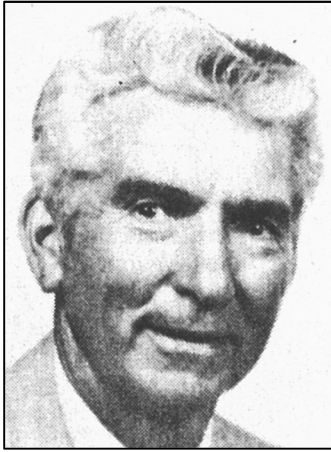


Spence Gardner – 1987 Hall of Fame Inductee



Spence Gardner was born in Honeyville, Utah, and graduated from Box Elder High School in Brigham City, Utah. He moved to Idaho to stay when Blackfoot High School hired him as a teacher, administrator, and coach in 1954. He was head basketball coach for 10 years, compiling a record of 194-63. In 1959, Gardner became assistant superintendent of schools in Blackfoot, then he became superintendent from 1971 to 1980.