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		638,400	
NUMBER OF		-----	
SHARES		6	SHARED VOTING POWER
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY			None
EACH		7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
WITH			638,400
		8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
			None

9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		
	638,400		

10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*		
	[]		

11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)		
	5.43%		

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*			
12	IA		

*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!			

1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS		
	S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS		
	M.J. Whitman Advisers, Inc.		
	(EIN 13-3686379)		

2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*	(a)	[]
		(b)	[]

3	SEC USE ONLY		

4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION		
	New York Corporation		

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		5	SOLE VOTING POWER	
			None	
NUMBER OF				
		6	SHARED VOTING POWER	
			None	
SHARES				
BENEFICIALLY		7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
OWNED BY			None	
EACH		8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	
			None	
WITH				
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON			
	None			
10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*			
	[]			
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)			
	None			
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*			
	IA			
*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!				
1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS			
	S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS			
	Martin J. Whitman			
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*		(a)	[]
			(b)	[]
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USA

NUMBER OF	5 SOLE VOTING POWER None (See Item 4)

SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY	6 SHARED VOTING POWER None

EACH	7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER None (See Item 4)

PERSON WITH	8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER None

9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON -0- (See Item 4)

10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES* []

11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11) -0-

12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON* IN

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Item 1.

- (a) NAME OF ISSUER:

Lindsay Manufacturing Co. (the "Issuer").
- (b) ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES OR, IF NONE,
RESIDENCE:

2707 North 108th Street, Suite 102, Omaha, NE 68164

Item 2.

- (a) NAME OF PERSON FILING:

This schedule is being jointly filed by EQSF Advisers, Inc. ("EQSF"), M.J. Whitman Advisers, Inc. ("MJWA") and Martin J. Whitman, the Chief Executive Officer of EQSF and MJWA and controlling person of EQSF and MJWA. (EQSF, MJWA and Martin J. Whitman are sometimes collectively referred

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to hereinafter as "Filer"). Attached hereto as an exhibit is a copy of the jointSchedule 13G filing agreement among the reporting persons.

(b) ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE:

The address of the principal executive office of EQSF, MJWA and Mr. Whitman is: 767 Third Avenue, New York, New York 10017-2023.

(c) CITIZENSHIP:

The citizenship or place of organization of each of the reporting persons is as follows:

EQSF

New York State Corporation.

MJWA

New York State Corporation.

MARTIN J. WHITMAN

United States Citizen.

(d) TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES:

Common Stock, \$1.00 par value per share.

(e) CUSIP NUMBER:

535555106

Item 3. IF THIS STATEMENT IS BEING FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13D-1(B), OR 13D-2(B), CHECK WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A:

(e) Investment Adviser registered under section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 (EQSF and MJWA).

Item 4. OWNERSHIP.

(a)&(b) EQSF beneficially owns 638,400 shares, or 5.43% of the class of securities of the issuer.

(c) (i) EQSF: 638,400
(ii) Not applicable.
(iii) EQSF: 638,400
(iv) Not applicable.

Mr. Whitman disclaims beneficial ownership of all such shares.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

Not applicable.

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Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Third Avenue Value Fund, an investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, has the right to receive dividends from, and the proceeds from the sale of, 299,300 of the shares reported by EQSF, Third Avenue Small-Cap Value Fund, an investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, has the right to receive dividends from, and the proceeds from the sale of, 152,200 of the shares reported by EQSF, Third Avenue Variable Trust, an investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, has the right to receive dividends from, and the proceeds from the sale of, 83,000 of the shares reported by EQSF, and Third Avenue Value Portfolio of the WRL Series Fund, an investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, has the right to receive dividends from, and the proceeds from the sale of, 103,900 of the shares reported by EQSF.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company.

Not Applicable.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not applicable.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not applicable.

Item 10. Certification.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired for the purpose of and do not have the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of such securities and were not acquired in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purposes or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

June 8, 2001

(Date)

EQSF ADVISERS, INC.

By:/s/ MARTIN J. WHITMAN

Martin J. Whitman

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Chairman, President and
Chief Executive Officer

M.J. WHITMAN ADVISERS, INC.

By: /s/ MARTIN J. WHITMAN

Martin J. Whitman
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

/s/ MARTIN J. WHITMAN

Martin J. Whitman, President