F. T. HILL & CO. MARKDALE

Big January Clearing Sale !

Preparing For Our Annual Stock Taking

This week we start one of the greatest Clearing Sales that this store has ever had. The price reductions are big and in a great many instances the wholesale cost of the goods has not been considered. We have had a big trade during the past month and the assortments that are left are small along with a great many regular lines that have not moved as well as we would like them, and in order that we shall be able to clear all out quickly to avoid taking into stock we have made the Price Reduction big. Be on hand early for the biggest bargains you ever bought in many lines.

A Most Remarkable Sale of
DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

This week the beginning of our Great January Sale of Dress Goods represents one of the great buying opportunities of the week. We put on sale 50 pieces of Dress Goods and Silks at just half regular prices.

25c Dress Goods and Silks, Jan. clearing sale price 12½c
35c Dress Goods and Silks, Jan. price.18c
50c " " " 25c
75c " " " 38c
1.00 " " " 50c
1.25 " " " 63c
So be on hand early. Best always go first

1000 DOZEN CHRISTMAS ORANGES.
All sweet Mexican Oranges
Regular selling prices 25, 30 and 35c per dozen, January sale price this week per dozen.....22c

SELLING MANTLES AT LESS THAN THE PRICE OF THE CLOTH

We have about fifty Mantles which are last year's style, and in order that they shall be sure to sell during our January Sale we have actually marked them away less than the cost of the cloth and buttons so if you want to buy a good warm coat for nearly nothing—
See the Mantles we are selling for ..75c
Some have been worth as high as $7.00
See the Mantles we are selling for..98c
Some are silk lined and have been worth as high as $10.00.
These prices during this sale only.

SELLING FURS AT A BIG DISCOUNT
Off regular price during January
This week we commence our big January Clearing Sale by offering our immense stock of ladies' and gentlemen's furs in coats, caps and small furs. During January the sale prices will be less than regular prices.

LADIES' FINE WOOL VESTS
Selling at one-quarter off.
36 only Ladies' fine Wool Vests, lovely fine quality, the kind that you quite willingly pay $1.00 for, Jan. sale price..75c

BIG REDUCTIONS IN TRIMMED MILLINERY

We have had a very successful Fall Millinery season and we still have some nice natty styles left in trimmed millinery, which we do not wish to carry over into another season, so during our January clearing sale all will be sold at just HALF PRICE to you.

A Clean Up in Children's and Boys'
KNITTED CAPS AND TOQUES for 9c
January is the month we dispose of all Winter Goods. This week the January sale prices are on, and you can buy your boy or girl an all wool toque, regular 20c and 25c lines, for 9c, about ⅓ of value.

January Sale Price is
AMONGST THE MANTLE CLOTHS
This week commences the slaughter among our Mantle Cloths. Every yard of mantling in our store is reduced and the reductions are such that the cost of raw material and manufacturing is not represented. Just to think, you can buy Eiderdowns, Beavers, in a great many colors of curl cloth, heavy Panamas, Friezes, and fancy boucle effects at just half original price.

50c Mantlings	25c	1.5 Mantlings	75c
75c "	38c	2.00 "	1,00
1,00 "	50c	2.50 "	1.25
1.25 "	63c	3.00 "	1.5

During January Clearing Sale only

BIG SNAP IN MEN'S GLOVES
95 dozen Men's fine Mocha and Kid Gloves. We were unfortunate in getting this shipment wet. While it has not hurt the wearing qualities of the gloves, in some cases they are spotted, just enough to not allow us to sell them in the regular way, so this week you can buy 75, 85 and 1.00 lines of men's gloves for per pair 58c

Sensational Reductions in
LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS
$3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 4.50 and some sell as high as $5.00 in the regular way. On sale this week your choice for.....1.98
130 Ladies' Dress Skirts in the lot, not many of any one kind but nearly all sizes are represented, and the price in many cases is less than half. During our January sale your choice for.....1.98

BIG HOSIERY BARGAINS
For Children, Girls and Boys
This week we put on sale 500 pairs of children's, girls' and boys' heavy Worsted and Wool Hose in the regular way lines that you pay 2 and 25c per pair for, during our January Clearing Sale our price is.. .....12½c

BIG REDUCTIONS IN LADIES' LEGGINGS
75 pairs only best quality Felt Leggings, some are knee length, others shorter, button and strap styles, regular selling value 85c and $1.00, January Sale Price per pair.....68c

MEN'S UNDERWEAR
Men's Heavy Wool Underwear felt the effect of our January Clearing Sale, selling at ¼ less than regular price. This week we put on sale 6 pair Men's heavy wool underwear in the heavy ribbed, plain knit and unshrinkable kind representing 75c, 85c and $1.00 lines. January clearing sale price.....63c

Great opportunity for buying
GIRLS CORSET WAISTS 35c
125 pairs Girls' Corset Waists, all sizes are in the lot. None are worth less than 4 c a pair and some are 5c a pair and a g eat many are 75c a pair in the regular way, but owing to our January Clearing Sale your choice will be.....35c

GROCERY SPECIALS
6 pounds choice Dates for 25c
3 cans choice Corn for 25c
3 cans choice Pears for 25c
3 pounds choice Raisins for 25c
3 pounds choice Currants for 25c
6 bars fine Castile or Oatmeal Soap 25c
During our January Clearing Sale

J. & W. BOYD

Flesherton - - Ontario.

MAMMOTH SALE

STILL ON.

Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather our sale has decidedly been a success. We are putting on something new and special every day. We would request as many customers as can make it convenient to kindly shop during the forenoon and we will be able to spend more time with you and give you better service, as in the afternoons we're very busy. Sale closes *January 31st* and we begin stock-taking on February 1st. Dont let this opportunity pass without your getting the benefit of our SPECIAL PRICES.

J. & W. BOYD. Flesherton, Ontario.

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E. G. Ag'l Society Meeting.

The annual meeting of East Grey Agricultural Society was held in the town hall on Friday afternoon last, when about 25 members were present. After reading minutes and a statement of financial matters by the secretary, a lengthy discussion occurred. The members present wanted to know why it was that the society only paid 60 per cent. of prize money this year, as conditions were favorable and the show well attended. It was explained that owing to the new laws the government grant amounted to $182 less than the previous year, a damage of about $36 was paid, a shed costing $125 built, and these things brought funds so low that more prise money could not be paid No detailed statement of receipts and expenditure was read. The total receipts for the past year were $889.48, with disbursements of $815.97, leaving a balance on hand of $73.51. After a discussion lasting about two hours the meeting decided to go ahead and elect officers, when the following gentlemen were announced as winners: President, J. A. Boyd; 1st Vice Pres., Wesley Buskin; 2nd Vice Pres., Donald McMillan. Auditors—W. J. Bellamy, Jos Blackburn. Directors—A. Muir, Wm. Sharp, J. Lougheed, D. Harrow, Jas. Stuart, W. H. Bunt, Wm. Patton, R. Allen and R. J. Sproule. After the meeting the directors met and appointed R. J. Sproule as secretary-treasurer at a salary of fifty dollars—a reduction of ten dollars. It was also decided to send two delegates to the Fairs Association, which meets in Toronto next month. The matter of holding a spring stock show was left in abeyance for the time being.

One of the largest, if not the largest bible class outside the large cities of this province is to be found in the village of Cargill. There are 70 members of what is known as the Aggressive Bible Class, and the teacher is C. W. Keeling, the woollen manufacturer.

A report from Montreal states that the establishment of pensions on an unexpectedly liberal scale by the Grand Trunk Railway is hailed with delight on the part of the workmen of the company. The decision also means the immediate retirement of 200 aged workmen who will be able to pass the rest of their lives without work.

Work has started in the Cream Separator Factory preparatory to getting up steam and putting the wheels in motion. The business has been purchased by Messrs, J. A. and I. W. Sirrs. Messrs. Sirrs have been engaged in the work here since the factory started, and are experts on the machine.—Chronicle.

One of Woodbridge's most prominent citizens passed away Friday afternoon last in the person of Mr. T. F. Wallace, brother of the late N. Clarke Wallace, M. P. Deceased was a life-long resident of Woodbridge, and took an active part in the affairs of the town, being reeve for a number of years, and also secretary treasurer of the West York Agricultural Society.

The Berlin sugar factory has asked those who supplied beets for this year's campaign to accept sugar in payment The company offers sugar at $4.35 per 100 lbs A large number have accepted the terms offered, some of them taking as much as $80 worth. Some whose claims run up in the hundreds are undecided. Those who take the sugar will sell to the neighbors what they do not themselves require. The company say they have not been able to secure advances at the bank on this year's crop, and hence ask their patrons to trade out accounts.

A despatch from Berlin states that the Wireless Spark Telegraph Company claims to have beaten the Marconi transatlantic wireless record by about 300 miles. They transmitted messages for 2,290 miles, between Hallen near Berlin and a Hamburg American Line Steamer, the "Cap Blanco," off Teneriffe, in the Canary Islands.

Mr. Geo. Leach has sold his farm in Artemesia and has purchased the house and lot at the corner of Grey and Doyle streets in this village belonging to Major Douglas, Shelburne.—Herald.

A case of unusual interest was tried at the recent session of the Division Court when G. Langford of the township of Keppel sued Jno. Armstrong for the price of three sheep killed by the defendant's dog last fall. It appears that Mr. Langford caught the dog in the act and went to the house for the rifle, followed the dog to its owner's place and there put a bullet in it. Armstrong claimed no responsibility, but claimed that he had left the dog securely tied and that somebody had deliberately cut the rope. Considerable evidence was introduced along this line and a large number of witnesses were called but they failed to impress the judge who allowed Mr. Langford $10 damages and the costs of the case. —Wiarton Canadian.

Last March R. J. Cowen, a young son of Nathaniel Cowen of East Luther, started to work with Peter Cantlon at $20 for the first month and $25 for the subsequent eight months. When they settled up on Sept. 26 last a balance of $141.45 was found due Cowen. In June, however, Cowen induced the defendant to join in a promissory note for $150 to one Ritchie for a mare he purchased, agreeing that his wages should go in payment of the said note. But the plaintiff is a minor and not qualified to sign notes, and the judge finds him not liable on the note. Judgement was therefore given for plaintiff for $141.45 and costs of suit. Cantlon appeares to have to pay for Cowen's horse, and also for the boy's wages. A. A. Hughson for plff and C. R. McKeown for deft.—Grand Valley Star.

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Heifer Came Astray

Came to the premises of the undersigned, lot 28, con. 8, Artemesia, about Nov. 15. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take away.
JOS. HAWKINS.
Eugenia, Dec. 21, 1907

Farm for Sale

Lots E. ½ 8 and 9, Con. 13, in the township of Osprey 150 acres, large clearing, good frame barn and stables, good dwelling and well. Apply on the premises or to
W. J. BELLAMY, Flesherton.

Farm for Sale

Lots 152 and 153 N. E. T. and S. R, containing 90 acres, more or less. About 65 acres in good state of cultivation. 20 acres fall ploughing, between 8 and nine acres of fall wheat, 20 acres in meadow and balance in pasture land. Good spring creek also well at house. This farm will be sold cheap owing to sickness. Easy terms if sold at once. A snap for somebody
A. BOYD, Flesherton, P. O. 7 Feb

Pure Bred Tamworths and Berkshires for Sale.

I have a fine lot of young English Berkshires from two to six weeks old also some good Tamworth sows ready to breed. Satisfaction guaranteed on all mail orders. Write for what you want.
G. W. ROSS, Maxwell.

Tenders Wanted

Sealed Tenders marked "Tender" will be received by the undersigned up till Friday, Feb. 21st 1908 for the erection and completion of a new brick school in S. S. No. 8, Artemesia, Port Law, P. O. Plans and specifications may be seen after Feb. 1st at my house. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted
R. D. MELDRUM, Port Law P. O.

Slabs & Edgings for sale

We will sell the 4 ft. Slabs and Edgings at our mill on con. 8, Artemesia, at $1.00 per cord. By applying to Mr. Jno. Parliament, opposite the mill, he will measure and receive cash for the wood when taken away.
We will further pay a reward of $25.00 for proof of anyone taking wood from there in the past, or who may take wood in the future without our authority or Mr. Parliament's.
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Farm for Sale

Lots 171, 2 and 3, 1st con. N. E., Artemesia. 125 acres in all of first class farming land in a good state of cultivation, situated 2½ miles south of Flesherton, short mile from school, clean of nexious weeds and well fenced. 10 acres of marsh, 5 acres of hardwood bush, balance in good state to work all kinds of machinery, well watered, 2 orchards, a good house 18 x 26 veneered inside, kitchen 16 x 20, woodshed 16 x 12, new barn 50 x 60 stone foundation. This is one of the best farms in the township and can be bought right.
W. J. CASWELL.

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