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Post Reading Room

We are showing a nice line of Wool Scarfs, Made-up Veils and Evening Head Scarfs in the leading shades

Furniture

Our car of Furniture in this week. Come and see our stock before buying elsewhere. Prices are the best.

Special Bedstead, best Dominion Springs and good Mattress, all for \$13.50. A snap. Come and see them.

Prints

We have the best bargain in prints ever offered to the public

Factory

32 inch best English stamped Factory, fast colors, and a variety of patterns and shades. Only twenty pieces left. Come and get your choice.

H. S. ALLEN & Co., Ltd.
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Southern Alberta's most up-to-date hotel
CARDSTON - ALBERTA

The Alberta Drug & Book Co.

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LETHBRIDGE - AND - CARDSTON

Everything in
DRUGS, STATIONERY, SCHOOL BOOKS
FISHING TACKLE, KODAKS and Supplies.
Quality first, Price next

TAI SANG & COMPANY

RESTAURANT and BAKERY

Just Arrived for Christmas !!!

A large assortment of

Chinese Silks and Chinaware

These goods will be sold at a remarkably low price. Call and examine them.

THE CARDSTON SADDLERY CO.

S. H. HORNER - MANAGER

Just opening in the Mercantile Block, where a full line of

Harness and Horse Furnishings will be kept

GIVE US A CALL AND EXAMINE OUR STOCK
REPAIRING DONE IN A NEAT AND WORKMANSHIP MANNER

Wedding Bells

At the Presbyterian Manse, Nov. 7th, by Rev. A. W. R. Whiteman, B. A. Miss. Grace Greenwood, daughter of Mr. David Greenwood, Mountain View was united in marriage to Mr. Clifford Adair Caldwell, second son of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Caldwell.

Fill Elevators With Grain

The elevators at Raley have so far this season handled about 75,000 bushels of wheat and a considerable quantity of oats. Mr. Flock is starting a steam outfit—the first to be brought into the district.

The elevators at Spring Coulee have taken in 200,000 bushels of Spring wheat already this season. The grain graded up well and averaged up about forty bushels to the acre. A good deal of the crop is still in the granaries. The acreage next year will be about double the amount in crop this year in the Spring Coulee district.

Board of Trade Ball

On Friday evening, December 4th the Board of Trade will give a Ball in the Assembly Hall. Preparations are being made to have a good time and it is desired that every person will turn out and lend their support in making the affair a grand success.

Wheat Yield at Raymond

Raymond, Nov. 25.—Raymond can produce other things besides sugar beets. Already this season 80,000 bushels of wheat have been marketed for which the farmers received \$53,000. The yield averaged 35 to 40 bushels per acre, but in some cases went as high as fifty bushels to the acre. The Ellison Milling Co. expect to have their mill in operation throughout the entire year as was the case during last year. Business has increased this fall so much that the company found it necessary to secure additional outside and office help.

Some Local Testimonials

(Claresholm Review)

1. FROM CARDSTON, ALTA.

"At the time Local Option was voted on here I was apposed to it, thinking it would retard the growth of the town and would lessen the trade in stores, etc. But now after several years of local option I am thoroughly convinced to the contrary and believe that the people and store-keepers are many thousand dollars to the good. There is not one-tenth of the liquor sold that there was when we had license, and the people here will never stand for a license."

Mark Spencer, Mayor.

2. FROM RAYMOND, ALTA.

"I am happy to report that local option is working very satisfactorily in Raymond where it has been in force over six years and so satisfied are our citizens with it that no vote has been brought on to repeal the act."

J. H. Rivers, M. D., Mayor.

Monday, December 7th is nomination day for Municipal officers and school trustees. Who are going to run for the Office of Mayor and the other offices? Cardston needs the best of her citizens in the public offices of the town.

Alberta Stake Quarterly Conference

Large Attendance—Wards Well Represented—Excellent Discourses

The Quarterly Conference of the Alberta Stake of Zion, convened in the Assembly Hall on Saturday and Sunday. The meetings were well attended and much interest was manifested.

The program of the Sunday Evening service was as follows:—

Opening hymn, "Israel Awake from Thy Long Silent Slumber."

Prayer offered by Elder Ben Wood.

Antem by choir "Jerusalem My Glorious Home."

Pres. W. O. Lee was the first speaker. He was pleased to see so many present, and spoke for a few minutes on attendance at the Mutual meetings.

Sister Ivey spoke of the 1st. organization of the Mutual in Cardston which took place 21 years ago in a log room. The wonderful improvement. The value of Mutual work and Preparation Class at home.

A beautiful selection was rendered by the Cardston Glee Club.

Elder J. T. Brudd gave a lecture from the Senior Manual, entitled "The laws of nature."

Vocal Solo by Mrs. Fanny Brown.

Miss Edith Harker gave a lecture

from the Young Ladies course entitled "Work of the Apostles in Jerusalem."

A beautiful Piano Solo was rendered by Mr. Banner.

The Ladies Quartette, (Mrs. D. E. Harris Jr. Miss Ida Archibald, Miss Sadie Wolsey and Mrs. Fanny Brown) rendered a beautiful selection.

Newel Brown gave a short interesting lecture from the Junior Manual, entitled "Joseph Smith Sr."

A clarinet Duett "Star of the East" was rendered by Messrs. Nile Brown and Myron Layton.

The choir rendered the Anthem "An Angel from on High."

Elder Perry Jordan was the next speaker. He was pleased to be back in our midst once more, and had noticed many improvements.

Elder Russel Sloan bore his testimony and exhorted the young men to be diligent in their duties.

Elder Walter Low spoke on the Literary course in connection with the Mutual Work.

The choir sang for the closing Anthem, "Song of the Redeemed."

Benediction was offered by Elder Wm. Wood.

Claresholm Will

Not Go Dry

Local Option Defeated by Twenty-two and Six on a Straight Vote

Claresholm, Nov. 23.—After a keen fight by both parties, the local option bylaw was beaten today by a vote of 97 to 91.

As the Alberta law, which is taken from the old Territorial Act, is copied from the Ontario

Act, 60 per cent was necessary to carry the bylaw. That meant 113 votes. Accordingly local option was defeated by 22 votes.

This is the first time that a local option law has been voted upon in the province of Alberta.

MORE RAILWAYS FOR ALBERTA

Announcement of Great Importance to this Province is made by Premier Rutherford

Edmonton, Nov. 24.—"Alberta is to have the railways it needs."

This was the important announcement handed out by Premier Rutherford this morning and the policy of the Government to bring this about was outlined in these words:

"I and my colleagues have given on the railway question a great

deal of thought and have thoroughly weighed the advantages of immediate railway construction. A policy of railway extension throughout all parts of the province has now been decided upon, and you are at liberty to say that I will give my best endeavors to the advancement of this project."

Railway Work Next Season

Cazier Bros. say much Construction Work in View in Neighborhood of Lethbridge

Lethbridge, Nov. 20.—The Cazier Bros. Construction Co. this week completed the grading of the Macleod-Lethbridge cut-off. This firm held a sub-contract from Messrs Janse and Macdonald for the construction of the grade from the west end of the big Lethbridge bridge to the site of the bridge across the Old Man river at Kipp, including the deep cut right west of this city. The grading outfits

and crews pulled into Lethbridge on Tuesday.

Asked by the News if they had any work in hand for the winter, Mr. Cazier who was registered at the Dallas on Wednesday, said "No," but in answer to further questions that there were several big railway contracts in view in the neighborhood of Lethbridge for next season,

New Appointments

In the Alberta Gazette of Nov. 14th, we notice the following appointments:—

Process Issuers.

Martia Woolf, of Cardston.

Orson O. Wooley, of Magrath.

Sheriff's Bailiffs.

Fred Hyde Turner, of Magrath.

Zebulun Young Jacobs, of Cardston.

Sudden Death at Magrath

Magrath, Alta., November 20th.

—A particularly sad death occurred here this morning about 10 o'clock when Mrs. Nephi Harker passed away. Deceased had only been married one month when her husband was called away to perform a mission for the Church of Latter Day Saints in the Northern States. He had not been released when the death of his wife occurred. A telegram has been sent to him and it is expected that he will be able to return in time for the funeral. The late Mrs. Harker had been taken ill last Monday night, but nothing serious was anticipated. On Thursday evening the disease suddenly took a dangerous turn and the climax came this morning. The sympathy of the whole community goes out to the bereaved husband and his wife's relatives.

Meeting of Stock Holders

Great Falls, Montana, Nov. 21st, 1908.

A stockholders meeting of the Reid Mining, Milling and Smelting Company of Great Falls, Montana, was held at the Law Offices of Berry and Bennett, the principal office and place of business of the Company, [Rooms 17-18 Phelps' Block, Great Falls, Montana, this date.

L. H. Jelliff, of Spring Coulee, Alberta, Canada, was elected a Director, and Vice President of the Company, and Howard G. Bennet of the above firm of Attorney's was elected a Director and Secretary.

The Officers, R. W. Berry, President; L. H. Jelliff, Vice Pres; Howard G. Bennet, Secretary, and E. W. Reid, Treasurer.

J. H. Van Pelt, one of the Directors, was elected Manager of the Company with a fixed salary of \$100. per month for such time as he shall actually be employed in the interests of said Company.

Owing to reports of experts and also from the fact that important new discoveries were made during the past summer, the Treasury stock was increased from 100 to 250 per share for the present and prospects point to a sharp advance as soon as development work opens in the Spring.

Mr. Van Pelt as Manager, is authorized to make all purchases of supplies and carry on the active operations of the Company at the mine.

The following named persons are directors of the Company; E. W. Reid, D. McDonald, R. W. Berry, Oscar Fuller and H. G. Bennet, all of Great Falls, Montana; J. H. Van Pelt, E. N. Barker, of Cardston, Alberta; L. H. Jelliff of Spring Coulee, Alberta and Thomas Atkins of Macleod, Alberta.

Plans were presented by Eastern capital looking toward the early development of the Company, and J. H. Van Pelt and L. H. Jelliff were authorized to confer with these Eastern parties, and they will leave for the East in the near future.