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LINDSAY, THURSDAY, JULY 31st, 1902

75c. a Year in Advance; \$1 if not so Paid

Bargain Friday and Saturday

AUGUST 1st and 2nd

We Submit a List that should interest you. The prices are extra special.

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| Bargain No. 1. | Men's Straw Hats all shapes, reg. \$1 and \$1.25, B. day | 50c |
| 2. | Men's Felt Hats, regular \$1.50 and \$1.25, B. days | 1.00 |
| 3. | Men's and Boys' Sweaters, reg. \$1 and \$1.25, B. days | 75c |
| 4. | Men's Cashmere Underwear, reg. \$1 bargain days | 75c |
| 5. | Men's and Boys white unlaundried Shirts, reg. 50 B day | 42 |
| 6. | Boys' soft front regatta Shirts, reg. 75c, B. days | 50c |
| 7. | 62 inch Table Linen, reg. 48c, bargain days | 34c |
| 8. | 62 inch Table Linen, regular 90c, bargain days | 70c |
| 9. | Blue, White, Pink and col'd Shaker, reg. 6 1/2c, B. days | 5c |
| 10. | Bath Towels, reg. 13c each, bargain days | 10c |
| 11. | 12 Bath Towels, regular 23c, bargain days | 19c |
| 12. | 13 patterns roller Towelling, reg. 10c, bargain days | 7c |
| 13. | Punch colored Carpet Warp, bargain days | 1.13 |
| 14. | 25c Cottonade, reg. 25c bargain days | 20c |
| 15. | 3 shades Halifax Tweed, regular 35c, B. days | 25c |
| 16. | Black and Colored Silk Blouses, reg. \$5.25, B. days | 4.50 |
| 17. | 25 Blouses colored, bargain days | 40c |
| 18. | 19 1/2 pieces 3/4 in. Apron Gingham, reg. 9c, bargain days | 6c |
| 19. | Fancy Stand Covers, reg. 35c, bargain days | 25c |
| 20. | 21 Men's colored Sox, reg. 10c, bargain days | 7c |
| 21. | Men's Cashmere Sox, reg. 25 and 30c, bargain days | 20c |
| 22. | 23 6 patterns Embroidery Insertion, reg. 7 and 8c, B. days | 5c |
| 23. | Chatelaine Bags, reg. 50c bargain days | 39c |
| 24. | Ladies' Ribbed Cashmere Hose, reg. 35c, bargain days | 23c |
| 25. | Ladies' Beaded Belts, regular 25c bargain days | 20c |
| 26. | Ladies' Leather Belts, regular 50c bargain days | 40c |
| 27. | 28 Little Girls' Brooches, reg. 15c bargain days | 10c |
| 28. | 29 2 Circular Combs, red, black and White for | 5c |
| 29. | 30 3 fancy Handkerchiefs, reg. | 5c |
| 30. | 31 Kid Hair Curlers, regular 7c bargain days | 5c |
| 31. | 34 4 inch Watered Ribbon, White, Pink, Blue and Mauve, regular 30c bargain days | 23c |
| Bargain No. 32. | Ladies' white cotton Vests, regular 20c bargain days | 15c |
| 33. | 8 pieces Colored Muslin, regular 12c bargain days | 8c |
| 34. | Black Cardinal, Red, Navy, Cream, Lustre, regular 60 and 55c, bargain days | 49c |
| Bargain No. 35. | 72 inch black Organdie, regular 60c bargain days | 45c |
| 36. | Colored Waist Linings, regular 43c bargain days | 10c |
| 37. | 800 yards Factory Cotton, reg. 4c bargain days | 3c |
| 38. | 300 yards White Cotton, regular 10c bargain days | 7c |
| 39. | White Flannelette Sheets, regular 7c p. c. bargain days | 65c |
| 40. | Ladies' Wrappers, reg. \$1.50 bargain days | 1.25 |
| 41. | White Bed Spreads, regular \$1.10, bargain days | 90c |
| 42. | Boys' Belts, regular 15c bargain days | 5c |
| 43. | 2 white costumes, reg. \$4.50 and 3.75, bargain days | 3.00 |
| 44. | Ladies' Parasols, reg. \$3, bargain days | 2.35 |
| 45. | Ladies' Parasols, reg. \$2.25, bargain days | 1.75 |
| 46. | Ladies' fancy Parasols, reg. \$1.50 bargain days | 1.00 |
| 47. | Men's Collar Buttons, reg. 8c bargain days | 4c |
| 48. | Ladies' black sateen Underskirts, reg. 1.50 B. days | 1.20 |
| 49. | Ladies' white lawn Underskirts, reg. \$1.50 bargain days | 1.20 |
| 50. | 51 1 piece 5-4 Tapestry Carpet, reg. 85c bargain day | 70c |
| 51. | 52 5-8 Jute stair, reg. 25c, bargain days | 19c |
| 52. | 53 1 piece Union Carpet, reg. 28c bargain days | 23c |
| 53. | 54 1 piece Brussels Carpet, reg. 90c bargain day | 70c |
| 54. | 55 1 piece all wool Carpet, reg. 80c bargain days | 65c |
| 55. | 56 Blk Blue and Farcy Overalls, reg. 50 bargain days | 40c |
| 56. | 57 15 Lustre Summer Coats, reg. \$1.75 bargain days | 1.00 |
| 57. | 58 15 summer Covers, reg. 50c bargain days | 25c |

REST OF THE STREET LAMPS WILL NOT BE UP NEXT MONTH

The Approach to the Wellington Street Bridge Will Cost About \$2,000—Debentures May be Issued for it.

Dr. Burrows—Have you appointed the inspector of new granolithic walks yet Mr. Mayor?

Mayor Ingie—Yes.

Dr. Burrows—Whom have you appointed?

Mayor Ingie—Geo. Coombs.

Dr. Burrows—I don't think much of that appointment.

Mayor Ingie—What's wrong with it? It was left in my hands. I have heard a good deal on that point.

Dr. Burrows—Yes, and no man who signed the sort of political thing that Coombs did at election time, ought to get any town position.

Mayor Ingie—I don't recognize politics in town affairs; but aim only at the town's interests.

Dr. Burrows—He should not have been appointed. I don't consider politics either but when a man insults half the community and makes himself obnoxious—

Mayor Ingie—Oh, well a good many people make themselves obnoxious.

Ald. Hore—The appointment is satisfactory. Let it alone.

Dr. Burrows—It may be satisfactory to you.

With the above dialogue the early moments of Monday night's meeting of committees were willed away. The other applicants for the position given to Mr. Coombs were John Walker and W. H. Walsh. Dr. Burrows objected to Mr. Coombs because of his signing an affidavit that Mr. Smale gave him a certain sectarian pamphlet during the last election campaign.

Mr. W. Webster offered to take the town clock out of the Baptist church tower and make it run, and put it up in the firehall for thirty dollars.

Ald. Hore—Rev. Mr. Roberts believes the clock can be made run all right.

The offer was accepted and Dr. Burrows, Ald. Hore and the Mayor will decide where the clock shall be placed.

Commissioner Chalmers suggested putting a slab in the firehall, bearing the date of its erection. It would cost ten or fifteen dollars, but Dr. Burrows exhorted his colleagues not to be foolish and waste money. No action was taken.

The doctor inveighed strongly against the care that was given the town hose loaned to contractors, and cited the lengths that lay in the wet and mud on Sussex-st. It was too bad; but when informed that those lengths belonged to Contractor Filko the doctor subsided.

It is proposed to give one dollar to the carter who reaches the hall first in case of fire, and draws the reel to the scene.

The granolithic walk north from Dr. Shier's corner will be suspended on expanding metal and will hence be very costly. It was decided that the property holders should not be required to pay more than their share of the cost of an ordinary walk.

Dr. Burrows—We shouldn't build it at all.

Ald. O'Reilly—We must build one of some sort for the old one must be taken away, and we can't let people walk on the road.

Dr. Burrows—Let them walk on the road.

Some members insinuated that the doctor wanted to help business by having a few legs broken on that part of the town's walks; but he replied that if so, it was purely Dr. Shier's benefit he aimed at.

WELLINGTON-ST BRIDGE

It was reported that two thousand dollars should be spent at the west approach to the Wellington-st bridge. The creek that runs parallel with the north side of the approach has cut away the roadway and a retaining wall must be built. The approach itself must be wholly rebuilt.

Ald. O'Reilly proposed that inasmuch as a sidewalk should be on each side of the road there the retaining wall should be regarded as a foundation for the walk and built as other walks are by issuing ten-year debentures. That plan would save having so large an outlay this year. It was adopted and referred to the solicitor for his opinion as to its legality. Ald. Jackson declared Ald. O'Reilly's scheme was worthy of Israel Tarte.

LIGHT AGAIN DELAYED

A letter from Mr. Graham, manager of the Gas Company said that because the lamps could not be got, it would be impossible to have the remaining seventy-five up by August first. He enclosed a letter from the company that supplies the lamps saying that because the glass works all close down in July and August, the required glass could not be got. So it will be after September first at all events before the balance of the street lamps will be up.

PROHIBITIONISTS IN SESSION GET READY FOR THE REFERENDUM

The President Expects a New Election—Dr. Carman Expects Divine aid at the Vote

On Tuesday a big temperance convention opened in Toronto. Dr. Herriman and Dr. Totten were the local delegates. The Star's report of the opening day's proceedings contains the following passages:

In his opening address President McKay declared that both parties were tied up by the liquor traffic.

"No, no," shouted several voices.

"Yes, they are," repeated the doctor.

Dr. McKay said that the political parties are not the only ones to blame. He knew of some churches that were as dead on the temperance cause as if they had been chloroformed by the fumes of strong drink.

The doctor expressed a wish to lay across his lap all those who voted for temperance resolutions in conventions and then went about the country and worked against them at political meetings. To use the speaker's language, "If he had them across his knee they wouldn't want to sit down for some time."

HIS VIEW OF THE PARTIES

In his address reviewing the work of the past year, Dr. McKay said in part:

"We still see the liquor traffic in full blast in our land, doing its deadly work upon our hearts and homes, the bodies and souls of our people. We see both our political parties prostrate before it, and the church itself, in too many places asleep, as if chloroformed by the fumes of strong drink."

"Repeatedly during the year we have waited upon our provincial government, and reminded it of solemn promises, some of them typewritten, given to us so frequently, and with apparent good faith, in the past. We urged a faithful and statesmanlike fulfillment of these promises, but in vain. For bread we received stones. We asked that if the government could not fulfil its pledges, it would at least allow a majority of votes cast to decide the question and we requested the vote to be taken on a convenient day. Both these reasonable requests were denied us; and again our solemn protest, a referendum, so-called, was forced upon us, so loaded as to elicit the thanks of the liquor organizations."

IN THE ELECTIONS

"On the 29th of May the elections were held. With little organization and no funds we went into the conflict, we made our first fighting record on the political field, and we are greatly encouraged by the result. We opposed no man because he was a Liberal or because he was a Conservative. We opposed simply because the candidate, Liberal or Conservative, was against prohibition."

or unreliable as a professed friend of it. We elected some, we defeated others, we changed the result in many places, and we convinced every politician in the land that we were a power in politics that could no longer be ignored or belittled. They used to call us 'hypocrites and humbugs,' that preached and prayed and talked temperance, but voted party every time, regardless of principle. That day is gone—gone, we hope, forever.

EXPECTS ANOTHER ELECTION

"In all probability another election is near at hand; that parties are so evenly balanced that a crisis must soon be reached. From these elections the friends of moral reform dare not hold aloof. We are prepared as never before to fight the foe on the political field. We have an organization that can reach every constituency in the Province, and have a literature that can reach every home, and every intelligent elector."

"Perhaps the most important duty now before us is to prepare for the vote on December 4th. I have already referred to the unfair condition of that vote, but, nevertheless, we must bend all our energies to the work of rolling up for prohibition, on this occasion, the biggest majority ever achieved in this Province. Our duty depends not upon the vote with which the victory can be secured, but upon the righteousness of our cause. Ours should be the spirit of the negro who said 'If God hid me leap through a stone wall I will leap and leave the result with God.'"

"Remember, if the vote is small, it will be cast up to us for years to come, as a reason why the cursed traffic should be allowed to go on. Every vote will tell, and whatever the total vote may be, if the majority is largely no government will venture to ignore it. We are not asked to vote for the referendum, but for prohibition, which is as righteous and necessary today as ever it was in the past."

"Much remains to be done before December 4th. People must be spoken to, homes must be visited, literature must be circulated, and meetings held. The Sabbath school must be instructed, the pulpits must be enlisted, and the people aroused. Voters must be brought out. The polls must be manned, and the count must be watched. All this means labor and patience, persistence and personal sacrifice."

Farm Laborers' Excursion

The C. P. R. farm laborer's excursion will leave for Manitoba and the Northwest territories on Wednesday, Aug. 20th. It will be the only one this summer. The fare is \$10, with the privilege of returning any time before Nov. 30th for \$18. For full particulars apply to T. C. Mattheit, C. P. R. Agent, Lindsay.

OPS COUNCIL WILL PAY FOR NO MORE SNOW SHOVELLING

The Reeve Thinks the Township Need Not Pay for Injuries to a Horse on a Bad Road.

The regular meeting of the Ops Council was held on Monday, July 28th, with all members present.

THE COMMUNICATIONS

The township engineer wrote about the Logie road and other matters.

Mr. Wm. Steers asked the attention of council to an alleged grievance of Mr. Thos. Helme regarding superfluous water.

Mr. John H. Darke asked about repairing a washout on 4th concession line.

Mr. F. Knowlson, clerk of Lindsay said that Lindsay council wished to confer with Ops council about the overflow of town drain by water from township ditches.

Mr. Weldon Rea requested that Municipal Drain No. 3 be cleaned out.

Mr. Fred Hickson and 14 other land owners petitioned that Stony Creek be enlarged and straightened from Reabro to Mr. Jones' drain, lot 6, con. 7.

NEW GRAVEL PIT

Commissioners Sluggert, Hawkins, Arksey and Patterson reported that they had again interviewed Mr. Shea about his gravel pit and that he had agreed to accept \$400 for the pit concessions. The reeve agreed with them that in view of the scarcity of gravel it was better to purchase it even at that price; so a resolution was passed, an agreement signed, and an order for \$400 given to Mr. Shea. It was also confirmed by resolution that said \$400 would be charged to the road appropriation of road division No. 4 in ten equal consecutive instalments beginning in 1903.

Mr. Hawkins reported that he had interviewed Mr. S. Calvert about his damaged fence, but Mr. Calvert, deeming the matter so trifling, would not show him the injury done.

Mr. Eph. Evans of Yelverton explained to the council that his horse was seriously injured in the latter part of April near Murphy's school house where a depression in the road had been filled in with broken tile and other refuse. His horse had stepped into it, sunk and was so badly cut that he had to place him under the care of a veterinary surgeon in Lindsay for some days. His outlay was \$13.50 besides lost time. He did not want to exhort money from the council but thought that they should pay said expense.

The reeve regretted the accident and said it might have happened in the field or anywhere, the council could not reasonably be held responsible for every little defect in the road and the wet spring and summer it was almost impossible to prevent washouts, etc. He thought that if the pathmaster of that beat knew of the place referred to or thought it dangerous, he would have repaired it.

Mr. Evans said that Mr. Owen Traynor had helped him to bandage the wound, but had not noticed the place referred to, or did not know that he had recently been appointed pathmaster. By resolution of council the matter was left over till next meeting that Mr. Sluggert and other members may ascertain whether the place was really dangerous and if so why it had been neglected, and report at next meeting.

Mr. Thorne's episode was again considered. He produced a statement of the cost of repairs amounting to nine dollars, which, on motion by Messrs. Hawkins and Sluggert, was put in full of his claim.

Reeve McLean was appointed to confer with the town council on the drainage matter.

Mr. John Naylor owner of N E 1 of lot 19, concession 2, asked the council to assist in cleaning out the road ditch connected with drain No. 1, near his land, and a resolution was passed empowering Mr. Arksey to view it, and take such action as he deemed necessary.

Mr. Ino Finnigan pathmaster of beat 87 asked for the statute labor money paid by the owner of the N. W. part of lot 29, con 6, last year and a resolution was passed authorizing the treasurer to pay the same to his order. The council commended Mr. J. H. Darke for repairing the washout on his beat, and the reeve said he would view the work done and pay Mr. Darke.

THE HELME CLAIM

Mr. Patterson, commissioner of road division No. 3 said he had a second time viewed the place complained of by Mr. Helme and considered that putting in a shallow culvert as required by Mr. Helme would be of little or no benefit to him and perhaps an injury to his neighbor, Mr. Hart. The road did not require it and Mr. Helme or any other ratepayer could call on the engineer in such case. The following resolution was passed: Moved by Mr. Patterson, seconded by Mr. Sluggert, That we are of opinion that Mr. Helme has no special claim on the council for damages by water; that if he considers he has a grievance, he should proceed under The Ditches and Watercourses Act by which the township and landowners would be obliged to abide by the award of an engineer, and that the clerk forward a copy of this resolution to Mr. Helme and to his solicitor.—Carried.

CEMETERY WALK

Mr. Arksey that the clerk notify the Riverside Cemetery Company to repair the sidewalk leading from Lindsay to said cemetery whenever repairs are needed thereon, as Ops will not be liable for any accident that may occur because of defect in said walk.—Carried.

With regard to the petition to im-

prove Stony Creek the clerk was instructed to notify the petitioners to attend the next meeting of council at 4 p.m. sharp, on Monday, Aug. 25th, prox., so that the mode of proceedings may be discussed and clearly understood by everyone concerned.

Mr. Patterson moved, seconded by Mr. Sluggert that the reeve issue an order for \$15 in favor of township engineer in response to his letter.—Carried.

SNOW-SHOVELLING CLAIMS

The council being harassed by claims for snow shovelling at every meeting since January, decided to rescind the resolution then passed.

With regard to clearing out municipal drain No. 3 the clerk was instructed to consult the township solicitor regarding amendments to the Drainage Act, that the council may be prepared to authorize proceedings at next meeting.

The following accounts which have been passed were then paid: Trons. Home for Aged \$43.00; Wilson and Wilson, printing voters' lists \$50.00; Alex. Clarke, rent of polling booth, No. 6, \$4.00; A. Cain, repairing wagon \$1.00; W. F. O'Boyle, postage, \$2.00.

The bylaw authorizing the sale of the piece of roadway near Scugog lake received the usual readings and was passed, signed and sealed as bylaw No. 592.

Council then adjourned till Monday August 25th, when the tax rates will be struck.

W. F. O'BOYLE, Clerk.

FENELOON FALLS NEWS BUDGET.

A Batch of interesting Items Gathered by Our Correspondent.

Mrs. McFarland of Hamilton is visiting her daughter Mrs. Warren.

Miss Mattie Robertson of Peterboro is visiting friends at the Falls.

The Misses Oakley of Toronto are the guests of Mrs. W. H. Walsh.

Miss W. McCall drove to Lindsay on Saturday and returned with her young daughters who have been spending their vacation in Peterboro and Omamee.

Miss B. Nie returned on Monday from Toronto where she had been attending the summer term of the school of manual training.

Mrs. Betts and her son Arden of Belleville are visiting friends at the Falls.

Miss Hopkins of Kinnmount and Miss Kent of Essex were the guests of Mrs. H. McDougall for a few days last week.

Mr. W. Junkin of Lindsay has been spending his vacation at the Falls.

Miss A. Nie is visiting friends in Verulam.

Mr. Hare, who had been for a short time the guest of Dr. A. Wilson, returned to Ottawa last Friday.

Miss Kelley of Toronto returned home last Tuesday after a visit to her grandfather, Mr. John Quibell.

Mrs. Rutherford, sr. is visiting her son Mr. A. Rutherford in Verulam.

The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be dispensed in St. Andrew's church on Sunday next at morning service and a union preparatory service of the Methodist and Presbyterian congregations will be held in St. Andrew's church on Friday evening.

A large number attended the Baptist church on last Sunday evening to hear the funeral sermon of the late Mr. Robert Graham. The Rev. Mr. Davies preached a most able discourse.

The Kenosha is in full running order again and is running two weekly excursions. On Saturday and Tuesday she brought up a good boat load to our pretty town.

Last Friday the Cora brought a large excursion party up from Port Perry. The party arrived about noon lunched on the high bank of the canal and left about four p.m. leaving spent a most delightful day.

On Friday evening the Ogemah came up to the lower landing with a large excursion from Bobcaygeon. They arrived about ten p.m. and left about eleven, having a most magnificent moonlight sail home.

The Kawartha took down two loads on Monday to attend the Masonic picnic at Sturgeon Point.

The members of St. James church are making preparations for the laying of their corner stone in August. We understand that the stone is to be laid by Judge Harding of Lindsay with Masonic honors.

Despite the severe rain of Wednesday of last week the annual garden party of St. Peter's held at the residence of Mr. Smith in Verulam, was a success, nearly forty dollars being realized.

The many friends of Mr. H. Smith will be pleased to hear that on Monday his physician succeeded in removing the splinter from his hand and that he now stands a fair chance of recovering from his injury.

One Thousand Students

The Federal Business Colleges have now fully one thousand students holding good situations in Canada and the United States. The success of these schools in respect to placing graduates in good positions is unequalled in Canada. This is one of many good reasons why the demand upon these schools for instruction is so great. It would pay students well to attend the Federal Colleges even though they paid double the fees charged by the majority of business colleges.

We have just learned from Principal Houston that the Lindsay Federal will open September 2nd, in the Milne Block. The bright, new rooms will be electric lighted and nicely furnished throughout.

More definite information is promised for future issues.

E. E. W. McGAFFEY.

For Holiday Seekers

This list of essential requisites to an enjoyable holiday may interest many who are planning a trip for August.

- ### August Bargains:
- Men's Solid Leather Suit Cases, leather caps, well bound, price **4.50**
 - The handy Club Bag is indispensable to those going on a short vacation, we have all the popular shapes and styles, price 55c to **4.35**
 - For the long journey you will require a good Trunk. We have the serviceable kind in large variety, prices \$1.40 to **9.00**
- Our list of bargains for August is large, on tables at prices marked 40c, 50c, 60c, 65c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25. SEE THESE SNAPS.

R. NEILL

THE SHOE KING

Sole local agent for the Slater Shoe 90 Kent-st.

A Sweet Tangle.

(A Bystander, in the Sun).

The British Parliament votes £245,000 for the relief of West Indian industries which have suffered from the bonusing of beet sugar by European Governments. Mr. Ross and the Ontario Parliament bonus sugar beets to protect a Canadian product against West Indian industries. A rather curious example this of the economical harmony of the Empire!

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