

## Special Sale of Hot Water Bottles

95c Buys any White Hot Water Bottle shown in our window. 95c  
\$1.25 Buys any Red one \$1.25

These Bags are worth regularly from \$1.50 to \$2.00.

A. I. McCALL & CO., Limited, Druggists and Opticians

Temporary Premises—Opera House Block

### TO-NIGHT

Baseball, The Motor Works vs. Wagon Works, at 4, on Tecumseh Park.  
Park St. Choir will meet for practice at 8.  
Choir practice, First Presbyterian Church, at 8.

### PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.  
Toronto, Sept. 21.—11 a. m.—Fresh strong westerly to northwesterly winds, fine, becoming considerably cooler.

## LOCAL

F. B. Stevens is in St. Joachim, on business.

Mrs. Frank Gerber is spending a few days in Detroit.

Over 100 pairs of \$3.50 to \$5.00 pants for \$3.00 pair, at The 2 T's.

Miss Minnie Scott is visiting friends in Gladwin, Mich.

All the new Fall and Winter Hats are here. The 2 T's.

Mrs. Jas. E. McMichael, Queen St., is visiting friends in Detroit.

Miss Ethel Robertson, of Bucyrus, Ohio, is visiting friends in Baxter Street.

The Counting Room of The Planet will be open from 7 to 9 o'clock to accommodate those wishing to pay their accounts.

The Chatham Auto Garage Co. has taken up its new quarters in the premises adjoining The Planet Office.

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Miss Flossie Hoskins, who for the past week has been the guest of Miss Florence Schwemler, Park avenue, returned to her home in St. Thomas to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox, of Toronto, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lambert, Wellington St., returned to their home yesterday.

Miss Irene Short, who has been visiting Miss Anna Robert, Third street, returned to her home in Saginaw, Mich., to-day.

Calvin Stephens has laid a complaint at the Police Court relative to some boys, whom, he claims, stole his boat from the creek a short time ago.

League will be formed between the four companies and the staff of the 24th Regiment Armories this fall. Indoor baseball, tennis, bowling, will be played, and the outlook for a pleasant season in the armories is good. A trophy will be played for, and it is expected that some good and interesting games will be played.

## A Word To The Smoker

Every man who smokes a pipe knows the pleasure of smoking a real good one.

We have unpacked to-day the newest assortment of pipes in the city at all prices, from 5c. up to several dollars.

With or without cases.

Any Pipe In Our Window For 25c.

We are offering any Pipe in our Window for 25c. There are nearly forty different kinds to choose from.

S. F. PARK & CO.,

Druggists

2 Doors East of Market

and the public domain.

### HAVING A FINE TIME

Writing under date of New York, Sept. 14, to a friend in the Maple City, Dr. J. P. Sivewright says: "Friday, 11 a. m.—I was one of many going to Lower Bay to escort the Lusitania into snug harbor. Hundreds of boats were out, flags galore. She made the trip across the ocean in five days and 49 minutes; was drawing 29 1/2 feet of water, is nearly 61 feet high, and 785 feet long, with 68,000 H. P.

Have been at Ocean Grove. Go to Ashbury Park for a few days. You can whirl from Battery to Harlem in sub-way lightning juice, and the L train takes you everywhere. I've not got in here yet."

From New Rochelle, New York, Sept. 17, the Doctor writes: "Came up here behind four-in-hand on top of Pelham coach; return by trolley and sub-way express. Home by the end of the week."

### ECHOES OF THE FIRE

Nothing but praise for the firemen's prompt work at the Drader fire yesterday, was heard on all sides this morning. The brigade are certainly deserving of all the credit they are receiving. The firemen are quite modest about it all.

"We did our best," was all Acting Chief Johnson had to say.

A number of leaks were sprung in some of the water mains and private services yesterday by the increased pressure. They are being repaired to-day.

The S. Hadley Lumber Company should be commended on a generous act of theirs yesterday. It is not generally known that this company, as soon as they learned of the big fire, allowed all of their workmen off with instructions to do what they could to assist the firemen and the volunteers who were fighting the flames. This action on the part of a competitive firm is one that is deserving of the highest praise.

W. M. Drader has not yet returned home, and as yet he does not know of the destruction of his planing mill by fire. Telegrams were sent to him to Detroit, but he could not have received them. Word was received to-day that he was at Orchard Lake, Michigan. His nephew, Basil Martin, has been trying to get him by telephone to-day, but as yet has not been able to get into communication with him.

### MR. MCKAY IS LEADER

Toronto, Sept. 21.—The Hon. A. G. MacKay was the unanimous choice of the representatives of the Liberal party in the Provincial Legislature yesterday at the office of the Reform Association of Ontario, to elect a successor to the Hon. George P. Graham, as leader of the party in Ontario.

Mr. Graham, in tendering his resignation, expressed his regret at the necessity for the action, but he had felt that Sir Wilfrid Laurier's call was one that could not be denied. Though he was leaving the provincial House, he would still be in the party, and hoped to be able to render good services to the party.

The nomination having been enthusiastically tendered to him, the Hon. A. G. MacKay accepted it. He said that he was aware that whoever undertook to lead the Liberal party in Ontario would have to give up his whole life to it and the interests of the party, and this he hoped, within a few weeks, to be in a position to do.

Mr. MacKay also said he wished it to be understood that while he recognized the right, according to constitutional practice, for the members of the



HON. A. G. MACKAY.

Legislature to elect their own leader, he accepted on the condition that the choice of the members of the Legislature should be approved by the entire Liberal party of the province, either in convention assembled or otherwise.

Mr. Alexander Grant MacKay, who has been elected to lead the little band of Liberals in the Legislature, was born in Sydney, Grey County, in 1860, of Highland Scotch parents. He was educated at the Collegiate Institute at Owen Sound, and the University of Toronto. He was graduated in 1883, and for four years was principal of Port Rowan High School. During the next four years he studied law, and was called to the bar in 1891. In 1894 he was appointed Crown Attorney for Grey, and held that office until his entry into politics in 1901. He was elected to the Legislature in May, 1902, and two years later, in November, 1904, was appointed Commissioner of Crown Lands at the last re-organization of the Ross Cabinet.

If you cannot realize your ideal, idealize your real.

No one gets more out of life than he puts into it.

### CALLED TO THE BAR

A. A. Fraser, of the legal firm of Wilson, Pike & Company, was yesterday called to the bar, by Mr. Justice Mages, in the Osbourne Hall. Seven other young gentlemen were also called, as well as Miss Robinson, of St. Thomas, who is Ontario's third young lady barrister.

Mr. Fraser returned to Chatham yesterday afternoon.

### SAD DEATH

James Duncan, youngest son of Duncan Neilson, lot 17, concession 12, Harwich, died this morning, aged ten years. The deceased is survived by both his parents, two sisters and one brother.

The little fellow was quite well and able to attend school on Tuesday last, when he was afflicted with a pain in his side, which was discovered to be the symptoms of acute appendicitis.

The funeral will take place at one o'clock, Monday afternoon, at Maple Leaf Cemetery, Rev. Dr. Cowan officiating.

### POLICE COURT CASES

Corey Purser has laid an information at Police Court against Reginald McLean and Garfield Seeley, who are charged with wilfully breaking a glass window in John Edmondson's butcher shop, St. Clair street, valued at \$8. The case will probably come up later on.

Fred Wilson, of Chicago, on a jimboree, hit Chatham yesterday, plus a beautiful jag. He woke up in the police cells, and to the realization that he had been pinched.

Fred was released this morning on the promise that he would wander back to the Windy City.

### DEATH OF MR. LISTER

Mr. George Lister, who was one of the pioneers of Dover, and a man highly respected by all who knew him, passed peacefully away yesterday at the residence of his son, C. E. Lister, of this city.

The late Mr. Lister was born in Turkey, Lincolnshire, England, and was 78 years and two months old. He came to Chatham with his wife in 1855 and settled down in Dover on a 200 acre farm on the River Road, Dover, where the English church now stands. A few years ago he retired and moved to Chatham. Later he went to St. Thomas, and for the past three weeks he and his wife have been visiting their son, C. E. Lister.

Two weeks ago he was taken ill, and his illness proved fatal. He gradually sank after his first attack.

Besides his widow he leaves four children to mourn his loss. They are C. E. Lister of this city, Mrs. Joseph Smith of London, Mrs. Archie Palmer of Farmington Centre, and George Lister of New Surin, near St. Thomas.

The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

### BLENHEIM

Blenheim, Sept. 21.—Miss Emily Daniels, of Detroit, is the guest of Miss Hughine McPherson at present.

Mr. James Shaver has secured a good position at Walkerville, and left for that town this week.

Mrs. Duke, of Port Dover, visited her brother, Mr. T. H. Sisco, this week.

Mr. E. A. Hill has fitted his bakery with a new gasoline engine and a larger mixer. He turns out beautiful bread.

Messrs. Fred. Myland and Roy Brown left this week for the west. The post office at Eriau will be closed for the season on Sept. 30th, by order of the Government, which makes it very inconvenient for those residing in that place all winter.

The Blenheim Methodist church will hold their annual harvest service on Sunday, Sept. 29. On the Monday night following, Sept. 30, they will give a hot supper and program. A good time is promised.

Mayor T. B. Shillington, of Blenheim, delivered a missionary address at the Park street Methodist church League at Chatham last night.

The Presbyterian Church here will hold its annual Harvest Home services on Sunday, Oct. 6th. The Rev. John McInnis, of Thamesville, will be the preacher.

Mr. James Teeg, one of the Blenheim young men, left last night for Chatham, having secured a position in the employ of Gray & Co.

Miss Tyhurst, of Chatham, a former Blenheim girl, is renewing old friendships in town.

Quite a number of Blenheimites attended the Fair at Chatham this week, and were well pleased with everything they saw.

The rain storm of yesterday afternoon, though of short duration, was very severe while it lasted, and everything looks the better for it.

### TWO KILLED AT CROSSING

Newly-Wedded Couple Unable to Hear Train Approaching.

Galt, Sept. 21.—Frederick Reid, aged 23, and his newly-wed wife, formerly Miss Macdowell, aged 25, both of Goderich, were killed at the level crossing three miles north of Hespeler, about noon yesterday.

They were driving from Guelph to Galt, and were struck by the 11:15 train, being unable to hear its approach owing to an exceptionally high wind.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ROOMS TO RENT—Three furnished rooms, suitable for light house-keeping; conveniences, App'y Box 21, Planet.

Oct. New Idea Fashion Sheet Free. C. AUSTIN & CO. New Idea Magazine For Oct. 5c.

## A Big Shipment of Ladies' Ready-to-wear Suits

Thursday we opened up a very choice range of the very latest styles in Ladies Suits.

These styles were selected after a visit by our buyer to some of the largest American cities and a careful study of what is being shown in these centres.

The Suits are very carefully tailored and are made from this season's most fashionable fabrics. Prices range from

\$16.50 to \$35

A Little Early to Wear Them, But Not a Day Too Soon To Buy

## JACKETS

If you want to have exclusive styles in Fall Jackets the time to come is now while you can have a choice. We have a number of very select styles, no two alike. They come at popular prices—

\$15, \$16.50, \$19.50, and \$25

A Special Under Skirt For One Dollar

This week we are making a special showing of Black Underskirts at \$1.00—well worth more money, but we bought 150 of them and decided to give you something extra for your money, so marked them \$1.00.

## Millinery

No need to tell you of its excellence, it speaks for itself at the first glance. Don't wait until the cold days come, select your Hat now while the stock is at its best.

Saturday in The Austin Men's Store

TOP COAT TIME

You're likely to need a top coat any moment at this season of the year. You'll certainly be missing a heap of comfort in the cool, Fall evenings if you haven't one. Can't blame us in the least if you catch cold. We're ready any day to protect you from freaky weather. We have the short coat and the medium length.

SWELL, SMART and SNAPPY GARMENTS

Vicunas, Worsteds and Coverts in Black, Oxford, and all popular colorings.

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Some Silk Lined—Handsome Garments Every Coat of them.

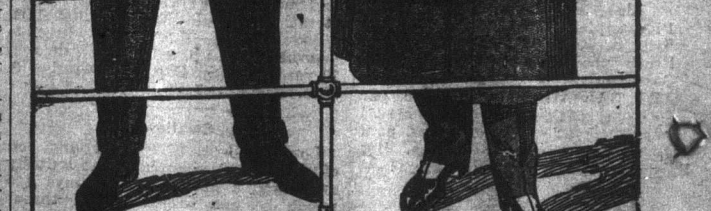
\$7.50, 10.00, 12.00 and 15.00 is the price range

Bought to Please and Marked to Sell.

SATURDAY SPECIAL FOR MEN

75 Suits more of those \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00 values to be cleared Sat'day at

\$7.50, sizes 33 to 42



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