

Early Showing of New Fall Goods

New Dress Goods and Silks

Very special in guaranteed Black Silks, 36 inches wide at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Fancy Dress Silks in all shades at 75c and \$1.00.

Our All-wool Dress Fabrics at 65c, 85c, and \$1.10 are exceptional values—colors are guaranteed.

In the Staple Department

New Table Linens, 60c, 75c and \$1.00, New Towelling, Cottons, Flannellettes, Shirts, Sheerings. We are more than fortunate in being able to offer you such values as we are showing in this department.

Black and Colored Sateens at the Old Price

These are very scarce goods and the prices are soaring. Black, Plain and Fancy Sateens in fast colors, at 12½c, 15c, 18c and 25c.

In the Men's Store

We are showing the new models in the 20th Century Overcoats and Suits. The largest stock of Fine Worsteds in Western Ontario. Values below the manufacturers' price at present time. Samples for made-to-measure garments are now ready.

Men's Tweed Raincoats for Early Fall

A most useful and stylish garment at \$7.50 and \$10.00.

New Eastern Caps for early fall at 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Arrow Collars and Shirts, in all the new styles for fall.

Merino Underwear for fall—medium weight, all sizes at 50c per garment.

Housefurnishings Department

New Oil Cloths and Linoleums, New Rugs and Carpets, New Draperies and Curtains.

A. BROWN & CO. "The Store That Satisfies"

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SEPTEMBER 8TH to 16TH, 1916

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Accessories to Underdrains

(By W. P. Macdonald, Agricultural Representative for Lambton)

In many cases frequent use is made of various devices to overcome difficulties or to bring about desired results in special cases. The most frequently used of these devices are silt basins, surface inlets and catch basins.

A silt basin is a small well into which one or more drains discharge, and which is provided with an outlet for the escape of inflowing water. It is one of those accessories to drainage which is quite essential in some localities and of no value in others.

It is often wise to place a silt basin in a drain below a stretch of tile laid through a treacherous sand spot from which it is probable that silt will gather for a time. It is also sometimes practical to gather several lateral drains into a basin and deliver their discharge from it into a common main. Basins are also useful at points where the operation of drains can be observed and studied.

Silt basins may be made of plank, brick or cement. They may be made two feet in diameter or even larger to suit the idea of the proprietor. The base of the wall should be two feet below the outlet pipe and the tiles placed in position as it is built. The basin may be made larger if desired but the silt is usually removed by dip buckets so it is not necessary for the workman to enter the basin. All basins should have a depth of from one to two feet below the lowest drain and should have fitted covers. They need not extend above the surface of the ground any more than to indicate their position in the field. Silt basins are more practical for tile after crossing a steep grade from which silt is apt to gather and then dropping down into a line of tile on a low grade or fall.

PROTECTING THE OUTLET

The outlet is often a source of trouble. Clay tile if exposed to repeated freezing and thawing, as they are at the outlet of a drain, will chip and crumble. Sometimes the water undermines them and they slide roll, thus sometimes completely blocking and obstructing the flow. A good practice is to make use of a wooden box at the outlet or the last two or three feet is built up with concrete surrounding the tile. Large tile discharging in a creek or a stream should have the outlet end protected by cross rods or bars in case of muskrats entering and building their nests. They are known in cases to have completely blocked the drains.

(To be Continued)

Why Not Cheese Cloth Coats for Men?

A man and woman enter a hotel dining room or restaurant. Her shirt waist is very thin. One need not be exceptionally observant to note the pattern of her corset cover, and it is not impossible to discern what is under that. The man wears a coat. He takes it off. Under it he has a shirt, clean and non-transparent. A thrill of horror runs about the room. A waiter approaches and forces the man to don his coat, under threat of expulsion.

WHY? In the name of all that's consistent, WHY?

He doesn't wear it in his home; he needn't wear it in his office; he needn't wear it in a Pullman or street car. There are only two places where a man must wear a coat on a hot day—a dining room and a church.

One doesn't have to go to church in hot weather, but it isn't possible to live without food, and occasionally one must visit a restaurant or dining room. But a man can't eat in a dining room and be comfortable with his coat on. And it isn't fair that he should be mopping his brow while his vis-a-vis smiles and is cool in a couple of layers of cheese-cloth.

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Death of Well-Known Strathroy Man

William M. Manigault, aged 65, a well-known drainage engineer and county surveyor for many years, died suddenly at his home on Head street, Strathroy, after but a few days' illness. He was one of Strathroy's best known and most highly esteemed citizens, and came to Strathroy over 30 years ago. He was born at Charleston, S. C., and was a brother of the late Edward Manigault, of London, a former secretary of the Synod of Huron and a former member of the London public library board. He is survived by his widow.

Mr. Manigault was well-known in Watford and vicinity having in years

gone by done considerable surveying in the township of Brooke.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Watford Board of Education held on Monday, Aug. 14, 1916, in the Library Board room.

Present J. W. McLaren, chairman; Wm. Harper, W. L. Millar, Dr. Howden, R. C. McLeay, John White, W. E. Fitzgerald and C. W. Vail.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Fitzgerald—White, and carried, that the following accounts be paid.

HIGH SCHOOL.
Ontario Wind Engine and Pump Co. \$ 60 00
J. W. McLaren, supplies. 14 25
Harper Bros., supplies. 9 00
John Sharp, moving building. 10 00
Wm. Williamson, coal. 225 94
N. B. Howden Est., supplies. 36 70
B. H. Parker, work building fence, etc. 15 40
Walter Cook 1 50

PUBLIC SCHOOL.
Wm. Williamson, coal. \$ 222 54
J. W. McLaren, supplies. 13 15
Walter Cook. 1 50
Millar—Harper, and carried, that the Municipal Council be asked to provide \$50.00 for Public School requirements.

Howden—McLeay, and carried, that we adjourn.

D. WATT, Secretary

BABY'S GREAT DANGER DURING HOT WEATHER

More little ones die during the hot weather than at any other time of the year. Diarrhoea, dysentery, cholera infantum and stomach troubles come without warning, and when a medicine is not at hand to give promptly the short delay too frequently means that the child has passed beyond aid. Baby's Own Tablets should always be kept in homes where there are young children. An occasional dose of the Tablets will prevent stomach and bowel troubles, or if the trouble comes suddenly the prompt use of the Tablets will cure the baby. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Bogus Money Affair

Chatham, August 22.—A number of bogus five-dollar bills are said to be in circulation in Chatham and vicinity. One was tendered at a drug store to-day by a Wallaceburg lady. The bills purport to be issued by the Bank of Montreal and they are said to be poor imitations of the original. Several of the counterfeiters were left in the wake of a Jewish traveler, who passed through the county recently.

There are many
imitations

But Nothing Just as
Good as

REXALL
Violet Glycerine Soap

REXALL
Rose Glycerine Soap

Large size cake 15c
2 for 25c

For Baby's Bath try
REXALL TOILET SOAP

10c a cake; 3 in a box
for 25c

J. W. McLAREN

Drugs Stationery
Issuer of Marriage Licenses
The Rexall Store

East Lambton Fair Special Prizes.

AULD & MATHEWS, Span of Drivers, Prize Winners, coming greatest distance to the fair, \$2.00.

BROWN BROS. Co., Nurserymen. For best bushel winter apples, to be sent to them, twelve fruit trees of the best varieties.

A. BROWN & CO.

For the tallest Six Stalk of Corn, \$1.00.

For the best Lambton County grown Water Melon, \$1.00. Melon to be theirs.

For the best Single Roadster, driven by a lady, Lap Rug, valued at \$4.00.

For the best Heavy Draught Sucking Colt, \$2.00.

ALEX. CAMERON—Best barrel of Baldwin Apples, to be his, \$2.00 in goods and market price.

W. D. CAMERON—Best bushel of potatoes, to be his, market price and \$1.00.

W. J. COPELAND, \$1.50 whip for best single driver.

P. DODDS & SON

Oldest woman on the fair grounds, Pair of Shoes, value \$2.00.

Youngest or latest married couple on ground, China, value \$1.00.

J. F. ELLIOT, \$2.00 in cash for the best home-made shirt, size 17½, to be his.

W. E. FITZGERALD—Best 10 lb. crock of Butter, crock and butter to be his, \$4.00.

GUIDE-ADVOCATE—Best Hand Bouquet, to be theirs, one year's subscription.

N. HAWK—For best five pounds comb honey, \$1.00. Honey to be his at market price.

Dr. Hicks—Best 5 lbs. Honey, to be his, \$1.00.

HARPER BROS.—To the farmer bringing the largest load of people in to the Fair, distance two miles or over. To be counted in front of their store the second day of Fair before one o'clock. Parlor Table worth \$5.00.

T. HARRIS, best 5 lbs. butter in prints, to be his, \$2.00.

FREEMAN KERSEY—Best bushel of White Onions, to be his, \$1.25.

JOHN KERSEY—Best 5 lbs. roll butter, to be his, \$2.00.

F. LUCKHAM—Best bushel of Red Onions, to be his, \$1.00.

S. MITCHELL—Best 12 Peaches, to be his, \$1.00. Best Musk Melon, to be his, \$1.00.

RAY MORNINGSTAR—One 30 x 3½ plain tire for best kept Ford Car on the fair ground, value \$15.00.

MRS. T. G. MITCHELL—Best pair men's wool Sox, khaki, white or grey, knitted according to Red Cross regulations, Sox to be hers, \$2.00.

D. SKILLEN—For best "Urbane" colt on the ground \$4.00; 2nd best \$3.00.

SWIFT, SONS & Co.—\$5 worth of prizes.

JOSHUA SAUNDERS, Best 5 lb. crock of butter, to be his, whiffletrees, value \$2.00.

CASH DONATIONS

J. McManus, Taylor House. \$ 5 00

Merchants Bank. 5 00

John Cowan. 5 00

R. J. McCormick. 5 00

J. W. McLaren. 3 00

Stapleford & Son. 2 00

R. C. McLeay. 2 00

John McCormick. 2 00

Russell McCormick. 2 00

F. Lovell. 2 00

Ches. Howden. 2 00

Carl A. Class. 2 00

F. O. McIlveen. 2 00

Dr. Howden. 2 00

Dr. Sawers. 2 00

Dr. Siddall. 2 00

L. R. Kinnell. 2 00

Dr. McGillicuddy. 2 00

P. E. Fuller. 1 00

Bert Fulcher. 1 00