

The Weekly Free Press

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PRICE THREE CENTS

FIRST YEAR

MAKE SOME YOUNG WOMAN HAPPY-ASSIST HER TO WIN

The Great Free Press Detroit-Montreal Trip--Only Five Young Ladies Can Go on the Best Two Weeks' Vacation Trip of the Year.

No matter where you live--in the country or Lindsay--you will find that you reside in one of the five districts of the Trip to Detroit and Montreal Contest.

"SEE CANADA FIRST."

"See Canada first," is the advice nowadays proffered to Canadians who have journeyed the wide world over.

There is no denying that the trip is a pretty expensive one for The Free Press--though it does not cost the young ladies who participate a single cent.

That the young ladies of Victoria appreciate this sort of enterprise is shown by the enthusiasm with which they have plunged into the contest.

Steady Gains Being Made In the Different Districts

CANDIDATES CONTINUE TO COME IN--HOW THEY STOOD AT NOON YESTERDAY.

To-day the balloting has been marked with few notable changes. A steady gain has been recorded in favor of each candidate, and although a shifting of the leadership occurs daily in some districts, no candidate has thus far increased her lead to the point where she may enjoy a sense of security.

In the first district Miss Cain stands not only as the leader there, but also as the leader in number of votes, of the entire contest.

Every day witnesses the receipt of a greater number of clipped ballots than its predecessors, but those who want to be classed among the winners are fast realizing that the most rapid gains are being made by those who are making a specialty of increasing their standings by securing the special ballots that go with the new subscriptions.

The clipping of ballots is all right and may succeed in landing some of the bright contestants among the winners, but the girl who systematically goes out after the long time subscription gains an advantage with every new subscriber that will require hours and days of clipping and collecting on the part of her opponent to overcome.

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Lt.-Col. R. Sylvester Will be in Command

LINDSAY OFFICER WILL HAVE CHARGE OF FORCE FROM EASTERN ONTARIO.

Lt.-Col. R. H. Sylvester is to be congratulated on receiving the command of the Composite Battalion of Eastern Ontario, which is being sent to the Quebec Tercentenary.

THE OMEMEE ENTRANCE EXAMS.

PUPILS WHO HAVE SUCCESSFULLY PASSED THE DREADED ORDEAL.

- Names of candidates admitted by the examiners, with school at which prepared, and marks obtained. Total marks, 650.

SETTLED FOR \$50.00.

At a Council meeting held some few days ago, it was decided to allow Mr. M. O'Halloran damages to the extent of fifty dollars for injuries his horse and rig sustained by falling into an open sewer on Mill-st. some weeks ago.

Preparations are Being Made For the Old Boys' Excursion

OVER ONE THOUSAND PEOPLE EXPECTED - TWO BASEBALL TEAMS COMING--SPLENDID PROGRAM FOR THE DAY.

Preparations are now being made to receive the Victoria County Old Boys Association on Civic Holiday.

ball teams are also being brought down with the old boys, and a splendid exhibition of the great game will be given on the holiday in the afternoon in the Agricultural Park.

Results of Separate School Promotion Examinations

BOYS DID REMARKABLY WELL--THE MAJORITY OF THOSE WHO TRIED WILL TAKE ONE STEP UP THE LADDER.

- The promotion examinations for the boys of the separate school resulted as follows: Junior IV. Class, (Total, 800.) Joseph Spratt, Philip O'Loughlin, George O'Neill, Francis Campbell, Joachim Trotter, Senior III. Class, (Total, 800.) Thomas Bridel, Clare Mulvihill, John Grozell, Francis Masseau, John Hogan, Coleman O'Loughlin, Fergus Powers, Charles Hutton, John Sullivan, Albert Train, Louis Burke, Bruce Hand, Cyril Richards, Louis Carn, Albert Forbert, James Kenny, Cyril Houlihan, Harold Duck, Stafford Teatro, Victor McGlynn, Junior III. Class, Total, 800.) Harold Rogers, Michael Dovey, Leo Murtha, Francis O'Connor, Wilfred Scully, Lawrence Burke, Leo Healey, James LeHane, Fred. Powers, Laurier Frechette, Stafford Walsh, Eddie Hutton, Cyril LeHane, Alex. Barnett, James Maher, Senior II. Class, (Total, 500.) Cyril Carroll, Percy Sheehan, James McCabe, John Dovey, Albert Kearns, Harold Brown, Richard Flaherty, Edward O'Neill, Junior II. Class, (Total, 500.) Thomas Masseau, Francis Breen, Patrick White, Thomas Trotter, Edward McMahon, John Dennis, John Cooney, Arnold Duck, Francis Curtin, Leo McMahon, Arthur Teevin, Charles Hand, Daniel Healy, John O'Reilly, Senior Part I. Class, (Total, 400.) Leo McFadyen, Vincent Flaherty, Carnegie McKay, Joseph Hoallihan, Michael Tully, Joseph Tully, Vincent Mangan, Francis Curtin, Vincent Birgenow, John Duke, Leo Michael, Fabian Scott, Stafford Birgenow.

No. 6 Not Good After July 23 VOTING BALLOT The Free Press Montreal-Detroit Trip This Ballot will count as One Vote. For District No. Address

RATE OF TAXATION WILL BE DECREASED THIS YEAR

28 Mills the Rate Set--Much Lower Than Last Year.

COUNCIL DESERVES CREDIT

Estimates of Expenditures for Year as Prepared by Mr. Knowlson.

Lindsay will this year have the lowest rate of taxation it has had for several years--28 mills, which is a little more than a mill lower than last year.

STATEMENT Showing the Various Rates of Taxation Required to be Levied for the Purposes of the Town of Lindsay for 1908.

Table with columns for County Rate, Public School, Collegiate Institute, Town Debenture Debt, Separate School, Contracts for Fixed Services, Elections Expenses, Fire Alarm Maintenance, Fire Team Maintenance, Fire Hall Expenses, Fuel, Hydrant Rental, Insurance, Interest, Light, Salaries and Allowances, Snow Plowing, Taxes, Telephone Service.

Other Requirements-- (Assessment, \$2,463,475.00.) Board of Works, Board of Health, Charity, Contingencies, Deputation Expenses, Law Costs, Park Maintenance, Pig., Pstg., Adv., Stn'ry., Property, Repairs to Property, etc., Special Grants, Town Hall Improvements, Town Office Expenses, Abatement, Reserve.

Estimated Receipts other than Taxes for the year 1908-- Dog and Poll Taxes, Billiard Licenses, Butchers' Licenses, Carters' Licenses, Cab Licenses, Cigarette Licenses, Petty Licenses, Plumbers' Licenses, Liquor Licenses, Market Revenue, Plumbing Inspection Fees, Police Court Fines, Arrears of Taxes & Pctgs., Surplus.

Rate Summary-- County Rate, Public School Rate, Collegiate Institute Rate, Public Library, Town Debenture Debt, Contracts and Fixed Services, Other Requirements (less estimated receipts), Total Rates.

Ald. Dobson complained of the enormous expenditure on roads, and yet he said Queen-st. had not even had a coat of gravel. The matter was discussed for some time, and on the motion of Deputy-Reeve Eyres, seconded by Mr. Dobson, it was agreed to look after this street. Mr. Eyres spoke very strongly in favor of the improvement, as he wanted the residents of the east ward to be looked after as well as any in the town.

The question of taxing the different places of amusement was brought up, and \$50 was the sum decided upon for the license.

Stole Brakeman's Money at a Sunday School Picnic Tuesday

RAILROADER WAS IN SWIMMING WHEN MONEY WAS TAKEN - THREE BOYS ARRESTED AND ALLOWED TO GO ON SUSPENDED SENTENCE.

To start off in the morning with a Sunday school picnic and wind up in the police court in the afternoon, was the fate of three boys who attended the joint excursion of Cambridge-st. and Queen-st. Sunday schools Tuesday to Beaverton. It is learned that the boys did not belong to the Sunday school, but had tickets given to them.

A large crowd gathered around the boys and followed them to the police station, where they were locked up till the magistrate came. Several prominent men of both the churches interceded for the boys, and when they appeared in court the magistrate gave them a good talking to, pointing out what would follow if boys so young as they kept on in this way.

ON SUSPENDED SENTENCE.

He allowed them to go on suspended sentence and said he hoped they would keep their hands off things not their own. The money was ordered to be handed over to the brakeman. The boys were badly frightened and cried bitterly through the entire performance. None of the boys has ever been in police court before, and for this reason their names are withheld.

A DIFFERENCE.

A New York landlord has reduced his rents because of hard times. The man thinks him a good landlord, but the women are withholding judgment until they find out what he intends to do about papering the front parlor and the back bedroom next fall.