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Archibald Gardner was born in Scotland September 2, 1814 and migrated to Canada at the age of nine. A convert to the Mormon Church he crossed the plains arriving in the Salt Lake Valley October 1847. Known as the "Mill Builder" he came to Star Valley in 1889. He and his newphew Brigham, constructed a much needed Grist Mill and Lumber Mill, which was hydro-powered by Swift Creek and served the valley for many years. He left a legacy of honesty, ingenuity, community service and a large posterity unparalleled in the settlement of the Mountain West.



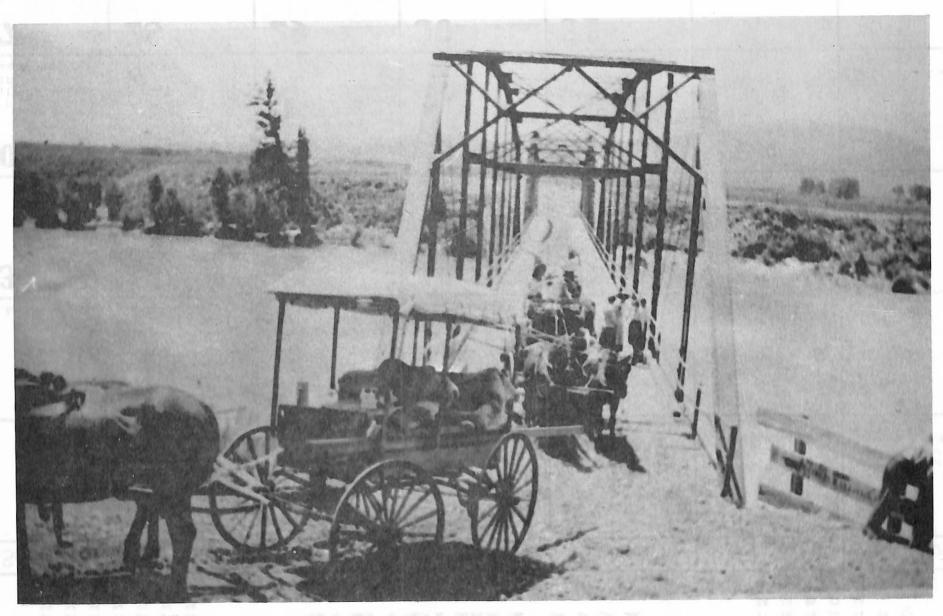
Alpine about 1935

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		Call Air was incorporated for one million dollars. (1959)	Sublette County was organized (1933)	It's not how old you are, but how you are old.	Utah granted statehood. (1896)	Nellie Taylor Ross, first woman governor of U.S. finishes her expired husbands term in office. (1925)
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Ole A. Jensen died. (1920)	Auburn has 178 people. Heber A. Holbrook is school teacher. (1890)	Thayne citizens file official papers for incorporation of the town. (1947)	Fish Creek Divide ski lift in operation (1941)	The townsite of Victor, Idaho was dedicated. (1901)	Storms make trees take deeper roots.	e e
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
		IMCO received approval for a new and larger model B-1 Ag Spray plane.	Buffalo Bill Dam completed. (1910)		The first A-9 Ag plane rolled off the assembly line at IMCO. (1963)	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
L.D.S. Tabernacle choir sang at U.S. President Ronald Reagan's inauguration (1981)	·,		Cherishing children is a mark of a civilized society.	Star Valley Independent put in a telephone for patrons to call in the news. (1924)		Teton, Idaho made into a county. (1915)
27	28	29	30	31		
The west side of Star Valley was organized as a branch of the Afton L.D.S. Ward. (1889)		Lot for Star Valley High School was purchased. (1916)	Call Air A-5 was licensed by CAA. (1956)	The 14th Legislature adopted the Indian Paint Brush as State Flower, also adopted State Flag. (1917)		



Snake River bridge in Alpine built in 1914

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					People never learn anything talking, they only learn things when they ask questions.	
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	From Jackson, bridge is completed across Snake River. (1921)		Coal \$5.00 per ton at Will Roos's coal mine in Salt Canyon. (1920)		State legislature passed an act providing for a second state seal. (1893)	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	The Interior Dept. granted Dr. West and Ben Nield a coal lease on Blind Bull- Creek on Greys River. (1938)	It took 18 teams and 22 men to move the slides from the Geneva- Montpelier road. (1916)		The official starting of Cutter Racing Association. (1946)	Snow did not arrive in Star Valley until this day. (1919)	The Afton Opera House burned down. (1910)
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	It takes a long time to grow an old friend.		A State Bureau of Vital Statistics approved. (1907)	A.E. Kennington resigned as Marshall—Elias Smith appointed. (1908)	A bridge across river near Wilson completed.	Bishop Cazier instructed to appoint experienced man to hold prayer meetings. (1889)
24	25	26	27	28		
	,			The pessimist complains about the wind, the optimist expects it to change, and the realist adjusts the sails.		



Sunday Group, 1902-1903, 1st row: —, Luella Wilkes, Effie Child (Sessions), —, Pearl Holbrook, 2nd row: —, —, Rozzel Hyde, —, Lars Halling, 3rd row: Mark Hurd, Abraham Taysom, Asa Allred, Thomas Burton, John Anderson, —, —, Clarence Holbrook.

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The Desert Land Act went into effect—applicants must be residents of the U.S. and be age 21. Land was 25¢ an acre. (1877)	The new Auburn Ward Chapel was dedicated. (1951)	·	John C. Dewey began running the Fairview Post Office. (1894)	The Relief Society was organized. (1842)	95 inches of snow at the Blind Bull Snow Course. (1951)	Bill signed authorizing construction of mental hospital at Evanston. (1886)
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		The most important thing in communication is to hear what isn't being said.			Jackson Hole National Monument created. (1943)	Fairview woman, Mrs. Estella Harmon chosen for Lincoln County Mother of the Year. (1956)
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	You don't stop laughing because you grow old. You grow old because you stop laughing.		Another Almy Coal mine disaster. (1895)			John Days Lake was officially changed to Greys Lake. (1892)
24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30
Newell Beeman was appointed the territory's first inspector of coal mines. (1886)	The mine at Hanna, Wyo. exploded. (1908)	The "Book of Mormon" was published. (1830)	104 pupils in Star Valley school—Samuel I. Bartlett Esq. was teacher. (1888)	News of completion of Call Aircraft Co.'s first airplane. (1940)	The first capital building at Cheyenne begun in 1886 completed on this day. (1888)	



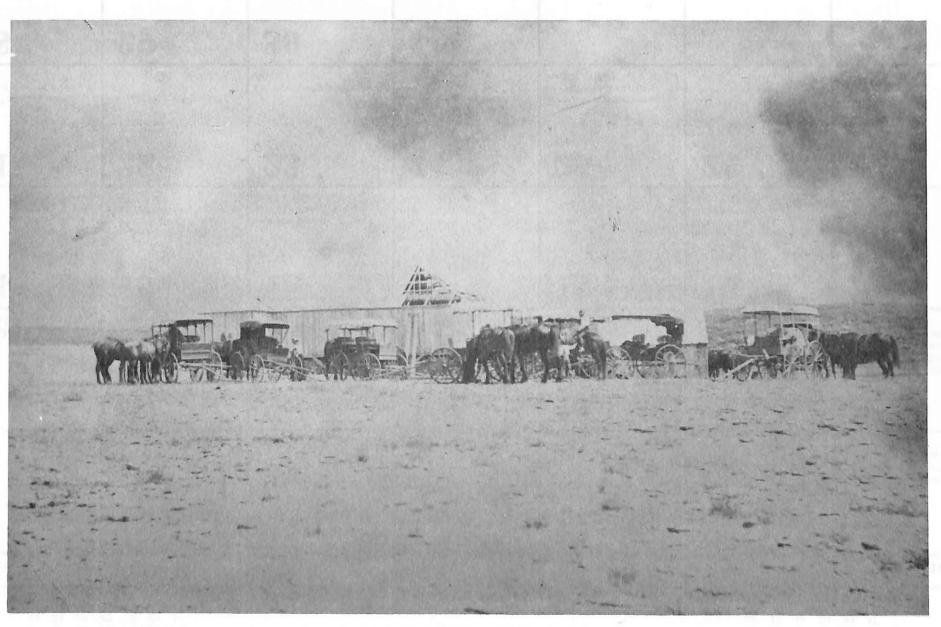
This building was built around 1879 by Money Welch. He stored his furs in the rock part.

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APRIL 1991

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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	State Board of Probation and Parole becomes effective. (1941)			The first wings of the Capital Building at Cheyenne were completed. (1890)		The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints was organized at Fayette, New York. (1830)
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
L.D.S. Church welfare program launched. (1936)	Game licenses on sale; 15 birds, 50—30 fish \$1.00. (1921)	Governor pleaded for statehood. (1889)			Lower Valley Power and Light celebrated 50 years of service. (1987)	"Come, come Ye Saints" was penned by William Clayton on The Mormon Trail, 110 miles out of Nauvoo, Ill. (1846)
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	The people of Star Valley are raising funds to finish the Cokeville-Star Valley road. (1916)	Pioneers began trek west with 143 men, 3 women, and 2 children. (1847)	Sixteen-year-old boy died in Sulfur Springs Swimming Pool. (1947)		Church authorities donated \$10,000 to the relief fund for San Francisco earthquake victims. (1906)	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
If Noah had been wise, he'd have swatted those two flies.		Dr. Pugmire is practicing in Afton. (1903)		29 million dollar contract let for Palisades Dam Project. (1952)		
28	29	30				
President William Budge and George Osmond visited Afton. (1889)	The Star Valley L.D.S. Seminary was dedicated. (1943)	The sheep were at Fairview. (1904)				



The old building at the Sulphur Springs swimming resort around 1918. Was owned then by Leo and Oney Harrison.

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			Prisoners start work on the Cokeville/Star Valley road. (1915)	We have at present in Star Valley, 4 large meeting houses and is divided into 4 districts, 150 families. (1889)		
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The Desert News began publication at Fillmore, Utah. (1858)		Charles C. Rich and Moses Thatcher appointed to supervise the settling of Star Valley.	Disasterous blaze destroyed Gardner Brothers Sawmill in Afton. (1947)		Ralph Flygare and Associates purchase Valleon Hotel. (1945)	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	15 convicts from the State Penitentary are coming to work on the Star Valley/Afton roads. (1916)	When you can't solve the problem, manage it.		Thomas J. White, nearly lost his life crossing Snake River when the cable broke. (1927)		Raging water from a landslide wiped Kelly, Wyoming off the map. (1927)
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
New and improved school ouildings were dedicated at Freedom, Etna, Thayne, Grover, Fairview, Smoot, Bedford and Afton. (1926)	Auto trucks are being purchased for stage line and mail service. (1916)		After 30, a body has a mind of its own.		Mr. Thomas W Lee of Star Valley reports a constant stream of immigration into Star Valley. (1888)	
26	27	28	29	30	31	
Extending your hand is extending yourself.			Permit granted for construction of the Greys River elk tagging corral. (1946)		Charles D. Cazier was appointed Postmaster in the Star Valley area. (1881)	



Jim Jordan, Alpine old timer 1954, 86 years old used to live east of where the highway weigh station is now.

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•						Clarence Gardner accepted the position as 2nd Stake President— served 22 years. (1913)
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Butch Cassidy and Flat Nose George Currie plan the U P Mail train robbery at Wilcox, Wyoming. (1899)		The American Flag was adopted. (1777)	The Star Valley Pioneer newspaper cost \$1.50 per year. (1901)	Dial telephone became a reality in Star Valley. (1965)		The only way to see a rainbow is to look through the rain.
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	YMMIA association organized. (1875)	Osborne Low received a permit to capture 9 head of elk. (1912)	Crews pushed the rails for the Oregon shortline through Cokeville. (1882)		The dam at Cottonwood Lake washed out.	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
It isn't so much what you are as what you sow.	·	To be interesting—be interested.	The first CallAir Fly-In at Afton. (1988)		Don't complain about the mud on your neighbor's doorstep—when your own porch is unclean.	
23/30	24	25	26	27	28	29
God's gift to us is life; our gift to God is character. Divided Star Valley and Salt River Valley. (1889)	County Attorney Marshall S. Raymond, Ed Burke and Judge Arnold drove from Afton to Cokeville in 4½ hours. (1916)	Congress passed an act creating Wyoming Territory. (1868)		Afton Ward now divided. (1919)		The Grand opening of the Valleon Ballroom. (1939)



The Gardner flour mill and saw mill, at the mouth of Swift Creek Canyon. This mill ran day and night all through World War I.

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	Heber J. Grant and others organized the wards of Grover and Auburn. (1889)	The wards of Fairview and Cottonwood were organized. (1889)	The new road from Afton to Cokeville inspected. (1915)	The telephone line was completed from Montpelier to Star Valley. (1901)		
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	Rendezvous at Bear Lake, Utah. (1827)	Great battle is being waged by farmers in Star Valley against grasshoppers. (1920)	County Commissioners, C.H. Peterson and O. H. Papworth returned home from Kemmerer. (1915)		A man is never so tall as when he stoops to help a child.	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Success is a ladder that cannot be climbed with your hands in your pockets.	·		Over 30 teams and scrapers are being used on the Afton/Cokeville road to make improvements. (1915)	Thousands of fish poisoned by weed killer in irrigation canals. (1952)		Albert Taylor killed by lightning. (1944)
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Veterans Administration established. (1930)		Optimism is a cheerful frame of mind that enables a teakettle to sing though in hot water up to its nose.	The road work being done in Salt Canyon is progressing nicely. The labor is furnished by the convict gang. (1915)		Lewis and Clark reached the mouth of the Big Horn River. (1806)	1.7
28	29	30	31			
	The ascent to the summit of the Tetons was made. (1872)		Few things are more satisfying than seeing your children have teenagers of their own.			



Grand Stand - This used to be at the edge of town square south and east of the Tabernacle where the race track was.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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				At this time the law allowed every citizen to kill wild animals every year, here. (1904)		Happy is the person who can laugh at himself. He will never cease to be amused.
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The first Pony Express rider headed East from San Francisco. (1860)		No one can make you feel inferior without your consent.		Contract let for oiling remainder of Highway 89 through SV. (1940)	··· ·	Harvey Dixon and family and Henry Martin Harmon arrived in Star Valley. (1885)
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
		The worst hailstorm in many years hit Fairview. (1942)	Star Valley Stake was organized. (1892)	The Afton Stake Tabernacle was dedicated. (1909)	Charles D. Cazier was nominated for Bishop of the Afton Ward. (1886)	Completion of Afton sewer system. (1939)
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	The corner stone of the Afton Tabernacle was laid. (1904)	Learn to enjoy your own life without comparing that of another.		F.W. Lander and crew reached the Salt River— building the Lander Trail. (1858)	Use what talents you possess; the woods would be very silent if no birds sang there, except those that sang best.	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
The first Primary meeting held in Farmington, Utah. (1878)	Ernst Brog first began making swiss cheese. (1926)	The entire sum of existense is the magic of being needed by just one person.	Burglers get \$24,000 in Star Valley bank robbery. (1953)	Cottonwood Lake sawmill burned.		Learn to pause, or nothing worthwhile will catch up with you.



Joe and Carl Heiner in Header box; Barbara Heiner standing; Sarah standing, Francis sitting on top of box.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
A cloudburst occurred in Grover Canyon resulting in loss of much stock and did a lot of damage.	2	Charles D. Cazier set apart to preside over the organization of the Star Valley branch of the Mormon Church. (1880)	4	Quarrels would not last long if the fault were on one side only.	6	7 The Afton Lions Club organized. (1943)
8	The First bank in Afton established. (1907)	A great teacher never strives to explain his vision—he simply invites you to stand beside him and see for yourself.	11	Few of us do as much as we want for others. But there is one gift we can always bestow—a smile.	13	Kindness can become its own motive, we are made kind by being kind.
15	Spring is God's way of saying, "One more time."	The constitution was signed in Philadelphia by 39 delegates, representing 12 states. (1787)	Dedication of Fairview recreation hall. (1941)	The Holdaway School in Thayne dedicated. (1956)	Always put off till tomorrow, what you shouldn't do at all.	Charles D. Cazier was ordained a Bishop and set apart to preside over the Afton Ward (1887).
22	First South Ward Chapel completed and dedicated. (1920)	24 Absence makes the heart go wander.	Governor inspects the Cokeville/Afton road. (1915)	26	27	Every day is a new day, with new possibilities and unlimited opportunity.
29	The hardest arithmetic to master is that which enables us to count our blessings.					



Gardners - at mill in mouth of Swift Creek

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		Our National Guardsmen of Co. A, 1022nd Engineer Battalion combat went on active duty. (1961)		Turning to look backwards, we often miss something better ahead.		Vital link of Star Valley— Yellowstone highway completed. (1950)
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
The first publication of the description of Yellowstone Park written by a trapper. (1827)	Good thoughts like good seed, planted in good soil, bring forth good deeds.		City law went into effect— every man cleans out his own ditches or pays a fine. (1906)	If mankind profits from its mistakes, we have one glorious future coming up.		Legislature makes Columbus Day a public holiday. (1937)
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
The Frontier Index newspaper began publication in Bear River City. (1868)			Work is progressing well on the midway station of the Afton/Cokeville road. (1915)		I set out to find a friend, but I couldn't find one; I set out to be a friend and friends were everywhere.	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Anger is only one letter short of danger.		Hope springs not from what we've done, but from the work we've just begun.		The man who refuses to hear criticism has no chance to evaluate it.		Star Valley High School rated as 6th largest school in Wyoming. Enrollment 442. (1939)
27	28	29	30	31		
It is not the number of hours that one puts in, but what one puts into the hours that count.		To belittle is to be little, to be grateful is to be great.		Worry never robs tomorrow of its sorrow, it only saps today of its strength.		



Grover Pioneers: front row, (left to right), Hannah Hepworth, Ms. Thompson, Ms. Christensen, Sarah Welchman, James Jensen, Sr., back row, (left to right), Frank Walker, Edmund Hepworth, Ole Peterson, John Astle.

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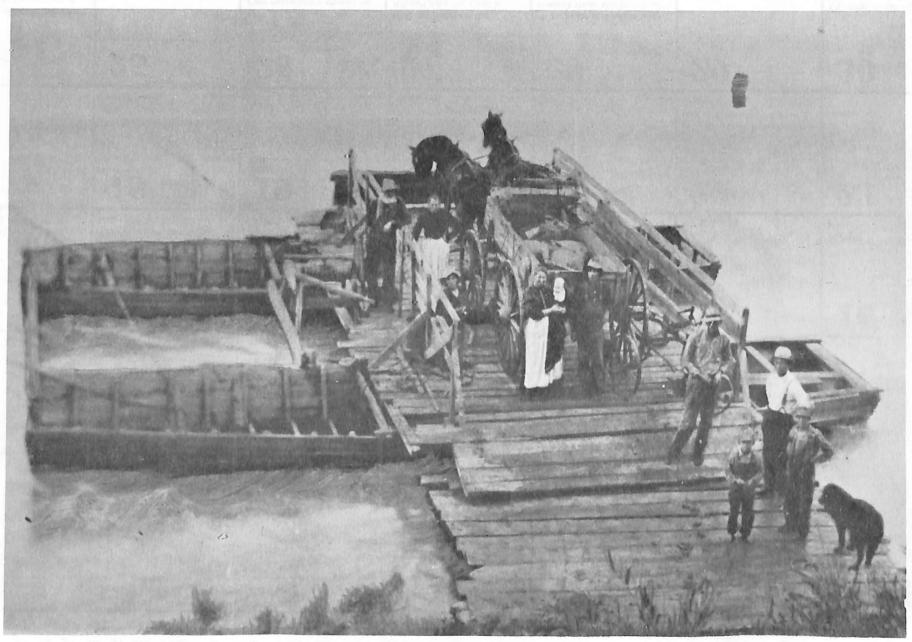
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		· "			Human discontent is the steam in the boiler of progress.	
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Tetonia, Idaho became a townsite. (1910)	Faith is like a wheelbarrow—you've got to put some push behind it to make it work.		Call Air was sold to Mr. John Magnum. (1959)	To be happy, add not to your possessions but subtract from your desires.	Know how to give without hesitation, how to lose without regret, and how to acquire without meaness.	
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The Strawberry Canal Co. was incorporated. (1936)	The Stake Relief Society was organized. (1892)	Lights turned on all over the Valley. (1938)	The Genealogical Society of Utah organized in Salt Lake City. (1894)	Our great hope lies in developing what is good rather than attempting to repress what is evil.		The more often you win an argument, the fewer are your friends.
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	Our business of tomorrow often depends on our busyness of today.		It is better to sleep on your plans for tomorrow than to stay awake over what you did today.		No man really becomes a fool until he stops asking questions.	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
The most difficult thing for a mother to remember, is that other persons have perfect children.	,	Past experience should be a guide post, not a hitching post.	Halfway hotel on the Afton/Cokeville road is now completed and occupied. (1915)	A bachelor is a fellow who doesn't think the bonds of matrimoney are a good investment.		Opening of new Cheese Factory 2 miles South of Afton. (1933)



Snake River Ferry located near the Wyoming-Idaho state line at Alpine, known as the Kimball Ferry is shown in this picture taken in 1912. Those identified in the picture by old timers are: Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Robbins, Em Walton, Mrs. Hadley Mayes (with baby), Marion Robbins, Lynn Porter, Newel Walton and R. B. Margetts. Another ferry was later built about a mile upstream from this one. The fee for one man was 25¢, fee for team and wagon was \$1.00.

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The past is a part of life, but it's the todays and tomorrows that really count.		Three good essentials to happiness are something to do, something to love, and something to hope for.	,		Charles D. Cazier was called to preside over the saints in Star Valley. (1885)	War broke out with Japan. (1941)
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
How is it possible to expect mankind to take advise when they will not so much as take a warning.	··	First Wyoming Day—first law anywhere in history which extends the right of sufrage to women. (1935)		Children need love, especially when they don't deserve it.		Never loose an opportunity of seeing anything beautiful. Beauty is God's handwriting.
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	The first school started in Alpine. (1912)		You grow up the day you have your first real laugh at yourself.		Everything comes to him who hustles while he waits.	Driggs, Idaho becomes a townsite. (1909)
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Where the river is deepest it makes least noise.	Joseph Smith was born. (1805)	1,000 foot ski tow in operation east of Afton— Reed Nelson and Keith Robinson. (1949)			Happiness is a way station between too little and too much.	
29	30	31				
The greatest mistake you can make is to be continually fearing that you'll make one.		John W. Stoner completed the construction of a bridge across Bear River near Cokeville. (1887)				

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