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University of Lethbridge Library holds Pincher Creek Echo Digitized Collection Launch Party

A unique partnership between the [Kootenai Brown Pioneer Village](#) and the [University of Lethbridge Library](#) Digitization Team has resulted in a monumental achievement. More than 120 years of Pincher Creek history is now available in an accessible digitized collection of the Pincher Creek Echo newspaper.

WHAT: Launch Party for Pincher Creek Echo Digitized Collection

WHEN: Wednesday, Jan. 29, 11 a.m.

WHERE: University Library Alcove (Level 10)

This newly accessible digitized collection spans April 15, 1900, to December 31, 2023, and will be freely accessible in the Library's [Digitized Collections](#) platform. Media are invited to speak with officials involved in creating the collection and the importance of preserving the important history of Alberta's pioneer towns.

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