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Lindsay, Sept. 18th, 1890.—36-tf.

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WE are old fashioned enough to believe that good and reliable goods and work will bring us custom and inspire our customers with confidence. Our increasing business confirms this belief.

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Our special watches the "MIDLAND," and "VICTORIA," lead the van. Made of the best material and with the utmost care they are in time-keeping qualities, durability and beauty second to none and superior to most others.

They are made to order especially for us and we stake our reputation on their good qualities. Nothing is left undone to have the "MIDLAND," and "VICTORIA" worthy to bear our trade mark, and the public may rest assured that our name shall not be placed upon any but watches of superior excellence.

It must not be imagined however that these are the only kinds of Watches we have.

On the contrary there is nothing in watches desirable or suitable for the trade in this locality that is not to be found in our stock.

BRITTON BROTHERS,

FOOT OF KENT ST., LINDSAY.

The Watchman.

THURSDAY, JAN. 26, 1892.

Town and County

A Marriage License,

At BRITTON BROTHERS, the Jewellers, for $2.00.—3-ly.

Dress and Mantle Making.

Miss Foster, fashionable dress and mantle maker has removed to 58 Kent-st., two doors east of Porter's bookstore, and will carry a full line of dress trimmings. 4

At Woodville.

On Monday, Col. Deacon, County P.M. held court at Woodville, to try a case for a breach of the Crook's Act. The case was enlarged until Saturday, at the request of the defendant's solicitor.

Make a Change.

It is very easy to find fault, but there are good grounds for grumbling regarding the reserved seats at the Academy of Music. The system at present in vogue is of the "ratty" variety, and a change is badly required. 'Nuff sed.

A Comparison.

Comparisons are frequently made between the Lindsay and Peterboro Agricultural Societies, the result being generally in favor of the former. From the annual reports for 1892, we learn that the receipts were: Peterboro, $2911.74; Lindsay, $4509.91. Expenditure, Peterboro, $2555.22; Lindsay, $4494.59. The working expenses were: Lindsay, $386.55; Peterboro, $566.80. The gate receipts were: Lindsay, $1858.65; Peterboro, $1265.45.

Booming.

THE WATCHMAN is the best read paper in Lindsay. It is already a welcome visitor at the homes of over seventeen hundred go ahead people in town and country, and our list is increasing by leaps and bounds, seventy three names being added in one day this week. Do you take it? If not do so at once. You can leave your order at the office, or at Metherel's Bookstore.

As Others See Us.

Our cotem, the *Canadian Horticulturist* says:—"The Lindsay Horticultural Society does a fine thing for its subscribers—giving each member who pays $1 00 membership the *Canadian Horticulturist*, with plant and report and also an additional distribution of bulbs of their own. This they are enabled to do through the provisions of the Agriculture and Arts Act, which bestows a grant of money to any horticultural society complying with its provisions, for the purpose of distributing horticultural literature or for exhibits." The Lindsay Society has already nearly eighty members for 1893, and arrangements are being made for a further surprise distribution in the spring, in addition to other new and attractive features.

REMOVED.

"The Watchman" has got a move on, and henceforth will be issued from the premises on William St., between the Central Hotel and Mr. John Dobson's Grocery Store.

Drain Tile & Brick.

A full stock of Brick and Drain Tile on hand at the yard, south of Lindsay.

S. J. Fox.

Barry and Fay.

Barry and Fry, were at the academy of music, on Monday night and they captivated the large audience present. They give a fine show and will always be welcome in Lindsay.

Railway Notes.

—Half a dozen locomotives are on the "stocks" at the shops here, being repaired.

—Messrs. McNabb and Roy, of Peterborough, were up on G. T. R. business on Saturday.

—About twenty cars of ice, per day, are being shipped from Port Perry, to Toronto, by the Knickerbacker Co. It is of the best quality.

—The recent severe weather, as usual, had a bad effect in the Railway systems throughout the country, but the Midland has been exceptionally fortunate in this respect, no accidents of any moment having occurred.

The Spell Broken.

A Bobcaygeonite came to town, on Tuesday, filled up with hot rum and undertook to run the town. At the skating rink, he almost took possession, but as he got a little too gay he ran across a snag, in the person of a stalwart townsman and the visitor measured his length on the snow covered pavement. Just then a cop happened along and he of "Caygeon" passed the night in Bell's paradise. At the police court yesterday morning, he was penitent, received a lecture and departed for his northern home, considerably wiser than he was on the previous evening.

Collegiate Institute Notes.

—The election of officers for the Literary Society, of the Collegiate Institute, was held last Friday 20th inst. The excitement ran high and consequently many votes were cast, resulting in the filling up of the treasury. The following officers were elected:—Pres., E. A. Hardy; Vice-Pres., N. Smale; 2nd Vice-Pres., Miss Ethel Flavelle; Rec. Sec. A. Silverwood; Cor. Sec's., J. P. Keith, Miss Weldon, Miss Taylor; Librarian, W. H. Vance; Sec. of Com., Miss L. Skinner; Warden, S. McLean; Master of the Rolls, A. W. Maunder; Curator, L. Bowes; Treas, W. H. Stevens; Councillors, Miss Hillock, Miss Fitzgerald, A. Stacey and two others. At the conclusion of the voting, as soon as the result was announced, Mr. Hardy's supporters chaired that gentleman, and carried him in triumph from the Institute, along Kent and William streets, to his residence, cheering vociferously at each corner and in fact all along the route.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

—The rooms will be in charge of members of the reception committee each evening.

—The Bible class of the Association will not meet this week owing to the absence of the secretary at the Montreal Convention.

—The Saturday night meeting will be held from 8:15 to 9 o'clock. Mr. J. T. Harrington will have charge and speak on the topic "God's time is now.'

—The association rejoices in the posession of a handsome, cheerful looking eight day clock, the gift of Mr. Geo. W. Beall, which now adorns the parlor. Its presence is thoroughly appreciated. Our sincere thanks are due Mr. Beall for this exceedingly useful present.

—The men's meeting on Sunday afternoon last was well attended. Rev. J. A. Kennedy gave an excellent address on the words, "All my springs are in Thee." Next Sunday afternoon at 4:15 the meeting will be addressed by Rev. C. H. Marsh. The orchestra will lead the singing all young men are cordially invited.

Church Notes.

—The Rev. Mr. Ware, who has been ill for some time, is able to be around again, and expects to conduct the services on Sunday.

—At St. Andrews Church, on Sabbath evening, the 20th inst., the pastor will preach on "Amusements, and their influence on character."

—On Sunday evening next, the Rev. Mr. Campbell, will preach on "Municipal Government," at the Cambridge-st. Methodist Church.

—The monthly meeting of the Church of England Temperance Society will be held in St. Paul's school room on Monday evening the 30th inst. All are cordially invited.

—On Friday last the Sabbath school children of St. Paul's church, had their annual sleigh drive and tea meeting. About twenty-five vehicles were in line and flags were in profusion. It is needless to say that the youngsters thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

—The annual tea meeting and entertainment of the Baptist Sunday school took place on Tuesday afternoon, beginning with a sleigh drive around the town and suburbs from 4.30 to 5.30. After a most sumptuous tea and play until 7.30, a very enjoyable evening was spent with stereoptican views of London, and lecture by the pastor, who is again around and will be with his people on Sunday.

—This (Thursday) evening in St. Andrew's church, Mrs. Jamieson will address a meeting to which the public are cordially invited. Mrs. Jamieson, and her husband who died recently have been laboring in the island of Formosa for a number of years, assisting Rev. Dr. McKay, and the grand results of the work there have made the names of the missionaries well known throughout our land.

Home Made Bread

Mr. A. Moore, 17 William-st., always keeps on hand home made bread and buns of the best quality.—3-tf.

BREVITIES.

—A car load of live pigs were shipped from Lindsay to Montreal, last Friday.

—A large number of farmers were in town on Saturday and business was brisk with all the merchants.

—A meeting of the county Orange lodge, will be held in Lindsay, on Tuesday, February 7th at 11 a.m.

—A meeting of the county lodge of the Patrons of Industry, will be held in the town council chamber, on Tuesday Feb. 7 at 2 p.m.

—A meeting of the Agricultural Society is called for Saturday afternoon for general business. The dates for the fall show will probably be decided on.

—The Sylvester Works closed down on Tuesday afternoon to give the employees an opportunity of attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Blackwell.

—Mr. John Campbell, who drives a delivery wagon for Messrs. Spratt & Killen, had his right foot badly cut on Tuesday morning by a horse stepping on it.

—The first carnival will be held at the rink at Uxbridge, on Thursday next, 26th, in aid of the Citizens' Band, to open at 8 with grand march of costumed skaters.

—Mr. Jas. R. Mark leaves town today for Wyevale, where he will spend the next few weeks in the interest of the American lumber firm, which he represents.

—The county councillors evidently find the necessity for a town clock. At 11 o'clock yesterday morning, the hour for meeting, only two or three members were present.

—The Woodville *Advocate* has suspended publication, the printing material has been removed to Beaverton and the proprietor Mr. Cave, has secured a position in Toronto.

—It is said that an effort will be made to unseat one of the recently elected Bobcaygeon councillors on the ground that he has not the necessary property qualification.

—Mr. Neil McPhaden, of Lindsay, expects to open out a stock of dry goods, groceries, etc., in Sunderland, shortly, in the store lately occupied by Messrs. M. McPhaden & Co.

—"Joe," remarked a guest at the Daly House, "the clock in the bar is stopped." "Yes," replied the genial landlord, "that is done purposely to signify that there is no 'tick' here."

—Judging by the number of boys who are seen in public places smoking and chewing tobacco, the Ontario Act. forbidding the same, is somewhat of a dead letter, in Lindsay.

—Mr. W. Findlay, superintendent of the Provincial Provident Institution, St. Thomas, is in town. He has a good company and considerable business is done in this district.

—In Lindsay, the hotel keepers must keep a light burning in their bars, on Saturday and Sunday nights. In Peterborough, they are fined if they leave a light in the bars at such times.

Long Boots, Short Boots, Little Boots, Big Boots, Lace Boots, Button Boots, $1000 worth of Boots and Shoes bought at 50 cts. on the dollar. Now opened out at the Auction Mart. JAS. H. LENNON.

—Mr. Matthews has shut down pork packing for a time. The crop in this vicinity is about handled, as far as dead animals are concerned, but he is still open to purchase live porkers of a suitable kind.

—The members of Lindsay Lodge, I.O.O.F., who purpose taking part in the team work at Manilla on Friday evening, are requested to meet at the lodge room this (Thursday) evening to complete arrangements.

—On Friday Feb. 3rd Bro. R. M. Roy, of Peterboro, will be present at the regular meeting of Faithful Brethren lodge, A.F. and A.M., and will illustrate the first degree by means of stereoptican views.

—On Thursday, a young son of Mr. A. F. G. McGachen, manager of the Bank of Montreal, fell while skating and one of his feet was rather severely cut on the side by the point of one of the sharp steel runners.

—The other morning a young man while under the influence, got a corner on a bag of flour at the Dundas mill, and removed it in a cutter. A friend returned the lifted property and no prosecution followed.

—Messrs. Moffat, Hodgins and Clark, of Watertown, N.Y., who had the contract for the construction of the Lindsay waterworks, have been awarded the big job of building the Hemlock lake conduit, at Rochester.

—The Sadler, Dundas, & Flavelle grist mill is now working on three orders of 1000, 1500 and 500 barrels of flour, all for the Eastern Township market, Quebec. The orders are being filled as rapidly as possible.

—Mr. Geo. Merril, of Belleville, writes to us, stating that THE WATCHMAN can assure all the Veterans of 1837-8 that their long neglected claims will soon be honorably settled and with something more substantial too than medals.

—The Cannington *Gleaner* celebrates its sixth birthday, by appearing in a new form, four pages. The "patent" inside has been discarded and the whole paper is now printed in the office. The *Gleaner* is a neat, newsy sheet and a credit to the town.

—S. O. Fisher, of West Bay city and Joseph Turner, of Bay City, have purchased 175,000,000 feet of standing pine in the Parry Sound district from Merrill Ring & Co., of Saginaw, for $350,000. Turner also purchased 200,000,000 feet on the Wahnapitae from James T. Hurst, Wyandotte, for $500,000. Fisher owns a similar amount of the latter tract

An Iron Roof.

Mr. Jas. Hill and a number of workmen from the Central Iron Works, Peterboro', are in town for the purpose of putting on the iron roof at Parkin's mill. There are six spans of 47 feet each, six trusses and a fluber on top 11 x 5 feet. on the west side. The bricklayers are hardly far enough ahead yet to permit of the work going on, but an extra staff were put on yesterday and it is probable the job will be finished in about ten days. The mill will then be almost fireproof.

Killed a Lynx.

On Thursday morning of last week an extra large lynx was exhibited on Kent-st. by a young farmer and was inspected by hundreds of people. It was first seen by James Greening, of Ops, in a cluster of trees, in the swamp near McArthur's school house, about 2½ miles from Lindsay, on the leading road to Omemee. Greening, with the assistance of John Sloan, a dog and a club, managed to kill the animal, after a prolonged fight. The lynx was an extra large one, in fine condition and was left with a lacal taxidermist to be mounted. Such animals are rare in this vicinity.

A Town Clock.

Lindsay has a fine post house, on which there is a tower. In the tower are four openings in the brick work, circular in form, and filled with boarding. By many it is supposed that it was the intention once upon a time to place a clock in the said tower. A striking clock, with illuminated dials would fill the bill and is just what our town wants. Peterboro' has one and Mr. James Stevenson, M.P., had no trouble in inducing the government to place it. Lindsay has Senator Dobson, Major Hughes and Mr. Chas. Fairbairn, M.P's at Ottawa. Can they get a clock? Suppose they try! Their united efforts would surely succeed.

Personals.

—Mr. J. W. Crosby, of Peterboro, was in town on Tuesday.

—Miss May Greer, of Fenelon Falls, is visiting with Miss A. Parkin.

—Mr. Thos. Sadler, is going South for a few months, until the winter is over.

—Miss Minnie Fawcett, of Peterboro' is the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. Parkin.

Miss Clara Gillies, of Toronto, is visiting friends in Lindsay and vicinity this week.

—Mr. Fred Taylor, of Blackstock, is taking a course at the Peterboro Business College.

—Messrs. Geo. Newton, of the Port Perry *Standard*, and E. D. Hand, of the Fenelon Falls *Gazette*, were among the many visitors in town on Saturday.

—Mrs. Alex Fisher, of this town, was the happy recipient of a handsome Gerard Heintzman upright piano, a gift from her father, Mr. John Braden, of Bobcaygeon.

—Mr. A. Blanchard of the Peterboro' Business College, one of the most flourishing and best institutions of the kind, in Canada, spent Sunday in town, with friends.

—Mr. R. Vance, of Ida, was in town on Saturday. He formerly represented this district on the Board of Agriculture and Arts and was one of the best representatives we ever had.

—Mr. Richard Tanner, well-known in Lindsay and Peterboro, he having resided for some years in each place, and who until recently has lived at Cannington, has left for Belleville. The *Gleaner* says:—"Mr. Rich. Tanner, who has held a position in Messrs. Brandon & Philip's bakery here for the past four years, left on Monday for Belleville to accept a situation in that city. Previous to his departure he was made the recipient of a beautiful gold locket and chain by some of his friends. We wish him success."

Obituary.

We regret to record the death of Mrs. Thomas Blackwell, which sad event occurred, on Sunday last. The deceased was a daughter of the late Mr. McCarthy, of Tyrone, Darlington, and had only been married about two years. She was a lady beloved by all who knew her and her bereaved husband will have the sympathy of a large circle of friends and acquaintances. The funeral, to Riverside Cemetery, on Tuesday was very largely attended.

On Wednesday evening of last week, that grim reaper, death, carried away one of our best known and most respected citizens, in the person of Mr. John Curtin, son of Mr. P. Curtin of Ops. at the early age of 40 years, the cause being that most dreaded of diseases, consumption. The deceased was born in the Township of Ops, in 1853. He was educated at the Separate School, Lindsay, afterwards taking a course at the Toronto Commercial College. After working for some time with his father, he visited the Black Hills, at the time of the first mining excitement in that region. After a year or so, tiring of the life in that country, he returned to Lindsay and entered upon a commercial career, as accountant with Mr. C. L. Baker. He remained about one year and then left for London, Ont., to take charge of the books of the Hon. Frank Smith, who conducted the largest wholesale and retail grocery and liquor business in the western section of the province. Mr. John Garvey purchased the business about seven years ago and Mr. Curtain remained on as head book keeper, where he remained until about the 1st of December last, when failing health caused him to return home and shortly afterwards he was forced to bed, from which he did not rise until summoned by the hand of death. He was of a bright, active disposition, beloved by all who had the honor of his acquaintance and bore his suffering in silence. He was unmarried and his parents and other relatives, of whom there are quite a number in town and vicinity, have the heartfelt sympathy of the public at large. The funeral took place on Friday, of last week, and was one of the largest seen in Lindsay for many years, upwards of one hundred vehicles being in the cortege.

Central Charity Committee.

An adjourned meeting of the Central Charity Committee, was held on Friday afternoon last, when the following officers were elected for 1893. President, Mr. D. J. McIntyre; Secretary, Mrs. Sharpe; Treasurer for town grant, Mrs. J. Wetherup; Treasurer for donations, Mrs. Neelands; Dispensers: North Ward, Mrs. Weldon; South Ward, Mrs. Trew; East Ward, Mrs. Mills.

Potato Disease Cured.

A specific for this terrible blight is made public from Kew. Eng. as follows:—Copper sulphate 45 pounds, quicklime 22½ pounds, water 200 gallons, to be prepared as follows:—The sulphate of copper (common blue vitriol) is to be dissolved by suspending it in a coarse cloth in a wooden vessel containing water; next slack the lime in a separate vessel and when carefully strained add it to the sulphate solution, stir well and add the remaining water—this quantity is ample for one acre of potatoes, to be applied through an ordinary watering pot when the bloom of the potatoes is fully open.

A Wonderful Invention.

Our attention has been called to a remarkable instrument for examining and pointing out every defect and disease of the eye and sight. It is the only instrument of the kind in existence, and being protected by patents can be used only by the inventor, Dr. Jebb, (formerly of New York), the renowned optical specialist. He is enabled with this instrument and *his many years of study and practice* to fit spectacles skilfully, when all others fail. Cures pain in and around the eye, headache, neuralgia, inflammation and granulation of the lids, lashes falling out and straightens cross eye and squint without an operation. "Seeing is believing." Read his testimonials. Will be at the Benson House till Saturday only. The only optician in Canada making grinding and fitting of complicated lenses for the eye a specialty. Consultation and examination free. *

Military Matters.

—Lieut. Col. Straubenzie, Deputy-Adjutant General of the third military district, inspected the arms and accoutrements of the Lindsay and other companies of the 45th in this county, on Thursday last. He expressed himself as well satisfied with the result.

—The local officers have taken up the matter referred to in THE WATCHMAN, of civilians and others wearing military clothes, when not on duty, The penalty for so doing is a severe one, and a good way to stop it is to bring one or two of the transgressors before the P. M.

—The *Canada Gazette*, of Saturday, contains the complete returns of the comparative efficiency of the Ontario Infantry corps. In this district the 57th of Peterborough, head the city corps, with 72 points; 14th of Kingston 66 5/6, and 15th of Belleville with 33⅓ follow. In the rural corps the 46th, Port Hope, leads with 50¾ and the 40th, of Cobourg, with 45⅓ came next. One Battallion the 45th, did no drill last year, or the result would in all probability, have been difficient.

At the Skating Rink.

The grand winter tournament at the skating rink, on Friday night was not a pronounced success. The attendance was small, but some of the sports were good. The principal events failed to fill and were declared off. The band discoursed music. The following is the list of the contests, the winners and the prizes:—

BOY'S RACE—Under 12, quarter mile.—(1) W. Silver, jack knife. (2) Samuel Killen, candies.

BOY'S OBSTACLE RACE—Under 15.—(1) B Ritchie, scarf pin. (2) W. Higgs, pair of skates.

ONE MILE RACE.—(1) Albert Pilkie (2) Wm. Ritchie, pocket book.

HALF MILE RACE.—(1) Fritz Barron, set of hockey sticks.

LONGEST JUMP OVER CHAIRS.—(1) C. Ritchie, a pipe.

MEN'S OBSTACLE RACE.—(1) S. Ritchie, penknife.

CHARIOT RECE.—W. Ritchie, C. Ritchie, D. Sinclair, Fritz Barron, tobacco pouches.

WHEELBARROW RACE.—(1) Mills, a pipe, (2) C Ritchie, a pipe.

LEAP FROG.—C. Ritchie, D. Sinclair and Mills, box of cigars.

Briefelets.

—A public meeting to discuss the railway bonus matters will be held at the Opera House, at an early day.

—It would appear to an outsider that politics have considerable to do with the election of a warden, in Lindsay. Mr, Hopkins, the successful candidate is a staunch reformer.

—Mr. W. Ford, the electrician, who did such excellent jobs in Lindsay, is now in Hamilton putting in some dynamos for the gas company in that city.

—A Bowmanville firm has a big thing in the pork line, so they think. They have purchased in this district, some three thousand hogs to be fed until and delivered on the 1st of April. They were bought right and if pork keeps up a small fortune is in sight.

—Mr. J. J. Turner, the tent and awning man of Peterboro, was in town on Tuesday, and took a pocketful of orders. He makes good goods and the people of Lindsay know it. He will exhibit a full line of his manufactures at the Columbian exposition, Chicago.

—Membray's Kidney and Liver Cure has been dispensed by a prominent chemist and druggist for years, and hundreds of his customers have freely testified to the beneficial effects and wonderful cure of Kidney and Liver complaints. For sale by E. GREGORY, Lindsay.

—The diphtheria, which has been such a scourge in Bobcaygeon and vicinity is abating, thanks to the prompt and complete sanitary aarrangements enforced by the Board of Health. The schools churches and one of the hotels which have been closed for some time, will soon be reopened.