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The Watchman.

THURSDAY, JULY 25th 1895.

TOWN AND COUNTY.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES.

—Three acres of good land in south ward.—Apply to C. CHITICK.—22

—A 30 lb. lunge was caught in Chemomy lake one day last week.

—Mrs. Mountford, the Oriental lecturer, who delighted Lindsay audiences some time ago, is again lecturing in Toronto.

—Query:—If a fellow's "three sheets in the wind" is he necessarily a good sailor?

—Mr. Sherbaine of Tweed took Paris green Friday morning and died from the effects.

—The American Canoe Association meet this year at Bluff Point, Lake Champlain, from Aug. 9th to 23rd.

Give me the man who sings at his work, Whose melody soars with the sun; Yes, give me the man who sings at his work, And give me, oh, gimme a gun!

—Eye troubles are increasing with alarming rapidity. It would almost seem that for the sake of education, and in the struggle for life, the coming race is growing up purblind.

—A young Chicago clerk was shut six hours in a refrigerator the other day by accident. When at last released, he said he felt as though he had been attending a sociable at a fashionable church.

The Orillia Christian Endeavor Union ran a free excursion the other evening, and wound it a paying investment. A collection was taken up and a good sum realized. Here is a scheme for some enterprising Lindsay society to try.

From the land of Who Knows Where? Comes the Summer maiden fair. Echoes on the air her laughter! Fifteen trunks are following after, Filled with frocks, and lace, and hose, For the girl who comes from where— Who Knows?

—Farmers and others in wooded sections should be very careful about setting out fires. Everything is as dry as tinder at the present time, and there is no telling the amount of damage that may be caused by carelessness of this kind. This caution applies to campers as well.

—Do the people who make it a practice to go into fruit stores and eat whatever they take a fancy to, ever consider how mean their action is? The fruit dealer does not care to quarrel with a customer or friend over a banana or a few berries. Yet in the aggregate the fruit lost by a large dealer through this petty pilfering makes a considerable item, and is one of two chief reasons for the unremunerativeness of the fruit business, the other being the large amount of waste. And thus dealers are compelled to stand by and see their profit eaten up by customers who with the coolest impudence consume fruit which they have no idea of paying for, before the eyes of the owner, meanwhile chatting affably.

—Cherries, Berries, Pineapples and Water-Melons at Fox's.

—R. CAMPBELL, Insurance Agent, office second door north of WATCHMAN printing office.—28-4.

—A glossy black paint for bicycles can be made thus: Amber, 16oz.; boiled linseed oil, 1/2 pint; asphalt, 3oz; resin, 3oz; oil turpentine, 1 pint. Melt the amber in the boiling oil, and add the asphalt and resin. Mix thoroughly and remove to open air, and gradually add the turpentine.

—A camping party went up the river the other morning, and it is said their provender consisted of one keg of beer, several bottles of Gooderham and worts "Elixir of Life," a watermelon and one small loaf of bread. Evidently man does not live by bread alone.

—The Baptist excursion to Washburn's Island last Friday was not quite as successful as anticipated, owing to the indications of rain in the morning. The outing was a very pleasant one, however, and there was just enough rain on the home trip to make Presbyterians out of the party.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roschille, of Idyl Wild, had a narrow escape drowning the other day. The boat in which they were fishing upset, and after clinging to the upset boat for upwards of an hour they were rescued by a man named Hogg. The trolling line had become so tightly around Mrs. Roschille that she was unable to move.

—Messrs J. B Knowlson and Dr. Simpson returned from Bethany Thursday morning, and report an excellent day's sport. Their hamper contained 109 fine brook trout, all of good size. One daisy caught by Mr. Knowlson, weighed over one pound. It is fully fifteen years since a trout of this weight was caught in Bethany creek.

—The regular trip to Sturgeon Point Saturday last per Str. Crandella was largely patronized. The day was perfect and about 175 took the run down and spent some six hours strolling through the beautiful grove, and laying in a stock of ozone for future use. It is simply wonderful the benefit to health derived from even an occasional day spent at this pure air summer resort.

—The annual meeting of the Masonic Grand Lodge was held this year in Toronto at Massey Hall, commencing on July 17th. There was a large attendance and the Grand Treasurer's report shows the finances of this the oldest and strongest of secret orders to be in a very satisfactory condition. Faithful Brethren lodge, Lindsay, was represented by Messrs. J. L. Nutting, W. M., and A. Williamson.

—The C. M. B. A. will hold their popular annual excursion to Toronto, Niagara Falls and Buffalo on Lindsay's Civic Holiday, Aug. 8th. Particulars will be announced in a few days. Tickets to Toronto, \$1.80; Niagara Falls, \$2.00. Good for the usual long stay.—29

—Peterboro Review.—"Mr. Alex. H. Melville, agent for the Lakehurst Sanitarium at Oakville, has interested himself in several unfortunate local cases of a special character, and these, thanks to the generosity of friends and acquaintances, will be treated at the institute. Mr. Melville exhibits considerable energy in his work, and has been successful in securing many patients from this district who have been treated with the very best results."

—The T. Eaton Co., Toronto, in deciding to supplement its Saturday half-holiday by closing the store at five o'clock each day during July and August benefits its employees, demonstrates its faith in early closing, and gives that movement a substantial boom. This is practical advocacy of early closing, and the weekly half-holiday, and if a few more merchants will follow the example, the Provincial Government will readily accede to the request to have one afternoon, in each week declared a legal half-holiday. Who will be the first in Lindsay to set the example?

—A check should be endorsed by writing the name across and not lengthwise, and about an inch below the top. The top of the back is the left hand end of the face. The name should be written precisely as it appears on the face of the check, no matter how you are in the habit of signing your name. If it be erroneously spelled, write it twice, first the wrong way and then the right. If you desire to make the check payable to a certain person, write above your name, "Pay to—order." If you are going to deposit it in bank, write, above your name, "For deposit."

—Any suggestions for the production of cattle feed, says the Bobcaygeon Independent, are opportune, and Mr. Councillor Wilson has an idea that might be acted upon. He says that an excellent crop of millet might yet be grown, and on his suggestion several parties are going to try it. Millet grown this or next week, will in all probability grow a full average crop of hay. It requires well curing and should therefore not be left too late in cutting. It is a heavy rich grass, and a fine feed. Anyone having a piece of land they can scuffle over and seed, should try it.

—We are only human, and like words of praise occasionally as well as the rest of poor humanity; but when it comes from an opponent it is doubly appreciated. A well known citizen who stepped into the office of our east end cotem, the other day to stop his paper was informed that "there is as much difference between THE WATCHMAN and the Post as there is between The Toronto Daily Globe and the Omnesse Mirror." This is a fact that we have been aware of for some time past, and if we may judge by the number of subscribers that are being added to our lists every week the public have also caught on to this very patent fact. Thanks, awfully. Come again.

—F. C. Taylor, Insurance Agent, Office on the ground floor of the new opera house, Lindsay-st.—8.

—Insist on having Tennis Ball stamped "1895." Take no other. Don't take old ones. 1895 Balls to be had at Geo. W. Beall's.

—Mr. Wm. Robson has introduced town water into his fine fruit garden and the good effects will soon be apparent in large fine fruit and vegetables of all kind.

—In London England, the other day a man who wore 37 medals for saving people from drowning fell off the dock and was himself drowned. The weight of his medals sunk him.

—Recently several Hamilton young men were found \$20 cents and costs for scratching plate glass windows. Some of our Lindsay youths who amuse themselves evenings scratching signs, and possibly plate glass windows as well, will yet have to face the P. M. unless they speedily improve their ways.

—This Thursday afternoon next, July 25th, on the farm of Mr. John Scully, lot 2, con. 7, Emily, a contest will take place for the purpose of testing the various tables erected on mowers for the purpose of saving clover seed. A grand turnout of farmers of the section is looked for, as the object is an important one and of deep interest to all farmers.

—A couple of farmers were discussing things in general and educational matters in particular on the market the other day. "What do you intend doing with your son when he returns from college?" "Well," was the thoughtful reply. "If he has education enough he will very likely teach school, but if not he will probably edit a newspaper."

—It is simply wonderful the terrible ordeals some people can go through and yet survive. A young man with a somewhat rural aspect stepped into one of our ice cream parlors on Saturday last and ordered as first course ice cream, cake and a glass of water; later on ice cream, watermelon and cake; and still later, more cream, cake and watermelon. As the time of going to press he was still alive.

—Twenty-five newsboys from Buffalo, N. Y., are camped at Miner's Bay, where they will enjoy a month's outing on the farm of Nicholas Wessels. These boys were formerly homeless and friendless waifs, but were reclaimed by the Children's Aid Society. Their being in the country, in the green fields, under the trees and near the water and away from the hot and dusty city is something they alone can appreciate.

At the urgent request of a number of our citizens desirous of seeing the large herd of buffalos and Persian sheep and their offspring on Boyd's Island, three miles below Bobcaygeon, on Pigeon lake, the Steamer Crandella will run an excursion to this pretty spot on Thursday, Aug. 1st. The boat will call at the Point, for the convenience of those who wish to remain there. Tickets, 25 and 15c. Steamer leaves upper wharf at 9 a. m. sharp.

—Recently some despicable wretch entered the old Presbyterian burying ground on lot 18, con. 2 Ops, and destroyed several of the headstones. A neat suitable fence should at once be placed around this plot, and a few trees and shrubs planted. As it stands at present cattle roam through it at pleasure. This is probably the oldest cemetery in the township. It was originally purchased by Mr. Thomas Ray over fifty years ago, and in it are buried some fifteen or twenty of Ops, early settlers.

—Mr. S. Perrin, Lindsay's enterprising druggist, has placed a very neat wagon on the road to better supply the surrounding country with his now celebrated preparations. The lettering has been neatly done, and the general appearance of the wagon is very tasty. The work was done by Mr. R. Kylie, and is a creditable sample of the high class work turned out at that establishment. Of course the turnout would not be complete without a stylish horse, and this Mr. Perrin has secured in a half-brother of the well-known Lapidist Chief.

—Fishing in Scugog lake is excellent at the present time. The excursionists on the Steamer Crandella Tuesday evening of last week on the homeward trip to Port Perry observed, just as they entered the lake, a gentleman who was trolling from a canoe hook on to about a 10 lb. lunge. As the fish took the bait it jumped several feet out of the water and the excursionists gathered to the starboard side of the steamer to see the ardent fisherman land it. They were doomed to disappointment, however. He attempted to drown his prize, but the lunge would not have it that way, and a moment later the Crandella's passengers saw the hook drawn in—empty! The wind was blowing in the wrong direction or the chances are the onlookers would have been favored with some cuss words in several languages.

—It seems as if a good half of the men in this world were created for the express purpose of annoying the other half. This is our solid conclusion after years of experience in the editorial chair. Time and again, when the creations of our brain have been palpitating and clashing for an exit, and our pen has been coursing from one edge of the sheet to the other, someone, apparently void of all consideration, has interrupted us with the offer of his subscription fee or a bank note for job printing. And this sort of conduct we have borne with patience for years and years without making any kind of complaint; but, as there are no signs of its abatement, we must at last utter our strongest protest against it. We hope, then, that all sinners in this regard will note what we have said, and pester us no more with offers of money, at least. What in the world does a publisher—a man that has capital invested, stock to purchase, and journey-men to pay,—want money for? Whoever looks into the matter will see the absurdity of the whole thing.

—Parry Sound boasts of a 17 year old youth who measures 6ft. 7in.

—Three rooms to rent for \$2.50 month over Carter's store. O. Bigelow.

—The Sabbath School, in connection with St. Paul's church, are enjoying the annual picnic at Orillia to-day.

—Will be sold at a bargain a sail and mast suitable for canoe or skiff.—Allan S. Macdonell.—30

—Read, Dundas & Flavell's change of advt. in this issue. There's money in it for you.

—Counterfeit ten and twenty-five cent pieces are occasionally offered in town, but are easily detected. Look out for them.

—A citizen labors under the impression that there is an animal of questionable reputation in the main sewer or else that this sanitary viaduct needs flushing badly.

—The blueberry crop up north this season is said to be pretty light. Small quantities are arriving in town and retailing at one dollar a pail.

—Talmage the Brooklyn Divine, says that "the in-swinging gates of hell are impure literature, the dissolute dance, indiscreet apparel and alcoholic beverage."

—It looks as if the "ballon sleeves" had to go. The Princess of Wales and her daughters have recently appeared in public with small sleeves and narrow skirts.

—Found, in the baseball grounds, Fenelon Falls, a handsome gold cuff button with diamond setting. Owner can have same on application at THE WATCHMAN office.

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—Wm. Harper, from near Huntsville drew \$35 from the Parry Sound branch of the Bank of Ottawa a week ago, since which time nothing has been heard of him. He left a team of horses at one of the hotels. Foul play is suspected.

—A few days ago there appeared an advt. in one of the Toronto dailies which stated that "a young woman, widow of physician, would sell practice to a young unmarried doctor." The advt. failed to state whether she was included in the practice or not.

—A large party of prominent young men of the town held a social hop in the pavilion at Sturgeon Point Tuesday evening. A very enjoyable time was spent and the return trip made at an early hour per Str. Mary Louise, which was chartered for the occasion.

—A former resident of Victoria County now in California, in a letter to a friend, says: "When THE LINDSAY WATCHMAN comes to hand I sit down and read it through, forgetting all about my dinner. I would rather do without my best meal any day than the paper, for it is like getting a long letter from home."

—Solomon P. Hyams of New York city, uncle of the Harry P. and Dallas T. Hyams, whose trial for murder in Toronto is still fresh in the public mind, and who paid for the defence of the twins, died on the 21st inst. It was through his efforts that the services of Assistant District Attorney Francis L. Wellman of New York were secured for the defence.

—Watertakers will have noticed the improvement in the quality of water supplied of late. This is owing to the fact that Mr. Bigbie has had the filters thoroughly cleaned and refilled with selected sand, supplied by Mr. A. Robinson. This sand has been specially selected and washed for this purpose, and is as clean and pure as a Cabinet Minister's record. A large quantity is now stored at the waterworks, but should be placed under cover.

—Notice has been given that an examination of candidates for licenses as saw-log cutters will be held at Huntsville on Aug. 7th, next. Intending candidates should at once communicate with the department of Crown Lands, Toronto, and forward the required fee of \$4. It is not the intention to hold any further examinations this season, and candidates will therefore govern themselves accordingly. Only British subjects and bonafide residents of Canada will be examined for licenses.

—The Waterlily ball given in the pavilion at Sturgeon Point on Friday evening last by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Grace, of Toronto, was a social gathering of unusual brilliance for Lindsay. Over one hundred guests were present. Mrs. Grace was assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs. George Stewart of Belleville. The dancing room was beautifully decorated, gay flags and bunting being prominently displayed, and the ceiling was hung with Chinese lanterns and the walls adorned with flags and wreaths. The Str. Greyhound conveyed a large party from Lindsay, and as they started on the return trip the whole party came to the wharf, and three cheers were given for Mr. and Grace as the Greyhound steamed off.

—The educationists of the Dominion had on foot for some years a movement to have written a text book of Canadian history, which will be suitable for use in all the schools of Canada, regardless of the religious belief and nationality of the pupils. To produce it a competition was organized two years ago. None but writers of ability were allowed to compete, and detailed instructions were issued requiring the writers to compose their works from a Dominion standpoint instead of the provincial points of view observed in the text books at present in use. The time assigned for the purpose of the competition has just expired, and the authors are now forwarding their manuscripts for examination. The committee of judges known in official circles as the Dominion History Committee on Manuscripts, has been called to meet in the city of Quebec on July 25th. It is composed of representatives from all parts of the Dominion. It is probable that committee will be able to award the prizes before the summer is over. The value of the royalty to be given as first-prize is variously estimated from \$15,000 to \$20,000.