

The Albertan

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A PENT UP VIEW

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WHAT MAY HAPPEN

The cost of producing electricity has been very much cheapened during the last ten years.

The knowledge which we possess of electricity is yet very immature.

Thirty-five years ago very little was known of electricity.

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