

Tabernacle and Old Rock High School

Calendar of  
Star Valley History

2015



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ERA Camp at Smith Fork



# JANUARY

# 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				<b>1</b> NEW YEARS DAY! Call-Air incorporated for \$1,000,000 (1959)	<b>2</b> Three day blizzard began in Southeastern Wyoming - many animals and people died. (1949)	<b>3</b> Poverty is catching - you can get it from the IRS
<b>4</b> An immense effort is being made to keep the Montpelier-Afton road open this winter. (1929)	<b>5</b> Star Valley Creamery Company in Afton was organized. (1933)	<b>6</b> He who gives while he lives also knows where it goes.	<b>7</b> The first Presidential Election was held in the United States (1789)	<b>8</b> Thayne citizens file incorporation of town in 1947.	<b>9</b> Wyoming State Game Commission created in 1911.	<b>10</b> John D. Rockefeller incorporated Standard Oil. (1870)
<b>11</b> Crow Creek Road open to Half-Way House - Montpelier motor-grade nearly halfway. (1929)	<b>12</b> Albert Barrus appointed Deputy Sheriff. (1923)	<b>13</b> The first advertisements of radios appeared in Scientific Americ. (1906)	<b>14</b> Bedford Ward Church burned down. (1951).	<b>15</b> First time Democratic Party as Donkey in 1870.	<b>16</b> "Trust everybody, but cut the cards."	<b>17</b> Wyoming Flag, paintbrush flower and meadow lark adopted by Wyoming legislature. (1911)
<b>18</b> First Agriculture Plane rolled off assembly line at IMCO. (1963)	<b>19</b> A penny saved isn't worth a heck-of-alot.	<b>20</b> LDS Tabernacle Choir sang at President Reagan's inauguration in 1981.	<b>21</b> Too little temptation can lead to virtue.	<b>22</b> Vietnam War finally ended in 1973.	<b>23</b> In 1845 Congress decided that all National Elections would be held on the 1st Tuesday after the 1st Monday in November.	<b>24</b> In 1848 gold was discovered at Sutter's Mill in California.
<b>25</b> Alexander Graham Bell inaugurated transcontinental phone service in the United States. (1915)	<b>26</b> Plans were laid to build a new school house in Fairview. (1903)	<b>27</b> Wyoming Fish & Game feed 12,000 snowtrapped elk in Western Wyoming. (1949)	<b>28</b> Lester Bagley & C.W. Sheffner were mad assistant game wardens. (1932)	<b>29</b> A sense of humor is the pole that adds balance to our steps as we walk.	<b>30</b> Rationing of sugar began during World War II. (1942)	<b>31</b> In 1925, two oil wells gushed 490 feet at LaBarge, Wyoming.



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Team & Carriage by Charles Heiner Home



# FEBRUARY

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1</b> First session of the U.S. Supreme Court held in New York. (1790)	<b>2</b> It is better to forgive than to condemn.	<b>3</b> In 1994 an earthquake hit Star Valley at 2:05 am & registered 5.9 on the Richter Scale.	<b>4</b> Bridge was completed on Hoback across Snake River in 1921.	<b>5</b> A man isn't poor if he can still laugh.	<b>6</b> In 1920, coal was \$5 a ton at Roos Coal Mine in Salt Canyon.	<b>7</b> People who fly into a rage always make a bad landing.
<b>8</b> It was sixty below zero at Border. (1929)	<b>9</b> No matter how hard the winter, spring always comes.	<b>10</b> Snow-slides blocked the roads for several days in and out of Star Valley in 1949.	<b>11</b> 1943 - The US Geologic Survey - Bureau of Mines began exploring for vanadium ore in Dry Creek Canyon.	<b>12</b> ABE LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY - I am not afraid of tomorrow, for I have seen yesterday and I have today.	<b>13</b> The only way to have a true friend is to be one.	<b>14</b> VALETINES DAY - 1946 was the official beginning of Cutter Racing in Thayne.
<b>15</b> Wyoming passed the Primary Election Law in 1911.	<b>16</b> The first County Library established in Cheyenne in 1899.	<b>17</b> The greatest mistake you can make with your life is to be constantly afraid you'll make one.	<b>18</b> The Wyoming State Game & Fish Commission was created in 1921.	<b>19</b> State Highway Act was created in 1917.	<b>20</b> Caroline Sprague & baby girl were the first to be buried in the Fairview Cemetery in 1891.	<b>21</b> The world is composed of givers and takers. The takers eat better, and the givers sleep better.
<b>22</b> GEO. WASHINGTON BIRTHDAY - God measures us by putting the tape measure around our hearts.	<b>23</b> In 1893, John Burton was called on first LDS mission from Star Valley Stake.	<b>24</b> Charles Hanscum succeeds Lester Bagley as Game Commissioner. (1938)	<b>25</b> The real measure of a man's wealth is what he has invested in eternity.	<b>26</b> Grand Teton National Park was established in 1929.	<b>27</b> Brogs' Cheese Plant in Freedom was destroyed by a fire in 1936.	<b>28</b> In 1916, K. Cook, an early Afton resident, ran a stage line twice a week between Montpelier and Afton.



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Jim Merritt & his Wife



Joe & Nora Harrison



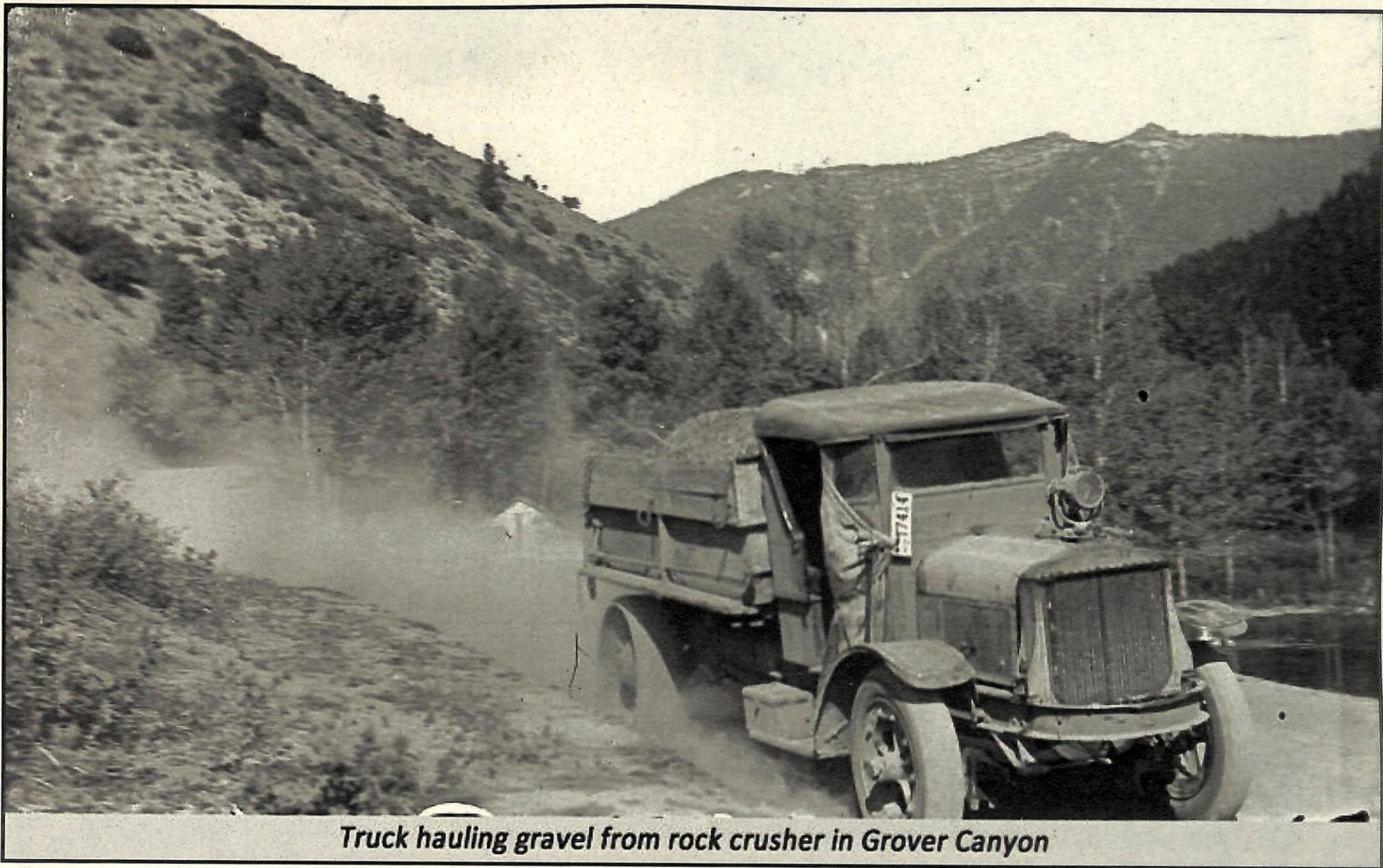
# MARCH

# 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1</b> Yellowstone became the first National Park in 1872.	<b>2</b> If yours knees are knocking, kneel on them.	<b>3</b> With every rising of the sun, think of your life as just begun.	<b>4</b> In 1951, A new Auburn Ward Chapel was dedicated.	<b>5</b> In 1862, the Department of Agriculture was approved.	<b>6</b> Four children of Sylvester Roberts of Etna died in a house fire.	<b>7</b> While we're looking into cause of prejudice, let's find out what bulldozers have against trees.
<b>8</b> South Ward Chapel dedicated by Spencer W. Kimball in 1953.	<b>9</b> In 1932, two Spackman children died from Scarlet Fever.	<b>10</b> Prayer begins by talking to God and ends by listening to him.	<b>11</b> One way to stop a run-away horse is to bet on him.	<b>12</b> There is no traffic jam on that extra mile.	<b>13</b> Standard time was adopted throughout the United States. (1884)	<b>14</b> Luther Baldwin and Andrew Hokanson were killed in a snow slide in 1912.
<b>15</b> Jackson Hole National Monument was created in 1943.	<b>16</b> Stella Harmon of Fairview was chosen as Lincoln County Mother of the Year. (1956)	<b>17</b> ST. PATRICKS DAY - The Relief Society was organized in 1842 on this day.	<b>18</b> We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence then is not an act, but a habit.	<b>19</b> In 1918, Congress approved Daylight Savings Time.	<b>20</b> A mine explosion at Almy killed sixty coal miners. (1895)	<b>21</b> The first hanging in Cheyenne. (1868)
<b>22</b> Congress outlawed polygamy in 1882.	<b>23</b> He who has little and says it is enough has more than he who has much and wants more.	<b>24</b> God so loved the world that He didn't send a committee.	<b>25</b> Star Valley Stake President George Osmond died in 1913.	<b>26</b> Your life may be the only bible some people read.	<b>27</b> Willard & Elworth Nield opened a meat market and grocery market. (1935)	<b>28</b> This is a moment in history, why doesn't anybody say so?
<b>29</b> In 1973 the last American Troops left Vietnam.	<b>30</b> In 1967 Major Niel Eddins was commander of the USAF Thunderbirds.	<b>31</b> Ford Motor Company unveiled the first V-8 Engine in 1932.				



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*Truck hauling gravel from rock crusher in Grover Canyon*

Grover Canyon



# APRIL

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			<b>1</b> Prohibition was repealed in 1935.	<b>2</b> United States declared war in Germany in 1917.	<b>3</b> 1860 was the beginning of the Pony Express on this day.	<b>4</b> A lady is a woman who makes it easier for a man to be a gentleman.
<b>5</b> The Stock Growers Bank of Evanston opened its doors. (1915)	<b>6</b> The cornerstone for the Salt Lake LDS Temple were laid in 1853.	<b>7</b> In 1932 there was a critical food situation in Star Valley. The Red Cross issued wheat.	<b>8</b> This was the date of the San Francisco earthquake of 1906.	<b>9</b> The WPA School Lunch Program began in Star Valley. (1936)	<b>10</b> Jackson Hole got its name from David Jackson, partner in Rocky Mountain Fur Co.. (1829)	<b>11</b> The least said the sooner mended.
<b>12</b> Lower Valley Power & Light was incorporated. (1937)	<b>13</b> The Johnson Cattle War began in 1892.	<b>14</b> Abraham Lincoln was assassinated in 1865.	<b>15</b> Titanic hits iceberg and sinks - 1,500 die. (1912)	<b>16</b> Fibber McGee and Molly premiered on NBC in 1935.	<b>17</b> Citizens contribute money to keep Afton-Montpelier road open. (1925)	<b>18</b> 1775 - Paul Revere began his famous ride from Charlestown, Mass. warning the American colonists the British were coming.
<b>19</b> Don't do anything that would not make your Mom proud.	<b>20</b> I have had more trouble with myself than with any other person I have ever met.	<b>21</b> In 1963, The Seattle World's Fair opened on this day.	<b>22</b> Star Studs Lumber Company cuts its first wood. (1964)	<b>23</b> Star Valley Historical Society received their charter as a Member of Wyo. State Historical Society on 1983.	<b>24</b> If you cannot forgive, you burn the bridge over which you must pass.	<b>25</b> 29 million dollar contract let for Palisades Dam in 1952.
<b>26</b> 1946 - Construction boom hits Afton Main Street - 8 new buildings in progress.	<b>27</b> Wyoming Highway Patrol was established in 1933 on this day.	<b>28</b> Star Valley Drug owned by Claude Stauffer opened in 1948.	<b>29</b> The Cumberland Mine blew in 1914, 62 died.	<b>30</b> George Washington was inaugurated as the nation's first President on this day in 1789.		



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Alpine, Snake River Ferry run by John Booth



# MAY

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					<b>1</b> MAY DAY - Farnum Call built the first airplane in Star Valley. (1930)	<b>2</b>  Tough times never last, but tough people do.
<b>3</b> First meeting of School District 19 School Board. (1915)	<b>4</b> ValleVu Golf Course opened in Afton on this day in 1968.	<b>5</b> Lester Bagley became Wyoming Fish & Game Commissioner. (1954)	<b>6</b> Charles C. Rich & Moses Thatcher founded Star Valley. (1879)	<b>7</b> In 1871, the First National Bank of Cheyenne was established.	<b>8</b> William Sant was the first person buried in Grover in 1889.	<b>9</b> In 1926, Ameri- cans, Richard Byrd & Floyd Bennett, became the first men to make a flight over the North Pole.
<b>10</b> Kids scattered when the heavy winds blew the roof off building in Kemmerer. (1979)	<b>11</b> Osborne Low was elected Mayor of Afton on this day in 1906.	<b>12</b> Cottonwood Branch of the Afton Ward was organized in 1887.	<b>13</b>  Fifteen convicts came to work on Star Valley roads in 1916.	<b>14</b>  KOA Denver started broadcasting the Wyoming Weather in 1925.	<b>15</b>  Dr. S.H. Worthen died on this day in 1968.	<b>16</b>  The first potatoes were planted in Fairview in 1902.
<b>17</b>  The Homestead Act became law. (1862)	<b>18</b> In 1980, on this day, Mt. St. Helen's volcano in Washing- ton state erupted.	<b>19</b> Life is like an instrument. The beauty & quality of the music is based on the devotion of the musician playing it.	<b>20</b>  Seven people die when the Gros Ventre Dam broke in 1927.	<b>21</b>  The first permanent settlers arrive in Soda Springs, Idaho. (1863)	<b>22</b>  The good thing about talking to your horse is he doesn't talk back.	<b>23</b>  Forestry seeks method to eliminate wolves because of Cattlemen - 1906.
<b>24</b> First CCC's arrive and camp at sheep Creek on Greys River - 1933. <b>31</b> Over 100,000 logs moved down LaBarge Creek to Green River in 1940.	<b>25</b> William Corbridge, John & Joseph Holbrook settled in Auburn. (1886)	<b>26</b> CCC Camp F12 established in head of Salt River. (1933)	<b>27</b> In 1937, 200,000 pedestrians crossed the Golden Gate Bridge on opening day.	<b>28</b> 1920 - Stores closed in Afton on Wednes- day afternoons, people were asked not to come to town (notice in the Independent).	<b>29</b>  There was a valuable oil strike in Big Piney on this day in 1900.	<b>30</b>  The Pony Express came to an end on this day in 1860.



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Errol Bagley - Model T Ford



# JUNE

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	<b>1</b> Vanadium Mine in Dry Creek Canyon closed - 1950.	<b>2</b> Congress granted citizenship to American Indians. (1924)	<b>3</b> In 1971, the Salt River flooded the Silver Stream Lodge.	<b>4</b> J.C. Penney opened the first Penney Store in Kemmerer in 1902.	<b>5</b> Charlie Pringle drowned in Snake River in 1947.	<b>6</b> The prayers that carry the most weight and are of rarest beauty are those in which we don't demand, but just report for duty.
<b>7</b> Early Fairview settlers, Grant Campbell was born on this day in 1828 in Ridgebury, PA	<b>8</b> Army Mules are branded U.S. - meaning unsafe at both ends.	<b>9</b> In 1887, Edmond Hepworth and family came to Star Valley and built 2 cabins where the Homer West ranch is now located.	<b>10</b> The sign on the door of opportunity reads - "Push".	<b>11</b> Dr. S.H. Worthen reported to the war Dept. for World War II on this day in 1942.	<b>12</b> The Oregon Trail short line railroad came to Cokeville on this day in 1882.	<b>13</b> It's nice to be important, but it's more important to be nice.
<b>14</b> The U.S. Army was founded in 1775.	<b>15</b> Even when you don't know what you're doing, do it well.	<b>16</b> In 1882, railroad ties were cut and floated down Smith's Fork to the railroad in Cokeville.	<b>17</b> State Historical Society Trek held in 2010 began on this day. In 1920, Charles Thorton of Crow Creek sold his ranch to Charley Johnson of Smoot.	<b>18</b> The establishment of the first school district in Grover in 1847.	<b>19</b> In 1902, the southern part of Fort Hall Indian Reservation opened to settlement, was called "The Land Rush."	<b>20</b> In 1919, there were two creameries being built in Fairview, making 13 in the valley.
<b>21</b> The first company of Mormons arrived in the Great Salt Lake on this day in 1847.	<b>22</b> Rid yourself of the faults you see in your neighbors.	<b>23</b> The whole course of things goes to teach us faith.	<b>24</b> In 1916, County Attorney Raymond, Ed Burke and Judge Arnold drove from Afton to Cokeville in 4 hours.	<b>25</b> Sitting Bull led the Indians on the attack at Custer's Last Stand on this day in 1876.	<b>26</b> Lettie Campbell was the first daughter of Zion to preach the gospel in Great Britain in 1898.	<b>27</b> Success must be felt within before it can be seen on the outside.
<b>28</b> Francis A. Brown from Osmond passed away after being run over by a load of lumber. (1902)	<b>29</b> The Anniversary of the Grand Opening of the Valleon Ballroom in 1939.	<b>30</b> In 1918, Jennie Reese bought the store and post office at Alpine - honey sold for \$2 per 5 gallon.				



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Haying Crew



# JULY

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			<b>1</b> Dr. O.D. Perkes began his practice in Star Valley. (1956)	<b>2</b> The wards of Fairview and Cottonwood (Osmond) were organized. (1889)	<b>3</b> The Wind River Indian Reservation was created in 1868.	<b>4</b> INDEPENDENCE DAY - First Independence Day celebrated at Independence Rock. (1851)
<b>5</b> The first Ascent of Devil's Tower. (1893)	<b>6</b> The west is where water has the same value as blood.	<b>7</b> William Danvers arrived in Kemmerer on the first motor stage from Afton. (1916)	<b>8</b> In 1927, a peculiar polished stone was unearthed at Bedford.	<b>9</b> In 1920, there was a great battle waged against grasshoppers.	<b>10</b> This is the date of the Davis/Merrill Gun-fight at Christophersons' Hotel in Afton. (1903)	<b>11</b> All wildlife was declared property of the state in 1909, on this day.
<b>12</b> Fairview graveyard was surveyed by Civil Engineer William Carr - 1904.	<b>13</b> There is more power in the open hand than in the closed fist.	<b>14</b> Bad habits begin as small thin twigs, but soon become strong, unbending branches.	<b>15</b> The Mormon Tabernacle Choir broadcast for the first time in 1929.	<b>16</b> In 1945, the first atomic bomb was exploded by the United States in New Mexico.	<b>17</b> Over 30 teams & scrapers were working on the Afton-Cokeville road in 1915.	<b>18</b> In 1952, thousands of fish were poisoned by weed killer in irrigation canals.
<b>19</b> The key to success is to do only God's will - the key to failure is trying to please everybody.	<b>20</b> Albert Taylor of Grover was killed by lightening on his mowing machine. (1944)	<b>21</b> The Veteran's Administration was established in 1930.	<b>22</b> Wiley Post completed first solo flight around the world in 7 days, 18 1/2 hours. (1933)	<b>23</b> In 1892, a Burton girl and a Hale girl drowned in Swift Creek.	<b>24</b> PIONEER DAY - The first train pulled into Montpelier on this day in 1887.	<b>25</b> In 1888, the first school began in Grover.
<b>26</b> In 1980, the Fairview LDS Relief Society opened a box that had been closed for 50 years.	<b>27</b> When you've got nothing to lose, try anything.	<b>28</b> 1948 - The government trapper spent much time in Spring Creek Canyon after sheep-killing bear.	<b>29</b> Anger is a condition in which the tongue works faster than the mind.	<b>30</b> 1976 - Teamster President, Jimmy Hoffa, mysteriously disappeared in Detroit.	<b>31</b> Two oil gushers at LaBarge - Wytah Oil Co. at 490 feet in 1925.	

Star Valley Historical Society - Afton, Wyoming



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Schwab, Taggert, Jensen and Helm Families



# AUGUST

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						<b>1</b> Snake River Canyon started by CCC's-one permanent camp at each end. (1935)
<b>2</b> In 1979, Mrs. Effie Alleman passed away at the age of 107.	<b>3</b> Drs. Marcus Whitman, Henry Spalding and wives reached Fort Hall. (1836)	<b>4</b> Love your enemies but keep your gun loaded.	<b>5</b> In 1890, 500 sheep died at Poison Meadows at the head of Greys River.	<b>6</b> Cokeville and Kemmerer were to be connected by telephone on this day in 1920.	<b>7</b> The great Indian scare of Star Valley happened on this day in 1895.	<b>8</b> In 1940 a contract was let to oil the remainder of the road through Star Valley.
<b>9</b> The United States dropped the second atomic bomb on Japan in 1945 - 74,000 people died.	<b>10</b> The largest herd of sheep trailed through Star Valley in 1882 - 23,000 head.	<b>11</b> It is when you give of yourself that you truly give.	<b>12</b> Osborne Russell finished trapping in the Salt River area in 1834.	<b>13</b> All the marvels of nature are glimpses of His divine power and expressions of His love.	<b>14</b> Social Security Law first passed by Congress. (1935)	<b>15</b> Many cattle and horses shipped to Nebraska - no hay in Star Valley. (1919)
<b>16</b> In 1896, gold was discovered in the Klondike in Alaska.	<b>17</b> Afton's sewer pipes were laid by this day in 1939.	<b>18</b> A temper is a valuable thing-spend it, but don't lose it.	<b>19</b> The cornerstone of the Star Valley Tabernacle was laid in 1904.	<b>20</b> The only safe and sure way to destroy an enemy is to make him your friend.	<b>21</b> Site for Halfway House on Crow Creek was decided on. (1915)	<b>22</b> Ernest Brogs' creamery ready to make Swiss Cheese in 1927.
<b>23</b> A man who looks for easy work goes to bed tired. <b>30</b> The Forest Service planted 47,000 rainbow trout in Greys River in 1930.	<b>24</b> The Grover Post Office was located in Owen Mile's store. (1917) <b>31</b> Live one day at a time-let yesterday go, leave tomorrow until it arrives.	<b>25</b> First LDS Primary meeting was held in Farmington, Utah. (1878)	<b>26</b> Name of Eagle Rock was changed to Idaho Falls in 1871.	<b>27</b> In 1920, the 19th Amendment to the Constitution granted women the right to vote.	<b>28</b> Burglars got \$24,000 in Star Valley Bank robbery.	<b>29</b> Mary Osmond was the first person from Star Valley to graduate from the University of Wyoming. (1919)



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William James Corsi & Tom Hale



# SEPTEMBER

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		<b>1</b> In 1922 there was a terrible cloud burst in Grover Canyon that buried many animals.	<b>2</b> The Chinese Riot and Massacre happened on this day in 1885.	<b>3</b> Hank Snow "The Singing Ranger" played at the Valleon. (1948)	<b>4</b> The Afton Post Office was robbed of \$1,500 (1902)	<b>5</b> Never slap a man who is chewing tobacco.
<b>6</b> In 1887, The University of Wyo opened its doors with one building, 5 Professors and 42 students.	<b>7</b> The Afton Lion's Club was organized in 1943.	<b>8</b> Star Valley Pioneer newspaper changed its name to Star Valley Independent. (1904)	<b>9</b> "Gunsmoke" premiered on CBS Television. (1955)	<b>10</b> Funeral services held for one of the valleys oldest residents, Mrs Celia Robbins from the lower valley. (1931)	<b>11</b> Never kick a cow chip on a hot day.	<b>12</b> In 1946 Rollin Johnson was fatally injured when he was thrown from a horse.
<b>13</b> First mail plane landed in Cheyenne - no run way-no lights-1920.	<b>14</b> High School started in Afton with six teachers. (1914)	<b>15</b> New resort built north of Afton at Auburn, called Sulpher Springs in 1913.	<b>16</b> Robert Stuart and party camped on Salt River in the Narrows in 1812.	<b>17</b> Indians sign treaty at Ft. Laramie allowing wagon trains to cross their lands. (1851)	<b>18</b> He who sees a need, and waits to be asked to help, is as unkind as if he had refused it.	<b>19</b> James Frederick Brown settled in Fairview in 1885.
<b>20</b> The Greys River Road was completed to Squaw Flat. (1923)	<b>21</b> Charles D. Cazier was the first bishop of the Afton Ward. (1887)	<b>22</b> In 1904, sheep men were forced to get permits to run sheep on the forest.	<b>23</b> When a person is a "picture of health", it is because he is in a happy frame of mind.	<b>24</b> Letting the cat out of the bag is a lot easier than putting it back.	<b>25</b> Dedication ceremony for Star Valley Hospital. (1980)	<b>26</b> If you find yourself in a hole, stop digging.
<b>27</b> The one thing children wear out faster than shoes are parents.	<b>28</b> Gardner Brothers installed new flour mill - put out 40 barrels a day. (1917)	<b>29</b> The new Metcalf school in Etna was opened in 1956.	<b>30</b> Ranchers on Crow Creek finally got electricity in 1948.			



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Greys River Road



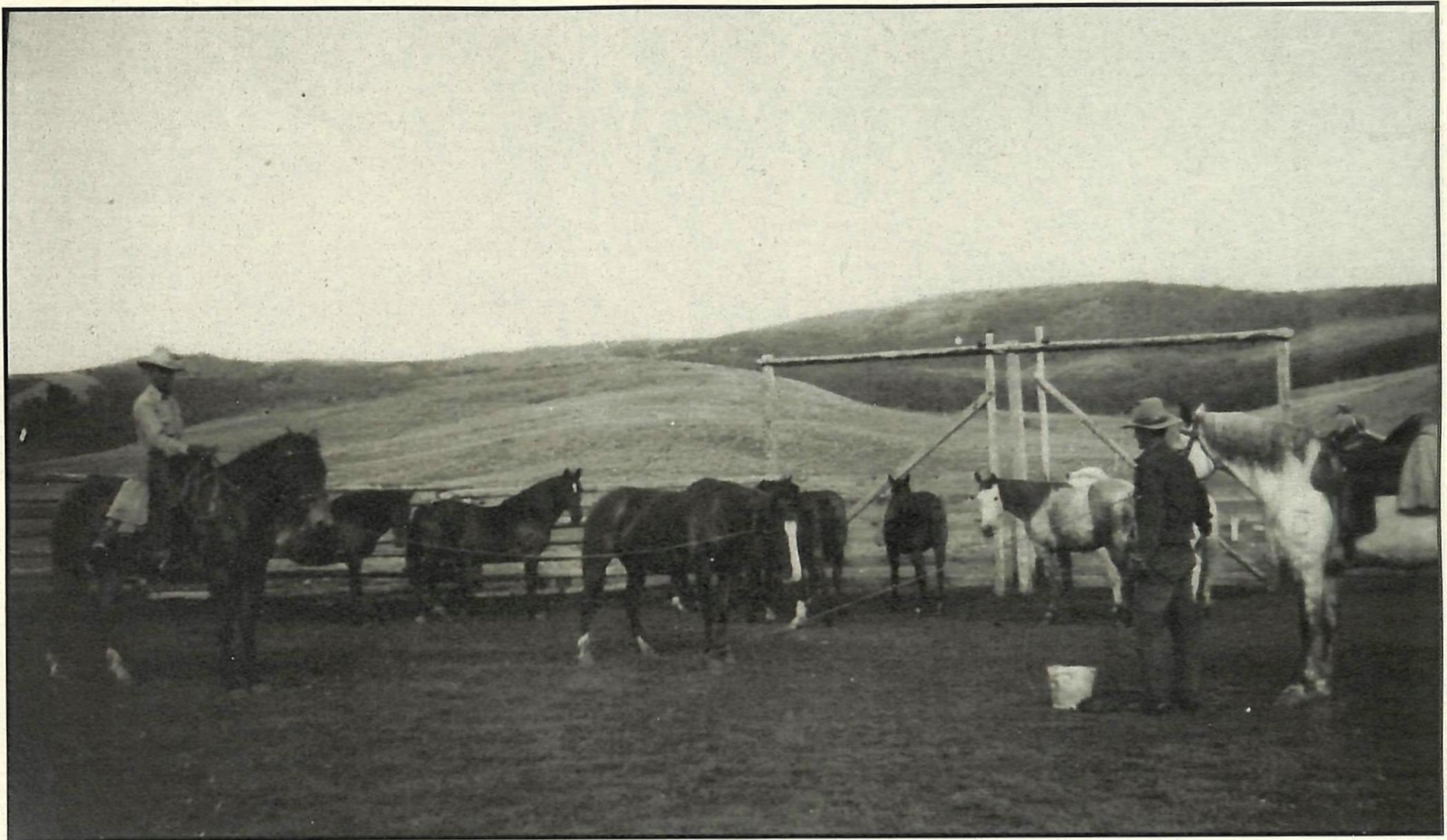
# OCTOBER

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				<b>1</b> The National Guard was called to active duty in Washington D.C. (1961)	<b>2</b> Grant & Caroline Campbell arrived in Star Valley in 1884, settling on Spring Creek in Fairview.	<b>3</b> The quickest way to double your money is to fold it in and put it back in your pocket.
<b>4</b> The Russian "Sputnik" was launched into space in 1957, beginning the "space age."	<b>5</b> True service to others is doing something for someone who will never find out who did it.	<b>6</b> Utah Mormons renounced polygamy in 1890.	<b>7</b> Post Office was established in Auburn, Unita Co. (1889)	<b>8</b> Dr. O.L. Treloar began his practice in Star Valley. (1929)	<b>9</b> Happiness consists of forgetting what you give and remembering what you receive.	<b>10</b> Call Air celebrated 100th airplane built on this day in 1957.
<b>11</b> Ten flocks of sheep were snowed in between Afton and Cokeville. (1920)	<b>12</b> Orson Tolman died of diphtheria, second to be buried in Fairview. (1891)	<b>13</b> In 1919 Joe Welch, who was a handcart pioneer, passed at the age of 96.	<b>14</b> Pilot Chuck Yeager first to break the sound barrier. (1947)	<b>15</b> Spanish Flu hits Star Valley - strict quarantine in all towns in 1918.	<b>16</b> Wyo. Fish & Game approved an elk feeding ground at mouth of Greys River in 1941.	<b>17</b> The new three ward chapel was dedicated at Osmond. (1980)
<b>18</b> Wilson Price Hunt was at the mouth of Greys River on this day in 1811.	<b>19</b> Willie Handcart Company lost 13 people at South Pass. (1856)	<b>20</b> The "Vee Line" of children's clothing began in Afton in 1969.	<b>21</b> In 1913, a fire hydrant was ordered to be placed at the corner of Washington and 4th Ave. in Afton.	<b>22</b> The Flying Saddle Lodge at Alpine was destroyed by fire on this day in 1976.	<b>23</b> J.D. Livingston of Alpine was gored to death by a bull. (1925)	<b>24</b> John Martin Schwab who came to Smoot in 1888, died in 1923.
<b>25</b> 21 awards were given to Wyoming exhibits at the Chicago Worlds' Fair in 1892.	<b>26</b> Enjoy the little things for one day you may look back and realize they were big things.	<b>27</b> The biggest mistake you can make is to believe that you work for someone else.	<b>28</b> Theodore Simmons was born in Star Valley on this day in 1879.	<b>29</b> In 1890 the Cokevill-Star Valley Road was declared a county road.	<b>30</b> The last Indian battle in Wyoming was at Lightning Creek in 1903.	<b>31 HALLOWEEN</b> - The Vail Mine at Deadman Mountain on Greys River started operations. (1935)



# Calendar of Star Valley History - 2015



Breaking Horses



# NOVEMBER

# 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1</b> The first weather observation was made on this day in 1870.	<b>2</b> Ole J. Jensen brought his first wife Margaret to Fairview. (1893)	<b>3</b> Wyoming ranked 5th in the United States in Swiss cheese production. (1938)	<b>4</b> Reuel Call became full-fledged pilot. (1932)	<b>5</b> Lightening does the work, thunder takes the credit.	<b>6</b> Rex Brown from Fairview was killed in a truck accident. (1936)	<b>7</b> In 1902 money was appropriated for a bridge in the narrows.
<b>8</b> Bishop Lowe purchased the Lowe Ranch on Crow Creek in 1918.	<b>9</b> Abraham Lincoln gave the Gettysburg Address in 1863.	<b>10</b> Strawberry Canal Co. in the Lower Valley was incorporated. (1936)	<b>11</b> 1918-World War I ended with the signing of the Armistice between the Allies and Germany.	<b>12</b> In 1938, electric service was supplied to 287 Lower Valley & Light members.	<b>13</b> The Star Valley Fish Hatchery near Auburn was completed. (1924)	<b>14</b> In 1920, the Wyoming Highway Commission approved \$1,332,000 to improve Yellowstone Park Highways.
<b>15</b> Congress created Jackson Hole Elk Refuge in 1912 on this day.	<b>16</b> Having fun is like having insurance - the older you get the more it costs you.	<b>17</b> The Lander Trail was completed on this day in 1858.	<b>18</b> Germany surrendered on this day ending World War I. (1918)	<b>19</b> Spread happiness where you go, not when.	<b>20</b> A new power plant was completed in Swift Creek Canyon by Afton Electric Co. in 1926.	<b>21</b> Life is like a ten speed bike. Most of us have gears we never use.
<b>22</b> President John F. Kennedy was shot in Dallas on this day in 1963.	<b>23</b> Be glad for life, it gives you the chance to love, work, play and to look at the stars.	<b>24</b> In 1864, the first child was born in Ovid, Idaho.	<b>25</b> Wyoming purchased ten million dollars worth of Liberty Bonds. (1918)	<b>26</b> Sympathy is two hearts tugging at the same load.	<b>27</b> On this day in 1915, Halfway House on Crow Creek was completed and in business.	<b>28</b> Change your thoughts and change your world.
<b>29</b> Don't miss the magic of the moment by focusing on what's to come.	<b>30</b> A new cheese factory opened two miles south of Afton. (1933)					



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1938 Dance Festival



# DECEMBER

# 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		<b>1</b> In 1849, 19 men arrived in Salt Lake City on foot, having left their wagons on the prairie.	<b>2</b> 1948 was the beginning of the artificial breeding program for dairy cows.	<b>3</b> The first human heart transplant took place on this day in 1967.	<b>4</b> If you want to make your mark, don't let the sun catch you in bed.	<b>5</b> On this day in 1870, the first Homestead Entry in Wyoming was filed.
<b>6</b> Cattleman Ike Edwards froze to death driving cattle to Green river. (1877)	<b>7</b> A diamond is a chunk of coal that was made beautiful and valuable under pressure.	<b>8</b> Stepping stones to success often start out as stumbling blocks.	<b>9</b> Christmas Seals went on sale for the first time. (1907)	<b>10</b> Wyoming was the first state to grant Women's right to vote. (1869)	<b>11</b> The winter of 1888 began - thousands of sheep and cattle die.	<b>12</b> If you want to stay out of debt, act your wage.
<b>13</b> Eight deaths from Spanish Flu in Star Valley - all schools closed. (1918)	<b>14</b> If you attempt to be better than yourself, you will have more success than if you attempt to be better than someone else.	<b>15</b> The home of Charles Johns was destroyed by fire in 1932.	<b>16</b> The first meeting held in new school house at Grover was held on this day in 1887.	<b>17</b> Worry is like a rocking-chair, it gives you something to do but doesn't get you anywhere.	<b>18</b> The bill was introduced to create Yellowstone National Park in 1871.	<b>19</b> LaBelle Sibbett was the first girl born in Star Valley on this day in 1879.
<b>20</b> Charlie Veigel's wife was killed by a pet bull. (1899)	<b>21</b> John Colter entered Jackson Hole on Snowshoes. (1807)	<b>22</b> Where the river is deepest, it makes the least noise.	<b>23</b> "The Night Before Christmas" was published. (1823)	<b>24</b> CHRISTMAS EVE - Pride is at the bottom of all mistakes.	<b>25</b> CHRISTMAS - "Silent Night" was sung for the first time on this day in 1878.	<b>26</b> Always hold your head up. But be careful to hold your nose at a friendly level.
<b>27</b> Young liars turn into old thieves.	<b>28</b> Congress officially recognized the "Pledge of Allegiance" in 1945.	<b>29</b> Battle of Wounded Knee happened in 1890.	<b>30</b> It was 58 degrees below zero at Auburn on this day in 1978.	<b>31</b> NEW YEAR'S EVE - A room hung with pictures is a room filled with thought.		



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4th of July Parade - Grover, Wyoming 1920



# Star Valley Historical Society

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### Membership

<i>Star Valley Chapter Dues.....</i>	<i>\$10.00 Single \$20.00 Couple</i>
<i>Annual State Dues.....</i>	<i>\$35.00 Single * \$45.00 Couple</i>

*\*(Includes membership for the Wyoming Historical Society, Two issues of the "Annals of Wyoming", and the state monthly newsletter.)*

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*A general meeting is held each month. The public is invited.*