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Builders And Leaders



The subjects of the bronzes were chosen by the newspaper. The choice of subjects was designed to provide viewers with launch points for discussion of long-standing local issues relating to economic development, the environment, social justice, ethnic diversity and media. At the time of the installation, a newspaper spokesman noted that, "Ultimately, the final selection of honorees in a display of this type is going to be somewhat arbitrary—but, in the end, we think the people chosen exemplify a wide range of experience, vision, expertise, compassion and hopefulness about the future."

The newspaper conceived the installation as a complement to a display of more recent leaders in the lobby of the Chamber of Commerce building, and to other public sculptures in downtown Spokane, including a bronze of Louis Davenport in the lobby of the Davenport Hotel.

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Item 2 in a series of 52 commemorative items published in commemoration of the 125th year of publication of *The Spokesman-Review*, 2007-2008.

MARY A. LATHAM
1844-1917
Physician, Essayist, Library Advocate



Dr. Mary A. Latham was a noted Spokane physician—and the first woman to practice medicine in the city. She was also a leader in civic and cultural affairs, founding the city's first library society, leading animal-protection efforts and regularly contributing essays to popular and professional journals.

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MOTHER JOSEPH
1823-1902
Architect, Religious Leader, Hospital Builder



Mother Joseph was the Inland Northwest's first architect. As head of the Sisters of Providence she was responsible for both the design and construction of missions and hospitals throughout the Northwest and was the founding director of Spokane's Sacred Heart hospital (now Sacred Heart Medical Center).

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GEORGE C. JEWETT
1877-1949
Agricultural Leader, Wheat Marketer, Banker



George C. Jewett was an agriculture banker and wheat marketer who played a seminal role in organizing wheat growers in nine western states, including the first Washington wheat-growers association.

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AUBREY L. WHITE
1864-1948
Parks Advocate, River Preservationist, Newspaper Columnist



An associate of Jay P. Graves in the development of mines and railways, Aubrey L. White was the guiding force behind the development of Spokane's public parks. In addition to championing "green space," he was a leading advocate of river preservation. For many years, he was a popular garden columnist for *The Spokesman-Review*.

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ROBERT B. PATERSON
1865-1924
Merchant, Civic Leader, Retail Innovator



Robert B. Paterson, merchant, was a principal in the Spokane Dry Goods wholesale business and its retail division, The Crescent department store. Paterson was active in city cultural and economic affairs and known for innovative merchandising techniques.

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JAMES P. MCGOLDRICK
1859-1939
Lumberman, Industry Leader, Banker



James Patrick McGoldrick moved to Spokane in 1906 after acquiring A. M. Fox lumber mill and relocating Minneapolis-based McGoldrick Lumber Company to Spokane. The mill, then the most modern in the region, was located immediately south of Gonzaga University. Under McGoldrick's leadership the mill was expanded and its output quadrupled. For years it was Spokane's largest industrial employer. McGoldrick, a national lumber-industry leader, tirelessly championed the region's economic potential and established innovative workplace safety programs in his operations.

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