The Franz Franzovich Hubert Family Starting Again in Canada

Der Anfang in Kanada

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Southern Alberta at the Time of the Arrival of the Hubert Family

Late 1920s and early 1930s

Funeral of Helena (Hübert) Giesbrecht – 1924

Back: **Jacob, Heinrich, Johann, Tina, Peter, Liese**
Front**: Susie, Mieche, David, Henry Giesbrecht**
Susan & Helen, Helena's daughters in front.

The Country of Canada

Das Land Kanada

In the 1920s

Traditional Indian Living

Houses like this are used today only for exhibitions.

http://apachetracker.blogspot.ca/2009/10/american-indian-teepee.html

American Bison

These animals were used by Indians on the plains for nearly all their needs: leather, meat, tools etc.

Eskimo Snow House—Igloo

Not all Canadians live in houses like this!! They are built in an emergency. Sometimes they are used during a hunt lasting several days.

Northern Canadians in dress-up furs.

Northern Lights over Yellowknife
Nordlichter

Many people come from east Asia to see these lights in the sky.
They come to Yellowknife in winter and sit in the cold to see them.

Flora and Fauna

- The animals that existed in Canada in the 1920s are the same species that exist today.

- There are unfortunately only fewer of them today

Polar Bears - (Eisbär)

Innocent looking but very dangerous.

Musk Oxen in the Arctic

Northern Caribou Herd

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Timber Wolf

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A Grizzly Bear Fishing

Canadian Moose

Mountain Sheep

Mountain Goat (Bergziege)

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Mountain Goat

Canadian Government (Regierung) in 1920s

- King and Parliament
- Part of the British Commonwealth
- Canada has 10 Provinces

King George V

King of Great Britain
and Canada
1910 to 1936

Canada’s legal Flag until 1965

Parliament of Canada, Ottawa, Ontario

Mackenzie King

Liberal Party Leader

& Prime Minister

1921-26

1926-30

1935-48

Alberta joined Canada in 1905

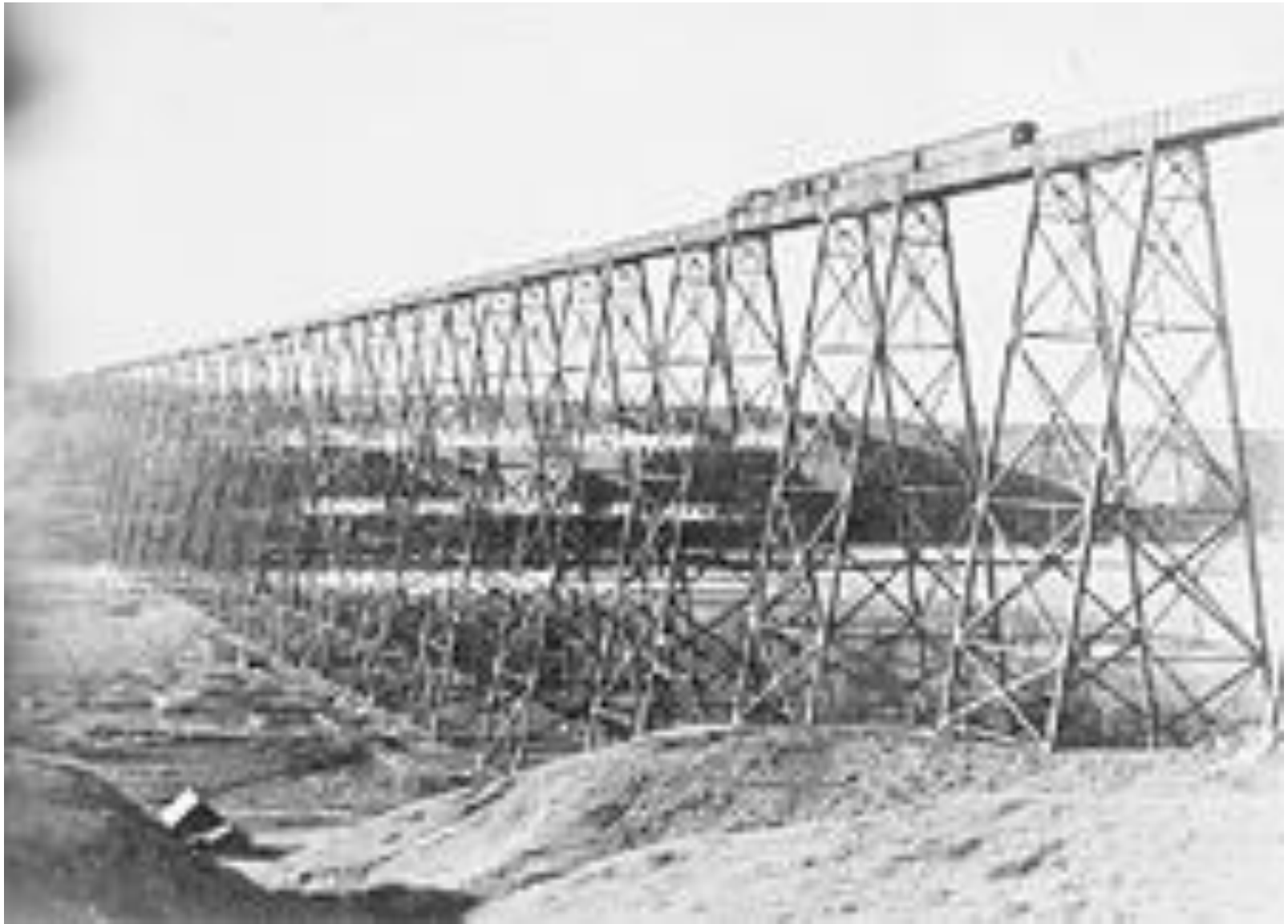
Calgary Stampede

“The Greatest Outdoor Show on Earth”

City of Lethbridge, Alberta

The City Near the
Hubert Immigrants

Rail Bridge completed in 1909



Lethbridge Railroad Bridge, Eisenbahnbrücke

over Oldman River

1624 m long

96 m high

Galt Hospital (1910-55)

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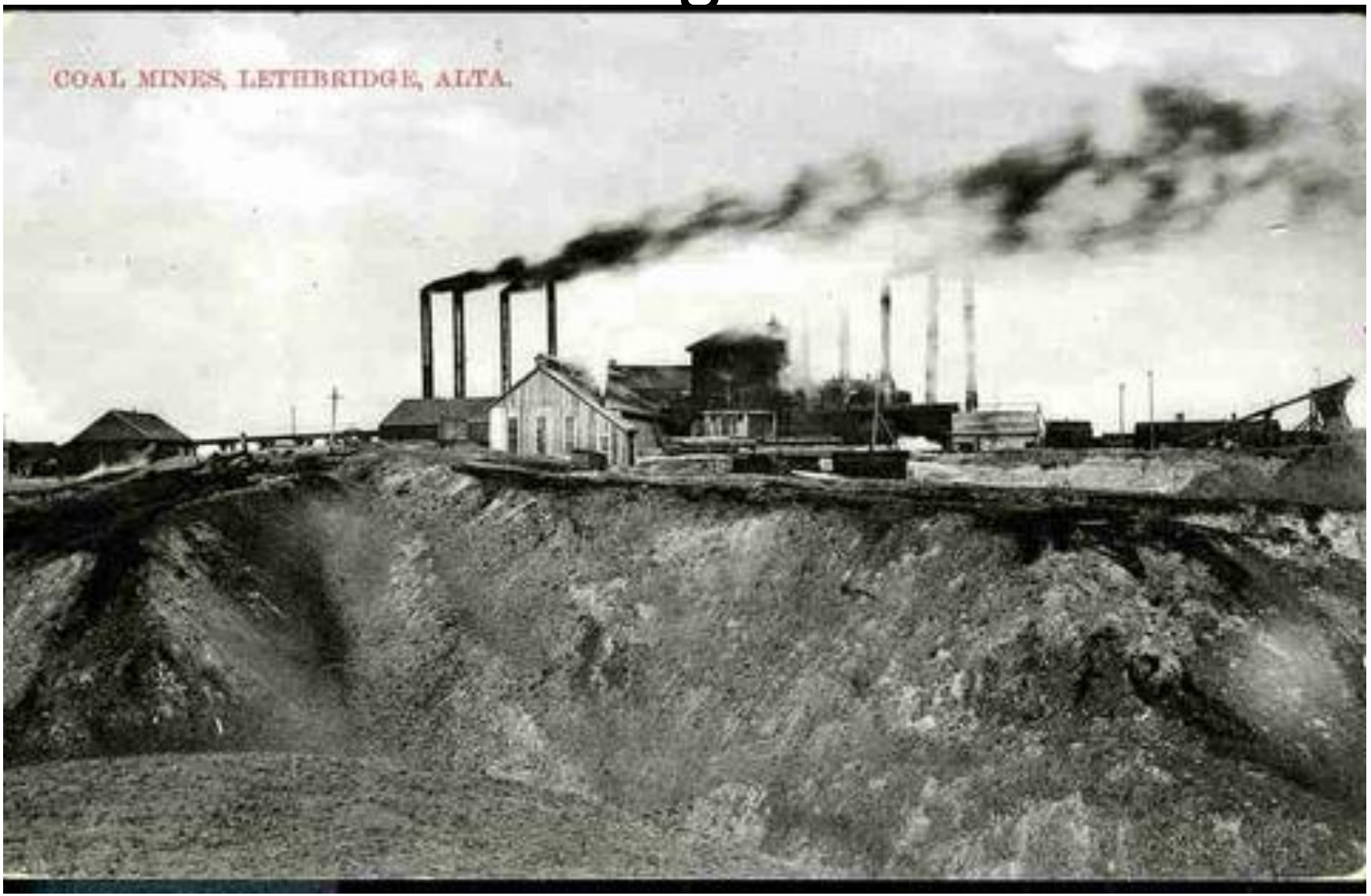
Lethbridge 1911

Lethbridge 1931

Fifth Street South, Lethbridge, in 1931.

Galbraith School, Lethbridge, 1920s

Coal Mining in Alberta



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Post Office Building completed 1913

Machines Pushing Snow from Roads

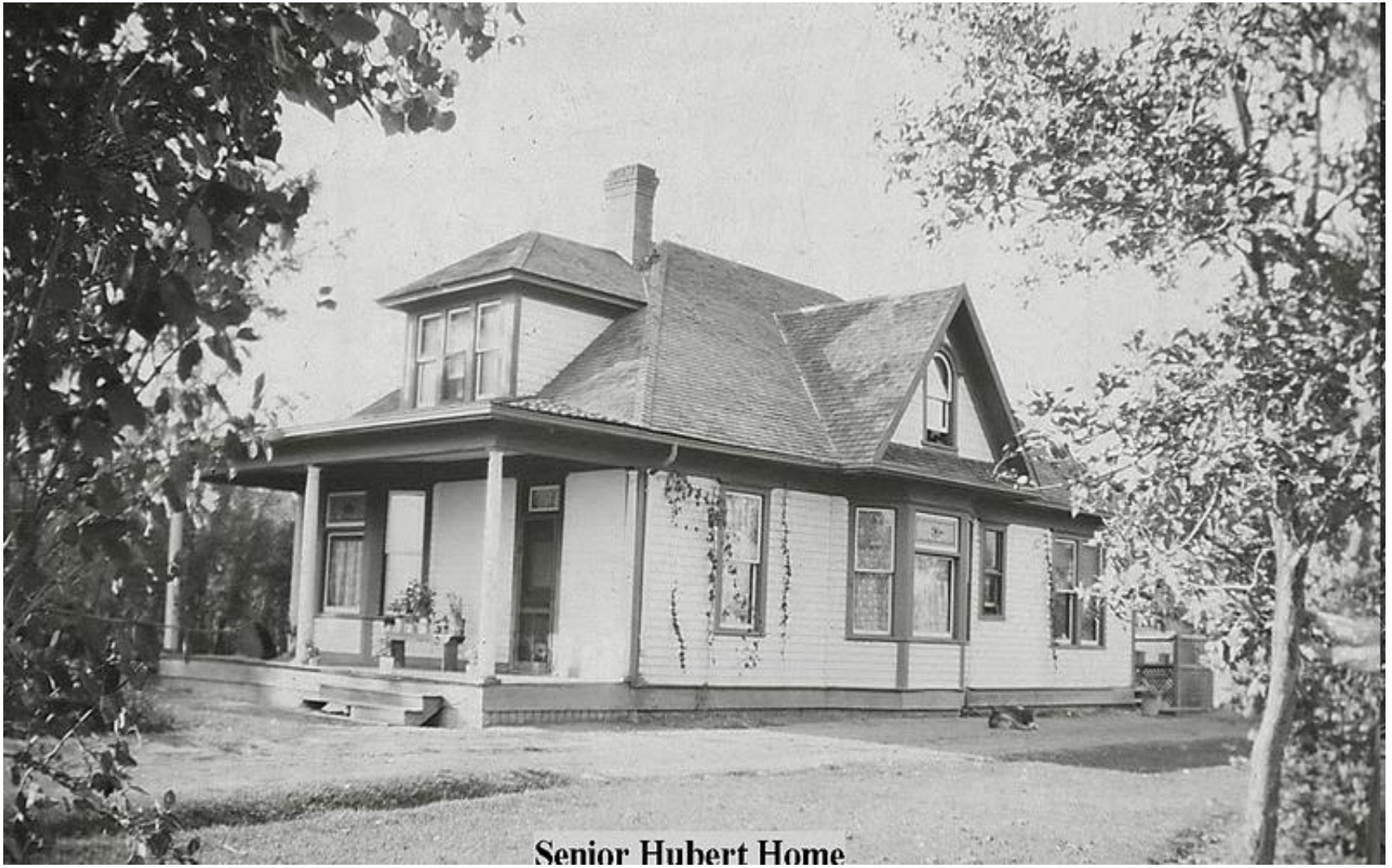
Clearing Snow from Roads

http://cwmags.com/brochures/Caterpillar/Motor_Grader_Application_Guide/files/assets/seo/page37.html

Entering Coaldale, Alberta

Franz F. Hubert Family (1937)

Hubert Home in Coaldale



The Hubert home is still inhabited (2015). The barn in the background of the next photo is part of the same farmyard. The barn has since been torn down.

Mary and Elizabeth (Mieche and Liese) on the steps of the old house

Cleaning fish on the Farm in Coaldale

Center: Franz F. Hubert; far right: his wife Helena Barg Hubert

Hubert’s Barn in Old Age

2015 The Old House Refurbished

Jacob F. and Agnes Family, 1954

Farm Home of Jacob F. And Agnes 1947-1970

Henry F. and Nelly Hubert, 1952

The Farm Home of Henry F. And Nelly 1949-1971

Farmer, Peter F. Hubert with Liese, Franz F. and Mieche

- L to R

Elizabeth Hubert

Franz F. Hubert

Mary Hubert

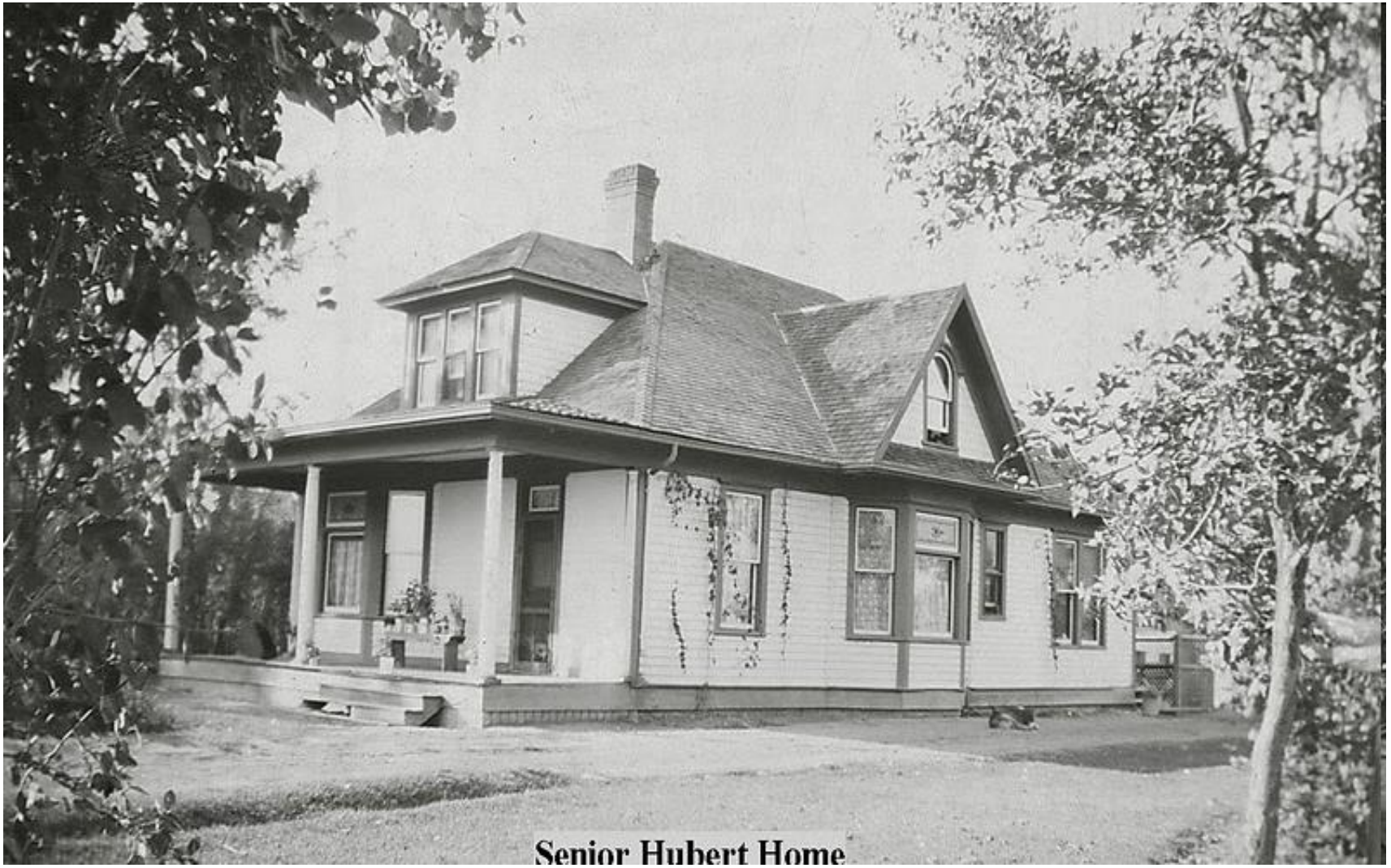
Peter F. Hubert

Retirement Home of Franz Franzovich, with Mary, Elizabeth and Peter

Farmer David F, Mary & Family

1970

Farm Home of David F. and Mary



Home: David F, now John Allen

Winter Sports in Coaldale

Hubert Families that Moved from Alberta to British Columbia

- Henry Giesbrecht Family
- Tina Hubert and John Kroeker Family
- Susanna Hubert and Jake Martens Family

Henry Giesbrecht with third wife and family

Back: **Ben, Henry, Pete & Helen Klassen, Sue, Mary, Walter, Peter, Ed, Jake**
Front: Frank & Martha with son Gordon,(boy) Walter Klassen, Agatha, (boy) Herman Klassen, Henry, (boys) Bob & Rick on Kay's lap (Jake's wife).

Katharina Hubert and John Kroeker

Tina and John were
married in 1933
in Coaldale
but lived
in British Columbia

Susanna Hubert & Jacob Martens

They were married
in Coaldale in 1936
but lived many years
in northern BC

Items in the Home in 1920s

- No phone
- No television
- Not even radio
- No indoor plumbing except maybe a pump
- Coal stove for cooking and heating
- Coal oil lamps
- Ice box for cooling

Wagon with Coal

Coal Delivery “to your door”

Coal Oil Lamps

Hurricane lamps burn coal oil

Water Pump in the Kitchen

Cutting Blocks of Ice for an Ice House

Cutting Ice with Metal Saws

Cutting Ice for the “Ice House”

Ice House in Winter for Ice Cream in Summer

Grain Growing

1920s and today

Planting Grain with Horses

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Planting Grain Using a Tractor

Cutting and Binding Grain

McCormick Deering Binder

Franz operated a custom threshing business

A threshing crew of Franz F Hubert

Taken in the early 1930's. Henry Hubert, Redekopp, John and Pete Martens, Cornelius Voth, Reimer, Jake Martens, Jake Hubert and Mr. Hubert.

https://www.google.ca/search?q=photo+seeding+grain+with+horses&espv=2&biw=1332&bih=825&tbm=isch&imgil=SEYELHWn36LnbM%253A%253BXVLB_RrFkvEVmM%253Bhttp%25253A%25252F%25252Fwww.westerncanadianheritagemuseum.com%25252Fseeding-grain-with-a-drill&source=iu&pf=m&fir=SEYELHWn36LnbM%253A%252CXVLB_RrFkvEVmM%252C_&usg=__wcqfJUMlxg95Sr6uG0-qQEQFyCc%3D&dpr=0.75&ved=0CCYQyjc&ei=ZOtyVYG8K9KXyASc7IHoDQ#imgrc=ioE6xryVEE0dnM%253A%3BVIZnXoIsozUTwM%3Bhttp%253A%252F%252Fupload.wikimedia.org%252Fwikipedia%252Fcommons%252Fa%252Fa7%252FThreshing_Machine_In_Action.jpg%3Bhttp%253A%252F%252Fen.wikipedia.org%252Fwiki%252FThreshing_machine%3B4752%3B3168

Power Transmission by Flat Belt

Grains of Wheat
Weizenkörner

Large Gasoline Tractor of 1920s

http://dsmdonaldson.tripod.com/id47.htm This is a 40-72 cross motor Case tractor.

1938 Oliver Tractor

2015 Large Tractor for “Row-Crops”

2015 Large Row-Crop Tractor

WIDE LOAD

All Purpose Farm Wagon for Horses

Large Grain Wagon

Hay wagon

Old Style Weizen Speicher

Grain storage

elevator

always beside

a railroad track

Grain Storage Buildings

Dairy Farmers Sold Milk to the Local Cheese Factory
Käsefabrik

1920s to 1960s

1940 THE NEW COALDALE CHEESE FACTORY CO-OP LTD 1941

P.H. Hogaboom, President

Frank Hubert, President

Jake Klassen, Manager

British Empire Dairy Show
BELLEVILLE 1940
Dominion of Canada Special
THIRD PRIZE

Unity is Strength

The Local Church
Die Gemeinde

Offered:

Spiritual leadership

Social opportunities

Coaldale M B Church Building 1929-1939

First Coaldale M.B. Church, First Service Jan.25 1929
Construction Start Dec.1928, Thirty-two by Fifty-two Feet

Coaldale Church Congregation 1929

Coaldale Mennonite Brethren Church Congregation
1929

Coaldale Church, 1930s

Cemetery Organized in 1928.
Photos by Henry Arthur Hubert taken in summer of 2014.

Huberts in the Coaldale Cemetery

In the order of their internment (Friedhoff)

Johann F. 1907-1930
Erna Nelly 1938-1939
Helena (Barg) 1874-1948
Jacob B. 1936-1960
Franz Franz 1875-1964
Mary 1901-1971
Jacob F. 1904-1972
Peter F. 1909-1979
Amy 1980

Elizabeth 1903-1984
Henry F. 1905-1985
Nelly (Janzen) 1909-1987
David F. 1917-2003
Agnes (Janz) 1909-2012
Edward Bartel 1958-2013

IN COMMEMORATION OF
BENJAMIN B. AND
MARIA (ROGALSKY) JANZ.
THEIR PERSONAL COURAGE,
PERSISTENCE AND SACRIFICE,
BY GOD'S GRACE, ENABLED
OVER 20,000 MENNONITES
FROM RUSSIA TO ENTER
CANADA DURING THE 1920's.
I WILL UTTER THINGS HIDDEN FROM OF OLD,
THINGS WE HAVE HEARD AND KNOWN,
THINGS OUR FATHERS HAVE TOLD US.
WE WILL NOT HIDE THEM FROM THEIR
CHILDREN; WE WILL TELL THE NEXT
GENERATION THE PRAISEWORTHY
DEEDS OF THE LORD.
PSALM 78:2-4
ERECTED BY THE ANABAPTIST
FOUNDATION (CANADA) AUGUST 4, 2002

B. B. Janz

1877-1964

Coaldale M B Church, 1939-71

The Coaldale Church, (now a museum)

108 feet x 60 feet

Coaldale Church Choir & Orchestra Performing Handel‘s Messiah, 1955

Presented Handel’s “Messiah” in the Coaldale Church;
Peter J. Dick conductor, Agnes Dick pianist

Coaldale Bible School and Church

Alberta Mennonite High School
AMHS

Sugar Beet Industry in Southern Alberta

Zukerrüben

1920s and the Present

Sugar Beet (Zuckerrübe)

Hoeing Sugar Beets

Removing Weeds in Sugar Beet Fields

Sugar Beet

At harvest time

Sugar Beet Harvest Knife

2015 Cutting off the Leaves of Beets

Six rows at a time.

2015 Sugar Beet Harvest

2015, Harvesting Sugar Beets

Farm truck delivering Sugar Beets

Sugar Factory, Alberta (Zuckerfabrik)

Irrigation in Southern Alberta (Bewässerung)

To supplement the limited rainfall

Irrigating Sugar Beets

Irrigating in Alberta

“Flood Irrigating” grain or hay fields

2015 irrigation

Canals Bring Water from the Mountains (Wasser von den Bergen)

A River Dam to Collect Irrigation Water

Waterton Lakes National Park
Das Wasser kommt von den Bergen

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Vielen Dank !

Thank You !