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August Bargain Days Friday, 7th Saturday, 8th.

This notable money saving offering comprises about one thousand yards of the balance of our Summer Lawns and Colored Muslins, representing odd lines and broken lots that cannot be duplicated.

Lot 1—300 yds Colored Lawns, reg 20c, B D.....10c
Lot 2—150 yds Colored Lawns, reg 15c, B D.....7½c
Lot 3—350 yds Colored Lawns, reg 12c, B D.....6c
Lot 4—350 yds Colored Lawns, reg 10c, B D.....5c

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Lot 5—1 piece Cream Vesting, reg 22c, B D.....11c
Lot 6—1 piece White, 1 piece Cream Basket Cloth, reg 28c, B D.....11c
Lot 7—1 piece White and Cream Pique, reg 18c, B D.....10c
Lot 8—3 pieces Checked and Striped Lawn, reg 12c, B D.....6c

Colored Sateens and Printed Sateens

Lot 10—4 pieces Black and White, and Navy and White Sateen, reg 28c, BD 15c
Lot 11—5 pieces Black and White, and Navy and White Sateens, reg 23c, BD 12½c
Lot 12—3 Shades Colored Sateen, double fold, reg 50c, B D.....25c
Lot 13—8 Shades Plain Single fold Sateen, reg 13c, B D.....10c

Print Blouses, Lawn Blouses and Muslin Waists

Lot 14—76 Print Blouses, reg 60c and 50c, B D.....30c
Lot 15—35 Lawn and Print Blouses, reg 40c and 48c, B D.....25c
Lot 16—20 Lawn Blouses, White Ground, Colored Printing, 60c, B D.....38c
Lot 17—18 Black Sateen Blouses, reg 90c, B D.....45c

Hosiery Special for the Summer

Lot 18—Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, reg 33c, B B.....23c
Lot 19—Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, reg 15c, B D.....8c
Lot 20—Ladies' Black Ribbed Cotton Hose, reg 15c, B D.....10c
Lot 21—Ladies' Scarlet Cotton Hose, reg 13c, B D.....7c

White Wear, Night Dresses, Chemises, Corset Covers

Lot 22—Ladies' Embroidery Trimmed Night Gowns, reg $1.75, B D.....$1.00
Lot 23—Ladies' Embroidery Trimmed Night Gowns, reg $2 50, B D.....$1 25
Lot 24—Ladies' Lace Trimmed Night Gowns, reg $1.10, B D.....75c
Lot 25—Ladies' Embroidery Night Gowns, reg $1 85, B D.....$1.45
Lot 26—6 pieces Embroidery, 3 inch, reg 7c, B D.....4c
Lot 27—6 pieces Embroidery, 2½ inch, reg 6c, B D.....3c
Lot 28—Embroideries in odd widths and prices, reg 4c, 5c, and 6c, B D.....2½c
Lot 29—6 pieces Insertion, reg 7c and 8c, B D.....5c

Val. Laces and Insertion

Lot 30—5 pieces Val. Laces, 2 in., reg 8c, B D.....5c
Lot 31—5 pieces Val. Insertion, 2 inches, reg 8c, B D.....5c
Lot 32—5 pieces Val. Laces, reg 7c, B D.....3½c
Lot 33—5 pieces Val. Insertion, reg 7c, B D.....3½c

Summer Vests for Children and Women

Lot 34—100 Infants' and Children's Vests, reg 6c, B D.....3 1 2c
Lot 35—100 Ladies' and Misses' Vests, reg 15c, B D.....8c
Lot 36—100 Ladies' and Misses' Vests, reg 28c, B D.....18c
Lot 37—100 Ladies' and Misses' Vests, reg 20c, B D.....13c

Cheneille Curtains and Table Covers

Lot 38—5 pairs Chenille Curtains, new coloring, reg $6.75, B D.....$5.50
Lot 39—5 pairs Chenille Curtains, new coloring, reg $5 50, B D.....$4 75
Lot 40—5 pairs Chenille Curtains, new coloring, reg $4 50, B D.....$3.75
Lot 41—5 pairs Chenille Curtains, new coloring, reg $3.75, B D.....$3·00

Wrapperettes, Flannelettes and Shakers.

Lot 42—4 pieces 34 in. Flannelettes, good shades, reg 10c, B D.....8c
Lot 43—4 pieces Wrapperettes, reg 13c, B D.....9c
Lot 44—4 pieces Shaker, Pink, Yellow and Scarlet, reg 12c, B D.....9c
Lot 45—4 pieces 28 in. Flannelette, reg 7c, B D.....5c
Lot 46—100 pairs Lisle, Silk and Colored Gloves, reg 25c, B D.....10c
Ladies' Summer Corsets, 40c, B D.....25c

10 per cent. off all Carpets and House Furnishings
10 per cent. off all Clothing and Overalls.

E. E. W. McGAFFEY

Lindsay's Leader. Low Cash Prices. Dry Goods House.

Timely Reduction

We have found a larger demand than usual this year for lacrosse and tennis shoes, but we have still more on hand than can be disposed of this season at regular prices. Hence this special effort for clearing out the balances of lines at reduced prices.

Boy's Lacrosse Boots, Maple Leaf Brand, first quality, sizes 1 to 5 clearing at - - - - - - 60c

Women's White Tennis Oxfords, leather insoles. all sizes 3 to 7 clearing at - - - - - - 70c

Men's Lacrosse Lace Boots, Maple Leaf brand, first quality sizes 6 to 11 clearing at - - - - - 75c

Men's White Canvas Tennis Shoes, leather insole, sizes 6 to 10 clearing at - - - - - - - 80c

Men's White Tennis Lace Boots, first grade, leather insoles, sizes 6 to 10 clearing price - - - $1.00

Sole Agent for the Slater Shoe **R. NEIL,** The Shoe King

Miss Elizaketh Hill of London sustained a severe fall by being frightened by a dog and died at Victoria Hospital from the effects of the mishap.

—J. W. Brown, of Cheboygan, Mich., a marine engineer, plunged head first from the roof of a shed at the rear of a Hamilton hotel and received injuries that are likely to prove fatal. He alighted upon his head. When Brown was discovered on the roof the landlord was notified, and ordered him to return. The man held a knife in his hand, and declared he would rather cut his throat or break his neck. Almost immediately he jumped, and fell headlong to the pavement below, a distance of some ten or twelve feet.

—The stories to the effect that no harvesters will be required in Manitoba this year from the outside are without foundation, and are being sent out by interested parties, was the statement made by Mr. Robert Kerr, passenger traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway. He said that 1,800 had gone up to Manitoba last year, and that just as many would be required this season. The first batch left last year the 20th of August, but this year the start will be made three days earlier.

THE POWER COMPANY QUOTES OLD PRICE FOR STREET LIGHTS

Will Take $45 a Lamp for not Less Than 50 Lamps and Every Night—All-Night Service $52.50

THE BEAL EXEMPTION

According to the Municipal World it is Illegal as Far as School Taxes are Concerned

A tender from the Light, Heat & Power Company for street-lighting was read at council on Monday night. How it came to be there could not be found out. When Ald. O'Reilly asked if the special committee appointed to interview the company had not a report, the mayor simply said they had not ; so the town is again in the dark on the light question. Secretary Dunstan of the Gas Company wrote that his company could not continue lighting the streets without any agreement, and would shut off the gas on the 31st of July. The moon came to the rescue, but is expected to get full before long, and cannot be relied on to any great extent after that. In the meantime, however, council will wrestle with the lighting problem where it was left off two years ago, and possibly heed some of the advice that was so stubbornly rejected then.

The by-law closing the western half of John-st, in the interests of the L. B. & P. railway and opening another at their expense was read twice, and thus brought into the sphere of discussion by both council and citizens. The proposal is likely to meet some vigorous opposition from eastwarders interested.

The mayor was authorized to sign the five notes of $640 each in payment for the steam roller which has been accepted by the town. Solicitor Hopkins said he did not believe the town could legally give notes, but since the Waterous Company were willing to take chances on that, the council need not worry.

Mrs. E. E. Sharpe forwarded a bill of $26 from Mr. Kelso of the Children's Aid Society, Toronto, for the keep of the Raymond-Babcock children.

Engineer Armstrong sent the railway company's request regarding John-st and a diagram of the locality.

J. E. Bell, tenant of the firehall, asked for some equipments and alterations there.

Sec. Geo. Dunstan of the Gas Company wrote that the gas would be cut off after July 31st. The letter was referred to the Police and Lighting Committee.

Mr. J. J. Wetherup's request to be allowed to build a very small brick-veneered addition to his Kent-st. store was granted.

Stewart & O'Connor wrote that Mr. Harris of Oakwood had been charged with leading his horse on the town walks. He had been summoned to appear by the chief of police, but had come to them to explain that he had not been in town on the day named and had never led his horse on the walk. In spite of this the chief had pressed the case saying that he could prove the charge by witnesses. Mr. Harris came to court with other witnesses, and upon seeing him the prosecution witnesses declared he was not the man they had seen leading the horse. He was acquitted, but asked that his witness fees of $9.40 be paid by the town. It was unfortunate that people who trade in Lindsay should be subjected to such annoyance and expense. Council will see about it.

The above firm also asked permission to connect the Morton building with the sewer on Kent-st by way of York-st rather than direct as part of the piping was down at the rear of the lot. Chairman Storer was given power.

Mr. I. E. Weldon in a letter dated some time ago said he would issue an injunction against putting the walk at the height proposed in front of houses owned by his client Rev. F. Johnston on Bond-st. A later letter said Mr. Johnston would enter claim for damages for the walk having been built too high. Ald. McCrae said a similar complaint would come from Cambridge-st.

The Light Heat & Power Company offered 1500-candle-power street lamps lit till midnight every night for $45 each for at least 50 lamps. Till one o'clock that service would cost $48 and for all night $52.50. The proper committee will consider the offer.

Messrs. Kennedy & Davis, Brumwell and Robson asked that the Wellington-st bridge be not kept closed longer than necessary as it hurt their trade. It could be propped to safety at a little cost. Ald. McCrae said he had an offer to prop it for $10. The chairman of the Board of Works was given authority.

His Honor Judge Dean sent a report on the use of crude oil as a dust-layer on the roads of California. It had been secured by Mr. A. O. Tate of New York from the editor of the Los Angeles Express and said that three gallons of oil at a cost of about a cent a gallon effectively settles the dust for the year. It was applied by a sprinkling wagon when the ground was moist.

The market clerk got $66.38 from various sources during July.

The report on a petition for a cement walk from Adelaide-st to the hospital lot showed that more than half the land along the walk belonged to George Thomas. Ald. McWatters wanted to know if to build would not be a hardship on Mr. Thomas. The mayor said no.

Ald. Robinson—It will only put him out of his home.

Ald. McCrae asked if the petition was sufficiently signed. The mayor did not want to be questioned on the point, the clerk had certified that it was ; that was enough.

The clerk—Mr. Thomas told me he was going to sell all but about 50 feet, and was not complaining.

Since no iron buildings were likely to be put up in Lindsay, the mayor advised striking out the word "iron" from the list of building materials allowable within the fire limit. Confusion arose through some people supposing sheet iron was meant.

Bylaws were read three times authorizing the mayor to sign the agreement with Mr. Sylvester regarding the band, the notes for the road roller and an agreement for official telephones.

THE "PIG PARLOR."

Ald. Robinson demanded that the chairman and the rest of his colleagues explain thoroughly to him why such an expensive pig pen was being built on the market square. He would call it a pig's parlor. Did the farmer need such a place ? He did not, but only a place to weigh in, and Ald. Robinson's suggestion that a crate with trucks be provided should have been followed. Thus would at least $200 have been saved. But council would not listen to him and even chose a night to discuss it when they knew he could not be present. That had happened before.

THE LIGHT QUESTION

Ald. McCrae moved, seconded by Ald. Maunder that the Police and Lighting committee be given power to make a contract with the Light, Heat & Power Company for street lights. Ald. O'Reilly objected. Let the question go to the committee and be considered and a report sent to council. That would give citizens time to get hold of the question. At the rate offered the town could not afford to take more than 50 lights, and that many would not light the town. People out where no lamp could be put would properly object to paying for such a system. As one of those the alderman would vote for darkness rather than a 50-light service. Let the question be well considered. Perhaps it would be found advisable to buy the Light, Heat & Power Company plant —or if not that some other power. Do not rush the contract.

Ald. McCrae declared he did not want to rush it. When making a contract for street-lighting concessions must if possible be got for domestic lighting as well. Ald. Robinson said the Gas Company had acted very decently and should have a chance.

Ald. O'Reilly—Unless there is some scheme or underhand work——

The mayor—Oh no, not at all.

Ald. O'Reilly—Well such haste gives that coloring. I am always ready to report to council. If you have anything extra good, it will keep a couple of weeks. I, for one, am not posted as I want to be on this lighting question. Ald. McCrae might call his committee tomorrow night and rush a contract through before the people could have any say. If the contract cannot bear the light of day, it is a funny thing.

Ald. Storer—The thing has been discussed for 8 months. I am tired of it and so are the people.

For some time Ald. McCrae stuck for giving the committee power to make a contract, but at last struck that out of his motion to consider, although his seconder Ald. Maunder did not consent and refused to vote for the modified motion which, however, carried.

At a recent committee meeting the letter of the Municipal Association of Ontario, asking for a grant of $10, and a delegate to the convention at Guelph on the 12th and 13th was fyled. On Monday night Ald. O'Reilly moved that the requests be granted and the mayor appointed delegate. It was important that the association should be kept in existence since it offered the municipalities a chance to keep in touch with recent legislation affecting them and to confer regarding improved methods, etc. The mayor wanted the power to appoint some member as substitute if he should be unable to go. The motion carried, Alds. Robinson, McCrae and Maunder not voting. They were opposed to any substitute for the mayor.

THE BEAL EXEMPTION.

Rising to a point of privilege Ald. O'Reilly read a question and answer from the Municipal World. The question asked whether a given exemption from school taxes was legal. The answer was "No." The case corresponded exactly with the Beal case in this town, and probably was the case. Ald. O'Reilly quoted it to show that he was right in his recent contention that the Beal exemption from school taxes was illegal. No member commented on the point.

HOME COMERS FROM TORONTO SPEND A DAY IN TOWN

A Double Baseball Game Drew a Big Crowd on Monday Afternoon

Monday was Toronto's civic holiday and the Independent Order of Oddfellows took advantage of it to run a big excursion to Peterboro, as they did last year. Two trains on Saturday afternoon and two more on Monday brought about 1700 people out of the city.

Not quite half of these got off here and were former residents of this place. They were gladly welcomed by former friends.

On Monday afternoon a double game of ball was played on the fair grounds. The first was between a team of the home-comers and a scratch local team, and the second between the Irish Catholic Benevolent Union team of Toronto and the Lindsay Clippers. The grandstand was well filled and the gate receipts about $110. The first match caused a good deal of diversion but some of its worst exhibitions of ball-playing were duplicated in the second match in which the local team simply went to pieces and were defeated by 10 runs to 3.

At 1.30 the following locals of former baseball fame lined up : Battery: Geo. Little and R. Bate, 1st base, Dr. Walters, 2nd base Sandy McCrimmon, 3rd base Dr. Shier, short stop Dan Sinclair, centre field, Alex. Paton, right field Geo. Dennison, left field Amon Eck. In similar positions for Toronto were : Hetherman, Laundry, Cooker, Hungerford, Norman Mark, Booth, Archambault, Scully,

Bob Bates had a good deal of trouble holding Little and was evidently out of practice. A blow on the finger in the 5th brought blood and Dan Sinclair put on the mask. The visitors did very good work. Mark's couple of catches at third were signals for applause. Hetherman was hit pretty freely and by one or two unlucky plays the visitors were unable to keep their opponents from running 5 times while they themselves managed to get around only once. When the visitors had played six innings the hour for the big match had come and the match was called off, the locals having gone to bat only 5 times.

THE SECOND MATCH

The I.C.B.U. boys are a juvenile lot—only one of them is 21 years old—and came onto the field with drab suits and green sweaters. The game began with the snappiest sort of baseball and for two innings it looked as though the greatest exhibition of the season was on deck. In the second half of the second the locals got in a run and in the third brought home two more. But the visitors did not get rattled. Before long Backus of Orillia who was pitching for the locals, began to lose his steam, and was batted a little. Then the locals began to make errors at critical moments, and the visitors ran home in a procession. An overthrow by Workman to McGill, a short and an over by Cinnamon to Workman—that 2nd base throw that at other times never misses—let the score get up to seven for the boys in green. This caused their backers in the grandstand to make a little more animated their rendering of their favorite remark :

"There's just one team,
There's just one team,
There are others I know,
But they don't wear green."

In the 6th Miller replaced Backus but did not mend things much and the alien score piled up to 10 while the locals could not bring home a man despite individual work such as a wonderful foul catch by Cinnamon, and star performances apiece of the same sort by Brooks and Workman. Before the game was over many left the grand stand. Dr. Walters was umpire.

The visitors are a quiet lot who keep down to their work without noisily exhorting each other to "Steady up," "Tear off a chunk," "Make him walk," and other similar and senseless things. In this they set the locals an example.

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

MILLERSMITH—EMILY

Many from this vicinity attended the sacrament service at Dunsford and were much pleased with the Rev. Mr. Henderson.

Miss Lizzie Grey of Lindsay, is the guest of Mrs. Jas. Kennedy.

Mr. Alex. McCullum, Toronto, paid this vicinity a flying visit on Sunday last.

Miss Ruby Kennedy is spending her holidays under the parental roof.

Mr. Robert McGahey will soon have his new house completed ; first the cage and then the bird.

Miss Minnie Callaghan, left last week to spend the summer in Nebraska. We wish her a pleasant trip.

MANILLA

We neglected advertising our old boys' re-union, but it was well attended just the same, and all enjoyed themselves to their own tastes and in their own way. The following were among the number : S. Conway of Oshawa; R. Pearce of Toronto; Mrs. Geo. Gibson and two children and Mr. Nelson Gibson and his friend Mr. Terell, barrister of Pittsburg; Mr. and Mrs. A. Varcoe and Miss Leila Pearce; Mrs. Rev. G. Robinson, with her daughter Mrs. Rev. Garbutt and family from Fenelon Falls; Miss M. Mintern from Toronto; Mrs. Gordon of Toronto; Mr. Brown of Toronto Junction ; Miss Bowman of Aurora; Mr. Wm. Gibson of Toronto; Miss Annie MacQueen of Toronto; Mr. L. H. Clarke of Toronto; Mrs. McArthur of Fenelon Falls; Mrs. Coulter of Toronto; Mr. Sandy Clarke of Cannington; Mrs. Cameron of Winnipeg; Mr. Jas. Smith of Pittsburg; Mr. Oke, Miss Crossen and Mr. Richard Short of Toronto. The ladies whose name appear above will plase note that the term "Old Boys" is used in an accommodated sense only.

Frank Pearce is steadily recovering from an attack of pleurisy.

This is not an "ad" though it adds one to the population of our town—a brand new baby girl at W. L. Coone's.

The rainy weather is making harvesting slew, but the crops are excellent.

OMEMEE

The farmers are very busy finishing their hay harvest and now the wheat harvest is coming in and large wages offered for saving the grain, with scarcity of help at $1.50 per day.

John James Lamb has returned home after a four weeks trip to Manitoba and the Northwest, where his brothers are carrying on farming extensively and doing well, "but give me Ontario yet" is Mr. Lamb's testimony.

The funeral of the late Thos. Dodds (a former resident of this place) was largely attended by friends from Woodville, Lindsay and Uxbridge.

Some of our sugar beet growers, with a view of extending their acreage for the Peterboro Sugar Beet Co., will take in the C.M.B.A. excursion to Berlin from Lindsay on August 13th. The fare from Lindsay is only $1.85 ; tickets good for three days.

Mr. Thos. Stephenson has erected an excellent wire fence around his farm which adds greatly to the appearance and enhances the value of the place.

The Presbyterians have selected by almost unanimous vote, Rev. Mr. White, B. A., B. D. of Quebec, grand chaplain of the L.O.L. there as their pastor.

Many of our local harvesters will take two months in Manitoba this season.

There is a first-class furnace to be placed in our high and public school. It was much needed.

We have had a visit from two government inspectors. Inspector Hickey for the division courts, who reported satisfactorily and Inspector Short, who found no serious trouble about the hotels.

MR. E. J. KYLIE'S NEW SUCCESS

He Leads His Class at Oxford in the Recent Examinations

Mr. E. J. Kylie seems to find the task of holding first place at Oxford quite as easy as at Canadian schools. In the second year examinations at the great university, Mr. Kylie stood first in the honor department of History and English. Those who know Mr. Kylie's previous achievements will be more gratified than surprised at his most recent and greatest success.

These achievements may be fittingly rehearsed here : Mr. Kylie was 8 years old when he first went to school. He attended the convent for two years and then studied Entrance work at the Separate school under Mr. Michael O'Brien. At the end of that year he was successful in the examination, and stood first in the county. His course in the Collegiate Institute was exceptionally

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good. In 1894 he won the McIntyre gold medal in Classics, and in 1897 the Mary Mulock scholarship in the same subject. In the next year he stood first in the two departments of honor English and Classics.

Entering the Toronto University in 1898 he kept, throughout the four-years course, the first place in the double honor course. In 1898 and 1900 he won the Moss scholarship ; in 1899 the Mulock scholarship, and in his final year, 1901, the McCaul gold medal in Classics, the governor-general's gold medal for general proficiency, and the J. W. Flavelle travelling scholarship of $750 a year for two years at Oxford. In his first year at that great school he lead his class, and again, in the second, has duplicated the performance.