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Time and tide waits for no man, and as the old grandfather's clock still keeps on ticking away, many have been the changes in the population and personalities in Lindsay.

For many years the population remained at the figure of 8,000. Industries came and many disappeared, young people graduated from school and had to seek a living in other places and many said the old town was dead but people in authority always maintained the attitude that Lindsay would always be a good town, populated with good people and the town would survive through trials and tribulations and this fact still stands undisputed.

Naturally there has been a change through the years. Lumber mills have gone and even railway tracks have dwindled, but the population now exceeds 12,000.

Beautiful and large places of worship are functioning well. New modern educational facilities have been built, stores have taken on a modern appearance and almost every road in town has been paved and new homes have been built in every section of the town with 186 added this year. All indications point to the fact that Lindsay is a good town to live in and be a part of.

The saying "Gone but not forgotten" can be applied to much of the transformation which has taken place. Industrially Carew's saw mill and Kitchener's barrel and stave mill has gone, the Baker Lumber Company and the Kawartha Lumber Company have gone, the Fitzsimmons body works, the Dan McLean Wheel works, the Flavelle cold storage and egg plant, the Sinclair and Hamilton carriage and wagon shops passed away ages ago and the old Perrin boat and canoe factory, the tall stack at the CNR yards, the round house which handled so many locomotives, the Cole Manufacturing Company, the Standard Chemical Company, Horn Bros. Woolen Mills, the Beal Leather Company all vanished.

Passenger steamers ceased to ply the Scugog River but the old town of 150 years still goes marching on and is undoubtedly one of the best towns in the province.

Let us keep it that way by being loyal to local institutions and cooperating with local legislative bodies.