

JOHN SAD

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John Sad, a lawyer practicing at Hannaford since his admission to the bar in 1914, was born at Hardanger, Norway, July 24, 1888. His father, Asbjorni B. Sad, also a native of Hardanger, came to North Dakota with his family in 1889, settling first at Valley City but after two years removing to Fargo. Later he returned to Valley City, where he remained until 1904, employed at the trade of merchant tailoring. He then purchased a farm east of Dazey, upon which he still resides.

John Sad was the eldest in a family of six children and was only about a year old when brought to the new world, so that practically his entire life has been spent in this state. He attended the public schools and later became a student in the North Dakota State University, where he pursued a course in law that qualified him for admission to the bar in 1914. After receiving his license to practice he located in Hannaford, where he has since remained and in the intervening period he has gained a good clientage which many an older practitioner might well envy. He displays energy and ability, is a fluent, forceful speaker and readily recognizes the relations of points in law to the facts in the case. At the present time he is the republican nominee for states attorney in Griggs County and receives strong endorsement from fellow members of the bar.

On the 27th of November, 1913, Mr. Sad was united in marriage to Miss May Stee, who was born near Dazey, a daughter of Thomas Stee, a pioneer of Barnes County. They have a circle of warm friends at Hannaford and in this part of the state and Mr. Sad is a representative member of the Ancient Order of United Workmen. His chief interest, however, is his law practice and he gives undivided attention to the interests entrusted to his care.

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