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The Musical Eckhardts

Without doubt the show on Tuesday evening by the Swiss Hand Bell Ringers, was the best that it has been the lot of Cardston theatre patrons to witness.

Every feature was a headline attraction and it is hard to single any one act out as being the best.

The only circumstance that marred the harmony of the evening was the draping of the Stars and Stripes over the piano. This caused considerable comment.

A fairly large audience was in attendance, and M. I. Associations under whose auspices the attraction appeared, must feel highly complimented upon the success which has attended their efforts.

Entertainments like the above are highly elevating and can never come too often.

Skating Rink Re-opens

The O. K. Skating Rink re-opened to the public on Wednesday evening, under the management of Mr. Van Brown.

A large crowd of skaters were out and a very enjoyable time was spent.

We feel sure that under the new management, the rink will be a success.

"Uncle Dan'l"

The well known success "Uncle Dan'l" or "The Messenger from Jarvis Section" which comes to the Assembly Hall, one night, Thursday, Nov. 11th., was dramatized from the novel of the same name, which has been read by many thousands of people and has been presented in every city in the Union by that well known actor Barney McCauley, for so many seasons, and having received nothing but flattering comments from the press and public for so many years, is surely a guarantee of its merits, as a pure wholesome "Down East" comedy and with the introduction of many high-class specialties, the value of the entertainment cannot be doubted. Mrs. Fiske made one of her first successes in "Uncle Dan'l" and other well known stars who found fame and fortune in it may be mentioned Mary Marble and winsome Lizzie Evans.

Forty-five Singers Wanted

A meeting of the Choral Society will be held at Mrs. Leigh Youngs Saturday evening Nov. 6th, at 8 o'clock. Business of an important nature will be transacted. All members, and all those who are desirous of becoming members, are requested to be present.

Cardston Beats the World

Billings, Oct. 29th.—The Dry Farming Exhibition and Congress has closed. The premiums were awarded today.

For the best exhibit Colorado won first prize, and Alberta second.

Cardston took first prize for brome grass, alsike clover and rye grass and second prize in alfalfa, spring wheat and buckwheat.

For the best display of Winter Wheat Lethbridge was first. Macleod landed first prize in threshed grain.

Clever Juveniles Coming

What should prove to be one of the best musical treats of the season, is the Juvenile Bostonians, who are to appear at the Assembly Hall, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 19th and 20th. This remarkable organization of youngsters has a wide reputation for their wonderful voices and they give a remarkable performance equal to many of the performances offered by older and more pretentious companies. They have been secured by the local management only after offering large inducements, and their appearance at this time should be heralded with much pleasure.

Glenwood Gleanings

Glenwood, Alta., Nov. 1st, 1909. Elder Hammer and Elder Edwin Leavitt were here last Sunday as home Missionaries.

Elder Wm. Wood was also a visitor and was very pleased with the progress of the ward.

Levi Webster formerly of Mountain View is building a nice five roomed house. There are no shacks in Glenwood.

We understand the contract for the Glenwood school house is let to the Stacy Lumber Co. of Lethbridge.

Alberta's Exhibits Were Prominent

(Lethbridge Herald)

The Southern Alberta exhibits were all along the south end of the hall, while Mr. McNicol had managed to get his across the corner in full view of the main entrance. Taber, Macleod and Cardston were all represented with very creditable exhibits. The whole four exhibits worked in well together as a Southern Alberta exhibit, and as such carried off the second prize for exhibit from state or province, Montana being barred.

CARDSTON A REVELATION
Cardston's exhibit specialized in grasses, there being between thirty-five and forty kinds in their exhibit. All kinds of clover, alfalfa, timothy, and shif were there. Agricultural authorities, like Prof. Shaw, visiting the exhibit, declared that it was a revelation to them. The Cardston exhibit was handled by R. W. Pilling and S. M. Woolf. They expected to get inside the money for spring wheat, having a very fine sample, but it was given to Colorado, to what was a soft variety, whatever other good qualities it may have had. They did get several prizes however.

THROGGED WITH VISITORS
The exhibits from Alberta were constantly thronged with people eager to know more of that province, especially in view of the splendid array of products on exhibition. The men in charge were kept busy talking and handing out the abundant supplies of literature they had.

MARVELLOUS DEMONSTRATION
The whole exposition was a marvellous demonstration of what can be done by scientific dry farming methods. Displays were there from many western states and Alberta, grains, grasses, fruits and vegetables were in elaborate profusion and all produced on the land so long supposed to be incapable of producing any agricultural products.

Taber Notes

Taber, Oct. 29—The big steel bridge across the river near Taber, is nearing completion. The sides have been completed, and the work is being pushed on the middle pier. The report comes in that about three weeks of good weather will have the bridge finished. Farmers on the north side of the river have been waiting patiently for this improvement, and no doubt it will bring farmers to Taber, who have heretofore gone to other towns for their trading.

Robert Ibeys returned on Wednesday morning from Raymond, where he was called by a message from his wife, who is sick there. Last summer she received a shock from a stroke of lightning, and since then she has not enjoyed the

best of health. It is hoped she will have a speedy recovery.

Mr. W. E. Layton and "Bride" returned on Sunday morning from Salt Lake City, Utah, where they spent their wedding trip. The groom is a young man of excellent qualities and good habits, while the bride, Miss Elsie Burrows, of Mountain View, Alta., comes of a good family who cannot be too highly recommended. The wedding supper was given at the home of Mr. S. J. Layton, on Thanksgiving night, and only intimate friends and relatives were present. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Layton will go to housekeeping in C. Layton's house about the first of November. The community extends a hearty welcome to the young couple.

Council Meeting Tuesday, Nov. 2nd.

Those present were Mayor Brown, Councillors Burton, Cahoon, Coombs, Duce and Hunt. Opening prayer by Councillor Duce.

Minutes of regular and adjourned meetings for October read and approved.

A communication was received from the Northern Electric & Manufacturing Co. of Winnipeg re light carbons. Filed.

The School Trustees through their Secretary E. A. Law applied for transfer of School taxes. Moved by Councillor Duce and seconded by Councillor Burton that the Sec.-treasurer be instructed to pay over one thousand dollars. Carried.

A communication was received from the Rogers-Cunningham Lumber Co. re transfer of a portion of taxes to the Stacy Lumber Co. Referred to finance committee.

A communication from the Canada fire and engine Co. Limited making enquiries as to whether town were in need of a chemical engine or hook and ladder apparatus or repairs of any kind in their line. Moved by Councillor Coombs and seconded by Councillor Burton that the communication be referred to fire, license and police. Carried.

A communication was received from George A. Stumpson & Co. re debenture bonds, asking for lowest price etc. Filed.

A communication was received from P. L. Naismith, Manager of the A. R. & I. Co. re sidewalk from Station platform to Red Crow Street stating that carpenters would be here in a few days. Filed.

A communication was received from J. F. Porter of the Robb Engineering Co. asking for a settlement of account in full. The said account was in dispute and has since been adjusted and paid.

Moved by Councillor Cahoon and seconded by Councillor Duce that each standing committee be instructed to certify to all accounts originating in each committee's department. Carried.

Berg Ellingson asked for permission to canvass for musical instruments for 30 days. Moved by Councillor Cahoon and seconded by Councillor Hunt that as Mr. Ellingson has already paid \$15.00 his petition be granted. Carried.

A communication was read from F. W. Atkins making complaint against J. C. Cahoon in reference to waste water running from the premises of J. C. Cahoon to F. W. Atkins' property. Moved by Councillor Coombs and seconded by Councillor Cahoon that the Sec.-treasurer notify Mr. F. W. Atkins that the matter does not come within the jurisdiction of the Town Council and consequently

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