F. T. HILL & CO.

The BIG FIRE IN COLLINGWOOD !

A few weeks ago the immense Dry Goods establishment of T. Long & Brother, Collingwood, was destroyed by fire. The salvage of this stock which was damaged, principally by water, was sold at auction in Toronto by the fire underwriters, and as we were among the largest purchasers, we have in consebuence secured some of the

Most Sensational Bargains We Have Ever Been Able To Offer !

Read the following list carefully—the goods represented are all on sale now—and many other lines which lack of space forbids us mentioning :

$2.25 PER YARD MEN'S WORSTED SUITINGS FOR $1.00

50 yards Men's Fancy Worsted Suiting, 56 inches wide. This cloth is slightly soiled on the wrong side, but without a mark on the right side—a beautiful, nice pattern, high class goods. Per yard, double fold $1.00

LADIES' RAIN COATS AT ABOUT HALF PRICE

Nearly 50 Ladies' Rain Coats, fine wool fabrics, rain proofed, this season's newest goods, and a serviceable garment for any season of the year. Every garment at practically HALF PRICE

12½ AND 15 CENT FANCY MUSLINS AT 7½ CENTS

1500 yards Fancy Muslins, newest patterns and colors that are absolutely fast. These goods are perfect in every respect, of fine quality, beautiful silky finish, and present a buying opportunity rarely met with. Per yard, for your choice..... 7½c

12½c MOLESKINS, COTTONADES AND SHIRTINGS FOR 9c

We have a good big stock of these and the only damage sustained is by clean, fresh water. You can have your choice for only..... 9c

Men's Top Shirts 38c.

72 Men's good-wearing Summer Top Shirts, slightly soiled, but not a particle the worse for wear. Regular 50 to 75c, your choice only 38

Misses' and Children's Fancy Hose 5c.

About 10 dozen Fancy Hose for Misses and Children—the kind that are sold everywhere at 15 to 25c, your choice while they last 5

Wool DeLaines and Fancy Vestings 15c.

These goods are in light and dark colors, slightly soiled, but as the colors are perfectly fast they can be laundried as good as new. The regular price has been up to 50c, your choice now for only 15

2 Pair Cashmere Hose for 25c.

12 doz. pairs Girls Cashmere Hose in sizes 7½ and 8, These are pure all-wool perfect goods, 2 pr. 25

Silk Velvets, Fancy Velvets, Velvettas 19c.

500 yards of these elegant goods, only a few of which are even marked There is a splendid assortment of colors in goods that are worth 50c to 1.00 per yard. For a quick clearance we have marked them all at this ridiculously low price per yard 19

Fancy Silks for 38c.

75 to $1.00 Fancy Silks in a splendid assortment of stripes, checks, etc. These are all perfect goods and make excellent Dress Trimmings or Shirt Waists. We have marked every piece at a price which will clear the lot in a few days. Selling at per yard only 38

10 dozen Ladies' Sample Blouses in white and colors, perfect goods, worth 1.00 to 1 25 each. Clearing for only 50

7 dozen Ladies' Sample Blouses, assorted sizes and qualities, regular 50c. to 75c., now only 25

Flannelette and Cotton Embroidery.

27 pieces fine flannelette and Cotton Embroidery, slightly soiled with water, qualities that have sold up to 8c. per yard, clearing at only 3

75c Damaged Window Shades for 25

150 Window shades on rollers, lace trimmed, and most are only slightly damaged a few inches on the the bottom end. All colors, your choice only 25

50c to 60c Lace Curtains 25c per pair

25 pairs Lace Curtains, slightly soiled, 2½, 2¾ and 3 yards, clearing at per pair 25

100 yards 40 inch Apron Gingham, damaged by water, 10c for only 5

CARPETS! - CARPETS!

11 pieces Velvet, Tapestry and Union Carpets. Some are soiled by water only, and the balance are without a mark. These are all excellent goods and present a buying opportunity seldom met with. Every yard at discounts of 25 to 33⅓ per cent.

Every Day prices in Groceries

Jersey Cream Yeast Cake, 2 pkgs. for	5
Prunes, choice and fresh, 4 pounds for	25
Figs, select and sound, 33 lbs. for	50
Corn, best in the market, per tin	9
Peas, none better, per tin	9
Tomatoes, freshest to be had, per tin	9
Tapioca, best quality, 7 pounds for	25
Currants, stemmed and cleaned, 4 pounds for	25
Corn Starch, 4 packages for	25
Granulated Sugar, 23 pounds for	1.00

Women's Shoes for 78c

We place on sale this week a table of Women's Lace and Button Shoes, also fine Oxfords and Slippers. In this lot are some particularly good goods, some having previously been priced as high as $3.00. Every pair will now be sold at each 78c

We are now ready for the very biggest kind of business and have without exception the best values you'll find anywhere.

MARKDALE

The old elevator at Midland was struck by lightning and burned. During the fire L. F. Tremblay was struck by a falling timber and fatally injured.

Two men, Thos. McIaughlan and Thos Stanford, were probably fatally hurt by the explosion of a signal rocket at Collingwood. Two or three others were injured, but not seriously.

John Miller, McIntyre, brought up from Guelph an imported mare, that was a prize winner at the Toronto and London exhibitions and also in the old country before coming out. She was sired by the celebrated horse, Baron's Pride, and cost Mr. Miller $800—Creemore Star.

Horses appear to be bringing a good price down in Simcoe county. Herb. Gross of Creemore paid $150 for a working mare. John Millsap sold a chestnut team at Creemore for $340, and James Miller also sold a farm team for $340, and Peter Flemming, Sunnidale, purchased a young team for $350. A strange thing about the latter purchase was that Mr. Flemming gave his new purchase a dose of mecicine which he thought would do them good, but had the opposite effect, both dying after treatment.

The Indian reserve at Cape Croker contains nearly 16,000 acres, about 607 of which is good for cultivation. At the Cape there has been 17 births during the past year and only nine deaths, so the Indians are not dying out here. The number of families who work their holdings is 39. On account of high wages the Indians are found engaged in sawmills, loading vessels and rafting. The Indians catch every year about $4000 worth of fish. There are three schools on the reserve and the school buildings are in good order. There are two large churches, the Methodist and Roman Catholic; the former has 237 members and adherents and the latter 128; there are also fifteen members of the Church of England. A number of the Indians touch not, taste not, handle not, but occasionally a bad white man secures it for others who do not believe in prohibition. The name of the chief is W. B. McGregor—a good Scotch name, by the way, however he came by it.

Cameron Lewis, the Riverview firebug suspect, pleaded guilty before His Honor, Judge McCarthy, to the charge of firing several buildings and was remanded for sentence, His sanity will be inquired into, and the unfortunate chap likely placed in an asylum.

A calf belonging to Mrs. Whiteman of Carrick, was lost about December 12th. An advertisement failed to find it. On April 9th it was found in the middle of a strawstack where it had lived on straw without water for almost four months. It was reduced to skin and bone but it is believed that it will live.

Dizzy Headaches are Caused

Nine times out of ten by constipation but can be cured quickly by Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut. For constipated headache and liver complain use only Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Price 25c.

School Children's Eyes Supply Their Intellect

Defective eyes stunt the mind Can you expect fair progress in school or success in business if so handicapped?

Examination of children for glasses is a special feature of our Optical Department.

W. A. Armstrong,

JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

FLESHERTON.

Thoroughbred Durham Bull

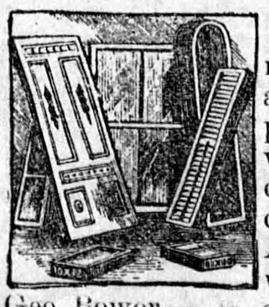
GIPSY LAD - - NO. 38916

Will stand for the service of cows for the year 1904.

TERMS—$1.50 per cow, payable on the 1st of February, 1905. Thoroughbred cows $4. No cows taken after being served with another bull during the season.

WILLIAM PATON, Prop.

Flesherton Sash, Door and Planing Mills



AFTER much labor and expense we will reopen our factory on Monday April 25th with Mr. Geo. Bower of Woodstock in charge, when we will be in a position to fill all orders for Sash, Doors, Frames, Mouldings, Base, stair materials and machine work such as planing and matching, scroll and band sawing and turning of every description. Our stock of north shore white pine is complete. We also carry a good stock of panel doors and sash and can fill all orders promptly and will guarantee satisfaction to our customers in all lines of our business and our prices will be found as reasonable as any.

Our Chopping Department shall have our best attention.

Mrs. A. Wilson

T. W. Wilson, Manager

BOYD, HICKLING & CO.,

FLESHERTON, ONT.

New House Furnishings

April and House cleaning are always closely associated—after the house cleaning comes the thought of the new House Furnishings required to make the home attractive and beautful. We have prepared in good time for you and can shew you a splendid new assortment of House Furnishings.

New Carpets

Tapestry Carpets 35c. to 85c yard
Union Carpets 25c. to 60c yard
Hemp Carpets 12½c. to 35c. yard
Wool Carpets 75 to $1.00 yard
Tapestry Carpetes Squares some lovely designs } 3x3 $8.00 / 3x4 $11.00
Reversible Rugs 60c. to $2.75 each

NEW FLOOR COVERINGS

Oilcloths, new designs, all widths, 25, 30 and 35c., per sq. yard. Scotch Linoleums, floral and block patterns 50c per sq. yard
Japanese mattings, all new patterns, yard wide 25 and 30c.

Two Carpet Specials

A $1.00 Brussels for 85c.

An all wool English Body Brussels Carpet, handsome floral pattern in fawn and olive shades, durable and lasting colors that do not show dust. Regular $1.00 quality—**Special at 85c.**

A 60c. Jute Brussels for 35c.

A Jute Brussels Carpet in a pretty floral design in fawn shadings, gives splendid wear and satisfaction. A special purchase gives us a chance to offer this regular 60c. quality for the **Special Price of 35c.**

Curtains and Muslins

New Art Muslins, pretty designs, 5 to 15c. yard. New Lace curtains, new patterns, 35c. to $5.00 pair. Frilled Curtain Muslin, plain and colors 25c. to 35c. yard. Chenille Curtains, all shades, $3.25 pair.

New Wall Papers

We have provided a good range to sell at the lowest prices yet quoted, but call your special attention to our selection of rich and beautiful papers suitable for every decorative purpose in the Home, Store, Church or Hall.

The cost of hanging a really handsome paper is practically no more than that of a cheap one but think of the difference in durability and satisfaction.

Come and see us soon, we believe we can satisfy your wants and our object this season will be to make the prices of our papers as attractive as themselves.

Our Prices range from 5 to 50 c. per roll.

WHEN YOU PAINT

If you desire the very best results at the least expense you will use . . . THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINT.

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