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Cardston Takes First Prizes

At the recent Provincial Exhibition at Calgary, Cardston captured the first prize in Brome Grass, Alfalfa, and Carrots. These exhibits were grown by Arthur Perry on his ranch at the St. Mary's River and were sent by him direct to the Fair.

Little Child Passes Away

Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Nielson had the misfortune of losing their seventeen-month-old baby girl on Saturday morning. The child had been sick for only a week. The funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon, 5 o'clock, at the residence of the parents. The speakers were: Bishop D. E. Harris, Elder Martin Wolf and Pres. Edw. J. Wood. The ward choir was also present.

The bereaved family have the sincere sympathy of all their friends in their sorrow.

Wedding Bells

ANDERSON—ALDRIDGE

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday afternoon last, the contracting parties being Miss Amy Aldridge and Mr. Joseph Anderson.

The happy couple have the very best wishes of a large circle of friends and acquaintances for a long and happy voyage on the sea of matrimony.

KENDELL—PUTNAM

On Saturday evening, July 24th the Rev. A. W. R. Whiteman united in marriage, Miss Glennie May Putnam and Mr. Charlie Kendall, Spring Coulee. The marriage was celebrated at the home of the brides parents and in the presence of numerous friends,

Route of the Canadian Western

New Railway To Run From Calgary Through Cardston to Butte

Pincher Creek, July 30.—Engineers locating the line of the Calgary to Butte railway for the Canadian Western railway were in town yesterday looking over the ground for the best route into Pincher Creek. The surveying party is camped about twenty-five miles northwest of town on the Walrond ranch.

The engineers were very reticent in regard to the route, but it is learned on good authority that it will most likely be from Calgary south a few miles west of the C. & E. to De Winton, then veer west, cross High River about twenty-five miles west of that town at the Bar-U ranch. Then through the pass at the head of Willow Creek south through the Walrond ranch in the valley between the Porcupine and Livingstone ranges, crossing the north fork of the Old Man river and the Crow's Nest railway near Cowley and south-east to Pincher Creek. From here the new road will pass through Yarow and Twin Butte Valleys to Cardston, afterwards crossing the international boundary at Whiskey Pass. From Walrond ranch a spur will be built to the coal mines in the Livingstone range and extended to Michel and Elk river. It is believed that the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway company will finance the undertaking for the promoters as they are already heading this way.

Lumber Company Changes Hands

The Stacy Lumber Company of Lethbridge, have purchased the yards, buildings, etc. belonging to the Rogers-Cunningham Lumber Co. the transaction taking place the first of the week. The new firm will continue the business, and will carry a full and complete stock of building materials.

Mr. W. Lumsden, who has been in charge of the yards, will continue in the management.

Results in Standard VI

The successful candidates at the Standard VI examinations in Cardston are:—Brown, Newel S.; Cahoon, Spencer; Glenn, John; Neil, Frank; Peterson, Oliver G.; Wilcox, Lavera L.; Wolsey, Lita.

Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Nielson, wishes to thank their friends and acquaintances, who so kindly assisted them, during the recent illness and death of their little girl, Fern Ellan.

Challenge

Kimball, July 30, 1909.

To the Editor of the Alberta Star.

Dear Sir:—

I would be pleased if you would insert the following in the next issue of your paper:

I will just say I am prepared to wrestle my old friend John Ellison for any amount of money up to \$500.00.

I hope your health has improved, John, since I challenged you before and I also hope I don't have to chase you around Cardston two or three days taking the chill out of your feet which I had to do before. I will wrestle you two best out of three, Police Gazette rules to govern and wrestle to a finish, no draw.

This challenge will hold good for fifteen days.

Yours truly,
C. A. Jensen.

Daily Train Service to Great Falls

Trains will leave Lethbridge daily except Sunday at 9:30 a. m. and arrive at Great Falls at 10 p. m. Coming north, trains will leave Great Falls at 10 a. m. arriving at Lethbridge at 7:50 p. m.

Passengers will make the usual change of cars at Virden, Montana, both going and coming.

Orton News

Orton, Alta.,
Aug. 2, '09

Editor Alberta Star.

Dear Sir:—

I am sorry to inform you of a sad event which happened at Orton on July 30 and resulted in the death of the six year old daughter of Oliver Orr. It appears that Vera with another little girl named Carry McMurray were in the garden and ate something that brought on sickness. Carry improved but Vera turned worse and, although every effort was made by physicians and friends she died Sunday morning August 1st. The funeral took place the day following and was largely attended by sympathizing friends. The remarks of the Bishop and Elders Thelin and Henson were very timely and appropriate.

The grave was dedicated by Elder Albert Henson.

Mrs. James McMurry has also been seriously sick but is on the way to recovery.

—Special Correspondent.

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