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### INTERESTING COIN

Dr. Carl Johnson, Now Visiting Here, Has One of Them.

Editor Republican:

In your issue of May 2 I notice the following:

Coin Minted in 1304—W. M. Fayette of Burlington, Vt., has in his possession a very old and extraordinary coin. It appears to have been issued in Turkey and bears the date of 1201. Sultanate of Brunei is clearly engraved on one side of the coin, while on the other are characters which are a mystery to Burlingtonians.

Several years ago, while in the East, I secured a copy of the coin described and took occasion to look up its history. Brunei is a semi-independent state in the north-western part of the island of Borneo, and is governed by the Sultan of Brunei. The state religion is Mohammedanism and the date 1304 refers to that religion instead of the Christian.

Their usual system of dates begins with the Hegira, or flight from Mecca, which occurred in the year 622 A.D. In the case of this coin, however, that method of reckoning would make the date of issue 1926 A.D., a manifest absurdity.

It seems probable that since coming into contact with Christian nations they have adopted our system of dating from the birth of the founder of their religion, which is 570 A.D. This would make 1874 A.D. the actual date of the coin in question.

Great Britain established a protectorate over Brunei in 1847, which accounts for the English words and numerals on the coin, and perhaps also for the change in dating their era from Mahomet's birth instead of from his flight from Mecca.

I enclose the coin for your inspection.

CARL JOHNSON.

MOUNTAIN HOME, Idaho,  
May 4, 1905.

Don't let the children suffer. If they are fretful, peevish and cross, give them Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. The best baby tonic known. Strength and health follow its use. 35 cents. Roscoe W. Smith.

The Eagles held memorial services Sunday afternoon in their hall, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, short addresses, etc. The attendance was large, each member of the order being privileged to invite a friend.

The matter of F. E. Whitney vs. W. C. Cleveland, an action for damages, under the "Two-Mile Limit" law, was heard before Judge Stimson on Wednesday. The plaintiff, represented by W. C. Howie, recovered in the sum \$75 and costs.

Artemesia Mothers' Club will meet with Mrs. Ottenheimer Friday afternoon at 3:30.

Housekeeping rooms for rent. Call at Mrs. Hendricks' millinery store. 33 \*

Charles Black died at Caldwell, Idaho, on Wednesday, May 3, 1905. Mrs. Black, who was formerly Miss Bertie Herrick, is well known in this vicinity, having taught school several terms in Elmore County.

**HIGHEST**  
cash prices paid for all kinds Hides, Furs and Pelts. Apply office Kelsey Co.

Smith's Prairie School. Mrs. Lillie B. Wertz, County School Superintendent, on Saturday appointed Miss Christina Lyon to teach the summer term, four months, at Smith's Prairie. She was conveyed to the upper country by W. H. Manion, starting Sunday morning, and begins her duties today.

\$25,000 to invest with reliable sheep man. M. DAY, Box 1868, Spokane. 32-33

### ANSON FREE

Released by Judge Price on Habeas Corpus Proceedings.

Peter Anson, the blacksmith, who was held by Justice Swan on the charge of arson, the complaint against him alleging that he attempted to burn his blacksmith shop, was taken before Judge Price at Hailey last Friday, on a writ of habeas corpus, by attorneys Dan McLaughlin and E. M. Wolfe.

The court held that there was no evidence connecting the defendant with the crime alleged and ordered his release.

While the issuance of a new complaint is optional with the prosecuting Attorney, the opinion is expressed that no further steps will be taken in the matter.

### PERSONAL

S. G. Rhoades is suffering from a severe attack of spotted fever.

Hugh Sproat of Thurman had business here the latter part of last week.

Miss Rising went to Glenn's Ferry last night, to visit Mrs. Ernest Pearson.

Mrs. V. B. Reed of Glenn's Ferry came up Monday to consult her physician. While here she was the guest of Mrs. Lillie B. Wertz.

Vess Robbins and family came down from Pine last Wednesday and yesterday left for Ontario, Oregon, to visit relatives and friends.

W. C. Howie went to Boise last night on official business connected with the Pure Food, Oil and Dairy Commission, of which he is chairman.

Mrs. A. L. Foster and daughter left Wednesday evening for their former home in North Dakota to assist Mr. Foster in closing up interests there, preparatory to establishing their permanent residence in Mountain Home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ross, after a residence of three or four months at the Helfrich home (Mrs. Ross assuming the household duties for Mrs. Helfrich upon the latter's departure for an Eastern visit), have returned to their own home.

The members of the Junior Endeavor gathered about their beloved Organizer-Superintendent (Mrs. Clara Tripp) Friday afternoon and conducted her to the handsome grounds surrounding the home place of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds. Photographer Beaton then arranged them for a group photo, copies of which will be tenderly cherished by the young folks in remembrance of their gentle friend who left on the evening train for her former home in Harbor Beach, Michigan. During her short residence in Mountain Home Mrs. Tripp made many warm

### MARRIED

Herman Rae Comes From Butte to Claim His Bride.

Herman Rae of Butte, Montana, and Miss Matilda Honga of Mountain Home were married Saturday evening, April 6, 1905, at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. C. E. Mason officiating. Only immediate relatives were present. After the ceremony refreshments were served.

Mrs. Rae has lived in Mountain Home for several years, and is known as a very estimable young woman. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Honga, own a good home in the eastern part of town.

Mr. Rae has been engaged in mining pursuits in Butte for some time. He has a pleasing personality and belongs to the class of men who make valuable additions to the local life of any community.

Mr. and Mrs. Rae, it is stated, will remain in Mountain Home.

friends (to know her was to esteem her), who sincerely regret her departure.

W. A. Ross, who recently came here from Godderich, Ontario, went to Grand View Saturday, where he may, perhaps, become actively identified with dredging developments on the Snake. He anticipates being absent about two weeks.

J. L. Fuller, assistant manager of the Pacific Department of the Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society, 314 California street, San Francisco, California, was in Mountain Home Saturday on official business. Not having previously entered the field here, Mr. Fuller placed the company's interests in the hands of Louie Herz.

A. E. Haines, editor of the Glenn's Ferry Signal, accompanied by Mrs. Haines, was a Sunday visitor in Mountain Home.

Mrs. J. Downer, accompanied by her little son, came up from Twin Falls Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Downer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carr.

Wm. Hodge, Sr., of Bruneau, was in town Wednesday evening on one of his regular freighting trips. He reported that Mrs. Hodge had been afflicted for a week past with a sort of paralytic affection of one side. She was improving at the time, but not yet entirely free from the trouble.

Miss Ruth Robbins came down from Pine Wednesday and went on to Boise.

W. J. DeCoursey went to Boise the fore part of last week on business connected with his racing interests the coming season.

L. A. McCargar had business in the Idaho metropolis last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Weaver went to Boise Friday.

A. Anderson of Dixie was in town Monday.

C. E. Corker came in from Glenn's Ferry Thursday.

Mrs. L. A. Underwood went to Pine this morning. She will remain a few weeks, and perhaps all summer, with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Miller.

### Condition Encouraging.

Mrs. Nieu Kirk is rapidly recovering strength, according to the latest information from Boise, and her anxious friends will probably soon see her in Mountain Home again. Dr. Nieu Kirk has been back and forth several times during the week, and his presence here the past two or three days indicates that the danger point is felt to have passed.

### THE TURNER

Employees Wed—House Growing Rapidly in Popularity.

Ubaldo Couvrette and Miss F. Stearns, both employes of the Turner House, were married at Nampa on Sunday, April 30, 1905. Two days later they returned, he resuming his regular duties at Mountain Home's big hotel, which, under the able management of J. L. Bradford, is becoming popular with both home people and traveling public.

Since Mr. Bradford assumed charge of the house, on April 1, he has pushed, as rapidly as possible, the work of renovation, rearrangement and general improvement. That his enterprise and business ability are appreciated is demonstrated by the volume and class of patronage which he has enjoyed during the past month; and, better still, his plans contemplate not only a stated number of public conveniences, but the continual addition of facilities tending to the comfort of his guests.

One of the latest features tending to popularize the Turner is the engagement, last week, of Mrs. Addie Gilman as matron. She is well known in this part of the Gem State, and is exceptionally well fitted for the responsible position in which she has been placed.

Mrs. Hannah and Miss Gertie Carter, who have been absent a short time on account of sickness, resumed their places in the dining room yesterday.

H. H. Walker, of the Sweet Candy Co. of Salt Lake, was here in the interest of his house Tuesday and Wednesday. He handles the territory between Pocatello and Boise, his headquarters being in the latter city. As Mr. Walker seemed to be in an unusually happy frame of mind on his last visit, the observer inquired whether business had grown in proportion to his smile, but he refused to commit himself. It developed, however, that he was accompanied by Mrs. Walker.

Why suffer with spring tiredness, cross feeling, no strength, no appetite? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Roscoe W. Smith. \*

Friday afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bennett, a merry party was given in honor of little Edith's 5th birthday anniversary. There were 18 invited guests to enjoy the games and refreshments. Lillie and Ethel were assisted in receiving by Stella Harris.

### POSTS! POSTS! POSTS!

We have just received a carload of cedar fence posts, on which we are prepared to make bottom prices. BENNETT BROS. \*

### ACCIDENTS

Boy Falls on Harrow—Shoulder Dislocated—Injured in Mine.

Glenn Daniels, the 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Daniels, while at play last Friday, suffered a very painful accident.

He stumbled and fell head foremost on a moving harrow, making an ugly gash over the right eye. The doctor stitched the wound, and at last accounts the little fellow was doing nicely.

H. O. Manz is suffering from a dislocated shoulder, sustained from the kick of a horse.

Mrs. Gomes has received brief information to the effect that her brother-in-law, E. D. Smith, was seriously injured in a mine accident at Cape Nome. Particulars are lacking, except the statement that the injured man is being taken to Seattle for treatment.

A teamster named Young, while unloading machinery at the depot, last Wednesday, sustained the fracture of two ribs

### SCHOOL REPORT

Following is the report of the Superintendent, for the month ending April 28, 1905:

Total enrollment to date.....367  
Enrollment for the month.....249  
Average daily attendance.....91  
Cases of tardiness.....32  
Days taught.....20

The following is the enrollment for the month by departments:

Room 1.....52  
Room 2.....46  
Room 3.....31  
Room 4.....39  
Room 5.....30  
Grammar.....32  
High.....15

For the corresponding month last year the total enrollment was 303 and the average daily attendance 204. G. A. RURING, Supt.

### BASEBALL

The Mountain Home Baseball Team, as recently organized, consists of—

W. H. Wilson, catcher.  
Roy Mumford, pitcher.  
Chris Hendricks, first base.  
J. W. Siffert, second base.  
Ben Greer, short stop.  
J. F. Dulin, third base.  
Albert Marhofer, center field.  
John Brady, right field.  
Grover Tanner, left field.  
D. W. Shetler, substitute pitcher.  
J. P. Clays has been requested

to officiate as scorekeeper, and the club, at last accounts, was searching diligently for someone who would consent to sacrifice himself on the altar of fame by accepting the position of umpire.

The Mountain Home Baseball team and the Boise batters lined up on the local diamond Sunday. The score stood 9 to 5 in favor of Boise, but our boys did very well under the circumstances, as the visiting club, it is said, included some of the league players.

### THE LADIES

Are reminded that Mme. A. J. Wharton, in addition to carrying a line of staple ready-made goods, makes a specialty of afternoon and evening gowns. Mail orders given special attention. 29\*