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The Victoria Warder

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1895.

A union of hearts and a union of hands A union none can sever; A union of homes and a union of Lands And the flag, BARRIERS UPROOT, forever.

WHY NOT A KINDERGARTEN CLASS IN LINDSAY?

Lindsay is a town of about seven thousand inhabitants. The great majority of the people are mechanical or laboring. They have not the means to send their children to professional schools to train them in the science of mechanics or to make them skilled in any of the various departments that make them more useful in their sphere.

The kindergarten is really a system which, while of incalculable service to the children of the lawyer, the doctor, the merchant or the business man generally, is nevertheless in reality of much greater service to the child of the mechanic or the laboring man. Where the kindergarten has been long established it is found, as in St. Louis and other large centres, that the children of the poorer and middle classes easily become the most skilled mechanics and artisans. The training in the kindergarten gives them accuracy of hand and eye; develops taste and judgment; inculcates quickness of perception, regularity of thought and a proper application in practice of theoretical rules.

Why not a kindergarten class in Lindsay?

"There is no school room available," is one objection. Lindsay cannot afford to have the children of her mechanics, artisans and laborers left behind in the race in life. A school room can either be built or rented. The baptist church Sunday school room has been suggested as available during the week. The baptists are a practical sensible people and would doubtless be quite willing for proper rental to permit their school room to be put to good service on week days. Or a hall such as Mr. Hamilton's is could be rented.

"But it is expensive," says the one objecting. Not at all. One teacher with a couple of apprentice assistants would be sufficient at first. The outfit is not expensive, and some of the minor outlays might be borne by the parents just as they now pay for text books in the higher classes. No other objection can be raised.

On the other hand mark the numerous advantages to the artisan, mechanic and laboring classes. Those people should demand that their children should be fitted to take their place side by side with those from other centres in the great struggle for homes and bread. Only by

sitting them thoroughly from the outset can that be done.

What chance has the mechanic's child leaving school in the third or even the fourth book class in the race in life with those trained in the skilled kindergarten and kindred schools in other places?

Lindsay board of education is in favor of the kindergarten system being introduced. They have long been fully aware of the advantages thereof. Principal Broderick and his able assistants are also fully awake to the necessity of having a kindergarten school in Lindsay.

Only the cost—a few hundred dollars or thereabouts annually—stands in the way. In justice to the rising youth of Lindsay by all means let the board of education grapple with the subject. They have proven themselves fairly progressive. Let them give effect to what the public know are their convictions and establish a kindergarten class in Lindsay. Such done all classes rich and poor, mechanic and professional, laboring and trades, will bless them.

SIR CHARLES RIVERS WILSON AND THE GRAND TRUNK.

The new president and the new vice-president of the Grand Trunk railway company with their general officers are making a tour of inspection of the various lines comprising that vast organization.

Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, the new president, is a gentleman of world-wide financial reputation, and was specially selected by the British government a few years ago to unravel the financial tangle into which Egyptian affairs had fallen. Thus far in life the majority of his operations and plans have been very successful.

Mr. Joseph Price, the new vice-president, is also possessed of great fame and reputation as a successful manager especially of railway concerns. He is no stranger to Ontario or to the Grand Trunk. For about fifteen years that gentleman was familiar to Canadians as one of the general officers of the old popular and prosperous Great Western railway, now an important division of the Grand Trunk system.

With such capable men at the head of that magnificent organization, and with such efficient officers as Messrs. Sergeant, Wainwright, Stephenson, Hannaford, Wallis, Riddell, Wanklin, Harkomb, White, Burton and others of the Grand Trunk service, there is no reason why success should not attend their combined efforts.

But success can never bring high dividends to the shareholders, for the interest bearing indebtedness per mile represents fully three times the present cost of such work. However, the solution of such problems is easy to men such as those named, and to them the public cheerfully consign it.

The people, especially of this locality, are more interested in maintaining the present fair and friendly relations with the company and in extending and developing the system and thorough the district, where to do such will prove profitable to all concerned. That such a programme is easily planned and as easily carried out is certain.

The next few years will undoubtedly witness great development in connection with the Grand Trunk railway in these parts.

A SUGGESTION TO THE MINISTER OF MILITIA.

Several years ago this journal began the agitation for free ammunition for rifle associations. The result was free ammunition for rifle leagues and half rate for rifle associations.

There are at present millions of rounds of Snider ammunition stored in the magazines of Canada. There are thousands of Snider rifles also in store. It is only a very few years until both will be things of the past.

Our suggestion to Hon. Mr. Dickey is to issue pro rata the Snider rifles so that there will be a few well-grooved arms to each company of active militia.

Next, issue free to each officer and man of each company say one hundred rounds of the Snider ammunition annually, until all would be exhausted.

With a view to further rendering the Provincial and Dominion rifle associations more useful by making the expense to each competitor much less, would not the country be more than repaid in efficiency of marksmen for the extra cost, by granting free ammunition to the competitors at those matches?

True, it will be urged, that would be just so much additional voted for those organizations. But would not the country reap the benefit? As present a competitor pays his railway fare to Ottawa, say an average of \$10. His entrance fees for matches is on an average \$3.50. His board and lodging amount to say \$5 to \$7. This does not include "incidentals," or extra series tickets. Thus to clear himself financially each competitor must win, allowing nothing for his time, fully \$30 in prizes.

To the credit of the riflemen of Canada be it said very few of them are "pot-hunters." They annually congregate at the Provincial and Dominion matches at great expense to perpetuate and foster interest in rifle-shooting, all for the advantage of the nation, for as Rudyard Kipling says of "Tommy Atkins" is "Savior of his country when the guns begin to shoot." Those who condemn volunteering expenditures in peace fully recognize that "the soldier is his country's stay in the day and hour of danger."

Hon. Mr. Dickey has proven himself already fully awake to the best interests of the militia of Canada. By adopting these suggestions he will still further give cause to have his name long honored among Canadian riflemen.

THE LIEUT. GOVERNOR OF MANITOBA

Heartily congratulations to our good friend Hon. J. O. Patterson, on his being sworn in Lieut.-Governor of Manitoba. And also an additional hand shake and God speed to his devoted wife and amiable family. That Mr. Patterson will make a most successful governor is a foregone conclusion. May success attend him in the hearty wish of all true Canadians.

Society Notes.

FRIDAY 6.—Regular meeting of Faithful Brethren lodge No. 77, A. F. & A. M. MONDAY, 9.—Meeting of Home Circle No. 34. TUESDAY, 10.—Regular meeting of L.O.L. No. 157.

FRIDAY, 15.—Regular meeting of Victoria Royal Black Preceptory No. 262.

FRIDAY, September 6.—Regular monthly meeting of L.O.B., No. 1.

Y.M.C.A. Notes.

On Sunday afternoon at 4.15, a meeting for men is held. A popular speaker is expected to give a short talk. All men welcome.

The new monthlies are on hand now, and may be seen in the rooms. The ladies' auxiliary are reminded of the meeting on Monday at 3 o'clock, and any ladies interested in this work are cordially invited to be present.

Salvation Army Notes

The Salvation Army has decided to hold the 13th anniversary of its establishment in Canada, at Toronto during exhibition week Sept. 7th to 12th; large gatherings are expected from all parts of Central Ontario. The meetings will be conducted by the Commissioner Booth. Among other attractions will be a tornado of music and song on Sept. 12th, at the temple, Albert street. There will be several days of officers councils, and an all night of prayer. Doubtless salvationists from all parts of the province will avail themselves of this opportunity of attending these important gatherings, the rate to Toronto being so low.

HEXLEY.

PERSONALS.—We were pleased to see Mr. Peter Spence last week who came out on his wheel and spent a couple of days with us. Miss Lavina Ashby has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Black. Miss Laura Dalgyn and Miss Missie Breathall have returned to Lindsay. Their short holiday spent at home. We believe quite a number from this vicinity intend visiting the Toronto exhibition.

BUYING.—Mr. Jos. Staples of Kirkfield passed through these parts buying cattle, as he has the contract of furnishing beef for the boarding house at the Trent Valley canal.

THRESHING.—The farmers are nearly through with their harvesting and threshing will soon be the order of the day.

SCOLA.—The lawn social given by the Christian Endeavor a short time ago was well attended and equally well enjoyed. The rain prevented tea from being served in the lawn, so Mr. Rehill kindly opened his house, in which two lengthy tables were arranged and heavily laden with tempting luxuries. The programme rendered in the church was a novel one, consisting of music, quartets, trios, duets and solos accompanied on different instruments. A very enjoyable time was spent and a handsome sum was realized.

MEETINGS.—Special meetings are conducted at Corson's Siding by Rev. Mr. Sangster of Toronto. As the distance is short it is convenient for the people of Hexley to attend.

FENELON FALLS.

From our regular special correspondent. THE ladies of St. James' (episcopal) church held a garden party in the rectory grounds, which were very prettily decorated for the occasion. Refreshments of all description were served, music was furnished by a band collected together for the spraying, but, which, under Mr. Spivester's able leadership added greatly to the enjoyment of all, and a programme was supplied in which Mrs. Pirkie and Mr. Petty of Lindsay, and Mrs. Goodwin of Chicago, charmed all by their sweet voices and agreeable manner. The affair was altogether a most successful one and the ladies cleared about twenty dollars.

LABOR DAY was observed amongst us as a general holiday and a base-ball match was played in the park between Fenelon Falls and Bobcaygeon in which the latter were victorious.

An excursion party from Lindsay visited us on Saturday last, but on account of the logs in the river were obliged to land at Green's landing and walk up to the village. The party visited the pulp mill and other points of interest and returned to the boat, all but three of the fair sex, of whom a trio of young gentlemen in our village were so badly enamoured that they got "Edwards' big rig, the finest team of horses in the stable and drove their fair cargo to the boat in all the style which double F. provides. We expect it will soon be heard that trips to Lindsay are the fashion.

The Howry firm are rushing things at present, cutting from eighty to one hundred thousand feet of lumber per day, and one day this week, ten 12 ft. boards, 12 inches wide, were cut in three minutes.

On Monday Mr. W. McCall had the misfortune to catch his hand in the machinery of Howry's mill and the three middle fingers were severed from the hand by the first joint, while on the same afternoon Mr. John Howard had the tips of two of his fingers removed by the same saw. Notwithstanding the greatest possible care of the overseers a number of accidents have occurred this summer.

The eclipse of the moon which took place on Tuesday night was very clear and beautiful here, and the magnificent sight was enjoyed by a large number.

Jumping from the number of shots heard last Monday the male sex at large must have been enjoying the first day of duck shooting.

Mr. R. DeLury is visiting his parents in Manila. Mr. Mack Clark left on Monday to learn the drug business with Mr. Gregory of Lindsay. Miss K. Austin left on Tuesday to attend the Lindsay model.

Three special trains came to the Falls on Tuesday, one to convey a faling party home from the back country, one containing a party of G. T. R. directors and the last one brought an alligator up for Gilmour Lumber Co. of Trenton.

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PORT FERRY.

A MEETING of the boys of the high school was held Tuesday evening for the purpose of organizing a club of some kind for the coming season. Foot-ball was the game chosen, and the officers appointed were as follows:—Hon. Pres., Mr. D. McBride, B.A.; president, Mr. Underhill; vice-pres., Wesley Bradburn; sec'y, William Emmerson; treasurer, Ellsworth Foy; captain, James MacBrien; vice-capt, Eber Frayer; committee—E. Frayer, Robert Brown.

ONEMEE.

Special to The Warder. HARVEST about all saved. Good sample and very fair yield from those threshed.

The many friends of the 45th battalion congratulate them on their success in their late shooting contests, and may they continue the same distinction. Our high and public schools are now in full blast on a sure foundation. The attendance is large, and under a more enthusiastic teacher than Serjt. Major Wright, 84th battalion—being the only non-com. that ever took a first-class certificate—and so far our school and chemistry rooms assume the appearance of thoroughly soldierly training. Mr. Wright is a self made man and has depended on his own efforts.

James Maitland, agent for the Massey Harris manufacturing company, Toronto, amongst the most successful agents.

The presbyterian Sunday school picnic on Saturday last at Henderson's landing, Pigeon river, was quite a success in every respect. The only thing occurring to mar the pleasure of the evening was the upsetting of a canoe, the occupants being J. D. Thornton and Thos. Rowan, who adroitly recovered their position in water 12 feet deep. Many of the spectators were scared but the upset was purely accidental.

A missionary from Japan delivered a most excellent address in the English church on Sunday morning last.

The Messrs. Spence, from Philadelphia left Tuesday morning after a few weeks' visit amongst friends. They are connected with a most prosperous business concern there. Mr. Robt. Cornell, of Denver, after four years' absence, and daughter, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Thornton.

The number of young men who left here for Manitoba for harvesting are all engaged there remuneratively.

ZION—MARPOSA.

Special to The Warder. GARDEN PARTY.—One of the most successful garden parties of the season was held on Monday last week, on the beautiful lawn of Mr. David Yerx. The evening was all that could be desired and a most enlightening and entertaining programme was given. The Rev. Roger Allis of Bethany circuit acted as chairman. The instrumental music was given by the Sonya orchestra who delighted the audience with their selections. Fingerboard band was also in attendance and for the amount of practice it has had gave some very nice music. The opening and closing pieces were given by the Zion choir. Recitations, religious songs and choruses were well rendered and heartily received. The proceeds, which amounted to \$22 was in aid of the Y. P. S. O. K. of Zion.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. James Yarox of Lindsay spent part of last week with her sister Mrs. David Yerx. Mr. and Mrs. Alva Beccort of Toronto Junction, spent Sunday with their nephew, Mr. David Beccort.

A CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS.—Mr. Fred Westera had the misfortune to break his arm while unloading grain with the elevator. In its fall came in contact with his arm and also dislocated his wrist. Mr. David Beccort has been under the care of Dr. Hall the past week, the result of a severe kick from a colt in the face fracturing the jaw bone.

Girls Poisoned by Canned Salmon

London, Sept. 4.—This afternoon Miss Minnie L. Bong, aged seventeen, and her sister, Miss Alice, aged fifteen, who live with their parents at No. 11 Leslie street, London West, were removed to the city hospital suffering from temporary mental derangement brought about by eating canned salmon, which had become poisonous. On Friday night the girls prepared sandwiches for their brothers' lunches, leaving the unused portion in the tin. On Saturday morning the girls ate the remainder of the fish for breakfast and in the evening became very ill, showing symptoms of poisoning. They remained in a precarious position over Sunday. But, though physically improved, they show signs of mental derangement.

Kidney Facts.

In Jan., 1893, my son was taken with Kidney disease. Though attended by three physicians, and change of climate, he grew worse and by 23rd had fallen from 135 lbs. to 85 lbs. In 10 days from starting to use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills we were able to move him home. In 4 months he gained 50 lbs. and was fully restored to health by the use of this medicine. Jno. B. Hastings, 28 St. Paul at Montreal.—94-1.

Deaths.

WILKINSON.—In Lindsay, on Wednesday, Sept. 4th, 1895, Russell James, infant son of Thomas and Elizabeth Wilkinson, aged 4 months.

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