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Printer Recalls Buffalo Hunt Of Early Days

MacLeod, Alta. — Thomas Clarke figures he took part in one of the country's last wild buffalo hunts—from a train. And they didn't get the buffalo.

A pioneer Alberta printer, Clarke was on his way west in 1884 with a troop of Mounties. He believes he was the first man to set type for the Calgary Herald which started publication in the 1890's. The Mounties of course had already been on the prairies for 10 years. They came to MacLeod in 1875, the year that Clarke landed at Quebec with his parents from Suffolk, England, where he was born in 1863.

His father settled near Owen Sound, Ont., and young Clarke became an apprentice printer at Meaford, but the spirit of adventure caused him to move west in 1872. He got a job with the old Winnipeg Sun but soon enlisted in the Northwest Mounted Police.

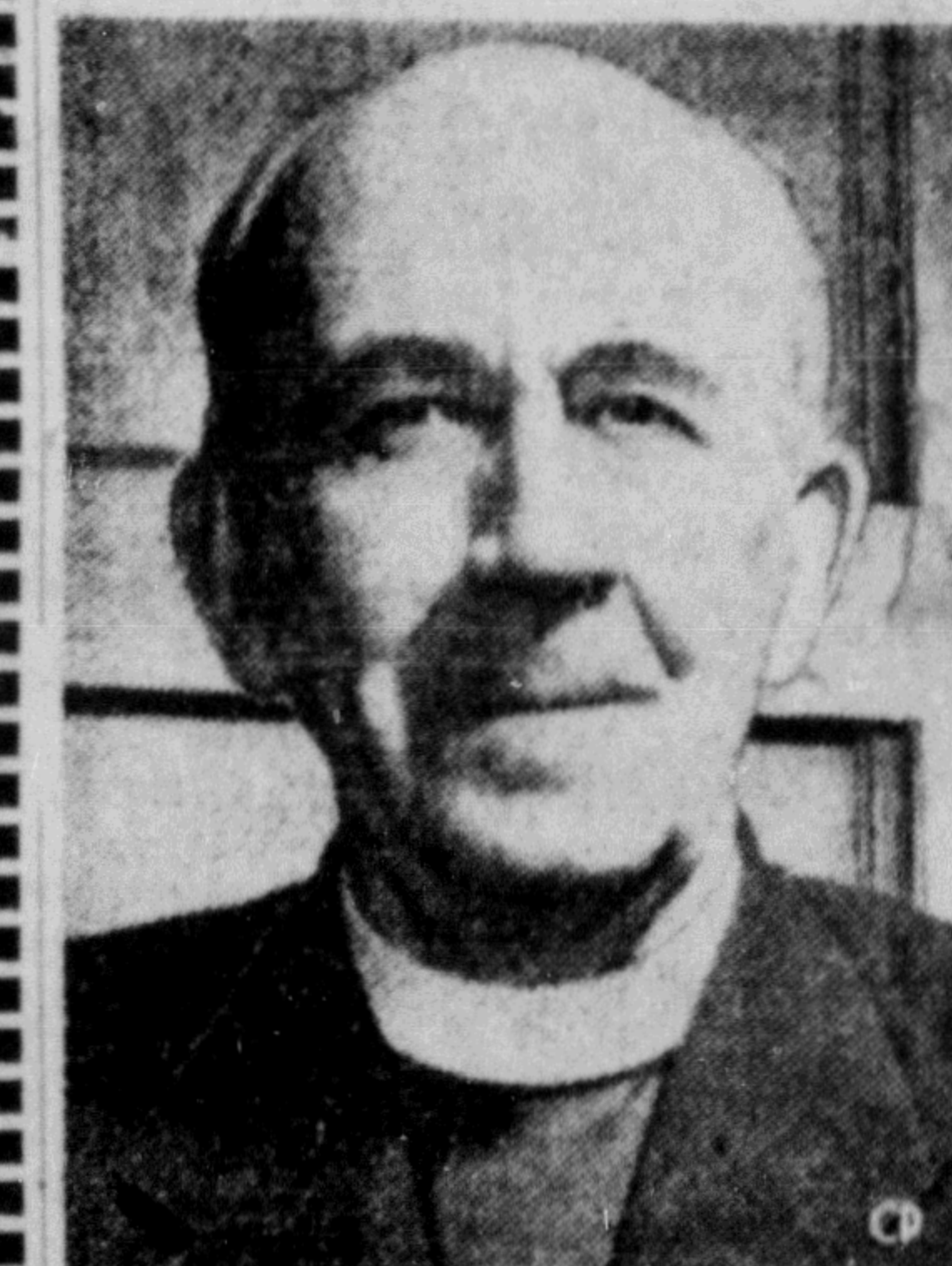
He was sent to Qu'Appelle, Sask., then to Regina and helped to build the Regina police barracks. From there he went to Maple Creek, Sask., and on to Calgary in 1884.

It was on the train ride from Medicine Hat to Calgary, Clarke recalls, that a brakeman came into the coach and said there was a buffalo up the tracks.

"Everybody grabbed a carbine, regardless of number—the police numbered everything, even the men—and stuck them through windows and fired away as we passed. But nobody hit the buffalo."

Clarke was given permission to work as a printer in Calgary while still in the police force, but in 1887 he got a job with the Macleod Gazette. Later, with his brother Fred, he started the Macleod Advance and Southern Alberta Advertiser.

He still has the equipment to turn out business cards and handbills at his home, but says that at his age "a fellow shakes a bit too much" to hold a stick of type.



ANGELICAN METROPOLITAN
—Rt. Rev. Robert J. Renison, 77, has been elected Anglican Metropolitan of the ecclesiastical province of Ontario. Previously Bishop of Moosonee, he becomes archbishop of that diocese. He succeeds Most Rev. John Lyons of Kingston, who recently retired as metropolitan due to ill health. The new metropolitan will be enthroned June 9 at Christ Church cathedral in Hamilton. (CP PHOTO)

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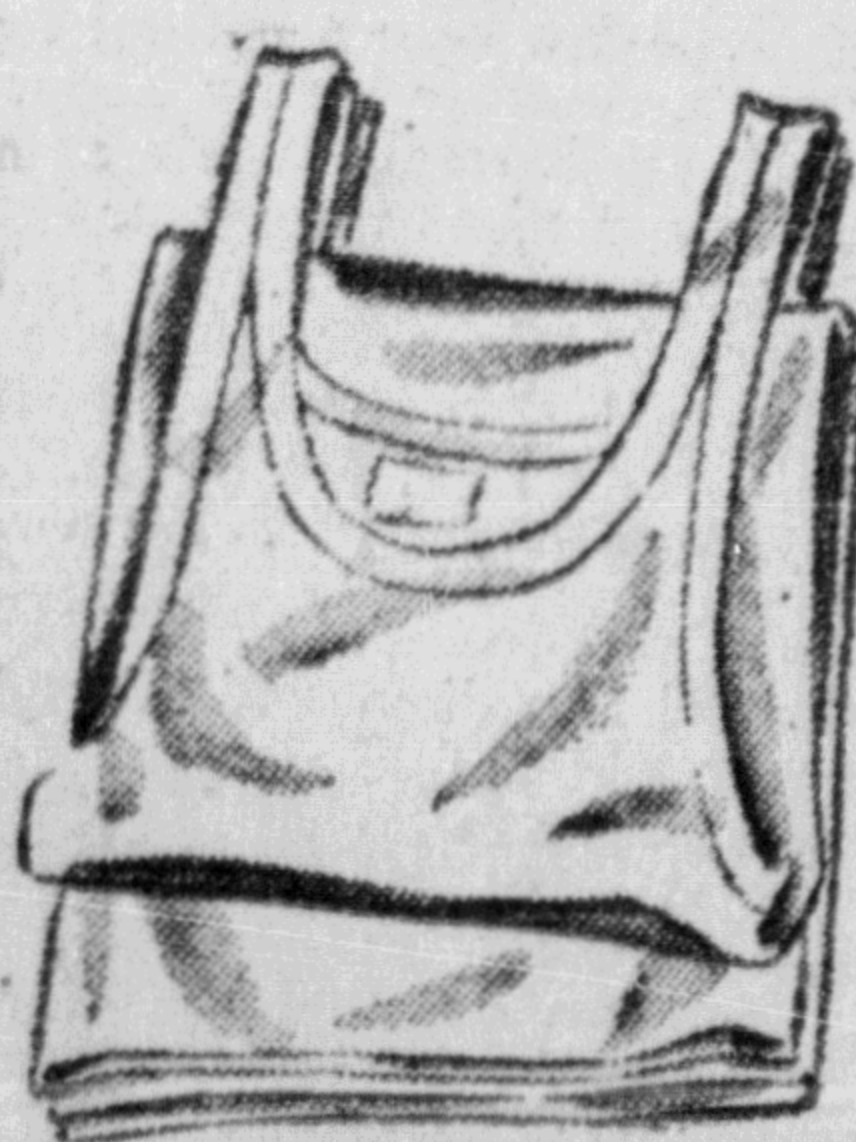


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