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Inscribed by the author on the front free endsheet: "Mrs. E.F. Samuels - from - K.C. McBeth - Lapwai, Id. Feb. 20th 1913."

Interesting firsthand account of the Nez Perce people by Kate Christine McBeth (1832-1915) who was a Presbyterian missionary and educator, who along with her sister, Sue, worked with the Nez Perce out of the Lapwai Mission in Idaho. Here they provided literacy education for Nez Percé women, instituted and directed the Sabbath School and Mission Society, taught Euroamerican domestic skills. Following the death of Sue in 1893, Kate, assumed responsibility for training Native American ministers.

"An authoritative work. The author worked as a teacher among the Nez Perces for twenty-seven years, coming to the Lapwai Mission in 1873, following the death of H.H. Spaulding." - Eberstadt 115: 663.

$100

*History of this rugged and rural and sparsely populated county in southeast Idaho, that has been home for millennia to the Western Shoshoni, Northern Paiute and Bannack and to others who flocked to the area early in the late 19th century, lured by the discovery of gold. Illustrated with black and white views.*

$40

*Nice early history of the southeastern section of Idaho. Includes material on the Mormon colonies around Teton Creek, outlaws in the region, cattle raising and the cattle industry, and much on the fur trade and mountain men - which was very active in the middle part (and earlier) of the nineteenth century. Illustrated with black and white photographs. Flake/Draper 3010. Six-Guns 635. Herd 725.*

"Idaho, rich in historical lore, perhaps offers no finer material for the historian’s pen than can be found in the southeastern section of the state. The history of the Teton Basin, written by a pioneer resident of that rich and beautiful Valley, will add a valuable chapter to Idaho history. It is a story gleaned from early settlers, still living, but who will soon pass on. Containing facts of the first trail-blazers, early trappers, the discovery of Teton Pass, thrilling battles between trappers and Indians, this history will be found of extreme interest to every section of Idaho." - [5]

$100
4- [Idaho] [Sheep]. *Sheep Ranching in the West.* [Hagerman, ID]: (c.1960). Four large black and white photographs [35 cm x 11 cm] on a heavy stock. Strong contrasts.

*Four large views of a sheep operation near Hagerman, Idaho (one of the photographs shows a livestock semitrailer that lists Hagerman, Idaho). The Hagerman Valley has a long history of sheep ranching dating back to the early 20th century. Nice images.*

$125
View of a parade on Boise's Main Street with the Falk Mercantile and the Idaho Dressed Beef Company buildings are visible in the background and numerous signs for the corresponding 'Midsummer Carnival' line the street. The Midsummer Carnival took place at the terminus of the parade route at Riverside Park.

"This will be a day of rest for the laborers of Boise, the one day in all the year they claim exclusively as their own. Business of all kinds will be suspended at 10 a.m. and the majority of the commercial houses will remain closed for the rest of the day, the others re-opening from 4 to 7 p.m. The postoffice, banks and all public offices with closed. Both the street parade and Labor Day exercises at Riverside park promise to be unusually attractive. The labor unions have made careful preparations for the day and will make a showing far superior to any they have ever made in the past." - Idaho Statesman (9/07/1903)

$75
6- Soule, William A. **Stanley Lake, Custer Co. Idaho.** Stanley, ID: W.A. Soule, (c.1910). Silver gelatin panorama [15.5 cm x 31.5 cm] with a photographer's handstamp on the reverse. Nice condition with strong contrasts.

*Nice view of central Idaho’s Stanley Lake with a reflection of the Sawtooth Mountains reflected on its surface.*

$75

7- Bisbee, Clarence E. **Shoshone Falls.** Twin Falls, ID: C.E. Bisbee, 1907. Silver gelatin photograph [19 cm x 24 cm] Strong contrasts. Fine.

*Nice view of the Shoshone Falls, which is located on the Snake River. Clarence E. Bisbee (1876-1954) was an early photographer in the Twin Falls/Magic Valley area, and created a visual documentation of the area's growth from the turn of the twentieth century into the late 1930s. His collection of more than two thousand negatives are held by the Twin Falls library.*

$40

Pamphlet produced for the prospective visitor to Twin Falls touting its location, agricultural opportunities, and industries. "Twin Falls is truly a 'Hub of the West,' for it is here that two of the nation's most important transcontinental highways intersect - U.S. 30 and U.S. 93. It is a major junction for most of the country's tourist traffic to and through the beautiful Inter-Mountain West. From coast to coast, from Mexico to Canada, Twin Falls is known as the city where these important thoroughfares meet."

$35


Seemingly comprehensive 1960 lodging guide for Idaho. Final page prints 'Travel Tips' and 'A Few Idaho Facts.' "The Idaho Motel Association invites you to the 13th largest state in the union, Idaho - the spectacular vacationland which has the deepest gorge on the continent, 16 magnificent national forests (forests cover one-third of the state's area), the largest silver and lead mines in the world and rich agricultural areas." - rear panel.

$40
10- [Idaho]. Coeur d'Alene Idaho: On Lake Coeur d'Alene 'a beautiful city by a beautiful lake'. [Coeur d'Alene, ID]: [Chamber of Commerce?], (c.1950). Single sheet [42 cm x 55 cm] / [16 1/2" x 21 1/2"] printed on both sides in color, that folds to pamphlet size [21 cm x 9 cm] About very good. A handful of splits at the folds.

Pamphlet produced for the prospective visitor to northern Idaho's, Coeur d'Alene. One side prints black and white views of people enjoying the Lake, that is accompanied by a map [40 cm x 20] of the Lake. Reverse prints a map of the town [27 cm x 21 cm] with a list of lodging options. Also printed is a list of area shops and amenities with black and white views of the town.

"Recreation. Pictures in this folder will cover the story better than 'a thousand words.' Nature has endowed Coeur d'Alene with everything to make it the "Recreation Center of the Northwest."

$35


Program for Idaho's veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic state encampment in Coeur d'Alene in the summer of 1912. "Today's sessions of the G.A.R. state encampment were devoted almost exclusively to the transaction of routine business. The evening's program is especially attractive and will doubtless draw a large crowd to the park, where, on the cool greensward, a bevy of pretty girls from the high school will give an entertainment, consisting of a flag drill, the rendition of folk songs and dances under the direction of Miss Nord, director of physical culture in the high school." - Spokane Chronicle (6/26/1912)

$25
12- [Caldwell Commercial Bank] [Lowell & Madden]. Map of Idaho. [Denver]: The Clason Map Co., Advertising and Reference Maps], 1907. Single sheet [53 cm x 40 cm] / [24" x 16"] that folds to pamphlet size [20.5 cm x 11 cm] Better than very good.

Promotional land map of Idaho, with a focus on Caldwell, Idaho: 'The center of the Payette-Boise Government Irrigation Project is in the midst of the finest body of Irrigated Land in the West.' This featured area is colored green. List of towns and locating coordinates printed at the right. County boundaries in red, railroad lines located.

"Post This Map. Things are doing and you are going to hear from Idaho. You Will Need It. We are going to give you this 25c corrected map of Idaho in order that you may make yourself familiar with the richest of the Intermountain States and especially with the great irrigated area now opening under Government Irrigation and of which Caldwell is the center. For information as to Savings Deposits, Investments, Farm Loans, Farm Lands or City Property address. Caldwell Commercial Bank or Lowell & Madden." from the reverse.

We are unable to locate any institutional holdings for this map. Rare.

$400

*Index book contains information about the state, the mountain ranges, educational institutions, railroads, agriculture, Native Americans, and other pertinent information for the visitor (newspapers, hotels, garages, etc.). Map locates county seats, county lines, railroad lines, national forest boundaries, and roads (which are shown in red). Index of towns with locating coordinates and population printed at the right edge.*

$75

*Index book contains information about the state, the mountain ranges, educational institutions, railroads, agriculture, Native Americans, and other pertinent information for the visitor (newspapers, hotels, garages, etc.). Map locates county seats, county lines, railroad lines, national forest boundaries, and roads (which are shown in red). Index of towns with locating coordinates and population printed to the right of the state’s panhandle.*

$60

$40

*Index book contains information about the state, the mountain ranges, educational institutions, railroads, agriculture, Native Americans, and other pertinent information for the visitor (newspapers, hotels, garages, etc.). Map locates county seats, county lines, railroad lines, national forest boundaries, and roads. Index of towns with locating coordinates and population printed to the right of the state's panhandle. We locate a single institutional holding. Rare.*

$50

*Index booklet opens with a description of the state, its industries, roads, mining, agriculture, parks, monuments, features, etc. etc.* Map locates county seats, county lines, railroad lines, national forest boundaries, and roads. Index of towns with locating coordinates and population printed to the right of the state’s panhandle.

"**Idaho has some of the most wonderful scenery to be found in the Nation, and her present highway program, in connection with the road work of the U.S. Forest Service, is designed to open up this wonderland.**" - p.15

We locate two institutional holdings. Rare.

$40

Index booklet opens with a description of the state, its industries, roads, mining, agriculture, parks, monuments, features, etc. etc. Map locates county seats, county lines, railroad lines, national forest boundaries, and roads. Index of towns with locating coordinates and population printed to the right of the state's panhandle.

"Fishing is might good in Idaho for fish are plentiful in every lake and stream. These include trout, bass, white fish, salmon, perch, sunfish and char. The salmon runs up the rivers from the ocean and the state law permits them to be speared or caught on a snag hook." - p.13

We are unable to locate any institutional holdings. Rare.

$50

Index booklet opens with a description of the state, its industries, roads, mining, agriculture, parks, monuments, features, etc. etc. Map locates county seats, county lines, railroad lines, national forest boundaries, and roads. Index of towns with locating coordinates and population printed to the right of the state's panhandle. Reverse prints 'Mileage Map of the Best Roads of Idaho: Showing Paved Roads, Road Distances, State Highways - U.S. Highways.'

"There is a typical western bustle to the little cities of Idaho. Every one of them has snap and push. Well paved, electric lighted streets and modern water works are the rule. the state is well supplied with hot springs but the people don't consider that any reason why every home should not have its porcelain tub." - p.15

*We are unable to locate any institutional holdings. Rare.*

$40

Color map [61 cm x 46 cm] / [24" x 18"] that folds-out of color printed wrappers. [15pp] Sextodecimo [16 cm]. About very good.

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"Idaho is a live wire state. One does not use this expression with only its ordinary significance in regard to Idaho. Not only in a business way is it a live wire state, but in a very literal way as well. The populous urban and rural districts are traversed with transmission lines dynamic with electrical power. This power is generated in abundance by using the water of the falls and rapids of the streams rushing from the mountains toward the ocean."

We locate a single institutional holding. Rare.

$50

Railroad lines are located with red ink. Principal cities index to the left of the map with locating coordinates. "The special features of this Pocket Map are: Locating the Branch of Particular Division of Railroad upon which each Station is situated; the Nearest Mailing Point of All Local Places; Designing Money Order Post Offices; Telegraph Stations; and Naming the Express Company Doing Business at the Points where the Several Companies have Offices." - title page.

$175

Railroad lines are located with red ink. Principal cities index to the left of the map with locating coordinates. "The special features of this Pocket Map are: Locating the Branch of Particular Division of Railroad upon which each Station is situated; the Nearest Mailing Point of All Local Places; Designing Money Order Post Offices; Telegraph Stations; and Naming the Express Company Doing Business at the Points where the Several Companies have Offices." - title page.

$150


$80

Index book contains a general description of Idaho, with attention being paid to the physical features, parks, rivers, lakes, mountains, counties, towns, and transportation options. Work closes with a section on aero data: Airway Map of The U.S., Airport Directory, Aids to Navigation, and Practical Air Navigation. The alphabetical town index includes locating coordinates, population numbers, and county information. Index begins with a symbol key, that locates banks, telegraph stations, railroad stations, in corresponding locales.

Map locates flight paths over Idaho and various support information and data. Airports, airfields, and seaplane ports are all located as well as light beacons and blinkers. Elevations are noted. Reverse prints a standard map of Idaho that locates towns, county boundaries, mountains, waterways, roads, etc.

$100

*Index book contains a general description of Idaho, with attention being paid to the physical features, parks, rivers, lakes, mountains, counties, towns, transportation options, a hotel guide, and four small maps (Boise, Lewiston, Pocatello, Twin Falls). The alphabetical town index includes locating coordinates, population numbers, and county information.*

*Map locates towns, county boundaries, mountains, waterways, and roads. Reverse prints a map of Idaho, Montana, and Wyoming, that locates same.*

$80

This map locates the major roads and highways, towns, airports and landing fields. County boundaries are shown. The upper right prints a list of ‘Points of Interest and Historical Interest to be Found Near Idaho Highways. The places on this 54-item list are located on the map. Reverse prints a table of distances between points in Idaho and adjoining states; rules of the road; and a map of the Western United States with a descriptive list of the major highways in the area shown. We locate two institutional holdings. Rare.

$60

*This color map locates the major roads and highways, towns, National Forests, State and National Parks, 'Indian Reservations.' County boundaries are shown. The upper right prints 'Mileage of Main U.S. Routes.' through the state (US 30 - US 91 - US 93 - US 95 - US 10 - US 191). Reverse prints rules of the road, a relief map [37 cm x 25 cm] / [14 1/2" x 10"] of the state locating points of interest, and a lengthy description of Craters of the Moon National Monument.*

$75

This detailed color map locates the major roads, highways, towns, forests, geological features, mountains, waterways, parks, monuments, etc., etc. County boundaries are shown. The upper right prints a legend and an index to cities and towns, with locating coordinates. Reverse is illustrated with fourteen views, two in color, and a Western United States map that shows major highways and state boundaries [20 cm x 18 cm] / [8" x 7"].

$50
29. [Malad] [Flour Milling].
Crowther Bros. Milling Company,
Big C. Flour. [Malad, ID]: [1927].
Poster. Color lithograph [79 cm x
39 cm] / [31" x 15"] featuring the
painting 'The Bluebird of
Happiness' by Zula Kenyon with a
calendar for 1921 with tear-away
months stapled beneath. Month
shown is January. Housed in a
decorative wooden frame [85 cm
x 46 cm] / [33 1/2" x 18"]. Some
spotting and a few crinkles to the
lithograph. The frame shows a few
small nicks. About very good. This
has not been examined out of the
frame.

Promotional item from the
southern Idaho farming
community of Malad. "One of the
leading industries of the Malad
country is the flour milling plant of
the Crowther Brothers' Company.
In 1912 Crowther Brothers bought
what was then known as the
Malad Roller Mill Company. The
mill was old style and the process
used ancient. After the Crowther
brothers secured the plant, they
proceeded to modernize it and at
the present writing the mill is one
of the most up-to-date hard wheat
mills in the country." - Deseret
News (12/18/1915)

$125
“G.L. Becker, Ogden, Dear Sir, Your letter just came to hand and was glad to hear from you and that has Ni**er has satisfied you as I new that he would. I never would have of sold him if I was not - the circumstances that I was last spring You wanted to now the fastest time I had drove him I never did time him only once last spring in Ogden there he went in 2 minutes and 34 seconds but he never was drove he had not been broke to handle very long So I no nothing about his speed but I new that he could go - a good fast lick for a colt. I told you last spring that I could not do anything with the Beer now I now it during this winter mast all of the bottles have busted So I will soon be able to return them to you do you want to buy any horses this spring please write me as ever your friend T.M. Thomas.”

Letter to Gustave Becker about an unusually named horse and Becker beer, from Malad, Idaho.

$40
"A.M. Holter Hrde Co. Gentleman - the patent 14 inch fully, which you sent us is working for our use - the power required is light, to run a jig. - we have made repeated attempts but without success, as it will turn upon the shaft - we are now making one of the old fashioned kind with key. Yours truly, A.M. Esler."

The Helena & San Francisco Mining company was located in Canyon Creek, near present-day Wallace, in the Coeur d'Alene country, and was owned by a group based in Helena, Montana, with the principal owners being S.T. Hauser, A.M. Holter and John T. Murphy.