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Finished Velvets,  
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On Sale All This Week

This week's special from the Dress Goods Department includes about 1,000 yards of fine quality all-wool imported Cheviots, 44 inches wide, browns, grays, greens, old rose, navy and black. A splendid weight for suits or dresses. See these this week on the sale tables. . . . . 59c  
\$1.25 yard-wide Paillette Silks. On sale at, yard . . . . . 85c

## Silk Hosiery For Men, Women and Children

Men's Silk Socks of good quality, double heel and toe, grays, greens, rose, purple, tan, saxe blue, navy or black, extra quality. Per pair . . . . . 50c

Ladies' Silk Stockings, in all the evening colors, sky, mauve, purple, grays, gold, yellow, pink, white and black; double heels, toes, wide garter top. Pair . . . . . \$1.10 and \$1.50

Black Silk Hose, of good quality, double sole, heavy or sheer qualities, at pair . . . . . 50c, 75c and \$1.00

Ladies' Fancy Silk Hose, with pretty clock pattern or daintily embroidered black or black with white, also some extra heavy quality pure silk stockings, at pair . . . . . \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00

Infants' and Children's Silk Socks and Stockings, in white, sky, pink or black, at pair . . . . . 25c and 35c

## SILK KNITTED MUFLERS

**50c, \$1 and \$1.50**

In pretty Christmas boxes. Mufflers for men or women, boys or girls. Silk knitted mufflers with silk fringe, choice of wide or narrow. Plain colors in white, grays, tans, browns, green, red or black, and fancy knitted, mottled mufflers in gray and black, black and white, red and black, etc. . . . . 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50

New Silk and  
Net Waists at  
\$2.00 to \$7.50

**Kingsmills**

Christmas  
Umbrellas,  
50c to \$6.00.

## A New Coat that we consider extra value

Similar in style to the illustration, but on less cutaway lines. Material is a soft, woolly stripe in a two-tone brown, trimmed with piping of brown velvet, and with dark brown caracul collar. Or the same style coat in black and white stripe. **\$9.75**

For a neat, serviceable Coat that is stylish without being extreme, we mention with special emphasis a Coat of extra heavy Tweed—warm enough to require no lining, and with just the right body to it for sturdy wear. The front is slightly rounded, back is **\$15** button trimmed.

Please compare  
our values with  
"Sale" values  
elsewhere

**Raphael and Company**  
236-238 DUNDAS STREET

### DESERTER SURRENDERS.

Guelph, Dec. 1.—Charles A. Beckitt, a deserter from Wolseley Barracks, in barracks on Nov. 9.



### Editorial

If we SAID the \$9.75 Coat was a "30.00 Coat" it might bring some unthinking ones to buy, but would it make the coat any different? We would rather deserve the confidence of those who think.

## DID CHILD WAKE UP CROSS OR FEVERISH?

Look, Mother! If Tongue Is Coated Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if the tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once. When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given. Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a tea-spoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle. Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Counterfeits are being sold here. Don't be fooled!

**One rub with Old Dutch Cleanser**

is worth four rubs any other way  
Saves time in Chasing Dirt  
Many uses and full directions  
on Large Sifter—Can 10¢

## ASK FOR REPORT ON EAST LONDON MARKET COSTS

Council Requests Engineer To Prepare Estimate Bylaw To Be Submitted.

### LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

Aldermen Put Through Big List on Petition and Two-Thirds Vote.

The council Monday night after a lengthy discussion instructed the city engineer to prepare an estimate of the cost of establishing an East End market, and if it is found desirable a bylaw will be submitted to the ratepayers for the necessary expenditure and also for the paving of the down-town market.

A deputation from the East End Progressive Association appeared on behalf of the separate market idea. Ald. J. G. Richter thought that there was no sense in submitting a bylaw to spend the small sum of \$1,000 or \$1,500 in fitting up the proposed East End market, and believed that the engineer should submit an estimate of the cost, to be presented to the council at its next meeting, when it could be determined which was the best way to go about the proposed improvement.

Ald. E. J. L. Stin charged Ald. Richter with having worked to knock out the East End market idea when the estimates were being drawn up. "That is absolutely untrue," replied Ald. Richter, "that I helped to knock out the East End market. Be a man, now, and produce the evidence." Ald. Stein lamely explained that Ald. Richter had voted against the proposition.

W. C. T. U. Gets \$900. Insurance of \$900 offered by the city on the burned W. C. T. U. building at the Western Fair grounds, will be placed to the credit of the organization, and it is likely that at the beginning of the new year the council will be asked for assistance to provide for the erection of a new building. The report of the manufacturers' and reception committee dealing with the petition for a bylaw was sent back for further consideration, and will be considered at a special meeting of the council next Friday.

Suburban Postal Delivery. City Clerk Samuel Baker reported that the postal department had advised him that it was considering the matter of postal delivery service for the two annexed districts, and that the all had had heard from them. Ald. Glass asked if the special report regarding the waterworks was a mere appraisal of the property, or if it dealt with the economics of separating the waterworks and hydro department.

Mayor Graham replied that a special meeting of the committee would be held probably this week to consider the report, which had only recently been presented. The annual report of the board of health was received and ordered printed in the minutes.

Local Improvement List. The board of works' report, calling for the following local improvements by petition, was adopted: Twenty-four-foot concrete pavement and 6-inch cement curb on both sides of Windsor avenue from Ridout street to Tenth Avenue Company's property. The pavement is to cost \$3,418.06, and the curb, \$746.63.

A 6-inch curb and 15-inch gutter on both sides of Queen's avenue from Adelaide to Elizabeth street, costing \$953.45.

The following improvement which, in the opinion of the engineer, are necessary, were ordered constructed on a two-thirds vote.

Six-inch curb and 15-inch gutter on both sides of Clarence street from Bathurst to Horton, \$712.65.

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A 6-inch curb and 15-inch gutter on both sides of Richmond street from Bathurst street to G. T. R. tracks, \$233.85.

A 21½-foot vitrified brick pavement on Wortley road from Stanley street to Beaconfield avenue, \$5,434.67.

A 29½-foot asphalt pavement on Wortley road from Beaconfield avenue to Byron avenue, \$3,396.85.

A 37-foot asphaltic concrete pavement on Clarence street from York street to Bathurst, \$3,240.

A 24½-foot asphaltic concrete pavement on Clarence street from Bathurst street to Horton street, \$3,509.70.

A 24½-foot asphaltic pavement on Richmond street from Bathurst street to G. T. R. tracks, \$1,073.74.

A 37½-foot vitrified brick pavement on Talbot street from York to Bathurst, \$3,215.92.

A 6-inch curb and 15-inch gutter on both sides of Talbot street, from York to Bathurst, \$489.05, and from Bathurst to Horton, \$489.05.

HOUSE WAS WRECKED. (Canadian Press.) Calumet, Mich., Dec. 2.—The home of a non-union workman at the Quincy mine in the copper strike district was badly damaged by dynamite early today. The kitchen was shattered, but members of the family, although thrown from their beds, were not hurt. Elsewhere in the district was quiet.

**A Cube to a cup**

A delicious Beef-beverage ready when you want it—without trouble. The wonderful invention which stands for handiness—ease—quickness in the kitchen. Tins of 4, 10, 50 and 100 Cubes.

**CUBES**

is worth four rubs any other way  
Saves time in Chasing Dirt  
Many uses and full directions  
on Large Sifter—Can 10¢

## MIDDLESEX HAS INDIAN POPULATION OF 1,373

County Has Surprisingly Large Representation of the Aboriginal Inhabitants of Canada On Its Three Reserves in Caradoc and Delaware.

To the average Londoner, the Indian is something in history, something associated with the wild and woolly world of his boyhood. The fact that the red man still exists in no inconsiderable numbers, despite the ravages of tuberculosis, is something that possibly never occurs to him, yet within a few miles of London there are no less than 1,373 full-blooded Indians, true descendants of the original inhabitants of Canada and of the Indian braves who fought with Brock and Tecumseh.

The county of Middlesex has a population of 41,991, and a total acreage of 757,683 acres. It might seem rather surprising to the average man to know that 1,373 of the county population and 16,071 acres of land represents Indian residents. Such is the case.

Lo, the poor Indian seems to be inaccurate so far as the Middlesex reservations are concerned. Figured on the 1912-13 report the Indians own a little better than 11 7-10 acres apiece. Compared to the average acreage of their white neighbors it is a very respectable amount. After subtracting the area of London and of the Indian reserves from the total acreage of the county, there works out a little better than 17 acres a head for the 40,826 white residents of Middlesex.

Interesting Stories. Tucked away in odd corners of the "official reports" that are found in the annual report of the department of Indian affairs for the year ending March 31, 1913, and which has just been issued by the king's printer, Ottawa, are a number of very interesting stories. The blue book on Indian affairs is possibly not quite so musty as the average Government blue book. At any rate, it contains a mass of reports found between its covers is some information about London's Indian neighbors that is most interesting.

Three Tribal Units. There are three tribal units in Middlesex—the Oneidas, the Chippewas and the Munsees. The former band is on the Oneida reserve in Delaware Township, while the Chippewas and Munsees are on the Caradoc or Munce reserve in Caradoc Township.

The population as given by the blue book is: Oneidas . . . . . 778 Chippewas . . . . . 480 Munsees . . . . . 115

Methodist Indians Predominate. According to the census table there are more Methodist Indians than of any other denomination. The Anglican Church is a close second, with the number of its adherents in the Caradoc reserve being 127 members of the tribe who are classified as "Pagans." Neither of the other two tribes have any pagan members.

A table of religious beliefs follows: Methodists . . . . . 254 Anglicans . . . . . 233 Pagans . . . . . 56 Catholics . . . . . 200 124

Few Old "Braves." The "three score years and ten" allotted span of life seems to have no place in the Indian's world. There are comparatively few who have reached the age of 65. According to the census out of the 480 Chippewas of the Caradoc reserve there are only 6 who are 65 or upwards. There are 4 of the 115 Munsees who are that age or more, while out of the 778 Oneidas the number who are placed from 65 upwards are but 28.

The number of births and deaths recorded in the Chippewas, Munsees and Oneidas respectively is: Births—5, 3, and 16. Deaths—2, 2, and 18.

In full, the reports on each of the three tribal units, as compiled by Indian Agent S. Sutherland, follow: Oneidas of the Thames.

Reserve.—The Oneida reserve is situated in the township of Delaware, county of Middlesex, on the east side of the River Thames. It contains 5,271 acres of choice farming land. Population—778.

Health and Sanitation.—Sanitary precautions have been well observed during the year. Whooping-cough was the only epidemic. Occupations.—The principal occupation is day labor. There are a few good farmers. They earn a large amount of money from pulling flax, berry-picking, cutting wood among the whites, and from employment in connection with canning factories.

Buildings, Stock and Farm Implements.—The dwelling houses are mostly frame buildings, in fairly good repair. There are a few brick and cement block houses. Those who farm are well supplied with implements and farm buildings. Most of their land is fenced by wire. These Indians do not raise much stock, but what they have is of average breeding.

Characteristics and Progress.—Generally speaking, the Oneida Indians are industrious and law-abiding. There are a few members of the band who are progressing very well. Temperance and Morality.—It is to be regretted that some of the members of this band use intoxicating liquors, and that the marriage law is not observed as well as it might be.

Chippewas of the Thames. Reserve.—This band occupies a part of the Caradoc reserve, county of Middlesex, comprising 8,702, which for the most part is a beautiful undulating tract of country. Population—480.

Health and Sanitation.—Sanitary precautions have been well observed during the year. No epidemic broke out. Occupations.—The occupations of this band are principally farming and day labor. A good deal of money is earned by these Indians from employment in connection with the canning factories, from pulling flax, and wood-cutting among the whites.

Buildings and Stock.—The dwelling houses are mostly small frame and log buildings, although there are sev-

eral brick buildings of fair size. The barns and stables are usually small and in fairly good repair. Most of the Indians do not keep much stock, but what they have is of average quality. Characteristics and Progress.—These Indians are usually law-abiding and industrious. There are a few who are making fair progress and are getting along well, but the majority are content with a bare living.

Temperance and Morality.—The majority of these Indians are very temperate, though there are a few who sometimes use intoxicating liquors. It is to be regretted that the marriage law is not observed as well as it might be.

Munsees of the Thames. Reserve.—This band occupies a tract of 2,098 acres, it being a part of the Caradoc reserve. Population—115.

Health and Sanitation.—Sanitary measures have been well observed. The health of the Indians has been very good during the year.

Buildings, Stock and Farm Implements.—The buildings on this reserve are mostly log and frame. Those who farm are well supplied with farm implements. Not much stock is raised, but what they have is of good quality.

Characteristics and Progress.—These Indians may be considered as fairly industrious. Their progress is slow. Temperance and Morality.—Very few of the Indians are addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors. There have been no cases of intoxication during the year. Their morals are improving.

## COUNCIL NAMES COMMISSION TO OPERATE L. & P. S.

Selects Electrification Slate To Run Road After Sharp Debate.

ALD. BENNETT DECLINES

Refuses To Allow Name To Be Voted On After Denouncing Opponents.

Hon. Adam Beck,  
Philip Pocock,  
Ald. William Spittal,  
M. D. Fraser.

Ratification of the commission to operate and construct the electrified London and Port Stanley Railway was given by the council on Monday night. The "slate" went through without a hitch, but not before considerable discussion was caused, and some pertinent questions had been directed to the mayor, as well as some heated remarks bandied about the council chamber.

Politics Featured. "Politics, with a capital 'P,'" was played by the electrificationists in securing their slate. However, had it not been for the withdrawal of Ald. B. W. Bennett it is more than likely that his name would have been in preference to M. D. Fraser, law partner of Ald. J. P. Moore, who nominated him, and incidentally president of the London Free Press Printing Company.

There was no opposition to the selection of Adam Beck and Philip Pocock for the two-year term. There was, however, opposition of the strongest kind to the selection of Ald. Spittal and Mr. Fraser.

Labor Men Ignored. The ignoring of the labor men in the selection of the "slate" was an unfortunate obstacle that nearly meant a stumbling block for the electrophores, Ald. B. W. Bennett, one of the three labor men in the council, moved that Ald. G. E. Rose be added to the list in place of Ald. Spittal as a representative of the labor men. Ald. Rose, seconded by Ald. Stein, the third labor man, nominated Ald. Bennett. Both labor representatives declined the honor, and Bennett after a denunciation of certain of the aldermen who endeavored to make capital out of his opposition to the original electrification scheme.

Objects to Principle. When Ald. Moore presented the names of Hon. Adam Beck and Philip Pocock, for two-year terms and Maxwell D. Fraser, K. C., and Ald. William Spittal for one year, with the mayor as an ex-officio member of the board, Ald. Richter objected to the principle of naming an alderman to the board involves a principle condemned by political parties when in opposition and condoned when in power," he declared. "If members of council are to be appointed there are two men here whose long service and experience entitle them to the place. I refer to Ald. Bennett, who is a railway man of many years' experience, and to Ald. White, who is a large shipper."

Ald. Richter further suggested representation on the commission of the Southeastern Railway board, because of the close alliance. F. E. Bonar, a former member of the Ontario railway board, and now of the Southeastern, would be a suitable person for appointment.

Opposition No Bar. The fact that a man had opposed the electrification of the road should not bar that man from serving on the board, but should rather be a reason for his appointment. He did not like the principle of appointing a member of council, but urged that if this was to be done someone well qualified be chosen. For the one-year term he suggested the names of T. B. Escoff,

## VOTERS' LISTS, 1913

Municipality of the City of London, County of Middlesex

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in Section 9 of the Ontario Voters' Lists Act the copies required by the said section to be so transmitted or delivered of the lists made pursuant to said act of all persons appearing on the last assessment roll of the municipality to be entitled to vote in the said municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at municipal elections.

Persons who are aware of errors or omissions in the said list, or changes which have been rendered necessary by reason of the death or removal of any persons named therein, or by reason of any person having acquired the necessary qualification as a voter since the return of the assessment roll, are hereby called upon to give notice of the same within 21 days from the 15th day of November, 1913, being the date of the first publication of this notice.

And further notice is hereby given that a court will be held pursuant to the said act, by his honor the judge of the county court of the County of Middlesex, at the County Buildings, London, on the 17th day of December, 1913, at the hour of 11 a.m. to hear and determine complaints of errors and omissions in the said Voters' Lists.

Clerk of the Municipality of the City of London, County of Middlesex.  
Dated this 17th day of November, 1913.  
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## Important Auction Sale

of choice furniture for Mr. M. O. Brittain, 628 Queen's avenue, Thursday, Nov. 4, at 10 a.m. Parlor in old pieces, large rockers, library table, extension table, chairs in massive oak, 4 choice rugs, curtains and blinds, contents of 4 bedrooms, brass and iron beds, mattresses and springs, dressers, stoves, chamberware, centre table, dishes, fruit and cans, glass ranges (new), kitchen table, a lot of choice kitchen utensils. Terms cash. J. S. BROWN, Auctioneer, 97 Carling street, Phone.

Seven new milch cows, 12 young stock, potatoes, barley, hay, oats, etc., lot 76, W. T. S. Townsend, 1000 Dundas street, miles north and west of Lambeth, on Wednesday, Dec. 3, 1913. Sale at 1:30 p.m. Conveyance will be made from cars. Terms at sale. W. C. Pack, proprietor; Thomas Clark, auctioneer. 87c-wty

Auction Sale of New Furniture. At 4035, 4037, 4039, 4041, 4043, 4045, 4047, 4049, 4051, 4053, 4055, 4057, 4059, 4061, 4063, 4065, 4067, 4069, 4071, 4073, 4075, 4077, 4079, 4081, 4083, 4085, 4087, 4089, 4091, 4093, 4095, 4097, 4099, 4101, 4103, 4105, 4107, 4109, 4111, 4113, 4115, 4117, 4119, 4121, 4123, 4125, 4127, 4129, 4131, 4133, 4135, 4137, 4139, 4141, 4143, 4145, 4147, 4149, 4151, 4153, 4155, 4157, 4159, 4161, 4163, 4165, 4167, 4169, 4171, 4173, 4175, 4177, 4179, 4181, 4183, 4185, 4187, 4189, 4191, 4193, 4195, 4197, 4199, 4201, 4203, 4205, 4207, 4209, 4211, 4213, 4215, 4217, 4219, 4221, 4223, 4225, 4227, 4229, 4231, 4233, 4235, 4237, 4239, 4241, 4243, 4245, 4247, 4249, 4251, 4253, 4255, 4257, 4259, 4261, 4263, 4265, 4267, 4269, 4271, 4273, 4275, 4277, 4279, 4281, 4283, 4285, 4287, 4289, 4291, 4293, 4295, 4297, 4299, 4301, 4303, 4305, 4307, 4309, 4311, 4313, 4315, 4317, 4319, 4321, 4323, 4325, 4327, 4329, 4331, 4333, 4335, 4337, 4339, 4341, 4343, 4345, 4347, 4349, 4351, 4353, 4355, 4357, 4359, 4361, 4363, 4365, 4367, 4369, 4371, 4373, 4375, 4377, 4379, 4381, 4383, 4385, 4387, 4389, 4391, 4393, 4395, 4397, 4399, 4401, 4403, 4405, 4407, 4409, 4411, 4413, 4415, 4417, 4419, 4421, 4423, 4425, 4427, 4429, 4431, 4433, 4435, 4437, 4439, 4441, 4443, 4445, 4447, 4449, 4451, 4453, 4455, 4457, 4459, 4461, 4463, 4465, 4467, 4469, 4471, 4473, 4475, 4477, 4479, 4481, 4483, 4485, 4487, 4489, 4491, 4493, 4495, 4497, 4499, 4501, 4503, 4505, 4507, 4509, 4511, 4513, 4515, 4517, 4519, 4521, 4523, 4525, 4527, 4529, 4531, 4533, 4535, 4537, 4539, 4541, 4543, 4545, 4547, 4549, 4551, 4553, 4555, 4557, 4559, 4561, 4563, 4565, 4567, 4569, 4571, 4573, 4575, 4577, 4579, 4581, 4583, 4585, 4587, 4589, 4591, 4593, 4595, 4597, 4599, 4601, 4603, 4605, 4607, 4609, 4611, 4613, 4615, 4617, 4619, 4621, 4623, 4625, 4627, 4629, 4631, 4633, 4635, 4637, 4639, 4641, 4643, 4645, 4647, 4649, 4651, 4653, 4655, 4657, 4659, 4661, 4663, 4665, 4667, 4669, 4671, 4673, 4675, 4677, 4679, 4681, 4683, 4685, 4687, 4689, 4691, 4693, 4695, 4697, 4699, 4701, 4703, 4705, 4707, 4709, 4711, 4713, 4715, 4717, 4719, 4721, 4723, 4725, 4727, 4729, 4731, 4733, 4735, 4737, 4739, 4741, 4743, 4745, 4747, 4749, 4751, 4753, 4755, 4757, 4759, 4761, 4763, 4765, 4767, 4769, 4771, 4773, 4775, 4777, 4779, 4781, 4783, 4785, 4787, 4789, 4791, 4793, 4795, 4797, 4799, 4801, 4803, 4805, 4807, 4809, 4811, 4813, 4815, 4817, 4819, 4821, 4823, 4825, 4827, 4829, 4831, 4833, 4835, 4837, 4839, 4841, 4843, 4845, 4847, 4849, 4851, 4853, 4855, 4857, 4859, 4861, 4863, 4865, 4867, 4869, 4871, 4873, 4875, 4877, 4879, 4881, 4883, 4885, 4887, 4889, 4891, 4893, 4895, 4897, 4899, 4901, 4903, 4905, 4907, 4909, 4911, 4913, 4915, 4917, 4919, 4921, 4923, 4925, 4927, 4929, 4931, 4933, 4935, 4937, 4939, 4941, 4943, 4945, 4947, 4949, 4951, 4953, 4955, 4957, 4959, 4961, 4963, 4965, 4967, 4969, 4971, 4973, 4975, 4977, 4979, 4981, 4983, 4985, 4987, 4989, 4991, 4993, 4995, 4997, 4999, 5001, 5003