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11 ISABEL STREET, EAST SIDE, NORTH OF BRIDGE STREET WEST

DAILY INTELLIGENCER, OCT. 28, 1880

BUILDING OPERATIONS FOR 1880

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James Woodly was the mason and bricklayer; Thomas Hanley did the carpenter work and slating; Taylor & Twining the painting; and Frank Dolan the plastering. Cost \$2500.

J E Walmsley was Mayor of Belleville 1894 to 1896 inclusive

1891- he was elected to Council for Murney Ward until becoming mayor

Belleville Directories

1879 – J E Walmsley – clerk with WR McRae – boards at Anglo-American Hotel

1884 – James E Walmsley – grocer – house east side of Isabella Street north of Bridge Street west
Walmsley & Spafford (wholesale) Front Street corner of Hotel Street [now Victoria Ave]

1911 – John E Walmsley – pres of J E Walmsley Co Ltd – east side of Isabel – importers,
manufacturer's agents & wholesale groceries – 47-49 Bridge Street

1986 – Mark Denton – 11 Isabel, east side

2004/05 – T Hunter – 11 Isabel, east side

Brochure – HC0613 – photo HC0638 [in the brochure] – Jas. E. Walmsley, Mayor

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