R. Smyth.

LINDSAY'S ATTRACTIONS.

Since the excitement of Dominion Day, the only sensation of importance is the GREAT SALE OF SUMMER DRY GOODS at the Leading Dry Goods, Millinery and Clothing House of R. SMYTH. As the sale progresses the interest increases. A large stock of

FALL IMPORTATIONS

arrived this week, including SCOTCH and ENGLISH TWEEDS, CRETONNES, BOATING SHAWLS, Etc., which will be included in Bargains offered.

R. SMYTH.

Lindsay, July 8, 1885.—48.

The Canadian Post.

LINDSAY, FRIDAY, JULY 10, 1885.

TOWN AND COUNTY.

DASHES HERE AND THERE

Paris Green.

Pure at HIGINBOTHAM'S.—18-2.

Womens' Christian Temperance Union.

Mr. W. G. Fee, who has charge of the Scott act campaign in the county, will meet the ladies of the women's temperance union this Friday afternoon, at Hamilton's hall. All are invited to attend.

Boys for Canada.

Dr. Barnardo of London, England, is sending out about the last week in July, a party of one hundred boys for farm and other employment. Those desirous of engaging boys should apply early to Mr. Edward Duff, superintendent, Lovel Brae, Peterborough, Ont.

Challenge.

[To the Editor of The Post.]

SIR, Whereas there has been considerable "idle talk" and "blow" since the defeat of my mare, "Maud Bartlett," in the trotting events on Dominion day, I hereby challenge the owners of the horses participating in the county trot, viz., Geo. Curtis, "Fearless Dick;" M. O'Halloran, "Maggie May;" and "Lucy S," the property of that strong advocate of "high" breeding, etc., Mr Thos. Adam, to a match trot for $50 a side, play or pay. Race to take place in three weeks on the agricultural grounds. "Lucy S," preferred.

CHAS. BARTLETT.

Lindsay, July 8th, 1885.

What They Think About It.

We have much pleasure in making room for the following letter of thanks on behalf of the Midlanders, who have appreciated very highly the thoughtfulness and kindness of the people of this district in sending the supplies which proved so welcome an addition to the personal comforts of the troops:

To the citizens of the 45th batt. district.—

On behalf of the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of "C" company, 45th Midland battalion, on active service in the Northwest I beg to return my sincere thanks to the many friends and well-wishers of the company for the very valuable and highly appreciated lot of supplies sent by you and received by me to-day, 15th June, at Frog lake, N.W.T., and hope that soon we shall be home to thank you personally.

I have the honor to be, yours, etc.,

JOHN HUGHES, major,
Commanding "C" Co., Midland Batt.

Obituary.

We are called on this week to record the death of William Dundas, brother of J. R. Dundas, M.D., of Lindsay, who died on Tuesday, the 7th inst., at the age of 58 years. The deceased had been for some time in poor health, and on Sunday was taken seriously ill and had a paralytic stroke. He grew rapidly worse and on Tuesday morning passed away. The funeral took place from the residence of Mr. L. Maguire on Wednesday morning at 10.30 o'clock, the body being interred at Riverside cemetery. Deceased was the eldest son of the late John Dundas of Dunn, county Monaghan, Ireland. After his marriage in 1847, to the daughter of Mr. Higginbotham of Cootehill, he emigrated to Canada, spending his first winter in Toronto. The following year he went to Buffalo, where he only remained a short time. In 1849 he entered the employ of Pratt Bros. of the Elmira woollen mills, of which he subsequently became a partner, and for twenty-five years conducted a very successful business there. After his reverses in 1875, occasioned by the burning of the mills, he came to Lindsay, where he has resided since. He leaves three sons who are all residents of the neighboring republic.

The Glorious Twelfth.

Amongst the lodges who will participate in the 12th of July celebration at Lindsay (this year held on Monday, 13th) will be lodges from Midland City, Coldwater, Waubaushene, Orillia, Beaverton, Woodville, Bobcaygeon, Fenelon Falls, Omemee, Valentia, Little Britain, Dunsford and the local lodges of Orangemen, True Blues, Young Britons and the True Blues and Young Britons of the Lindsay district. On Sunday the local Orange lodge and those affiliating with them will form in procession at two o'clock and march to the Methodist church, where services will be conducted by Rev. Marmaduke L. Pearson, and on Monday they will meet the visiting brethren on their arrival at the station. There will be the usual parade—this time an unusually strong one—and for which preparations are being made to make it very successful. The lodges to the north have been very active in their preparations, and the men from the hills will be down in full force and make the streets blaze with the resplendent display of sash, cloak and sword.....Speeches will be delivered in the agricultural grounds during the afternoon (Monday, 13th) by prominent members of the order and which will no doubt prove to be an interesting feature of the day's proceedings.....A fine arch will be located at the corner of Kent and William-sts.

Paris Green.

Pure at HIGINBOTHAM'S.—18-2.

Parsons' Worm Powders,

in boxes—best thing known for worms. 25 cts. per box.—18-2.

Silver-Plating.

I am prepared to do all kinds of carriage silver-plating at cheapest rates. E. WOODS, tinsmith, Lindsay.—18-1.

Home-Grown Strawberries.

For good, home-grown strawberries go to WALNEY'S fruit and flower store, Watson's old stand, Kent-st., Lindsay.—18-2.

Gas Council Meeting.

The Gas council will meet in the council chamber, Lindsay, on Tuesday next at nine o'clock, a.m., for the transaction of general business.

Fine Photographs.

No necessity for going to the city for first-class work. Finely finished cabinet portraits, equal to the best city work, can now be obtained at the photo rooms of Mr. J. A. Scott, corner Kent and William-sts. Mr. C. ADAIR (late of Toronto) operator.—18-3.

Camping Notes.

—Mr. J. McMillan and his son John McMillan will camp for a few days near Graham's Landing, Sturgeon lake.

—Last week a party of six numbering Messrs. L. Maguire, W. Flavelle and F. H. Dobbin of Lindsay, with Mr. J. W. Flavelle of Peterboro and Masters James and Fordyce Barr, Lindsay, went by rail and wagon to Minden, from which point they will canoe the distance to Lindsay over the waters of the Gull river and lakes below.....The trip was somewhat broken in on, Mr. Maguire being called home by telegram on Tuesday morning and the Messrs. Flavelle the day following. The others returned Thursday morning.

Reception to the Midlanders.

A meeting of the committee who have in charge the details of a reception to the returning volunteers was held at the council chamber on Wednesday evening of this week. After discussing matters it was decided that the reception among other features should have a grand banquet. It was decided to adjourn the meeting of the committee until Friday evening (tonight) at the town hall. The committee were instructed to add to their number, and to bring forward any suggestions relative to the affair that would likely tend to making it more successful. Full details will be given next week. Among other suggestions offered it was pointed out that the proper thing to do would be to bring to Lindsay the whole of the 45th battalion to participate in the reception. This suggestion was decided on and placed on the program. The committee will probably make arrangements to secure a steamer to carry, say from Cavesers, the four Bowmanville and Cartwright companies to Lindsay and return. The Bowmanville band will accompany the troops.

Local Brevities.

—A special meeting of the board of education will be held at the council chamber this evening.

—Mr. Wm. Crowley of Emily shipped from Lindsay a carload of very fine cattle on Saturday to Mr. H. Shelmere, previously purchased by Mr. Holland of Toronto.

—A basket of strawberries received from Mr. W. M. Robson is the largest and finest we have seen this season. They were grown by Mr. Lapp of Cambray.

—M. O'Halloran, butcher, of Lindsay was through Manvers recently buying fat cattle. Mr. O'Halloran is always welcomed by the farmers as he pays the highest figure.

—The Orillia lacrosse club will cross sticks with the Checkers of Cannington on Monday next for the championship of the Midland district. A lively game may be looked for.

—About eleven o'clock Wednesday morning the stable in rear of the Bank of Montreal was discovered to be on fire. The fire department turned out and promptly quenched the flames.

—The Daily Examiner says: "The vicinity of Peterborough was the scene of a dog fight yesterday afternoon. The dogs and other brutes were from Port Hope and Lindsay. The exhibition was a brutal one all around."

—The numerous friends of Mr. F. B. Polson, formerly of Cobourg and Lindsay, will be pained to hear of the death last week at Toronto of his wife. She was a a daughter of Dr. Wood of Cobourg and was buried at that place.

—Mr. Bryan Gunigal has lately added to his well-assorted stock of rigs a coil-spring surry carriage, manufactured at Mr. R. Kylie's carriage works. This is a new and handsome design of buggy. Mr. Kylie is at present building another of those rigs for Mr. E. Fee's livery.

—It will be seen by advt. elsewhere that Messrs. Grant & Campbell, the well-known stock-breeders, have dissolved partnership. The herds have grown so large that separation became advisable. Each will continue stock-breeding with the usual enterprise and judgment.

—A platform, painted red, is to be built below the east ward fire bell as a preventative of false alarms. It will give the whole job a finished appearance. The new bell was hoisted into position this week and given the usual test. The bell has a strong, clear tone and will prove a valuable convenience to the ward.

—On Wednesday morning Jennie, the ten-year old daughter of Mr. Chas. Bartlett, was knocked down and run over on Kent-st. by a butcher's cart. The child was badly cut about the face and her lower limbs bruised. The little sufferer was taken into a store close at hand and when sufficiently recovered from the shock taken home.

—One day last week Mr. A. Goheen witnessed a very novel sight. While tramping through the woods south of the town he came upon a large family of frogs, numbering three hundred and eight, and all within a space of about ten feet square. Mr. Goheen thinks that this is the largest number of that species seen since the time of St. Patrick.

—A gang of men have been sent by Mr. Thos. Walters to blast the outlet of Mud lake in the township of Carden. Owing to a number of large rocks which obstruct the passage the water is held back, thereby flooding a considerable quantity of land and causing the farmers a great deal of annoyance. The work will occupy about two months time and will afford employment to several men.

—The Peterboro Daily Examiner says: "Last evening a large basement of Queenstown lime stone was drawn to the Little lake cemetery. It came from the firm of J. & R. Wolfenden, Whitby, and in a few days a beautiful Scotch grey granite monument from the same place will rest upon it, over the remains of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd of Bobcaygeon. The basement measures five feet square and has a thickness of eighteen inches and weighs three tons."

—In comparing the scores made by members of the Wimbledon team in their week's target practice at Ottawa prior to sailing for England the superiority in shooting of the men of the 45th batt. is easily seen. In this contest Private W. C. King made a score of 495 points, a score which was only beaten by Color-Sergt. Dalrymple of the Royal Scots. It is to be hoped that Private King will make as large a score on the other side of the herring pond and maintain the reputation which has been gained at Wimbledon by members of that battalion in previous years.

—Mr. A. Edney met with a very painful accident while engaged in removing a shed from the rear of the Methodist church. The ladder on which he was standing slipped and to save himself from falling he grasped a beam, which gave way and he fell to the ground, the beam falling across his legs and bruising them badly. In the fall his back came in contact with a stick of wood, which severely injured his spine. He lay in this position until found by the servant employed at the parsonage, when he was removed to his home. It will be some time before Mr. Edney will be able to move around again.

—In our report in last week's issue of the demonstration held on July 1st we omitted to mention that dinner was served by the ladies of St. Paul's church congregation in the curling rink. The dinner was an excellent one, indeed, and the tables were well patronized by hungry diners. The volunteers on duty that day were given dinner and tea at the rink and were very well treated, one enthusiastic veteran saying that he would march thirty miles to partake of such a spread and have such good attendance. The church is indebted to the ladies for a very handsome sum placed to the credit of the building fund account.

—A terribly atrocious affair has been committed in Peterboro. It is thus eloquently described by the rapacious and redoubtable reporter of the excellent Examiner: "It has begun. The rhythmic rattle of the mower is heard in the land. The billowy couches of clover are fragrant, and their bloody heads greedily up to receive the summer dew, the sweet breath of the pulsating nature-heart of the year, and the road grateful low. The air is full of the delicious perfumes of the new mown hay. The heavy blood pours to yeasted ear of his bed at daybreak and fast work plashing of "that load of hay" is the cry of the farmer's boy. There are some clover fields that will yield a fair crop, although a moderate one, but in regard to the hay crop will be nothing to boast of. The work of the hay harvest is in full operation, and for the most fortunate the farmers won't have much time to talk politics, Grit or Tory, neighbors or fishery disputes."

Bilious Fever.

Pure at HIGINBOTHAM'S.—18-2.

Dandelion Bitters.

cured with Dandelion Bitters.—18-2.

Tuckersmith Cheese Co.

"Children cry for it." 25c. per bottle. At PARKER'S.—18-1.

Canoe Club Notes.

The canoe club will meet below the locks at three o'clock this (Friday) afternoon for a paddle to Sturgeon Point. Supper will be had at the Point and arrangements have been made with the steamer Eva to bring the members and their canoes back the same evening. Now, canoeists, let there be a full turn out, and be on hand on time—three o'clock sharp.

Base Ball Notes.

—A match will be played between the Unions of Lindsay and the Janetville base ball club in Lindsay this (Friday) afternoon.

—The Uxbridge and Peterboro base ball clubs played a friendly match in Peterboro on Thursday of this week. The game resulting in favor of the visitors by a score of 20 to 4.

—All of the fine trophies won by the Lindsay base ball club are now on exhibition in the window of the City store. The array is very creditable to the skill and prowess of the club.

—The Hamilton Clippers intend making a base ball tour through the eastern portion of Ontario, and if satisfactory arrangements can be made with the clubs of Peterboro, Cobourg, Lindsay and Uxbridge, will play at each of these towns.

—The Flattenville base ball club will play a friendly game with the Janetville club on Saturday evening on the grounds of the former. The above club is at present pronounced to be the best in the township for their excellent playing, and we hope the coming contest will prove to be "no flies on their club."

Railway Notes.

—On Friday afternoon last, says the Review, while Mr. Adams, a brakeman on a timber train on the Grand Junction railway, was engaged in his duties near Stirling he slipped and fell head-foremost from a flat car. He was stunned for a time, but soon recovered. His wounds were dressed at the village and when in Peterboro on Friday evening he went to Dr. King's surgery. The scalp wound, which was a rather severe one, was properly attended to, and the injured brakeman resumed his duties again next morning.

—On Wednesday of last week the morning train to Midland ran off the track at Lorneville Junction owing to a mis-placed switch. The baggage and express car and the coach were thrown to the side of the track. The cars were badly smashed but the coach escaped with little damage. Quite a sensation was caused among the passengers, but only one, a lady, received any injury, he being somewhat bruised.....A party of ten men from the shops at Port Hope went out to the scene of the late wreck at Lorneville Junction last Sunday morning, about 2 a.m., to finish the work of clearing up the wreck.....As a result of the smash-up Mr. Thos. Lethbridge, one of the Midland employees, carries his hand in a sling, it having been badly crushed while working at the wreck.

Sporting Notes.

—The Lindsay and Cannington lacross clubs will cross sticks at Cannington next week.

—Sporting men will read with interest the challenge issued by Mr. Chas. Bartlett to trot his mare, "Maud Bartlett," against the horses that competed in the county trot on Dominion day.

—The lacrosse match at Father McCloskey's picnic at Victoria Road, on Wednesday last, between the Midlands of Lindsay and Checkers of Beaverton, resulted in favor of the latter by three straights.

—It must be in the air we breathe—the latest is a "long-distance-swimming-contest" on the Scugog between a couple of our young men, not for a fortune but just enough to make it interesting, you know.

—The lacrosse match between the Shamrocks of Cannington and the Orillia club on Tuesday last resulted in a draw, each club taking one game. Time of first game one hour and fifteen minutes; second game, one hour and twenty-five minutes.

—A match race has been arranged between Mr. M. O'Hallaran's "Maggie May" and Mr. T. McConnell's driving mare for one hundred dollars a side. The race will take place on the track in the agricultural grounds during the latter part of August. This will prove an interesting event in sporting circles and no doubt will draw a large number to witness the race.

Church Notes.

—Mr. J. J. Wright, B. A., of Peterboro, conducted the services in St. Andrew's church last Sunday.

—Mr. Alfred Gandier, B.A., will preach in St. Andrew's church next Sunday, morning and evening.

—Mr. T. G. A. Wright of Trinity college, Toronto, spends his vacation in assisting Dr. Smithett in the two country churches, Emily.

—Rev. Father Walsh, the death of whose father at Highland creek is noted in our Ontario county items elsewhere, preached an eloquent sermon in St. Mary's church last Sunday.

—Rev. Henry Softley, formerly of Coboconk, has been appointed by the Bishop of Toronto to the mission of Otonabee, under the supervision of Rev. W. C. Bradshaw, rector of Ashburnham. Mr. Softley entered upon his duties on Sunday last.

—A unanimous call has been extended to Rev. W. J. Smith, M.A., Ph.D., formerly of Quaker Hill, from St. Joseph-st. Presbyterian church, Montreal. The salary offered is $1,500, with a month's vacation. Dr. Smyth will leave Oshawa to enter upon his new field of labor in Montreal about the end of July.

—The ladies' of St. Paul's church are giving a great deal of assistance towards providing funds for the completion of the new English church. From the dinner, which was given by them on Dominion day nearly, nearly four hundred dollars was realized. The gentlemen of that congregation will have to bestir themselves in that direction or they will be distanced altogether.

—On Sunday morning last the Rev. M. Pearson began his ministerial duties in town as pastor of the Methodist church. He delivered an excellent sermon which was listened to with great interest by that large congregation. The Methodist community of Lindsay is to be congratulate on the appointment which has secured for them a gentlemen of such abilities as a speaker as is possessed by Mr. Pearson.

Sturgeon Point Notes.

—The pretty little cottage built by Jas. Hamilton has been finished and is now occupied by the family, who are enjoying the cool breezes of Sturgeon lake.

—The grounds at the Point are in splendid order, shady, well-kept cool and inviting.....Mr. Dunham has an excellent kitchen garden near the hotel and can serve early radishes and green peas and other garden luxuries fresh every day.

—On Wednesday Mr. W. Needler and family moved to the Point for the season and will occupy a neat and commodious cottage now nearly finished which has been built during the spring. Mr. Needler proposes making further improvements about the place, which will add to its attractive appearance.

—Among the guests at the hotel who have been there within the last few days and many of whom are there at present are H. C. Palmer and wife, F. S. Smith, W. J. Dunham, J. S. Gard of Buffalo, T. C. Noyes and L. Smith and wife of New York, J. C. Bertholf, S. D. W. Cleveland, H. Williams, H. C. Haggarty, J. G. Warneck of Rochester, W. F. Moore of Palmyra, N. Y., E. B. Patterson and daughter of Dunkirk, N.Y., and others. A large number of visitors from Toronto, Kingston, Guelph and other Canadian points have arranged for accommodation during July and August. It is expected that many American guests from the south will arrive shortly.

—The famous 7x8 club of Rochester, who have made the annual visit to Sturgeon Point, arrived on the 30th June and remained till the 8th inst. The club was well represented and fully officered, comprising: Mr. W. Mudget, president; Mr. E. Frost, secretary; Mr. B. F. Freeman, treasurer; Judge Stewart, Col. Brackett and Messrs. J. E. Mowry, C. H. Amsden, A. G. Wheeler, J. H. Hoyt, D. C. Ellis, A. McWharter and L. Newton. The club as a club were very successful in fishing, though of course individuals had better luck than others. Besides the large amount consumed on the spot as brain food they carried over the lake to Rochester over two hundred pounds of fine muskinonge as a sort of voucher for the correctness of their fish stories. The club had reached the hotel with the determination to spend the great and immortal fourth of July on Canadian soil, and brought with them the "stars and bars" to float to the breeze. The hotel was being on the hotel boat house, from the staff of which floated a fine union jack. The club were highly pleased with their holiday at the Point and expressed themselves to Mr. Dunham, the proprietor, at being thoroughly satisfied with the excellent accommodation afforded and the courteous and ready service given. Before leaving Wednesday the club held a formal meeting and Mr. Dunham was called in and presented in proper style with the handsome American flag as a keepsake from his friends. The presentation was made by Judge Stewart who referred in very happy terms to the hospitality of the Point hotel and its proprietor, and added that he hoped that the new flag would long float side by side on the shore of Sturgeon lake. Mr. Dunham made a suitable acknowledgment and thanked the donors for their very acceptable gift.

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Southeran, Cathro & Mark.

SEASIDE,

OR JERSEY FLANNELS,

are the latest craze among the ELITE visiting watering places and summer resorts. These Flannels are knitted and can be fitted to the form like a Jersey cloth, and are specially adapted for Ladies' Costumes, and particularly light-fitting basques, as they are elastic in texture and will stretch to any desired shape. The patterns were designed by the American Art School, and for harmonious combination of colorings are admitted to surpass anything hitherto produced by that distinguished institution. We cordially invite every lady to call and examine these goods, as they are a real novelty and have never been shown in Canada before.

PARASOLS

are a necessary evil and those who go without one will be tanned as brown as a berry, and no lady cares to have her beauty marred—parasols are then a necessity, and in order to make a proper selection it is necessary to go where you can find a large stock to choose from, and that place is the City Store and you will find the prices very low indeed.

BOATING SHAWLS.

The season for boating is now here and the club boat house is already occupied by canoes and skiffs, awaiting their merry owners to occupy them accompanied by their sister or some other person's sister—and ladies, who among you will go without a pretty boating shawl? You will find a nice lot to choose from at the City Store from 60c up.

THE CITY TAILORING HOUSE OF LINDSAY

APPRECIATED ABROAD.

These are the photographs of two successful young men who went abroad four years ago and prospered, and they attribute the beginning of their prosperity to having bought their clothing at the City Store. Their remarks to us are that good fitting, artisticly cut and well made garments are admired everywhere. It was by having their suits admired and explaining where they were bought, etc., to an enquiring Yankee genius, who had a mechanical eye and appreciated art properly cultivated, first formed their acquaintance with the gentleman. After replying politely to all the millionaire's questions, he abruptly inquired their business; to which they replied, "That they were in search of a situation." He said, "Young men who know enough to wear clothing such as they had on, had more than bugs in their head, and he had situations to offer both of them;" which they cheerfully accepted and continued to hold; and to this day neither of these young men could be induced to buy their clothing elsewhere, although residing nearly one thousand miles away. The above are cuts of the suits that secured them their situations. Every man, youth or boy in town or country who patronizes us for his clothing, will receive the same careful attention, and if we can serve you in the same capacity—in assisting you to prosper (and we can)—we will do it with pleasure. If garments made here attract so much attention in foreign cities, where competition is keen and ability at a premium, surely it ought to be duly appreciated at home, and it is.

SOOTHERAN, CATHRO & MARK,

CITY DRAPERS AND CLOTHIERS,

No. 2 Dobson's Block, 2 Doors West of the Post Office.

Lindsay, June 25, 1885.—46.

A. Campbell.

THE WORLD'S PATTERN

The Newest, The Neatest, The Cheapest, The Best,

DINNER, TEA AND TOILET GOODS

Ever Offered in Lindsay.

We have just received from the Old Country a large shipment of Crockery and Delf Goods.

Among the most notable are a large assortment of Toilet Setts of a new and novel design, and it is appropriately named "The World's Pattern."

The material is a rich cream tint and is handsomely decorated with views and illustrations from different parts of the world. The effect is striking and at once calls attention to the goods.

The same pattern is shown in Tea Setts, and in a large assortment of Separate pieces.

The prices are wonderfully low, and considering the value of the goods, surprising value for the money.

Housekeepers, see these novelties. In addition to this is a large assortment of fine Granite-Ware, all at low prices. Remember the place.

A. CAMPBELL.

Lindsay, June 24th, 1885.—46.

Ray & Co.

JULY, 1885.

During this Month we will offer Tempting Bargains in all Departments.

Attractive Lines in DRESS GOODS at 10c., 15c., 20c., 25c. and upwards. These Special Lines embrace very desirable Fabrics and Colors.

GINGHAMS, PRINTS and MUSLINS at prices to clear.

EMBROIDERIES in All-overs, Flouncings, Edgings and Insertions. Prices away down.

DRIVE IN PARASOLS.

Closing Out Prices in Trimmed and Untrimmed MILLINERY.

During the week we have opened a case of HOSIERY. All sizes in Black and Dark Colors. Desirable Goods. Satisfactory Prices.

We are offering a large lot of GENTLEMEN'S READY-MADE CLOTHING, in Suits or separate garments, at Greatly Reduced Prices, to effect a thorough clearance; and in connection with this branch of our business we are showing a magnificent assortment of HATS as well as GENERAL FURNISHINGS. We believe our Values are unsurpassed.

CARPETS, CURTAINS and HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS are included in above Sale.

RAY & CO'Y,

Corner Kent and William Streets.

Lindsay, June 5th, 1885.—46.