

DAM KETTLE CREEK TO SECURE WATER FOR RAILWAY CITY

Scheme Recommended by
Joint Meeting For Consid-
eration of Ratepayers.

WILL COST \$200,000

Plans Include Purchase of 600
Acres of Land Along
Creek.

ST. THOMAS, Nov. 3.—A system that will conserve the water supply, having its source in the territory bordering Kettle Creek, was approved tonight by a joint meeting of the water board and representatives of the city council, the board of trade and labor council.

Three plans were submitted, that of well, Lake Erie and a concrete dam for storage. The latter was recommended as the most feasible and economical. The Lake Erie scheme at an outlay of \$450,000 with its high cost of maintenance was not favored. It meant, said Clerk Perry, that the rate would be doubled or an alternative of an addition of six mills on the dollar, annually. The expenses in securing a supply from wells was not considered satisfactory.

After thorough and comparative discussion the meeting endorsed the proposed plan of storage of water in Kettle Creek, by means of a dam or series of dams, as suggested by the experts employed, and will recommend it to the citizens as a solution of the question of a sufficient supply for all purposes for at least a population of 50,000.

The probable cost of the storage system was given as \$200,000; of \$40,000 would be expended on the dam proper, \$17,500 on cost of a bridge near the McEwen road, and the balance for miscellaneous expenditures. An area of 600 acres will be secured and 200 acres of this would be reserved for the city.

The dam would be constructed above the creek where it crosses the Edge-ware road, and would be large enough to hold 5,000,000 gallons of water. The owners of the property adjacent to the sources of supply will be called to confer with the board in regard to adjustment of prices. A bylaw to raise the necessary sum will be introduced at the next municipal election.

New Regiment Filling Up.
The recruiting for the reorganized Elgin Regiment is meeting with a ready response from the returned men and it is anticipated that many young fellows who have not yet had their baptism of fire will assist in completing the couple of companies before the end of the week. About 75 have signed up since the opening last night, and the prospect of a revival of interest in local military activities could not be more favorable.

Baroness Returns to Milwaukee.
Capt. John S. Atkinson, a former resident of the 91st Battalion, who went overseas and was with the Canadian Red Cross in France, has returned to Milwaukee and has joined his wife, formerly Baroness, daughter of Baron von Palmgarten, former secretary of the Austrian embassy, Washington, D. C. The captain was a former school teacher in Shedd, and conducted a business college at Milwaukee prior to the war, when he was given a commission at St. Thomas in the Elgin Regiment. The baroness was much feted in military circles while she was a guest with her mother at the Grand Central while the captain was in service here.

Asks for Train.
The Retail Clerks Association will make a request on the London and Port Stanley Railway management to provide greater convenience for the shopping folks at Port Stanley. The association asks for a car to leave port at 7:20 instead of 6:20 and 8:20 a.m. The first in time to return home or too late to permit the people of the lakeside to meet their business engagements in time to return home for luncheon.

Superintendent Matthews Arrives.
H. W. Matthews, the recently appointed division superintendent of the Buffalo division of the Canadian Pacific, has arrived in St. Thomas and entered upon his duties. Mr. Matthews was formerly terminal superintendent of the C. P. at Port Huron, where he appears to have been a popular and energetic official.

Death of Mrs. E. D. Silcox.
The funeral of Mrs. E. D. Silcox, wife of Rev. E. D. Silcox, Toronto, who died yesterday afternoon in Promote Congregational Cemetery, Rev. Mr. Cox officiated. Mrs. Silcox is survived by her husband, one daughter, Miss L. M. Silcox, Toronto, and two sons, C. P. Silcox, Promote, and E. D. Silcox, Community Congregational Church, Fairfield, Mass. The bereaved were: Wilfred Silcox, George Silcox, and W. C. Silcox, Leas Silcox, E. A. Silcox and W. C. Silcox. Mrs. Mary H. Plagg, widow of the late Julius A. Plagg, died yesterday afternoon at St. Thomas, died on Sunday at Berdyscow, took place yesterday afternoon in Promote Congregational Cemetery. Rev. Mr. Cox officiated. Mrs. Plagg is survived by her husband, one daughter, Miss L. M. Silcox, Toronto, and two sons, C. P. Silcox, Promote, and E. D. Silcox, Community Congregational Church, Fairfield, Mass. The bereaved were: Wilfred Silcox, George Silcox, and W. C. Silcox, Leas Silcox, E. A. Silcox and W. C. Silcox. Mrs. Mary H. Plagg, widow of the late Julius A. Plagg, died yesterday afternoon at St. Thomas, died on Sunday at Berdyscow, took place yesterday afternoon in Promote Congregational Cemetery. Rev. Mr. Cox officiated. Mrs. Plagg is survived by her husband, one daughter, Miss L. M. Silcox, Toronto, and two sons, C. P. Silcox, Promote, and E. D. Silcox, Community Congregational Church, Fairfield, Mass. The bereaved were: Wilfred Silcox, George Silcox, and W. C. Silcox, Leas Silcox, E. A. Silcox and W. C. Silcox.

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Mr. J. H. Brittain had a large bald spot on his head and thought he must always remain bald. But he used Kotakol and grew a luxuriant crop of healthy hair. Legions of other amazing cases. Get a box of Kotakol at the druggists'. Or send 10 cents, all over or stamps, for proof box of Kotakol to Kotakol Company, Limited, 266-M Adelaide St. W., Toronto.

NEW RULER OF MEXICO

GEN. ALVARO OBREGON, who has just been appointed president of Mexico. He will be installed in office shortly.

allowance board will meet the members of the local board tomorrow evening and confer on the several details of the work to be undertaken by the St. Thomas member. Mr. Bryce is coming at the request of the local convenor, Ex-Mayor F. W. Wright, that applications for pension allowances may be given immediate consideration.

The Horticultural Society at its meeting last evening refused to interfere with the complaint sent in by the Elgin Humane Society concerning the present housing and conditions of the municipal zoo. The Horticultural Society feared that any action it would be a party to in respect of the complaint might antagonize the following feeling and brotherly spirit which have now been fostered by and between the two bodies for some time past.

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SOLDIERS WRECK PRINTING WORKS; 300 MEN IDLE

Four More Policemen Killed in
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DUBLIN, Nov. 3.—The anti-police vendetta continues. Four more policemen were murdered today at different places under daring circumstances, one was kidnapped and several were wounded.

As indicating the terror prevailing, the body of one murdered policeman lay 24 hours on the road and was passed by many persons before the authorities were informed.

The Athlone printing works, where the Westmeath Independent was published, were burned early this morning by men in a military jerry with incendiary bombs and petrol. The damage is estimated at 100,000 pounds. By the destruction of this establishment 200 employees are made idle.

POLICE ARE CONFINED.
TRALEE, Ireland, Nov. 3.—This town, which was taken over by the military yesterday, was quiet this morning and the townspeople who fled in fear of reprisals by the "black and tan" police because of attacks on the police were returning to their homes. The troops upon taking charge paraded the town in lorries. The "blacks and tan" police were confined to barracks and the night passed uneventfully. A policeman who was kidnapped is still missing.

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November Store News

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Extra Special!

Numode Brassiere,
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5 dozen Numode Brassieres,
made from durable white cotton, trimmed with extra quality embroidery, sizes 34 to 46.
Regular \$2.00 value.
Special \$1.50

Clearance of Girls' Plush and Velvet

Hats, \$2.49 and \$3.49

LOT NO. 1—\$2.49
1 table of Children's Hats, comprising black plush, colored velvets, in a range of styles, also Black Plush Tams; values to \$3.50. This month \$2.49 only

LOT NO. 2—\$3.49
1 table of Children's and Misses' Plush Hats and Tams, in black and a variety of colors. Regular values to \$5.00. This month \$3.49 only

Extra Special!

Numode Bandeau and Brassiere, 98c

Numode Brassieres and Bandeaux, in pink or white, back or front fasteners, sizes from 34 to 48. A splendid new range, just in. Extra 98c special

Three Special Values In New Georgette Blouses

Featured This Month

New Style Monkey Blouse, \$6.50

New style Georgette Monkey Blouse, frilled round neck, pointed short sleeves, kimono style, elastic waistband, frilled; colors, maize, flesh, peach, navy, white; sizes 36 to 42.
Sale price \$6.50

New Style Embroidered Georgette Blouse, \$8.50

New style Georgette Blouse, round neck, short sleeves, kimono style, embroidered medallion front, neck and shoulders; colors, white, flesh, maize, sand, navy, ecopen; sizes to 42. Sale price \$8.50

Special Georgette Blouses, \$6.50

Such a lot of pretty styles are included in this group, especially marked for clearance. There are Georgettes in flesh, maize, white, navy, black, sand, grey. Some are plain shirtwaist style, finely tucked and hemstitched, while others are in over-blouse style, prettily beaded and embroidered; sizes 44. Regular values \$6.50 to \$10. Sale price \$6.50

Three Extra Special Values In Wool Sweaters and Pullovers \$2.95, \$4.95, \$5.95

Children's and Misses' Pullovers, \$2.95

10 dozen Misses' and Children's Pullovers, in a wide range of styles and colors, a factory clearance from well-known makers, just arrived for this month's sale. Extra special \$2.95

Ladies' Wool Pullovers, \$4.95

1 table of Ladies' Knitted Wool Pullover Sweaters, in a range of plain and honeycomb stitch, nearly all colors included; regular values to \$7.50. This month's special \$4.95 value

Ladies' Pure Wool Sweater Coats, \$10 Value for \$5.95

Ladies' Pure Wool Sweater Coats; colors, Paddy, American Beauty, old rose; trimmed with grey brushed wool collars and cuffs, belted style; actual \$10 value. This month's special price \$5.95

Extra Special

Pure Thread Silk Hose, \$1.50

10 dozen Pure Thread Silk Hose, in black only, double heels and toes, very slightly imperfect; value \$2.25; sizes 8½ to 10. Special \$1.50

Infants' and Children's Knitted Goods

Children's Knitted Wool Overalls, grey or white, each \$2.98
Infants' Hand-Made Knitted Wool Jackets, white trimmed, pink or blue \$1.25, \$1.98 and \$2.50
Infants' White Wool Scarfs 95c and \$1.25
Infants' White Wool Overalls \$1.50 and \$1.98
Infants' Hand-Made Booties 59c, 65c, 75c and 98c
Infants' Bonnets 98c, \$1.50 and \$1.98
Baby Carriage Covers \$4.50, \$6.75 and \$8.50
Children's Knitted Wool Sweaters, white \$2.98 and up
Children's Knitted Suits in buff, white, grey, navy, cardinal, consisting of overalls, jersey and cap \$5.95 per suit

Crepe-de-Chine and Georgette, \$1.98 Yard

Georgette and Crepe de Chine, values to \$2.65, in the colors listed below: Georgettes in white, sky, dark brown, navy, sage, taupe, light grey, purple, tan, flesh, peach; Crepe de Chine, in white, sand, grey, purple, maize; widths from 36 to 40 inches. Special value this month \$1.98

Turnbull's Winter Underwear

Ladies' Vests and Drawers 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00
Ladies' Combinations \$2.50 to \$7.50
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Children's Bloomers 59c and up
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Ladies' Bloomers 98c and \$1.25

Ballantyne Shawlets, \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$8.75

Ballantyne's Shawlets, large sized wool scarf, colors white, grey and ecator; pure wool. Priced at \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$8.75

Heavy Wool Coating, \$3.95 Yard.

Heavy Wool Coating, in grey, blue and green tweed mixtures, 54 inches wide; splendid weight and quality. Yard \$3.95

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Saxony Yarn, in white, black, grey, pink and cardinal. 2-ounce skein 50c

Silk Camisoles, \$1.25

Silk Camisoles, trimmed with net lace, colors white, flesh, maize, sky; sizes to 42. Extra special \$1.25

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Misses' Corsets, \$1.98

Five dozen Misses' Flesh-Colored Corsets, elastic top, hose supporters attached, sizes to 26. Extra special value \$1.98 Pair

Boudoir Caps, 59c

10 dozen New Boudoir Caps, comprising a range of silk and net combinations, various styles and colors. Special, each 59c

Girls' Blanket Cloth Coats, \$10.75

Girls' Blanket Cloth Coats, in a range of new belted styles, made from good quality blanket cloth, in plaid combinations of grey, brown, maroon and navy; sizes 8 to 14 years. Extra special value \$10.75

Andalusian Yarn, 2-oz. Skein, 90c

Andalusian Yarn, in black or white; especially adapted for fine knitting. 2-ounce skein 90c

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