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BOW VALLEY RAILROAD ASSOCIATION
CALGARY MODEL TRAINMEN'S CLUB
SOUTH BANK SHORT LINES ASSOCIATION

Model Railroad News
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As we enter 1964, model railroading in Calgary has come to a major turning point. The year 1963 has seen the formation of two highly successful model clubs for a limited membership and catering to the needs of a small number of modellers. As the new year progresses we are likely to see the similar beginnings of at least one other new club. Already one of the new clubs has a regular membership & attendance which comes close to equalling that of the CWL. It would appear that many of the modellers are not so much dissatisfied with the CWL as such, but with its operating policy, the type of railroading offered by the CWL (and even here we have some doubts as to the validity of this excuse) and the fact that the railroad is in the ALLIED ARTS CENTER. The new executive of the CWL will have a major decision to make in 1964, whether or not to move its location to somewhere more favorable to the successful operation of a club layout, if such a move is made then to where can it move and thirdly whether its policy of having a show annually had better not be reviewed and a decision made on the advisability of a show in this and successive years. The new CWL exec. members will need the support of all of its members and will we hope base its decisions upon the basis of the best policy for ALL model railroading in Calgary.

CALGARY MODEL TRAINMEN'S CLUB NEW EXECUTIVE

President	Sid WHITFORD
Vice-president	Paul MAYNER
Treasurer	Alan HOUGH
Secretary	Bert HAYNES

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: Alan HOUGH
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NOTICE. The CWL wishes to advise all members who have not paid their dues that they are due and payable immediately. The dues were recently revised to \$ 6.00 yearly for adult members or \$ 3.00 semi-annually.

If members fail to pay their dues their names will be stricken from the CWL roster.

EDMONTON MODEL RAILROAD SHOW

The Northern Alberta Model Railroaders are hold their railroad show in Edmonton on Sat. 25 Jan. 64 to coincide with NMRA week. All Calgary modellers are invited to attend and enter displays. The show will be held in MOLSON'S AUDITORIUM. Show will include displays, movies, slides etc. Plan to attend.

* MEETINGS in January

* CWL, Regular meeting will be
* on Wednesday, 8 Jan. 64, NOTE
* that this is the second Wed.
* at 8:00 p.m. at the AAC.

Dress Formal

* BVRRA: At Bill Campbell's on
* 8 Jan. 64 and then at George
* Oliphants on 29 Jan. 64.

* SBSLA: First meeting at Ross
* McIlveen's for the New Year's
* party.

NMRA WEEK The week from Jan 18 - 26 is known as National Model Railroad Association week, and will be observed in many cities with open houses on many of the association members layouts. Plan to visit one, (try Edmonton) or hold an event yourself for your neighbours or friends.