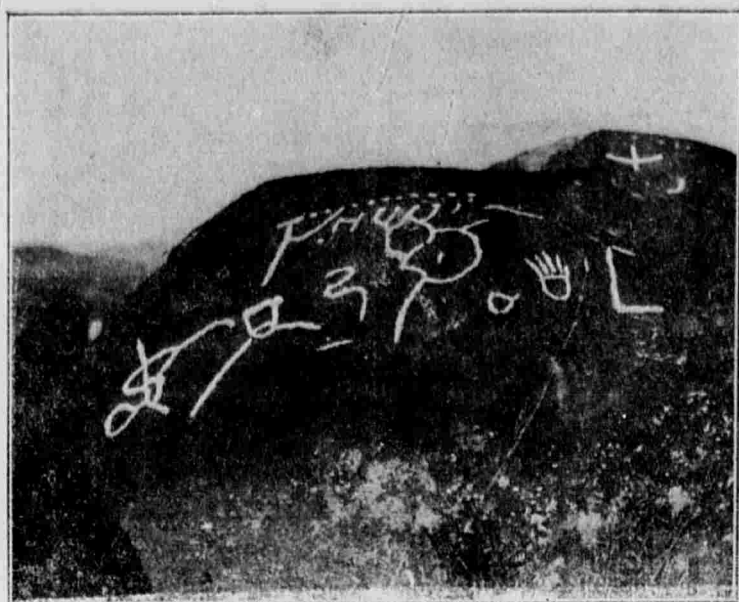


## Picture Rocks Near Pocatello.

SOME of the attractive features of our west are the traces of a vanished race along the backbone of the Rockies from above the British boundary to the isthmus.

We find evidence of a people who lived their lives when perhaps the Pyramids and Pharaohs were unborn of—people who struggled for an existence among summer heat and floods, and winter snows; fought the wild beasts for food and safety, and for furs to protect them from the elements—men whose remains in combat on sagebrush plains or in mountain canyon. The only traces of such people remaining to us here in the northwest are the stone or flint implements occasionally found in some cave, and the pictures or signs tattooed on basalt boulders in the different localities, pictures without significance to us, but no doubt full of meaning to those who traced them, describing in a rude way battles fought, journeys made, or what is more likely an inscription honoring some heroic deed. The Superior region has its ancient mines; the Ohio and Mississippi valley states their prehistoric mounds and here we have the rude pictures which are fully as interesting. They are curious, the markings are invariably on smooth lava boulders which, after centuries of exposure to sun, heat and storm have taken on a rich brown coloring, a sort of enamel or glaze. The boulders are smooth and polished on the side exposed to the sun, while the north surface is covered in most cases by lichens or a papery fungi.

As to who these people really were, we, of course, know nothing. All is mere conjecture, but still we have some facts broad enough to be the foundation



LAVA BOULDERS CARRYING HIEROGLYPHICS.

for a very plausible theory. It is, I think, reasonable to believe they were a part of the three waves of humanity. Prescott mentions as coming from the northwest, and who settled in and about what is now the City of Mexico. To follow this line let us say that history in Mexico begins with the Aztecs, though their traditions indicate an older and extinct people. Then came the influx of tribes. The first to arrive were the Toltecs about the year 648 A. D., from the northwest. They founded the City of Tula. Here it was Quetzalcoatl, the fair god, appeared. Some think he was St. Thomas, others claim it was a wandering Viking. At all events he was equal to the occasion; lived with the savages, taught them many things, finally making his escape in a boat made of snake skins, promising to return. I have met natives in that country who still expect him.

Next came the Chichimecas, or meat eaters, a savage people, accompanied by the Acolhuans, a peaceful tribe, also from the northwest, and a few years later the Aztecs, or Mexicans, arrived.

still from that mysterious northwest. This tribe claimed to have been 600 years wandering in search of a home-site, but what has this to do with the strange markings on the rocks? Let us see what can be said to support our theory.

Most people who have visited our section have noted the immense lava beds north of Pocatello. The flow apparently started from near the Three Tetons or Yellowstone park region, crossing in a westerly direction to the California line. A part of this flow streamed into the different valleys in our mountains, a goodly portion passing through the valley in which Pocatello is situated and upon cooling has formed hills and boulders and lands of the black rock. This lava stream is many miles wide.

Starting from somewhere in western Texas, extending southwest across New Mexico, Arizona, and toward the Gulf of California, is another immense lava bed quite similar to the above—boulders and jagged-edged mesas; miles of lava plain with outcropping reefs and small buttes of basalt and along the Rio Grande river at intervals between Albuquerque and El Paso del Norte I have found picture or hieroglyphics on the rocks very similar, if not identical, with those in the valley about Pocatello, which would surely indicate a connection between the two localities so far apart.

If space would permit we might trace these people, cast away from Asiatic jungles on our northwest coast, where after resting many years and perfecting their tribal organizations, they undertook to follow that instinct which prompts us to look for better conditions. The star which led the pilgrim fathers to the western continent no doubt guided these savage hordes on their long pilgrimage from a chill, bleak country to a land of sunshine and plenty. The long journey up the Columbia and Snake rivers where, seeing a pass to the south, they followed the mountain stream we call the Portneuf, after the old Canadian trapper buried somewhere on its banks. Here where Pocatello now stands they must have rested



HANDIWORK OF FORGOTTEN REDMEN.

many months, perhaps years, as game and fish were no doubt plentiful and a long stay was necessary to trace the great number of pictures we find in this vicinity, for Indians never do things in a hurry. Later they moved on, crossing the divide into the Green River country; then a long march to the Rio Grande, down that stream to

their semi-tropical home. To the visiting pilgrim I will say that almost any schoolboy can direct you to these pictures. One stone is on the little basalt hill northwest of town; the one shown here is selected from among a number on the river bank near the upper bridge; others are in the lava beds southeast of the city, notably one

showing a bow with arrow on the string and a bear's paw. Another shows plainly a buffalo, a bear and a wolf also bear tracks. These last two pictures, however, are of a later date and are deciphered by our Indians to mean that some Nimrod had a successful hunt and is boasting about it. In quite a twentieth century way, the older pictures they know nothing of and won't venture an opinion, except one bright fellow, who said: "No ash, mebbe so, cliff dwellers."

I have been for some time searching out and photographing these picture rocks. On being asked by the editor to write an article concerning them, I did not at first consent because there is practically nothing known concerning their origin. We simply know they are there. Whether traced by white men, or by what not, the chinaman was As to my theory, it doesn't look so large now as it did, still, it's a million years old. If from somewhere else we can show you the man, and sit while you form your own idea. Together we will picture the grim old age, scantily clad, patiently chipping away at the boulders with a piece of jagged flint and wonder at his origin while he traces writings we are too dull to interpret.—John Howard Shores, in Pocatello Tribune.

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**MONDAY—\$1.00 LAWN WAISTS 39c**  
300 lawn waists, white and colors open back or front, value \$1.00, Monday they'll **39c**

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a Yard

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At the most surprising price reduction on the best most wanted styles.  
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Ladies' ribbed thread or finest Maco cotton Tan Lace Hose, a variety of patterns to choose from, best 45c and 75c grades on sale **45c**

**MONDAY**  
**Ladies' Union Suits**  
FOR EARLY FALL WEAR!  
**Best 60c Grade at**  
**39c**

Ladies' high-neck, ankle-length, long-sleeve White Union Suits; an excellent Jersey ribbed, 60c quality, on sale Monday at, **39c**

**MONDAY**  
**CHILDREN'S NIGHT GOWNS**  
**75c Values at**  
**39c**  
Children's Night Gowns of very best Muslin Lace or Embroidery trimmed, the greatest 75c value, on sale Monday only, all sizes, **39c**

**MONDAY**  
**Children's Rompers**  
**Best 65c Grade at**  
**39c**  
Best quality Gingham Rompers, all sizes, in stripes or plain, several styles to choose from, the very best 65c grades, on sale Monday **39c**

MONDAY	MONDAY
15c Towels	65c Hemmed
Bleached	
Turkish Towels	<b>Bed Sheets</b>
and	
Hemstitched	2½ yards long and 2 yards wide, to boom Monday's business, limit 6 to a customer, at each—
Huck Towels	
To boom Monday's business, at, each—	
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