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Should have Gas

The town of Lindsay should have gas. While there may be no immediate necessity for it for the purpose of illumination and while it cannot compete in cheapness for lighting purposes with electricity, yet it is a great convenience and saving for cooking and heating purposes.

Are there any Reasons?

When are the improvements to be made in the fire alarm system? Are the horses being imported from Europe for the fire hall? Has the bell been stolen, that it cannot be replaced on the market? Is the man who is paid to repair the alarm boxes on a long vacation, that the glasses cannot be replaced in the key boxes? Some attention is due from somebody in the latter question at least.

Superintendent of Education

In accordance with the provision of the new Public Schools Act passed at the session of the Ontario government just closed, the Whitney cabinet has appointed a superintendent of education. The office is no sinecure, and the man chosen is not a figurehead.

will have supervision of teachers' examinations; public libraries and art schools will also come under his attention, and he will be the chief of the inspectors and librarians. So when he has accomplished all these duties, his \$4,000 a year will have been well earned.

It is said that he is a man well chosen for the work, and the sketch of his career which follows shows his wide experience: Dr. Seath was born in Auchtermuchty, Fifeshire, in 1844. His parents moved to Monaghan, Ireland, when he was an infant, and he received his early education in the National schools.

Beauty's Winning Way

Lindsay people are seriously taking hold of the question of making the town look not only tidy, but beautiful as well. Very few towns in Ontario have as many natural resources as this one.

the town cart to draw them away. By the time the council's committee has the horses bought, there will be heaps of work for them to do.

A nice, clean, beautiful town is something worth working for. Added to the advertising it would give, there is the self-satisfaction of knowing we live in a place which is naturally and habitually beautiful, and there is the uplift of aesthetic influence which makes us better.

Travelers coming through a town are naturally impressed with what they see. If disorder and dilapidation prevails, that will be the topic of their story as they go to other places; if beauty is the impression, then they must tell of that as they go far and wide.

If you haven't a rake and a hoe, and the other necessary implements, now is the time to invest. Work hard this season, and then perhaps by next year you will have acquired the athletic form to win laurels on the golf links, or even enter the Athenian contests.

One day in June I visited Newport, Vt., and in the early morning walking on the streets, I noticed that every lawn and garden had an occupant, toiling with mower, rake or other implement.

Ought to be a Change

Voicing the conviction of the patriotic people of Canada who can think without party prejudice, the Orillia Packet says:

"It is becoming painfully evident that the Laurier Government has lost the administrative force it possessed, and survived its days of usefulness to the country. The daily revelations of extravagance and waste are so numerous, that one cannot regret to the most rabid Tory who has regard for the good name of Canada, and fill the most ardent Liberal with disgust and shame."

...LITTLE LOCAL LINES... News of Town and Country Briefly Told

Several prosecutions have occurred in Lindsay under the new license act. The inspector and the police are after the offenders, and the safest way is not to get caught. Friday night is band night, and Mr. Roenick has a nice program in preparation.

The preparatory service of St. Andrew's church will be held on Friday (to-morrow) evening, and communion service will be held on Sunday. Rev. H. H. Turner, B.A., B.D., of Kirkfield, will preach the sermon at preparatory service.

Last Sunday was "hospital" day at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, and the collection amounted to \$60. This will likely be added to considerably for a number of persons were away who are in the habit of giving largely, and they will have an opportunity of adding their gifts to the amount to be handed to the hospital board.

The family of Mr. J. F. Scully, who recently moved to Cut Knife, Sask., from Lindsay, has been afflicted with scarlet fever. Two of the young children have died from the disease, and Mrs. Scully is not expected to live.

Mr. Peter Wilson has been appointed leader of the Baptist choir and successfully began his duties last Sunday.

R. R. Milne, D.O., Eyesight Specialist, of Toronto, now permanently located on Queen street, Lindsay, over Neill's shoe store. Special attention given to fitting and creating the eyes with suitable glasses.

Ben Greet with his Shakespearean company will play a return visit to Lindsay on Friday, May 8th, and will present those charming comedies, "As You Like It," and "A Midsummer Night's Dream." Both plays will be given in the open air, on the collegiate lawn, the former being played in the afternoon and the latter at night.

Mr. G. Ellis, of Fenelon Falls, sold his steamer "Dawn" to Mr. James Lewis, of Bobcaygeon.

Had the weather been made to order last Thursday it would have been impossible to have had a more ideal day for Victoria Day. Old Sol was in his best behaviour and his bright rays tempered agreeably with the breeze, made it one of the most enjoyable days this year, as far as weather conditions were concerned.

The Cornell Brewing and Malt-Co. was fined \$20 and costs for selling beer in smaller quantities than the new law allows. The law says 10 gallon kegs and the company sold in 5 gallon kegs.

The kicker from Ops, whose growth was published in these columns last week must have been informed, for the facts as given by Councilor W. H. Wilson do not accord with his statement as published.

Screen Doors, Window Screens, Refrigerators, Lawn Mowers, Garden Hose, cheap at Cinnamon's Hardware Store.

Your visit to Cole Brothers United Shows at Lindsay, afternoon and evening, on Thursday next, June 7th, will not be complete without a tour of the colossal canvas.

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Yesterday was sports day with the older classes of north ward schools. The mothers and friends of the pupils were invited to witness their games and races.

Coal Oil and Gasoline Stoves at Cinnamon's.

Today the Victoria County Educational Association meets at the Collegiate Institute.

A case of interest to owners of dogs was tried at the Peterboro police court Monday. Dr. Gray testified that he had caught a valuable bull terrier owned by Milne Hamilton worrying his hens and shot the dog.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Trumble and daughter Pauline arrived in Lindsay Saturday night from Southern California, to spend a short vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Trumble.

Mr. Dalton A. Gladman of the Dominion Bank staff, Toronto, was in town for the 24th.

Mr. Isaac Newton's wife and family are expected to arrive in Lindsay on Monday.

Mrs. Bradburn, of Peterboro, and Mrs. Carson, of Owen Sound, are the guests of Mrs. Hamilton, town.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lytle and Miss Lytle spent the 24th the guests of Mr. Ed Lytle, of Oakwood.

Miss Scott, primary teacher in the north ward, will go to spend Saturday and Sunday with her mother and sister who have just arrived home from Nova Scotia.

Mr. Albert Pilkie, of Kentville, Nova Scotia, is in town, the guest of Dr. and Mrs. F. Walters.

Mr. J. A. Paddon, of St. John, Newfoundland, formerly manager of the Bank of Montreal, Lindsay, was in town for a few days this week renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. B. M. Fee, of the Lindsay Lumber Co., returned from New York last Saturday. Mr. Fee reports a most successful business trip.

Mrs. Albert Morgan and daughter of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Staples, Albert-st.

Mr. Alvin Gould, of Fenelon Falls, successfully passed his examinations at the Ontario School of Pharmacy, Toronto.

Mr. Ed. McPhee, of Toronto, was in town for the 24th, renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. Elgin Naylor, of Toronto, was in town for the 24th.

Mr. Fred Burke and Mr. T. Murtagh spent the 24th in Lakefield and Peterboro visiting friends.

Miss Marie Hussey and friend, Miss Doris Reesor, of Toronto, returned to the city to-day, after having spent the past week visiting Miss Hussey's parents, Russell-st.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Plack spent the holiday in Lakefield.

Mr. Leonard Hardie, brother of Mrs. P. Wilson, Cambridge street, town, leaves San Francisco for Lindsay on June 11. He expects to stay here some time before going to his home in Scotland.

Forced to vacate from September 1st, 1906, to March 1st, 1907.

Trimming Down the Stocks in Ford's Great Forced Sale

THIS weeks list is one of the richest Bargain Aggregations ever offered to the people in and about Lindsay.

Since we started this Great Forced Sale we've reduced the stock several thousand dollars, and yet it is not down to where we want it. We've placed a limit on the amount we want on hand by September 1st.

The great mover is price; everything that we don't want will be sold if low price will do it.

Now you'll better understand the why of such sacrifices as this list presents to you.

The're all Bargains, read them

Some Clearing Out Prices in Millinery. Hats and Shapes at 25c. Misses' and Children's \$1.25 Sailors 69c. 10 dozen 75c White Cotton Corset Covers 49c. Other styles on sale at 25c, 39c, 59c, 69c, 74c, 89c, 98c. 5 dozen Women's Cotton Gowns at 49c. Numerous other pretty styles going at these sale prices, 69c, 74c, 89c, 98c, \$1.23, \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.48. A Good Bargain in Cotton Undershirts at 98c. And better qualities on sale at \$1.23, \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.48 and \$3.50. Women's Cravenette Rain or Shine Coats at about half price \$5 and \$6 values \$3.50. \$7.50 and \$8 values \$4.90. Sale Sample Wash Suits at 1-3 less than Regular Value. White and colored Muslins, at \$1.89, \$2.90, \$3.50, \$3.90, \$4.50, \$4.90, \$6.50, \$7.50. \$2.00 White Duck Dress Skirts 98c. Good style, trimmed with black duck. 25 Women's \$3 to \$4 Dark Tweed Skirts \$1.69. One or two of a style, priced to clear quickly. A Great Half Price Sale Women's Hand Bags at 59c. Six styles, all black, new handles, large size, regular \$1 and \$1.25. Sale of Plain Tafteta Ribbons at 19c. 3 1/2 inches wide, all best shades. A Splendid Assortment New Collars and Belts at 25c. A dozen different styles to select from, can't be beat. 500 yards 15c and 20c Wash Materials at 12 1-2c. New Check Gingham, new Voiles and new Muslins. Priestley's Black Dress Goods Underpriced too. Beautiful cloths, such as Chiffon, Tricott, Wool Tafteta, Black Roxanna, at 85c.

Underpriced Skirts and Costumes

These very Special Prices ought to bring big business to our ready-to-wear garment section. The garments offered are the very latest styles and thoroughly well made from the season's newest tweeds. No particular reason why we should sacrifice them, but we want you to get better acquainted with the values to be found at all times in our ready-to-wear section. Come and see these whether you need one or not.



Ladies' Costumes, reg. \$20, 18, 16 and 15, for \$13.50. Ladies' Costumes, latest New York styles, in light tweeds, black and navy Viennese, Eton and Norfolk Jackets, all well made and neatly trimmed. Regular prices \$20, \$18, \$16 and \$15, Saturday only. \$13.50

Ladies' Tweed Skirts, reg. price \$5, for \$3.69. Ladies' Light Tweed Skirts, latest circular effect, fancy stripe, check and plain tweeds, button trimmed, real well made and finished. Regular price \$5.00. Saturday \$3.69 to clear at.

Men's Clothing at 20 per cent. off. (Except Northway Garments.) From our already low prices we are still giving a discount of 20 per cent. This means a very big saving for the buyer and a most timely offering, just when you have to buy your summer suit. The clothing stock must be reduced to what we think it ought to be, and it's going down nicely, so come as soon as possible and share in the savings. For example—a \$10 suit costs you only \$8. Equally as big savings on all other prices. Men's Overalls and Cottonade Pants 59c. Men's Fancy Stripe Blue Overalls, riveted buttons, bib and braces, front back and rule pockets. Also fancy stripe cottonade pants, slightly imperfect, all sizes. Regular price 75c. pair. Saturday to clear at per pair. \$59c

J. Sutcliffe & Sons. CASH. ONE PRICE. Lindsay. THREE STORES.

Sunlight Soap is better than other soaps, but is best when used in the Sunlight way. Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

Ben Greet. On Friday, June 8th, on the lawn of the Collegiate Institute, Ben Greet's Company of English Players will present Shakespeare's "As You Like It" in the afternoon, and "Midsummer Night's Dream" in the evening. Tickets 75c and \$1. Subscription list open at Gregory's now; plan open to subscribers on Monday, June 4th, at 8 a.m. In event of bad weather the plays will be given in the Academy. A few rush seats at 50c.—22-2.

Lord's. Strictly Cash Dealers, LINDSAY. STYLE & ECONOMY.

Vertical advertisement on the far right edge of the page, containing various notices and small advertisements for services like haircuts, clothing, and other local businesses.