era. He later settled in the Soda Springs area, where he had trapped. Thus his experiences in Idaho begin in the pre-territorial period and extend into the territorial period of Idaho's history.
- Hafen, Le Roy and W. J. Ghent. Broken Hand: The Life Story of Thomas Fitzpatrick. (Denver, CO: n.p., 1931). One of the most prominent Idaho mountain men.

- ** * Irving, Washington. Astoria. (n.p.: n.p., n.d.). John Jacob Aster sent Wilson Price Hunt across the United States to Astoria, Oregon, in 1811 in the interest of the fur trade. Hunt explored the Snake River plains of Idaho in the course of the trip, of which Astoria is a somewhat romanticized account.
- Morgan, Dale L. Jedediah Smith and the Opening of the West. (Indianapolis: Bobbs, Merrill, 1953). Smith was the discoverer of the easy route through South Pass, Wyoming. The Oregon Trail followed the Platte to this pass, and then went down the Green River, an easy way through the formidable barrier of the Rockies. Jedediah Smith spent a considerable portion of his time trapping in south Idaho.
- ** * Ross, Alexander. The Fur Hunters of the Far West. Edited by Kenneth A. Spalding. (Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 1953). An early British fur trader in Idaho gives a very readable account of his experiences in the Northwest.
- * Russell, Osborne. Journal of a Trapper. (Boise, ID: Syms-York Co., c. 1921). The journal of a member of Wyeth's party in the Northwest in the 1830's.
- * Tobie, Harvey E. No Man Like Joe. (Portland, OR: Binfords and Mort, 1949). The story of Joseph Meek, fur trapper in Idaho. He was also U.S. Marshall for Oregon Territory in the 1840's, when Idaho was still a part of Oregon. He was an officer in the brigades which fought the Indians in Oregon in the 1850's.
- Vestal, Stanley. Jim Bridger: Mountain Man. (New York: Morrow, 1946).
- ** Vestal, Stanley. Joe Meek: The Merry Mountain Man. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1952).
- ** * Work, John. The Journal of John Work. Edited by William S. Lewis and Paul C. Phillips. (Cleveland, OH: The Arthur H. Clark Co., 1923). A very significant annal of the exploration of the mountains of south central Idaho. Well annotated.

THE IDAHO GOLD RUSH

- * Barton, Stoddard, and Milhollin. A Report of Gold Production on the Nez Perce Indian Reservation, 1861-1867. (Boise, ID: n.p., 1958).
- * Barton, Stoddard, and Milhollin. Royalties, Gold Production Costs on the Nez Perce Indian Reservation, 1860-1867.
- * Jones, T. L. From the Gold Mine to the Pulpit. (Cincinnati, OH: n.p., 1904). A personal account of the incredible hardships connected with gold mining at Florence and Pierce in 1861-1862.
- * Langford, Nathaniel Pitt. Vigilante Days and Ways. . . . (Chicago: A. L. McClurg, 1923). Vigilante law enforcement in Idaho and Montana.
- * McConnell, W. J. Frontier Law. (Yonkers, NY: World book Company, 1924). The author tells of his personal role in vigilante activities in Boise Basin. He also recounts his work as a miner.
- * Quiett, Glenn Chesney. Pay Dirt: A Panorama of American Gold-Rushes. (New York: D. Appleton-Century Company, 1936). The Idaho gold camps are included in this treatment of the gold rush towns of the west.
- * Shenon, Philip J. and Roy P. Full. An Evaluation of the Gold Mined before April 17, 1867. . . . (Salt Lake City, UT: n.p., 1957). 5 vols.
- * Shenon, Philip J. and Roy P. Full. An Evaluation Study of the Mineral Resources in the Lands Ceded to the United States by the Nez Perce Tribe of Indians on April 17, 1867. (Salt Lake City, UT: n.p., 1957). 5 vols. A wealth of source material was available for these reports on the first gold camps of Idaho in the northern section of the state.
- ** * Shirk, David. The Cattle Drives of David Shirk from Texas to the Idaho Mines, 1871 and 1873. (Portland, OR: Champoege Press, 1956). How Silver City received its meat in the gold rush days.

- * Trimble, William J. The Mining Advance into the Inland Empire. (Madison, WI: n.p., 1914). From an amazing supply of newspaper data and other source material, the author gives a very interesting and comprehensive picture of the Northwest gold rushes (including the Idaho gold rush).
- ** * Wolle, Muriel Sibell. The Bonanza Trail. . . . (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 1953). Less than fifty pages are devoted to Idaho's gold fields, but there is some notice of all of the important ones in this account of gold towns of the West.
- EASTERN IDAHO HISTORY**
- OLD ONEIDA COUNTY (At one time Oneida County covered most of eastern Idaho.)
- ** * Just, Emma. Letters of Long Ago. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1928). Compiled by Agnes Just Reid, daughter of Emma Just. Emma Just was a Morrisite, and an original settler of Soda Springs. The Morrisites were Mormon dissenters who founded this town in 1863 with the help of General Connor, who removed them from Utah and a conflict with the Mormons. The book presents Mrs. Just's letters to her father from the time of her marriage in 1870 until 1891.
- * Larson, J. Kenneth. The Saga of Poison Water. (Unpublished Manuscript). About 300 pages. It contains fairly well organized source material for Malad Valley history, compiled from various authors, newspapers, etc. The last portion of the book is a long and very personal story of the author's family.
- * Mitchell, Rebecca. Historical Sketches. . . (Idaho Falls, ID: Bert Miller, 1905). The beginnings of eastern Idaho are sketched in this little book by a Baptist missionary teacher from Eagle Rock now Idaho Falls). She lived through an interesting period of eastern Idaho history, and is one of the very few eye witnesses to give us a printed record of what she saw.
- * Teichert, Minerva K. Drowned Memories. Fort Hall, American Falls, and Blackfoot are the scenes of the anecdotes in this pamphlet.

- * Toponce, Alexander. Reminiscences. (Salt Lake City, UT: n.p., 1923). This pioneer freighted through eastern Idaho from Salt Lake City to the gold mines of Montana.

Trego, Susie Boice. Fort Hall on the Oregon Trail. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1934). Fort Hall, as a fur trading post and a stopping place on the Oregon Trail, receives the main emphasis of this book. In addition the Fort Hall Indians and the eastern Idaho people of the stagecoach era of the 1860's and 1870's receive some treatment.

NORTH IDAHO HISTORY

- * An Illustrated History of North Idaho Embracing Nez Perce, Idaho, Latah, Kootenai, and Shoshone counties. (n.p.: Western Historical Publishing Co., 1903). A subscription history containing individual biographies and some good north Idaho history.
- * Cody, Edmund R. History of the Coeur d'Alene Mission of the Sacred Heart. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1930). The story of the Roman Catholic missions to the Indians in the Coeur d'Alene area of north Idaho.
- ** * Drury, Clifford Merrill. Henry Harmon Spalding. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1936). The story of the founder of the Lapwai mission to the Nez Perce Indians. (Also listed under Indians of Idaho.)
- * Drury, Clifford Merrill, ed. The Diaries and Letters of Henry H. Spalding and Asa Bowen Smith, Relating to the Nez Perce Mission, 1838-1852. (Glendale, CA: The Arthur H. Clark Co., 1958). Source materials for an understanding of the labors of Spalding and Smith, the first missionaries to the Nez Perce Indians. (Also listed under Indians of Idaho.)
- ** Hult, Ruby L. Steamboats in the Timber. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1952). The story of transportation on the lakes and rivers of north Idaho.

ADA COUNTY

- ** * Bird, Annie Laurie. Boise, the Peace Valley. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1934). A comprehensive work on the Boise Valley, including a discussion of the fur traders who first discovered it, an account of the mining rush to Boise Basin which effected the settlement of the valley, and the history of Boise, Nampa, Caldwell, and other towns in the valley.
- ** * Brose, Mable. The Motzie Stories. (New York: Exposition Press, c. 1957). Stories for children, telling of incidents in the Boise schools in the early days.

ADAMS COUNTY

- * Harris, Frank. History of Washington County and Adams County. (n.p.: n.p., n.d.). A pioneer lawyer writes of his own area. (Also included in the Washington County bibliography.)

ALTURAS COUNTY

(An extinct county in central Idaho. The county seat through most of its history was Rocky Bar. Elmore, Custer, Camas, Blaine, Shoshone, and Minidoka Counties have been made out of old Alturas County.)

- ** * Hall, Lucille Hathaway. Memories of Old Alturas County. (Denver, CO: Big Mountain Press, c. 1956). Not a comprehensive work. This book deals with a series of incidents that happened in the gold mining days of old Alturas County. Many of these episodes concern the author's own family. (Also included in the Custer County bibliography.)
- * McLeod, George A. History of Alturas and Blaine counties, Idaho. (Hailey, ID: Hailey Times, 1938). A factual account of the mining days of Rocky Bar, Atlanta, Ketchum, etc., with special emphasis on mining litigation. (Also included in the Camas County and Blaine County bibliographies.)

BANNOCK AND BINGHAM COUNTIES

- ** * Beal, Merrill D. History of Idaho State College.
(Pocatello: Idaho State College, 1952). The story of
this important state-supported school.
- ** * Idaho, Yesterday, and Today, Souvenir Handbook, Fort Hall
Centennial, 1834-1934. (Pocatello, ID: Graves, c.
1934). A series of essays about old Fort Hall, the fur
trading post of the Hudson's Bay Company, the Indians
of the Fort Hall reservation, the early fur trade in
eastern Idaho.

Saunders, Arthur C. History of Bannock County, Idaho.
(Pocatello, ID: n.p., 1915).

BEAR LAKE COUNTY

- Evans, John Henry. Charles Coulson Rich; Pioneer Builder of
the West. (New York: MacMillan, 1936).
- ** Poulsen, Ezra J. Joseph C. Rich, Versatile Pioneer on the
Mormon Frontier. . . . (Salt Lake City, UT:
Granite Publishing Company, c. 1958). These two
biographies trace the history of the founder of the
Bear Lake settlement at Paris and the story of his most
famous son.

BLAINE COUNTY

- * Chapman, Katharine Hopkins. The Fusing Force. (Chicago: A.
C. McClurg, 1911). A novel about Ketchum
near the turn of the century.
- ** * Hall, Lucille Hathaway. Memories of Old Alturas County.
(Denver, CO: Big Mountain Press, c. 1956). Not a
comprehensive work. This book deals with a series of
incidents that happened in the gold mining days of old
Alturas County. Many of the episodes concern the
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- * McLeod. History of Alturas and Blaine Counties, Idaho.
(Hailey, ID: The Hailey Times, 1938). A factual
account of the mining days of Rocky Bar, Atlanta,
Ketchum, etc., with special emphasis on mining
litigation.

BOISE COUNTY

- * McConnell, W. J. Frontier Law. (Yonkers, NY: World Book Company, 1924). The author tells of his personal role in vigilante law enforcement in Boise Basin. He also recounts his work as a miner.

Pendexter, Hugh. Harry Idaho. (New York: A. L. Burt Co., c. 1921, 1926). A novel about the Pinkham-Patterson feud at Idaho City.

BONNEVILLE COUNTY

- * Anderson, Charles E., and others. After fifty Years. (n.p.: n.p., 1941). A history of the New Sweden irrigation project in Bonneville County.
- ** * Clark, Barzilla W. Bonneville County in the Making. (n.p.: n.p., n.d.). An account of the old Oneida County, Idaho, which embraced all of eastern Idaho. The author emphasizes the part that Eagle Rock played as a freighting center between Salt Lake and the Montana gold fields.

BUTTE COUNTY

- * Bottolfsen, C. A. Little Bits of Lost River History. (Arco, ID: n.p., 1926). Originally these historical anecdotes about the Arco area were printed in Bottolfsen's Arco Advertiser. The author is a former Idaho governor.

CAMAS COUNTY

- ** * Hanford, Katherine Burns. The Gods of Soldier Mountain. (New York: Exposition Press, 1955). Stories of life on Camas Prairie.
- * McLeod, George A. History of Alturas and Blaine Counties, Idaho. (Hailey: ID: The Hailey Times, 1938). Camas County was in the old Alturas County.
- * Nelson, Lucy M. A Brief History of Camas Prairie, Idaho. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1937). The story of the settlement of Camas Prairie with brief biographical accounts of the first settlers.

CANYON COUNTY

** * Bird, Annie Laurie. Boise, the Peace Valley. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1934). A comprehensive work on the Boise Valley, including a discussion of the fur traders who first discovered it; an account of the mining rush to Boise Basin, which effected the settlement of the valley; and the history of Boise, Nampa, Caldwell, and other towns in the valley.

* Hall, William Webster. The Small College Talks Back. . . . (New York: R. R. Smith, 1951). The story of the author's experience as President of the College of Idaho, Caldwell.

Hayman, H. H. That Man Boone. (Caldwell: College of Idaho, c. 1948). The story of the founder of the College of Idaho, Caldwell.

* Loveland, Lilly Ann (Steel). John Steel, from Smoland Farmer to Idaho Prune King. (Francetown, NH: Marshall Jones Co., 1947). The story of a Roswell, Idaho fruit orchardist, with a discussion of the fruit industry of the Roswell area.

CARIBOU COUNTY

* Shupe, Verna Irene. Caribou County Chronology. (Soda Springs, ID: n.p., 1930). The old-timers of Caribou County are sketched chronologically along with some early historic events.

Yost, Francis Carter. Book of Remembrance. (n.p.: n.p., 1947). History of the Bancroft area.

CASSIA COUNTY

* Conway, J. R. Cassia and Minidoka Counties in the World War, 1919. This book describes the war work of the people of these counties in World War I, and it recounts the service of the citizens in the armed forces.

- ** * Walgamott, Charles Shirley. Six Decades Back. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1936). A good source of central Idaho history. The author tells of the days before irrigation. Cattle and sheep business, gold mining on the Snake River bars, Diamond Field Jack, Rock Creek Station, etc.

CUSTER COUNTY

- Black, Jesse R. History of Custer County, Idaho. (Challis, ID: Challis Messenger, c. 1930).
- ** * Hall, Lucille Hathaway. Memories of Old Alturas County. (Denver, CO: Big Mountain Press, c. 1956). Personal and family history. There is some material about the Loon Creek area.

ELMORE COUNTY

- * Groefsema, Olive. Elmore County, Its Historical Gleanings. This work contains clippings and pioneer narratives of Elmore and old Alturas counties. The book is a printed edition of a scrap-book, compiled by Olive Groefsema. The same arrangement as that of the scrap-book is maintained.

FRANKLIN COUNTY (See also the Eastern Idaho bibliography.)

- * Daughters of the Pioneers. History of the Development of Southeastern Idaho. (n.p.: n.p., 1930). This work is confined to the history of Franklin County. It is by far the most detailed and interesting history in the field.
- * Idaho, Facts and Statistics Pertaining to the Early Settlement and Colonization with Special Reference to Franklin County. (Salt Lake City, UT: Skelton Publishing Co., 1910). Published for the Idaho Semi-Centennial Celebration at Franklin, 1910. Emphasizes the Indian troubles of the Franklin colony. Also, there is a list of the founders of Franklin and a biographical note about them.

- * Ricks, Joel, ed. A History of a Valley, Cache Valley, Utah-Idaho. (Logan, UT: Cache Valley Centennial Commission, 1956). A well-organized book concerning the Logan-Preston area of Utah and Idaho. Economics, enterprises, schools, churches, are given a proper treatment, along with a good discussion of pioneering and politics.

IDAHO COUNTY

- * Carson, Mildred. A History of Idaho County Free Press, 1886-1936. Much history of the Grangeville area creeps into this history of Grangeville's pioneer newspaper.
- ** * Elsensohn, M. Alfreda. Pioneer Days in Idaho County. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1947-51). A two-volume work on the history of important mining, forest, and agricultural regions. The old trails and mining camps are described with excellent detail. Many good personal narratives about pioneer life are preserved in this work.
- * Johnson, James W. The Bitterroot Trail. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1935). A historical novel of the Florence-Orofino area, including forays into Bannack City, Montana. Three-Fingered Smith, the Plummer gang, Cherokee Bob, and other strange historical figures of this region are brought to life.
- ** * Jordan, Grace. Home Below Hell's Canyon. (New York: Thomas Y. Crowell Co., 1954). The personal narrative of the wife of former Idaho Governor, Len Jordan, telling of life on an isolated sheep ranch. Very readable.

JEROME COUNTY

- ** * Greenwood, Annie Pike. We Sagebrush Folks. (New York: D. Appleton-Century Co., 1934). The people of the reclaimed desert around Hazelton receive a microscopic examination in this personal-type narrative--back fence gossip not excluded.

KOOTENAI COUNTY

- ** * Anderson, Nancy Mae. Swede Homestead. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1942). Life in the forest near Lake Coeur d'Alene as a Swedish immigrant family found it.

LEMHI COUNTY

- ** * Kirkpatrick, Orion. History of the Leesburg Pioneers. (Salt Lake City, UT: Pyramid Press, 1934). The author has chosen to give us a word picture of each denizen of Leesburg rather than a connected history of this important gold camp.

MADISON COUNTY (See also the Eastern Idaho bibliography.)

- * Beal, Merrill David. The Snake River Fork Country. (Rexburg, ID: n.p., 1935). Dr. Beal taught at Ricks college, Rexburg, for a number of years, and so he had an excellent opportunity to gather material for this history.

MINIDOKA COUNTY

- * Conway, J. R. Cassia and Minidoka Counties in the World War. (n.p.: n.p., 1919). This book describes the war work of the people of these counties during World War I. It recounts, too, the service of their citizens in the armed forces.

OWYHEE COUNTY

- * Hawes, Adelaide (Turner). The Valley of Tall Grass. (Bruneau, ID: n.p., 1950). The story of the Bruneau area.
- ** * Kehaly, William. Silver City Heyday. (Philadelphia: Dorrance and Co., 1953). A novel concerning mining at Silver City in the late period of its existence.
- ** * Larrison, Earl. Owyhee, the Life of the Northern Desert. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1957). A biologist's view of Owyhee County.

- * York, Lem A. A Historical Descriptive and Commercial Directory of Owyhee County, Idaho. (Silver City, ID: Press of the Owyhee Avalanche, 1898). A combination subscription history and directory--many biographies of Owyhee County citizens are thus included.

POWER COUNTY

- ** * Rockwell, Irvin E. The Saga of American Falls Dam. (New York: The Hobson Book Press, 1947). The story of the concerted effort of politicians, irrigation men, and empire builders, who succeeded in the building of a major dam. Such men as Major Reed, his friend William E. Borah, Guy Flenner, and Addison T. Smith figure prominently in the enterprise.

SHOSHONE COUNTY

- ** * Hobson, George C. Gems of Thought and History of Shoshone County. (Kellogg, ID: Kellogg Evening News Press, 1940). History of the county intermingled with bits of advice and poetry.
- * Hutton, May Arkwright. The Coeur d'Alenes, or A Tale of the Modern Institution in Idaho. (n.p.: n.p., 1900). A labor's-eye-view of the Coeur d'Alene mining troubles in the late 1890's.
- ** * Stoll, W. T. Silver Strike. (Boston: Little, Brown, 1932). A historical novel about the Coeur d'Alene mines.
- * Wardner, Jim. Jim Wardner of Wardner, Idaho. (New York: The Anglo-American Publishing Co., 1900). Autobiography. Jim Wardner records his mining experiences in Arizona, the Black Hills, the Coeur d'Alenes, and the Klondike.

TETON COUNTY

- ** * Driggs, B. W. History of Teton Valley, Idaho. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1926). Teton Valley, known as Pierre's Hole to the fur traders, was a prominent rendezvous point for the trappers--hence the Indians and fur trade occupy the first 118 pages of the book. The development of agriculture, grazing, and other miscellaneous resources of the valley completes

the history of Teton Valley.

TWIN FALLS COUNTY

- * Kingsbury, H. J. Bucking the Tide. (Seattle, WA: n.p., c. 1949). Diffuse. Half of the book concerns things British: Coleridge, Clement Attlee, etc. The other half tells of the lives of such prominent residents of Twin Falls County as Joe Marshall and I. B. Perrine.
- ** * Walgamott, Charles Shirley. Six Decades Back. (Caldwell, ID: The Caxton Printers, Ltd., 1936). A good source of central Idaho history. The author tells of the days before irrigation--cattle and sheep business, gold mining on the Snake River bars, Diamondfield Jack, Rock Creek Station, etc.

WASHINGTON COUNTY

- * Aitken, Mickey. The Saga of Salubria. (Weiser, ID: Signal-American printers, 1951). A story of a community (Salubria) which was important in early Idaho affairs, with particular reference to the Indian troubles of the late 1870's.
 - * Harris, Judge Frank. History of Washington County and Adams County. A pioneer lawyer writes of his own area. (Also included in the Adams County bibliography.)
 - * Taylor, Margaret Watson. Memories of a Wagon Trip, and Pioneer Life on Weiser Flat. (Weiser, ID: Signal-American Printers, 1954). This pioneer tells of her wagon ride west in the days of the Overland Road, and of life on an early Idaho irrigation project.
- * Available at the library of the Idaho State Historical Society
 ** Available in the book collection at the Idaho State Library

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