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**MR. F. OLIVER**  
LEAVING FOR WEST

Mr. Frank Oliver, who for the past fifteen months has officiated as assistant manager of the Benson house leaves Monday for his home in London to spend a few days with his parents before leaving to accept a similar position in the Canadian West.

Mr. Oliver has been a most popular resident of the town and although he has not taken part in any of the sports indulged in here, he has always taken a keen interest in the welfare of every club. He has had experience as manager of baseball nines, lacrosse, bowling and hockey teams, as well as being a prominent member of polo, chess and whist clubs. He was on the executive committee of the Midget hockey seven, both in their championship season of 1909 and also in their past season of 1910.

He also managed the Bankers hockey team, and assisted greatly in placing the rugby twelve in the ranks of the championship series last fall. For the coming 24th of May sports Mr. Oliver was selected for the executive committee and has done valuable work for the affair although he will be unable to see the results of his labors.

In London, where Mr. Oliver came from, he managed the London lacrosse and hockey teams, the latter almost landing the championship of 1908.

In Mr. Oliver's departure Lindsay will lose one of her best sportsmen, but his success in the future among the athletic clubs in other towns and centres will be watched with keen interest by the friends he leaves in Lindsay.

**Involuntary Bath**

Yesterday morning just before noon an English workman at the Wellington street bridge received a chilly bath in about four feet of water. He was pulling on the rope to loosen a knot when it gave way, throwing the young man backwards. A Bobby Kerr sprint was made until his boarding house was reached, where he quickly jumped into dry garments.

The ribbon ornaments for the hair are prettier and more unusual as the spring advances.

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**This Case of Interest to Town**

Judgment of Justice Britton Regarding Snow and ice on Sidewalk

A case was decided by Mr. Justice Britton respecting snow and ice on the sidewalk the other day which will be of great interest to the citizens of Lindsay. The action was brought for personal damages for personal injuries sustained by the plaintiff by a fall on the sidewalk in Hamilton, due as the plaintiff alleged to the sidewalk being out of repair by reason of the snow and ice being allowed to accumulate. In giving judgment Mr. Britton said: It is alleged that the sidewalk where the plaintiff fell was covered with cleaned off after storms, had accumulated snow and ice of a thickness which through neglect in not being varying from seven to three inches, fated and become trampled down in an uneven manner by the daily traffic the surface being slippery and very treacherous. The judge said that the evidence established the fact that the sidewalk was in that condition. He also said that from the evidence he had no doubt that in a general way in regard to most of the streets the city had done the best it could, but that there was evidence of neglect with the piece of sidewalk referred to, and the plaintiff was not guilty of any contributory negligence.

The case was tried without a jury and judgment was given the plaintiff for \$350.00 and costs. This case will no doubt be of interest to the town of Lindsay, for while it is no doubt true that a perfectly clean pavement is more dangerous than one with some snow on it, there is another extreme, and that extreme exists when the ice accumulates and is allowed to accumulate in a lumpy, and dangerous condition. It would appear that if the city's employees had looked after the place complained of by throwing earth or sand on it the charge of negligence would not have been established. It is quite evident that the judge was desirous of taking what may be called a common sense view of the matter, and the city of Hamilton suffered accordingly. As the case has just been decided, it may be appealed against, but so far no notice of appeal has been given. As the case cited by the plaintiff's lawyer in support of his contention, was quite clear as the defence put up by the city of Hamilton did not include much support from decided cases, it might be well for the citizens of Lindsay to take note of the learned judge's decision.

**Work Started On the Bridge**

Work opened this morning at the Wellington street bridge in the erection of cofferdams around the piers for the purpose of holding back the water until the cement work is done.

**Donates Three Prizes**

In connection with the I.O.F. demonstration on Victoria Day, Ald. W. F. McCarty has donated three prizes for the Calithumpian parade in the morning to the contestants making the best showing. The first prize will be \$5, second \$3, and third \$2. Contestants are asked to send their names into the secretary of committee, Mr. McCarty.

**Marathon Race Prize**

For the 24th of May I.O.F. demonstration a handsome eight day clock was received by secretary W. F. McCarty from Mr. E. Schevee, 90 Yonge street, Toronto, to be given as a second prize in the Marathon race, the first prize being a \$20.00 gold watch. In regard to the calithumpian parade which has caused considerable talk, Mr. McCarty stated this morning that it would be held in the morning.

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**GOVERNMENT WORK AT ROSEDALE FINISHING TOUCHES ON LOCKS**

A representative of The Post visited the government work at Rosedale Thursday and was surprised at the activity already displayed in pushing the work to completion.

Contractor McDonald has moved his family to Rosedale and will have a personal supervision of the work. The dredge is at work taking out a small portion of earth on the lower end of the canal, which will give a free body of water into the locks from Cameron Lake. This will be completed in a day or two, when the dredge will be taken to Balsam lake and where a small portion will be removed and the canal will be practically completed. There are now about 50 men on the job completing the rip rap work on the banks and other work necessary before the locks are turned over.

The gates were being placed into position, Thursday, and a few days will have them in readiness. To see the elaborate care and planning required to handle these large gates, which weigh from seven to ten tons, it is surprising that it is done without accident.

In the centre of the river the steam drill is at work, and the channel will be deepened out to the lighthouse in Balsam Lake, so that the largest boats that ply these waters may navigate without difficulty.

Mr. Spence, the government engineer, in charge of the work, is occupying the lockmaster's house with his family. Mr. Spence is making the Rosedale locks one of the show spots of the Trent Valley Canal, and when completed will be a fine piece of engineering work.

Mr. McDonald, the contractor, evidently believes in feeding his men well, and has had on the job since it was opened one of the best cooks he could find, Mr. Dan McCrimmon, who is a favorite with the men, and who keeps them so well fed that when they are under his care for a few

weeks they are sick as seals.

Mr. Dowson is becoming very popular again, and keeps his bridge in excellent shape.

Rosedale is becoming a very popular summer resort. The cottages are always full and the comfortable boarding house kept by Mrs. McIntosh takes care of the homeless.

The gates for the Lindsay locks are completed and ready for delivery. They are massive affairs weighing about eleven tons.

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**Lindsay Grocers Had the Floor**

Air Grievances at Grocers Convention in Toronto

"The day for the grocer to be the tool of any manufacturer is past. You and I, the retailer and wholesaler, must back one another up, and insist upon the manufacturer supplying us with goods upon which we can make a fair margin of profit."

The friendly war between the wholesale grocers and manufacturers was continued at the convention of the Wholesale Grocers Exchange at the King Edward hotel Wednesday. This was retailers' day, invitations having been extended to the grocers to come and discuss matters of interest to them and the wholesaler.

SALL TO ALL OR NONE

"Is it right for a manufacturer to set to a retailer or to a few of them as is the case?" asked Jos. Staples, of Lindsay. "If it is fair to sell to one retailer, it is fair to sell to all and then where does the wholesaler come in?"

"The right way to do business is for the manufacturer to sell to the wholesaler and the wholesaler to the retailer. That is the proper way, so why don't all parties stick to it?" Alex. Fisher introduced a resolution condemning the practice of manufacturers and wholesalers in selling to hotels, boats restaurants and private institutions.

"Toronto wholesale houses are doing that in Lindsay and it is not right," he said, instancing that a Toronto tea house sold a Lindsay woman ten pounds of tea at a greatly reduced rate.

"If the representative of that firm thinks his firm has acted rightly, let him stand up and say so."

"He's a fool," is the way J. A. Macintosh, of Hamilton, described the grocer who cuts prices and goes so far as to sell goods at below cost price. The only remedy is the contract selling plan, he said.

"If the 4,000 retail merchants got together, then they could go to the manufacturers and the wholesalers, and dictate to them, instead of dictated to, as at present."

"Some time ago the price of biscuits was raised, and the reason given was the flour had gone up in price since then flour has gone down and the price of biscuits remains the same. What remedy have we for that under present conditions?"

**Halley's Comet Is Brightening**

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Cambridge, Mass., April 27.—Halley's comet has brightened rapidly since last Friday, and is now clearly visible to the naked eye shortly after 3 a. m. The comet is displaying a fine bush-like tail of some degrees in length, while the nucleus shines with a brightness of between 2.5 and 3 magnitude.

The comet is now moving through the constellation of Pisces, and for a day or two will be a short distance east of the bright star in the southeastern corner of the great square of Pegasus. A careful search of the eastern sky an hour and a half before sunrise will disclose the visitor and a field glass will bring it much closer to view.

**Chimney Fire**

About 10.30 o'clock this morning fire located itself in the chimney of Mr. J. Appleby's barber shop, Kent street. The fire brigade responded to the summons from box No. 6 but was not needed as the chimney had burned itself out. No damage was done either by fire, smoke or water.

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**Construction Work On Grain Line**

Orillia and Coldwater Section Will be Pushed Vigorously

Orillia Packet: There is every indication that the C.P.R. intends to push the construction of its line from Orillia to Coldwater. It has been intimated that it is the intention to build the line along the esplanade without delay. Mayor Goffatt has written Sir Thomas Shaughnessy suggesting that the turning of the first sod should take place in the park, and be made a public function. It is not the intention of the Company to fill in the full 100 feet for which it has a deed. Nor is it likely that they will place piles along the front. They will probably fill in what is required for their present tracks, make a sloping bank and rip-rap it with stone. This will complicate the boat-house situation, which is now creating considerable interest. The trouble is that unless the C.P.R. fills in its complete right of way there will be a strip of water between the edge of their embankment, and the town's water lots. Numerous suggestions have been made, and the question will no doubt be fully threshed out at the meeting called by his Worship Mayor Goffatt for next Tuesday evening. were nominated

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