

NEWS OF THE DISTRICT

DICKSON. Bulletin News Service. There has been a tremendous scarcity of cattle here, so many were shipped last year to Calgary and Edmonton.

ATHABASCA LANDING. Bulletin News Service. T. P. O'Kelly, of Edmonton, was in the village a couple of days the past week, engaging men for Hilsop & Nagle's transport, which he will manage this season.

Great sympathy is felt in the district for the death of Mrs. Mary Ann, who died last week to a paralytic stroke. Mrs. Wiley had gone to visit her daughter about six weeks ago. Mr. Wiley did not return until last Tuesday.

Rev. C. F. Hopkins will leave in a few days for the west in the interests of the Methodist Church. He expects to spend about two months at Grand Prairie, with a view of establishing missions in the Peace River district.

The Northern Transportation Company is disappointed in getting its plant in shape for the coming season. Work is being rushed on the new steamer, "Northfield," which will be completed and launched next week.

The contract for supplying the government with poles for their telegraph line from Grand to Peace River crossing has been awarded to J. Tomkins at Grand Prairie.

Mr. Aschell, a German scientist, is in the village preparing to go down to Fort McMurray another prospecting tour.

The first turnover of farm property in this district was made last week, when J. Russell sold his homestead to Colin Johnston.

The ice in the Athabasca broke this afternoon about 3.30 and the ice now "running". This is the earliest record for the river to break up.

Abthasca Landing, March 31. Bulletin News Service. A meeting of the members of the Dairyman's Association and representatives of several wholesale produce firms in Calgary was held in Didsbury March 24th for the purpose of trying to form a dairy exchange in Calgary.

After the question of an exchange had been fully discussed it was decided that a system that had stood the test for a quarter of a century or more in Eastern Canada should work satisfactory in Alberta, and on a motion being made to form an exchange it was carried unanimously.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are taken as a rule all over the world, and are the best medicine for the stomach and liver.

MOSSIDE. Bulletin News Service. Many residents were much pleased and surprised by an address given in the school house by Rev. Mr. Power of Sion, who took for his text John 1st, chap. 9th verse. All hope the reverend gentleman will continue his visit here, and will under the divine blessing be a power for good.

The residents are sorry to hear of the accident to Mrs. Litchfield, who severely sprained her ankle some weeks ago and is still in bed.

Mr. Reynolds of Camrose, the genial and well known worker in a visit to the city last week.

Mr. G. Rogers returned from Bawlf on Tuesday and reports that prospects in that town are very good.

The men in Kingman are burning fire-brakes around the town.

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LOVDMINSTER. Bulletin News Service. A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Thursday afternoon at three o'clock in the Methodist Church, Rev. W. J. Wilson being the officiating minister. The happy pair were Miss Nixon, sister of Nixon Brothers, proprietors of the Alberta Hotel, and Oliver Barker, one of the most successful local agriculturists.

This week's shooting competition at the miniature rifle range by the officers and men of the "Blackburn" Light Horse was the third of the season, and as the next competition will be the final shooting was watched with keen interest by the crowd of onlookers.

The sale of the old-established business in Broadway, the Minister Restaurant and Boarding-house, takes back the memories of old-timers to the pioneer days, when Miss Posthumus started on the prairies the little business which has since grown into one of the largest and best-patronized boarding-houses in the city.

The incorporation of Ryley into a village is completed. An election for civic honors will shortly take place and then get down to business.

The baseball letters B.B.B. worn by the Ryley team on Friday elicited many and varied remarks among them.

The local machinery agents are wearing the smile that the wheat crop has brought them.

The fancy dress ball in Society hall was very poorly attended owing to unfavorable weather.

Miss Agnes Thorley has accepted a clerkship with T. Thrisk & Son.

Mr. Moran, general agent of the Great West Life Insurance Co., was in town, Friday.

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CAVALRY BRIGADE FOR ALBERTA AUTHORIZED. Ottawa, April 5.—Militia orders for Western Canada have been issued as follows: 25th Saskatchewan Light Horse. An increase in the establishment of this unit from two to four squadrons is authorized.

The organization of a brigade of cavalry with headquarters at Maple Creek and Swift Current respectively, to form the nucleus of a new regiment to be designated the "27th Light Cavalry" is authorized.

The organization of a field battery of artillery at Regina to be designated the "26th Battery" is authorized.

The organization of a regiment of rifles, consisting of six companies, designated the "1st Regiment of Cavalry Rifles," with regimental and camp headquarters, Calgary is authorized.

Military District No. 12—25th Alberta Rangers Squadron, Claresholm, Alta. "B" Squadron, Macleod; "C" Squadron, Cardston; "D" Squadron, Pincher Creek.

Military District No. 11—Canadian Mounted Rifles will in future be designated "British Columbia Horse."

Regular deposits of One, Two or Three Dollars grow into tens and hundreds, more quickly than larger ones made only occasionally.

It is a mistake to wait as some do, till they have accumulated a good-sized amount. Get the habit of depositing something every time you draw, every week or every fortnight.

THE TRADERS BANK OF CANADA. EDMONTON, ALTA.

SECOND NIGHT'S PERFORMANCE. Of Governor-General's Competition as Brilliant as First.

German Workmen Reject Wage Tariff. Berlin, April 6.—The prospect of the most extensive strike in the building trades which has ever occurred in Germany, is held out by the action of the delegates of the socialist faction of the trades unions, comprising 80,000 brick layers, carpenters, masons, painters and plasterers.

Assault Victim Wives Today. London, Ont., April 6.—Miss Frank, the victim in the assault last night, is worse today, and her recovery is very doubtful.

WETS AND DRIES BREAK EVEN. In Nebraska—Several Large Towns Return to "Wet". Omaha, Neb., April 5.—Municipal elections were held throughout Nebraska today, with the exception of Omaha and Lincoln.

National Trust Company Limited. MONEY TO LOAN. On improved farm property at lowest current rates. Low expense and no delay.

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THE BANK OF OTTAWA. ESTABLISHED 1874. Capital Authorized \$6,000,000. Capital Paid Up \$3,287,560. Rest and Undivided Profits \$3,753,468.

THE ROYAL TRUST CO. MONTREAL. Capital fully paid \$1,000,000. Reserve Fund \$800,000. Regular Savings Count Up. When deposited in the Traders Bank.

The Edmonton Seed House. 231 Rice Street. ALFALFA CLOVER. CLOVER. RHUBARB ROOTS. SEED PEAS. MUSHROOM SPAWN. ASPARAGUS ROOTS. STRAWBERRY PLANTS. Everything in Seeds.

GIN PILLS FREE, SO YOU CAN TRY THEM. Before You Buy Them. We certainly make it easy for anyone, who needs Gin Pills, to find out how valuable they are.

Albanians Pillage and Murder. Vienna, April 6.—An army corps of fourteen battalions has been sent from Constantinople to Albania, according to advices received here today.

Vertical text on the left margin containing various small advertisements and notices.