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LINDSAY, THURSDAY, JANUARY 7th, 1891.

50 Cents per Year in Advance

A - CLEAN - SHAVE

Does not amount to much as a Christmas Present, neither does a box of Pills, but that does not alter the fact that **WHITE PINE BALSAM** is the Best Remedy in use to-day for Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, etc.—in fact my advise to you is when you get a cold or feel an attack of the Grippe strike a bee line for Higinbotham's Drug Store, for every person knows that self preservation is the first law of nature, and a stitch in time saves nine and time is money.

Lindsay, January 2nd, 1892.

THE UNITED STATES WATCH CO., Of WALTHAM, Mass.,

Have appointed us sole agents in Lindsay for their justly celebrated Watches. These movements are equal in time-keeping qualities and finish to any American Watch made—the only difference is they are **LOWER IN PRICE.**

Call and see these watches in our new Silver Case for \$12.00, the best value in town.

We are showing a full stock of everything in the **JEWELRY LINE** for the coming Holiday.

Our Sales are much in advance over last year for the month of November.

No one will give better value than

S. J. PETTY,
"The Jeweler."

GIVING UP BUSINESS IN LINDSAY.

JOSEPH MOXLEY,

Stove and Hardware Merchant, Opposite Benson House

desires to announce to the public of Victoria County that in consequence of having purchased a large stock in Lansdowne, where he formerly resided, he has decided to retire from business in Lindsay on 1st January, and offers his entire stock

At Cost for the Next 3 Months,

in order that as little as possible may have to be boxed up and removed.

A LARGE LINE OF

Wood and Coal Stoves

Comprising all the best makes. Tinware of all kinds, Carpenters' Tools and Household Cutlery, and Heavy and Shelf Hardware, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Glass, &c.

A Line of Hanging Lamps Very Cheap.

It would be impossible to enumerate the different bargains in this space. The above lines will aid you somewhat, but personal visit will disclose all. I must sell the goods here or take them away. Its your opportunity—take advantage of it.

JOSEPH MOXLEY.

Sign of the Big Kettle. Nearly opposite the Benson House
Lindsay.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

The following is the result of the polling on Monday for the Municipal elections:—

FOR MAYOR.			
	Fisher.	Ray.	
East Ward No. 1	42	35	
" 2	68	50	
South Ward No. 1	43	101	
" 2	44	55	
" 3	63	62	
North Ward No. 1	20	95	
" 2	32	74	
" 3	35	103	
	347	575	

FOR RENVE.

	Kylie.	Wallace.	
East Ward No. 1	40	26	
" 2	80	30	
South Ward No. 1	82	52	
" 2	59	37	
" 3	84	36	
North Ward No. 1	69	43	
" 2	56	49	
" 3	60	67	
	534	338	

FOR COUNCILLORS.

East Ward—	
Mallon	126
Fee	106
Bryans	105
O'Reilly	97
Cahill	88

South Ward—	
Head	269
Connolly	260
Lack	213
Armstrong	179

North Ward—	
Robson	294
Finley	276
Southern	222
Wilson	149

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

South Ward—Col. Deacon, by acclamation.

North Ward—R. J. McLaughlin by accl.

East Ward—Thomas Walters.

MARIPOSA—Reeve, Dr. Vrooman; Dep. Reeve, A. Adam; Second Deputy-Reeve, F. Sharer; Councillors, S. D. Webster and W. P. McCrimmon. Local option temperance by-law carried by a majority of 80.

ELDON TOWNSHIP—Reeve, E. D. McEachern; Deputy-Reeve, W. B. McRae; Councillors, Charles McDonald, William Dixon, C. N. McDonald.

BEAVERTON—Councillors, F. S. King, Wm. Joyce, V. S., Duncan McMillan and Duncan Gillespie.

WOODVILLE—Reeve, D. D. Ross; Councillors, Peter McIntyre, Colin Campbell, Hector McNeil and Jacob Barrie.

CANNINGTON—Reeve, J. T. V. May; Councillors that were nominated all resigned; School Trustees, George Samis, Neil Clark and Hugh Wilson.

MANVERS—Reeve, John Kennedy; First Deputy-Reeve, J. J. Preston; Second Deputy-Reeve, John Barnicut; Councillors, J. Vance and J. Mahood.

OMEMEE—Reeve, Dr. Cornwall (by acclamation); Councillors, John Bell, John Beatty, Jos. Beatty and Jos. Parsons.

OPS—Reeve, E. H. Hopkins; Deputy-Reeve, D. Walker; Councillors, J. Ellis, W. N. Ray, A. Robertson.

FENELON.—J. Chambers, Reeve, by accl. Deputy-Reeve, M. H. Berkeley, 201, D. Brown, 217. Councillors, Currin, 191, Graham, 188, Maybee, 177, Oxyby, 118, Palmer, 161, Thurston, 129.

PETERBORO—Mayor, James Kendry; Ward No. 1, T. Cahill, H. Winch, Henry Best; Ward No. 2, T. E. Bradburn, T. Kelly, A. V. R. Young; Ward No. 3, W. B. Ferguson, A. Dawson, H. Meldrum; Ward No. 4, R. M. Dennison, H. A. Mulhern, W. H. McIlwain.

Board of Education.

The last regular meeting of the Board of '91 was held on Tuesday evening, Present, chairman McNeillie; Messrs. Deacon, Stewart, Flavelle, R. Kennedy, Pilkie, O'Leary, MacMurchy and McLaughlin.

The minutes of former meetings read and approved.

Inspector Knight's annual report on the condition of the public schools was read. The report set forth that satisfactory progress had been made during the year closed. Referred to committee.

Mr. Stewart presented the report of the finance committee, which recommended the payment of a few small accounts. Report adopted.

On motion of Col. Deacon, chairman McNeillie was requested to leave the chair which was taken by Mr. Flavelle. A cordial vote of thanks was then tendered Mr. McNeillie for the able and impartial manner in which he had discharged the duties of chairman, for the past year. The motion was carried by a standing vote. A hearty vote of thanks was also at the same time tendered Mr. Sec. Treas. Spier for his services during the year.

On motion of Mr. Pilkie seconded by Col. Deacon specimens of the writing of pupils in the different departments of the public schools were ordered to be submitted monthly for the inspection of the board.

The board adjourned.

THE OTTAWA BOODLERS

TRUE BILLS RETURNED AGAINST THE ACCUSED.

Arnold, Talbot and Larose Before the Grand Jury—Their Trial to Take Place to-day—A Missing Bookkeeper—What the Judge said.

OTTAWA, Jan. 6.—The assizes of the county of Carlton opened here yesterday, Judge Rose presiding. After the panel a jury was formed and the foreman elected. His Lordship addressed them, pointing out that some important cases would come up for their consideration. There would be, for instance, charges of conspiracy, alluding to the boodle cases, and while charges were no proof of guilt it was for them to say if the cases should go to trial and if the evidence justified the charges or not. He did not wish them to think that there was a desire to convict. It was his duty to say that possibly the sovereign and those whose duty it was to address them would rather that a verdict of innocence was found.

Arnold and the "Doc." In the case of J. R. Arnold, late mechanical engineer in the Public Works Department, His Lordship said that this was a matter of malfeasance in public office. If this were a clear case between subjects it would only be actionable, but as between king and subject it was indictable. Referring to the steamer Joe, His Lordship said that the defendant made a contract as between another party and the Government, but really it was between himself and the Government, or rather the Department of Public Works. It was a matter of no consequence whether the Government received full value or not. The retaining of a piece of land in the name of another, which was really owned by the accused for alleged storage of dredging plant, was also an indictable offence, snowing deceit and malfeasance in office.

Turning to the case of Talbot and Larose—the former an employe of the Public Works Department and now in jail on a charge of obtaining goods from the latter for his own private use and charging them to the department—His Lordship said that if this were proved it was a serious offence against the laws.

True Bills Returned. At 4 o'clock this afternoon the grand jury brought in two true bills against Arnold, ex-mechanical superintendent of Public Works Department.

The grand jury also found true bills against Horace Talbot of the same department and against A. C. Larose, merchant, for obtaining money under false pretences. Larose sold the goods to Talbot, who charged them to the Government.

The trials will begin on Friday.

A. E. Richard, ex-bookkeeper for Larose could not be found. It is reported he has left the city.

Arnold and Larose are out on bail.

KILLED FOR IMPOLITENESS.

A Hotel Porter Kills a Man For Wiping His Feet Upon Toilet-Room Towels.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Edward Hurley, a carpenter, hailing from Toronto, Ontario, died at the hospital last night. His death was caused by injuries he received two weeks ago in the Hudson Hotel, at No. 201 South Clark-street.

Daniel Clark is a porter employed in the Hudson Hotel. He states that about two weeks ago he went into the wash room on the second floor and saw Hurley, who had been stopping at the place for several weeks, washing his feet in a basin and using one of the face towels. He told him to stop, but Hurley took no notice of him. Clark hurried off and told Chief Porter James Carey what Hurley was doing. Hurley had been caught doing the same thing several times before and Carey became very angry.

He rushed to the washroom and told Hurley to leave the place. Hurley, with an oath, struck at him and soon the two men clutched. Over and over upon the floor they rolled, each fighting for supremacy. Finally Carey lifted Hurley up and buried him through a window on a shed, the roof of which was but a foot below the window. Hurley was badly cut about the face and body and several arteries were severed.

Dr. Carey dressed Hurley's wounds and advised those about to look out for him as his case was serious.

Hurley remained at the place all night, but the next morning D. H. Loveless, the proprietor, told him to go.

He went and after wandering about for several hours, hungry and penniless, found his way to the county hospital. Last night at midnight he died.

Carey has been arrested on a charge of murder.

INTERESTING ITEMS BY WIRE.

L. N. Y. Parlin, a Nashua jeweler, tore up \$100 in currency and \$16,000 in drafts on the highway at Hoosic, N.Y., yesterday and then blew out his brains.

A Socialist named Lewis was arrested on Sunday in Chelsea, London, for delivering an incendiary speech.

A boy named Manfred Lipski, aged 12, living with his parents on Steinmetz-strasse, Berlin, hanged himself because he received no Christmas presents.

The limit of a day's work to eight hours was entered yesterday at the Scotia Engine Works and Short's shipyards, in Sunderland. The men accepted a reduction of 5 per cent. in wages with the lowering of time.

Engineers Bouchard and Wilson and four Italian emigrants were killed and eight passengers wounded by a collision between two passenger trains on the Wabash at Alladin, Ills., yesterday. The train took fire and both smokers and baggage cars and one chair car were consumed.

Fire In Waterford.

WATERFORD, Ont., Jan. 6.—The Public School building in this place was totally destroyed by fire at 2 o'clock yesterday. The fire is supposed to have caught in the cellar from furnaces. Insurance \$4000.

THE CANADIAN BUDGET.

FRIGHTFUL EXPLOSION IN A LONDON OIL REFINERY.

The Father of Mayor-Elect Spencer Terribly Burned—Political Notes—Sentenced to Death—A Chinaman Burned to Death in an Opium Den.

LONDON, Ont., Jan. 6.—An explosion followed by a disastrous fire occurred at W. Spencer & Sons' oil refinery, Simcoe-street, yesterday. William Spencer, sr., aged 72, father of the mayor-elect, received painful injuries and had a narrow escape from a terrible death. The loss will be \$5500; insurance \$2500. It appears Mr. Spencer, while in the bleaching and barrel-room attending to some business, put his hand in his vest pocket and finding a match there, threw it on the floor and tramped upon it. This caused the match to ignite.

The flames must almost immediately have communicated with the oil in the bleachers, causing a terrific explosion, which was heard blocks away.

Mr. Spencer was in the centre of the building when the explosion occurred, and he wrapped a heavy overcoat around his head and ran straight for the door; but, quick as he was, his clothes were a mass of flames when he gained the outside, but the flames were extinguished by passers-by.

DIED IN AN OPIUM DEN.

A Chinaman Burned to Death While Hitting the Pipe.

VICTORIA, B.C., Jan. 6.—During the high wind at 2 o'clock this morning a fire was discovered in a Chinese wash house in Cormorant-street. During the fire one of the hosemen discovered the body of a Chinaman on the floor. The owner of the wash house will also die from his injuries, which are terribly painful. Both his head and hands were badly burned.

The dead Chinaman was either under the influence of opium or else he was suffocated with smoke before he could awake.

THE BREATH OF DEATH.

Two Young Men Suffocated at Ballfax in the Same Old Way.

HALIFAX, N.S., Jan. 6.—Last evening David Power and J. Oxner, young men belonging to Mahone Bay, arrived from that place on their way to Quebec to join the artillery school and intended leaving to-day. This morning about 8 o'clock one of the domestics knocked at the door of their room and announced breakfast. The girl noticed that there was a very strong smell of gas. She called repeatedly without getting a reply. The door was forced and the young men found unconscious, having blown out on the gas. Power was restored to consciousness, but his companion will die.

POLITICAL.

The Reformers of Welland Will Not Nominat a Candidate For the Commons.

WELLAND, Jan. 6.—The Reform convention, which was to have been held here yesterday for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the representation of Welland county in the House of Commons, has been postponed indefinitely.

Another Vacant Chair.

LOUISVILLE, Que., Jan. 6.—The Masking-contested election case came up for hearing yesterday before Messrs. Justice Bourgeois and Pelletier.

Isidore Dampousse was placed in the witness box and on examination admitted that he had received \$40 from Edward Lamirande and that he had illegally distributed this sum by giving \$30 to his brother, Hormidas Dampousse and \$10 to Hilaire Faillie. Irene Gravel, the next witness was placed in the box and Mr. Bisillon began interrogating him with the intention of proving that he had distributed a large sum of money and considerable whisky, when Mr. Choquette offered to admit the agency of Edward Lamirande, who had given the \$40 to Dampousse. He also offered to accept judgment annulling the election upon this case. The attorneys for the defence accepted this and the court declared it annulled, with costs against the defendant.

Conservative Candidate for Peet.

BRAMPTON, Jan. 6.—The Conservative convention of the County of Peel met here to nominate a candidate for the House of Commons to fill the vacancy caused by the unseating of Joseph Featherstone. Mr. James Jackson, formerly of Toronto township, received the unanimous support of the convention.

East York Dismissed.

MARKHAM, Ont., Jan. 6.—The East York election petition came up yesterday before Judges McClellan and Burton. Mr. Woodcock, the petitioner, offered no evidence and the petition was dismissed with costs. Judge Burton congratulated the electors of East York and said that the most bitter enemies of Mr. Mackenzie would not think him capable of a corrupt act.

A Horseman Dead.

St. CATHARINES, Jan. 6.—Horsemen throughout Ontario will hear with regret of the death of Robert James, the well-known horseman, from blood poisoning. Bob, as he was familiarly called, was a splendid, fearless horseman, upright in all his dealings and has during his life made many warm friends, not only in this city, but throughout the province and in the States. He came to St. Catharines about 25 years ago and for the past 10 or 12 years has kept the James Hotel on the Queenston-road.

Kiralfy Burned Out.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The house of Bossy Kiralfy, the spectacular showman, took fire last night and considerable valuable property was destroyed. Elise Kiralfy, the showman's wife, was carried down stairs from a sick bed to the house of a neighboring physician. The loss will exceed \$30,000.

THE WORLD OF LONDON.

Chronicle and Criticism by Mr. Edmund Yates—Carlyle's Opinion of Ireland.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The death of Prince Victor of Hohenlohe has upset all the court arrangements and also the intended hospitalities of the Prince and Princess of Wales at Sandringham, where there is not now likely to be either a ball or a lawn meet of hounds this winter. Contemplated tableaux and theatricals at Osborne and other projected entertainments have been abandoned and the Queen has given up the intention of opening parliament and will now remain quietly in the Isle of Wight until within a few days of the Royal wedding. The Queen will not now be in London until the second week of March, when she is coming up to Buckingham Palace for two nights, in order to hold the first drawing-room, at which Her Majesty will receive the diplomatic corps. There is to be another drawing-room the following week.

Although the late Prince Victor was a nephew of the Queen and a brother of the head of his house, he never occupied more than four lines of the "Almanach de Gotha," which does not condense to trouble itself either about his marriage or his children. With his English relatives he was universally popular. For a quarter of a century he was known as Count of Gleichen.

Count Gleichen used to say with all sincerity that sculpture was his bread, and he realized a considerable fortune by his chisel. Although he worked with great rapidity he always managed to keep up the quality of his productions, which may be numbered by the hundreds. Perhaps the happiest statue was that of Lord Beaconsfield for the Conservative Club.

At the Suggestion of the Queen.

The Queen is so favorably impressed with the picturesque turbans worn by her own Mussulman attendants that she has requested Lord Lansdowne to restore the old-fashioned Oriental head dress whenever practicable. In accordance with this intimation, the hideous caps of the Viceroy's body-guard had been replaced by gorgeous turbans of red, dark blue and gold.

Candidates for a £1200 Stipend.

The best place in the personal gift of the Queen, with the exception of the Black Rod, became vacant by the death of Prince Victor of Hohenlohe-Langenburg, who was appointed Governor-Constable of the Round Tower, Windsor Castle, after the death of the Prince Consort. The salary is £1200 a year and there are now no duties. The governor and constable of the Round Tower are nominally under the Lord Chamberlain, and the salary is paid out of the civil list. It is certain that either the Duke of Connaught, Prince Christian or Prince Henry of Battenberg will be selected by the Queen, the chances being in favor of the last, whose appointment is anxiously desired by Princess Beatrice.

Urged to Come to the Royal Wedding.

The Princess of Wales is most anxious that the King and Queen of Denmark should come to England for the royal wedding, and such a pressing invitation has been despatched to Copenhagen that she may possibly consent to do so. They have not visited this country for more than 16 years.

King George Recovering From Smallpox.

There has been much anxiety both in Copenhagen and at Marlborough House concerning the illness of the King of the Hellenes, and the Princess of Wales was in great alarm about her favorite brother. There was an absurd attempt made at mystery about the nature of King George's malady by the Court and Ministers at Athens. He has really been suffering from a serious attack of smallpox, and one day was in danger, but is now advancing favorably toward recovery, and will probably soon go to Corfu for a change of air.

Carlyle's Opinion of Ireland.

Carlyle's opinion of Ireland as recorded by Sir Charles Gavan Duffy, who is passing the winter in Nice, is exceedingly neat and characteristic: "It is not repeat from England but repeat from the devil that will save Ireland. Great Britain married Ireland by the ground plan of this world—the thick-skinned laboring man to the drunken, ill-thought wife." EDMUND YATES.

Arrested for Manslaughter.

TORONTO, Jan. 6.—Barbara McDonough was last night found guilty of manslaughter and arrested on a coroner's warrant by a coroner's jury. Her child was suffering from diptheria. The health officers called to remove it to the hospital. The sister of the prison told the inspector that Mrs. McDonough and child had left the house. About a week afterwards the child died and the mother is now under arrest charged with being the cause of its death through criminal negligence. Her brother, Colman McDonough, in giving his evidence before the jury swore that the child's name was Greelish, that he was his father and that his name was John Greelish. He, too, was promptly placed under arrest on a charge of perjury.

Shot in a Lumber Camp.

TORONTO, Jan. 6.—Alexander Beatty, aged 20, whilst working in the Frank's Bay lumber camp for J. B. Smith & Sons of Strachan-avenue, Toronto, was accidentally shot in the calf of the leg by a companion. The bullet went through the leg. The sufferer had to go 20 miles over water and 15 by land before a doctor could be reached and his leg dressed. He was yesterday brought to the Toronto General Hospital.

Sealed to Death.

BELLEVILLE, Jan. 6.—A 4-year-old boy named Lindsay was so badly scalded by falling into a pot of boiling water that he died.

Madame De Boucherville Dies Suddenly.

MONTREAL, Jan. 6.—Madame De Boucherville, wife of the Premier, died last night at her residence, Boucherville, her death was sudden and unexpected.

Worse Than Ever in New Brunswick.

St. JOHN, N.B., Jan. 5.—Physicians report that the influenza is very prevalent here, even more so than last year.