

52nd YEAR.

LINDSAY, ONT., THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 1909.

The New Year

is the beginning of the change that is to take place in everything material. We open with a clean sheet in the roll of time.

January 1909 will mark a great reduction in every line in our store; there are plenty of useful things to be secured for winter service.

We point out specially our Furs, which will every one go at Bargain Prices.

Ladies' Fur and Fur-lined Coats, Scarfs, Caprines, Throws, Muffs, Caps, Etc., all reduced.

Ladies' Cloth Coats reduced from \$10 and \$12 to 7.90; \$15 Coats for 11.75, and so on.

Ladies' and men's underwear, ladies' skirts and undershirts, wool wraps, clouds, etc.

We bought a manufacturer's clearing of all wool tweed dress goods, reg. 1.00 to sell at..... 67c

All other dress goods at cut prices. Won't you yet need a few warm, soft, all wool blankets, or may be it is flannellettes you need, in these we will give you a great cut.

We have a collection of sundry bric-a-brac which we will sell at almost any price you name.

Come One—Come All

O'Loughlin & McIntyre

Natural Gas Proposition Submitted to the Council

Looking from afar off, or in other words looking into the future a short distance and prognosticating, it looks as though Lindsay is to have natural gas produced within the vicinity and that the product will be marketed in Lindsay at comparatively low prices.

As was stated in Wednesday's issue Mr. Robt. Leary, of Peterboro, was in Lindsay interviewing several of the citizens relative to putting the matter before the town council, securing the franchise, and commencing drilling operations, etc.

THE PROPOSAL. Briefly summarized the proposition is as follows: The company after securing the franchise from the council to enter the town and operate on the streets, will secure by agreement about 8,000 acres of land (in blocks) from the farmers. The company ask for no financial assistance, and the farmers are well looked after.

Mr. Leary went on to say that the same clause could be inserted by Lindsay council if gas was procured. And he further intimated that if gas was taken in larger quantities there was a possibility of it being sold at for 25c per thousand cubic feet for domestic purposes, and 15c for manufacturing purposes. However, he did not guarantee this.

city to commence operations by Jan. 1, 1909, they again waited upon the council of that city and secured an extension of time.

PRICES QUOTED. In the meantime the company decided to negotiate with Lindsay, it being practically assured to them that the strata of natural gas ran through this section of the country. The company claim that they will expend \$50,000 in experimenting.

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THE AGREEMENT. Mr. Leary then read a portion of the agreement made between the company and the farmers, extracts of which are as follows: No wells to be drilled within three hundred feet of main buildings without lessor's consent.



PRIVATE WM. MOIR.

Who killed Serg. Lloyd at London Barracks, and who was acquitted at his trial Thursday afternoon on the ground of insanity. He was committed to an insane asylum for life.

Part or all of said rental money can be paid at any time within said term of agreement. All money falling due under the terms of this lease may be paid direct to lessor or to his credit at the bank.

It is further agreed by the parties of the second part, that in case of the failure on the part of the parties of the second part to comply with the conditions or to pay the cash considerations herein mentioned in this and time and manner agreed upon, the party of the first part is to be null and void, and not binding on either party.

It is found on the premises, lessor to have free use of gas for one dwelling house situated on same premises used by economical appliances and during said term.

TO MAYOR BEGG MR. LEARY said that the company would start to work in Lindsay as soon as they received word to come, and as soon as they secured the franchise. In as they secured the franchise in Peterboro they took over the gas plant there and the same could be done in Lindsay.

Annual Meeting of the Children's Aid Society

From Saturday's Daily. The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society, Lindsay branch, was held last evening, and as usual there was a very small number present, just a handful of the enthusiastic workers, those who have aided materially in the advancement of the Aid and its work.

The meeting last evening was called to order by the President, Dr. White, and matters were disposed of in a very business-like manner. After the reading of the minutes of the last meeting, Mrs. Milne, the treasurer of the society, submitted her annual report as follows:

TREASURER'S REPORT. Balance on hand \$ 87.30 Receipts from Victoria Co. 100.00 Receipts from Haliburton Co. 50.00 Fees 12.75 Total \$250.05 DISBURSEMENTS Secretary's salary \$ 25.00 Collecting fees, 1907 10.00 Boarding, lodging for children in temporary homes 64.90 Girl's and boys' clothing 24.53 Children's boots 14.85 Stationery, printing, lawyers fees, etc. 21.14 Traveling expenses in connection with neglected children 23.45 Constables' services in connection with children 13.75 Miscellaneous, affiliation, etc. 1.00 Cleaning children 1.00 Photographs of children, etc. 1.50 Sundries 1.50 Other necessities .50 Total \$203.62 Balance on hand \$ 47.44

THE OFFICERS. Hon. Pres., S. J. Fox, M.P.P. President, J. A. White, M.D. Vice-Pres.—J. Rogers, Principal of Separate school. 2nd Vice-Pres., Geo. Rea. 3rd Vice-Pres., J. H. Knight, inspector P. S. 4th Vice-Pres., G. H. Wilson. Treasurer, Mrs. Geo. A. Milne. Secretary, Ellen E. Sharpe, 87 Fair-ave., Lindsay, Ont.

Bank of Montreal ESTABLISHED 1817 Capital Paid Up \$14,400,000 Reserve Fund \$12,000,000 26,400,000 The Bank of Montreal at the end of its fiscal year, October 31st, 1908, added another \$1,000,000. to its reserve fund, thus further emphasizing its great strength and stability.

THE WESTERN BANK OF CANADA FARMERS' BUSINESS A SPECIALTY With \$1.00 you can open a JOINT ACCOUNT particularly valuable and convenient for farmers depositing or withdrawal of money by husband or wife. Farmers' sale notes cashed and promptly collected. Drafts and money orders bought and sold at very low cost.

THE FARMERS BANK OF CANADA OPPOSITE POST OFFICE LINDSAY Collects Money promptly. Discounts Notes. Issues Money Orders and Telegraph Transfer. Buys or Sells Drafts or Exchange. Advances Money to Farmers and Businessmen. Interest Allowed on the Daily Balance in Savings Bank Accounts.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO ESTABLISHED 1867 B. E. WALKER, President Paid-up Capital, \$10,000,000 ALEXANDER LAIRD, General Manager Reserve Fund, - 6,000,000 Branches throughout Canada, and in the United States and England SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT

THE VICTORIA LOAN AND SAVINGS CO'Y Established 1895. William Flavell, President. In a very short time we hope to greet our many patrons and the public generally in our new office one door west of Gough's clothing store, where with our very central location we feel confident that our superior interest rates and our facilities for carrying on the mortgage business will be even more generally appreciated than heretofore.

GIVE NOW a useful gift would be a Savings Account in the Bank of Toronto Open an account this Xmas for your boy or girl. \$1 will open an account and it will teach them the value of money. The Reserve Fund of this Bank is HALF A MILLION more than the capital.

CONSTABLE FARRELL Chief of Police of Arthur, Ont., who captured Private Moir, the murderer of Sergt. Lloyd, and received the \$500 reward. DIDN'T SELL WHISKEY. Magistrate Moore presided at county court at Fenelon Falls on Friday, at a Kinnmount hotel-keeper, being charged with selling liquor without a license. There were three charges of this nature and it was alleged that liquor was sold on Dec. 24, 25 and 26. Two of these charges were dismissed and the third withdrawn.

START THE YEAR by opening that long delayed SAVINGS ACCOUNT. Don't wait until next year, do it now. You will be very much pleased to see how rapidly small amounts will grow. We are anxious to add your name to our already large and growing list of depositors. It does not matter how small your first deposit may be, it will be none the less appreciated.

Lindsay Cases at Osgoode Hall Before Cartwright, master, yesterday in Toronto the following cases of local interest was decided. Newton v. Town of Lindsay—G. H. Hopkins, K.C., for third parties, moved for payment of their costs after settlement of action by defendants. Order made for payment of costs, including costs of this motion, fixed at \$25.

Government Annuities PAMPHLET ISSUED BY THE DOMINION GOVERNMENT "If I but knew what age doth crave How many pennies I would save?" This is a little motto which heads a pamphlet issued by the Dominion Government which contains information concerning the Government annuities and how they can be obtained. The postoffice department is the medium through which annuities are secured. Deposits are made from time to time and the annuities commence at a certain fixed date. Full information is supplied at the post office. Little books have been issued of late and are being given to the public gratis.