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### Be There Without Fail

On the evening of Friday, April 22nd, the Y. L. M. I. A. will give a Basket Ball in the Assembly Hall. As may have been stated before, if there is one organization in our community more deserving of assistance than another it is the Mutual Associations. The ladies forming the committee, have spent a great deal of their time in preparing for the ball, and it is to be hoped their well laid plans and efforts will not go abegging for appreciation. Let there be a big turnout to the Basket Ball.

As spring assumes its wonted genial atmosphere there is a general stir and rustle among our mechanics and the saw and hammer so long silent are brought forth and their clatter and bang reverberates on every hand. New dwellings, new barns, new roofs, new yard fences are putting in appearances here and there and clearly indicate a busy season of general improvements ahead.

### Wedding Bells

W. J. Hoffman and Miss Marie Grun United in Marriage

A quite wedding was solemnized at the Titling Office, on Tuesday afternoon, when W. J. Hoffman was united in marriage to Miss Marie Grun, of Berlin, Germany, and more recently of Denver, Col. The ceremony was performed by Pres. Sterling Williams.

Mr. Hoffman, is one of Cardston's most worthy and popular young men, and the community in general will unite with the STAR in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman a long life of success and happiness. At present they will make their home in the Wight residence.

Among the marriage licenses issued in Salt Lake City, Utah, on Monday April 4th, were the following:-- C. A. Duke and Effie Skouson, Raymond, Z. N. Skouson and Bertha Thompson, Raymond, N. A. Sorrenson and Eleanor Redford, Leavitt.

## Proclamation

WHEREAS it is desirable that there should be a concerted effort made to clean away the refuse that has accumulated during the winter, and WHEREAS it appears that this object can be best attained by declaring a holiday for the purpose;

THEREFORE, I, JAMES C. CAHOON, Acting Mayor of the Town of Cardston, under the authority vested in me by the Town Council do hereby declare

Wednesday, the 13th. day of April, 1910

a Civic Holiday for that purpose, and call upon all good and public spirited citizens to spend the day in cleaning their yards and the streets in front of their respective properties.

Teams will be furnished by the Town to draw away all refuse gathered into heaps from the streets.

Given under my hand this 7th day of April, 1910.

J. O. CAHOON,  
Acting Mayor.

### Board of Trade Concert

A free concert by the Board of Trade was held in the Assembly Hall on Saturday evening, and a goodly crowd was present.

The program, which was a long and varied one, was rendered in a style both interesting and entertaining, and reflects great credit on each and all who took part. It was as follows:

1. Word of explanation.--Pres. D. S. Beach.
2. Piano Solo.--Joseph Banner.
3. Song, (A Dream).--Miss Hannop.
4. Selection.--Glee Club (R. Cure, M. Woolf, J. Low, F. Layne, Mabel Henson, Beth Newton, Etta Dowdle and Mrs. Fanny Brown.)
5. Selection, (Hamlet's Soliloquy)--Dr. O. D. Weeks. encore.
6. Song, (Land of Hope and Glory) D. S. Beach, assisted by Dr. Ardiel, R. Cure, N. Blaxall and Mr. Pickup.
7. Speech (Benefits derived from the Board of Trade).--Martin Woolf.
8. Duett (What the Wild Waves are Saying)--Mr. Jos. Banner and Mrs. Geo. Banner.
9. Solo (There's a Land)--Dr. Ardiel. encore.
10. Solo (The Holy City)--Mrs. Geo. Banner.
11. Selection (The Cremation of Sam McGee)--Dr. O. D. Weeks. encore.
12. Song, (Goodbye Sweetheart, Goodbye).--Miss Hannop. encore.
13. Song, Glee.
14. God Save the King.

Among those deserving of special mention are Dr. Ardiel, Miss Hannop and Mrs. Geo. Banner, for the excellent solos they sang, as was the duett by Mr. Jos. Banner, and Mrs. George Banner, and the Piano Solo by Mr. Banner, which was rendered in a very pleasing manner. The recitations by Dr. O. D. Weeks were greatly appreciated, and the speech by Martin Woolf was listened to with interest.

Pres. D. S. Beach made a most acceptable chairman.

### Much Activity In Building

Cardston and surrounding towns in the district are going to experience considerable activity in building this spring. Real estate transfers are frequent and a good many people are looking for favorable locations on which to erect homes.

In Cardston, aside from the new tabernacle, the most important structure in prospect is a two story brick building for the Cardston Implement Co. Ltd. This building is being erected on the site just north of the company's present building, and when completed will be used for hardware, etc.

Several new residences are in course of erection. J. C. Cahoon is building a \$3,000 residence just south of Dr. Stacpool's. A. M. Heppler will also build this spring on the corner lot facing the Reserve, across the street from W. O. Lee.

Considering the early season of the year, with the building already under way, it is sure that the close of 1910 in the Cardston district will see many remarkable changes.

In the spring a deeper crimson comes upon the robin's breast. In the spring the wanton lapwing finds herself another nest. In the spring the kids on rollers skate around the city blocks. In the spring the young man's fancy lightly turns to dizzy socks.

### Horse Show and Sale

The Cardston Horse Show and Sale has passed into history, and it has proved to be a tremendous success, and it is difficult to find words that can really express the acme of enthusiasm, for the show was a credit to Alberta let alone the Cardston district.

D. C. Robertson, Edmonton, as judge, gave satisfaction to all, and he had his work cut out too for the classes of horses contained many whose excellencies called for the greatest skill and judgement in sorting out the very best. This was especially evident in the heavy horse classes and Mr. Robertson surely deserves praise for his selection of winners.

The judging started at Saturday noon, on the square west of the O. K. Barn. Fully two hundred horse lovers leaned over the ropes of the big judging ring, and each one constituted himself into an unofficial judge, picked winners and was overjoyed or disgusted as the judge's decisions coincided or disagreed with their own opinions.

People were present from every portion of the country, and taking the whole show together with the weather thrown in, there is no place in southern Alberta where a more successful event of this kind has been held.

The aged Clydes brought forth eight entries, and they were all magnificent animals. There was keen competition for the honors. Etonian, owned by Jas. Hansen, won first, Granite Prince, owned by A. Calder took second and the 3rd prize went to the horse owned by Charles Broadbent.

At the conclusion of the judging in this class, and in speaking about the qualities of the different horses, Mr. Robertson stated that the second prize winner Granite Prince was one of the finest animals of its class he had seen in this country, and that it was a pity he was not in better show shape, as an animal of his build should be a first prize winner every time.

Upon enquiry the STAR has learned that the horse in question has only been in the district a few weeks, which explains the poor show condition. The animal was bought in the Pincher Creek district by its present owner, A. Calder.

In the two year old Clydes, W. Hurd took first and Jas. Anderson second prize.

There was only one entry in the yearling class which went to Thos. White.

The Percheron Breed, also, was well filled. In the aged class there were seven entries. The first prize ribbon was captured by a Pincher Creek horse, the 2nd by H. Williams, Leavitt, and the third by Mr. Spencer, Kimball.

The light horses and other classes were strongly contested, and created considerable interest. We are unable to give the list of winners in this issue.

A grand parade in which over thirty animals took part brought the show to a close.

### At The Assembly Hall Saturday, April 9th

Miss Cissie Simms formerly with the "Merry Widow Co." will appear with the Greve's Concert Co. for a short summer engagement. Miss Simms has been engaged as prima dona for that stupendous production "Little Nemo" but will not commence her duties with the New York Co. until Sept. and until then, will appear with Prof. Greves and his orchestra,