George L. Crookham, Jr. Mayor 1945 – 1946



After visiting his brother H.J. Crookham in Caldwell, he decided he would permanently relocate to this city, once he took care of his business affairs in Iowa and Nebraska.

Mr. Crookham was an associate and the secretary for Snake River Valley Co. The company was doing considerable mail order business in grass seeds, grains, fruits, honey and other home products. The Old Methodist church building on Blaine Street was used as a warehouse and office building. In addition, a special effort was made to market the popcorn. He erected a concrete structure on his residence on Dearborn and used it to store popcorn in the winter.

He was president of the Caldwell High School "Hi-Y".

He served as Mayor of Caldwell for one-year, 1945-1946.