F.T.HILL & CO., - Markdale

Our Great February GRANITEWARE SALE

Commencing this week our annual Graniteware Sale takes place and for the next fifteen days we willsell all kinds of Kitchen utensils in Graniteware at a big saving in cost to you. In many cases the prices will represent one-half to one-third less than you regularly pay, and the goods are made by one of the best firms in Canada, The McClary Manufacturing Co., of London. This sale represents part of a big purchase we made some time ago and our prices to you are away below anything that can be purchased in the line in a wholesale way to-day. It will pay you to take advantage of this sale.

BUTTER DISHES, SEAMLESS, WITH COVER.
75 only Butter Dishes on sale, regular 35c value, sale price ....15c.

STOVE POTS, SEAMLESS, No. 9.
Regular 85c value, sale price 48c.
48 only Seamless Stove Pots, staple size, No. 9, on sale for....48c

LARGE SIZE BASTING SPOONS 7c
Regular selling price 12½c.
150 Large Granite Basting Spoons, the kind you always pay 12½c for, sale price....7c

DOUBLE MILK AND RICE BOILER
4 quart Double Milk and Rice Boilers, regular 85c, sale price 58c
6 quart Double Milk and Rice Boilers, regular $1.00, sale price 68c

PIE PLATES ARE INCLUDED AT SALE PRICE
200 10-inch Pie Plates in Graniteware, regular 12½c value, sale price....7c
200 9-inch Pie Plates in Graniteware, regular 10c value, sale price....6c

PUDDING PANS.
2 quart Seamless Pudding Pans, regular value 20c, sale price....12½
4 quart Seamless Pudding Pans, regular value 25c, sale price....15c
6 quart Seamless Pudding Pans, regular value 35c, sale price....20c
Other sizes selling at accordingly low prices.

SEAMLESS GRANITE DINNER PLATES on Sale
7 inch Granite Dinner Plates, regular value 10c. sale price....5c
8 inch Granite Dinner Plates, regular 12½c pair, sale price....5c
9 inch Granite Dinner Plates, regular 12½ pair, sale price....5c
This line represents the biggest kind of value.

PRESERVING KETTLES IN GRANITEWARE ON SALE.
3 quart size Granite Preserving Kettle, regular 30c value, sale price....15c
4 quart size Granite Preserving Kettle, regular 35c value, sale price....18c
5 quart size Granite Preserving Kettles, regular 45c value, sale price....23c
6 quart size Preserving Kettles, regular 55c value, sale price....28c
8 quart size Preserving Kettles, regular 75c value, sale price....38c
12 quart size Granite Preserving Kettles, regular $1.25, sale price....75c

SLOP JARS OR HOUSE PAILS
10 quart Seamless Slop Jars with tops or covers, regular $1.00, selling for 58c

SAUCE PANS ON SALE, ALL SIZES
1 quart Sauce Pans, regular 15c, sale price.....9c
2 quart " " 25c, " 15c
4 quart " " 45c, " 28c

PITCHERS, SEAMLESS
2 quart seamless pitchers, regular 50c for....22c
3 quart " " " 60c for....25c
4 quart " " " 75c for....35c
6 quart " " " $1.00 for....45c

WASH BASINS AT NEARLY HALF
25c Granite Wash Basins, sale price....14c
30c " " " 18c
40c " " " 24c
45c " " " 28c
We have quantities of all lines

DINNER PAILS WITH CUPS
Regular 65c value for 28c
100 3 quart Granite Dinner Pails with cup on top included, round shape, the kind you always pay 65c for, sale price....28c

LARGE KNEADING OR BREAD PANS.
Seamless with heavy rimmed Lid
17 quart Kneading Pans, seamless, with Foot, a very useful article in the kitchen, $1.50 value, on sale at 75c

GRANITE DISH PANS AT SALE PRICES
17 quart Granite Dish Pans, seamless, regular 85c value, sale price....58c
14 quart Granite Dish Pans, seamless, regular 75c value; sale price....48c

COFFEE POTS SELLING VERY LOW IN PRICE
1½ quart Coffee Pots in Graniteware, 45c value, sale price....22c
2 quart Coffee Pots in Graniteware, 55c value, sale price....28c
3 quart Coffee Pots in Graniteware, 65c value, sale price....33c
4 quart Coffee Pots in Graniteware, 75c value, sale price....38c
5 quart Coffee Pots in Graniteware, 85c value, sale price....43c

THE BIGGEST KIND OF VALUES IN ALL SIZES GRANITE TEA POTS
1 quart Granite Tea Pots, regular 40c value, sale price....19c
1½ quart Granite Tea Pots, regular 55c value, sale price....22c
2 quart Granite Tea Pots, regular 55c value, sale price....28c
5 quart Granite Tea Pots, regular 85c value, sale price....43c

We also have in stock the following lines of Graniteware which are included in the Sale at the correspondingly low prices: PAILS, all kinds. TEA KETTLES, MILK PANS, PUDDING PANS oblong. KITCHEN BOWLS, WATER PAILS, CHAMBERS. Customers will please note that this Sale is only for the month of February, after that time the values cannot be repeated.

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The Flesherton Advance

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The winter is wearing fast away. A few more weeks and birds, bees, butterflies, bugs and buds will be with us. This item was written by the agricultural editor. He has "b's in his bonnet," as the Scotchman puts it.

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Yes! Get rid of the Senate by all means. It is a useless expense to the country. Although Reformed, it appears to be as useless as ever. Besides, the editor of this paper never expects to get a senatorship, or a divorce.

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Some person has sent us a copy of a paper called "The Burning Bush." This is published by a new religious sect that has sprung up in Wisconsin. Criticism of its tenets would be useless, as it is one of the ephemeral kind and cannot exist very long. It is lacking in one great essential of Christianity—charity. It's sole object appears to be to venomously attack the great existing religious bodies, instead of attempting to evolve and place before the unregenerate something better. The literary standard of the paper is of an exceedingly low grade, and we fancy the whole outfit will appeal to very few—although anything that calls itself a religion will find followers in these days by a few of the foolish lambs who love to be shorn.

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The Cuban government, now that Uncle Sam's guiding hand has been withdrawn, has lost no time in getting in a blow at their quondam guardian that will make him grunt—and incidentally make others grunt as well, including many Canadians, and even some Artemesia people, to bring it nearer home. The Cuban government have introduced a measure making it illegal for aliens to hold property in the island. Whether or not they intend to confiscate property already held by outsiders we cannot say. We can say, however, that if they begin that sort of thing trouble will result—it will not be only grunts, but howls.

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A most important congress is called for March 31 to April 4 in Toronto, when it is expected 2,000 delegates will be present to discuss the missionary question. The delegates are made up from the five great churches in Canada. This event marks a distinct step in advance toward a closer federation of at least three of these churches, and may add materially to the cause of church union, which is now before the people. A large degree of unanimity appears to prevail as to the benefits of church union. It is noticeable that in the United States the tendency appears to be a multiplicity of religious bodies—of the making of sects there is no end, as of books. In Canada it is pleasing to note that the tendency is rather towards concentration of effort along church lines, which is as it should be.

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Speaking at Stratford last week Mr. C. M. Hays, manager of the Grand Trunk, said his railway had 3,000 level crossings and that it would cost $50,000,000 to abolish these. It is difficult to believe his figures—one third the cost of the Grand Trunk Pacific—but if Mr. Hays makes the statement it must be correct. Even if it amounts to that sum, it must be faced. The people are themselves not wholly blameless for the manner in which our railways have been built in the past, and should bear a portion of the cost of reconstructing crossings. But their eyes have become opened to the folly of allowing unprotected crossings to exist, and we may look for an improvement in future railway building, providing our legislators do their duty.

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Inspector of Continuation or Rural High Schools, R. H. Cowley, has reported to the Minister of Education a large increase in this class of institution and marked good resulting. Mr. Cowley says that "in the Continuation School may be found the solution of the problem of rural education." At the same time he points out certain improvements necessary and legislation will be brought down during the present session "placing these schools on a definite basis as part of the secondary school system of the province, as are high schools now, providing for their maintenance, etc." ——"All the facts of their growth," declares Mr. Cowley, "indicate that the Continuation schools are adaptable to meet the demands of the rural districts for secondary education, while the experience of the past two years as clearly suggests that the people appreciate these schools and are prepared to go as far as may be necessary to place them on a substantial basis."

J. & W Boyd.

General and Hardware Merchants.

FLESHERTON - - ONT.

WE have made arangements with Messrs. Belding, Paul & Co. of of Toronto, wherby we have engaged their Miss Sissons, who is an expert teacher of Silk Embroidery in its various branches, to give free lessons in fancy work to any of our customers who wish to take advantage of the opportunity. The free lessons will be given in our millinery show rooms, begining March 1st, and continuing for two weeks. This is an excellent opportunity for any one who has a taste for fancy work and should not neglect to take advantage of hours of lessons, 9 to 12 a. m. and 2 to 5 p. m.

FURS FURS FURS

As the end of the season for furs is approaching we have decided to sell the balance of our stock out at prices without regard to cost.

2 men's Coon Coats, regular $55 and $60, No. 1 stock at $45
1 only Bulgarian Lamb, reg $32, No. 1 stock at,....$24
1 only Australian Bear, reg $17, No. 1 stock at....$20
2 ladies' Astrachan Jackets, reg $35 at $20
Caperines, Collars, Sable Muffs, Caps, Robes, Gauntlets, etc., at prices never before heard of.
Golf Jackets in white, navy, cardinal and black,
Reg. $2.25 at $1.75
" $1.75 " $1.25
Childrens bear skin coats, sizes 22, 24 and 16, reg from $2.25 to $2.75, selling at $1.83
Men's Overcoats, regular $10 and $11, selling at....$7.50
Men's heavy Rubbers, at prices below cost.

Flour and Feed.

We keep on hand a full stock of Flour and Feed including Feed Flour Shorts, Bran and the famous Five Roses Flour made by the Lake of the Woods Milling Co., Kewatin, every bag of which is guaranteed if not satisfactory return it and get your money.

Hardware.

We have a well assorted stock of Hardware—parties contemplating building will do well to get our prices before purchasing elsewhere—also a nice line of stoves, tinware etc.

BARGAINS

In Sleighs, Buggies, Waggons, Harrows, Ploughs, Cream Separators and Wire Fencing

HORSE SHOEING A SPECIALTY

Heard's Carriage Works

Ceylon's Meat Market.

All kinds of fresh and smoked meats, head cheese, sausage, always on hand.

CASH PAID FOR HIDES.

Jas. McClocklin,

El Dorado Farm.

Of Shorthorn cattle and Leicester sheep. Bulls and heifers on hand for sale, also a number of single and rose comb brown leghorn, and single comb white leghorn cockerels. Lot 32' Con. 5. Chas. Stafford.

Shorthorn Cattle for Sale.

Levinias and Wimples, the best of breeding and quality. Bull, cows and heifers for sale at reasonable prices
Lot 32, con. 5 CHAS. STAFFORD, Flesherton

Herefords For Sale.

Three bulls fit for service, and five heifers none better. Prices right, Post Office, Proton Station; farm half mile from Saugeen Junction.
J. & T. WATSON.

VILLAGE PROPERTY FOR SALE

The undersigned has a good ½ acre lot in Priceville for sale, containing roughcast house, good barn, good orchard, two wells, etc. Also a 3-acre vacant lot near the station, under cultivation.
These lots must be sold as I am leaving for the west this spring. Apply for terms, etc., to
—HERBERT WATSON,
Priceville, Feb. 9, 1909.

Who wouldn't give 25 cents to stop a pain twenty times? Just one little "Pink Pain Tablet"—Dr. Shoop's— will stop any pain in 20 minutes, cure! Read the formula on the box. Doctors say it can't be bettered. Checks womanly pains, head pains, any pain. 20 tablets 25c. Sold by all dealers.

Farms for Sale & Rent

Farm for sale, containing one hundred acres more or less, being lots 141-142, con. 1, N. E. Toronto Sydenham road, about eighty acres cleared; balance bush. On the property is one frame barn 35x55 on stone basement with concrete stabling and good implement shed. Frame dwelling house, small orchard, two good wells. Also two springs on back end of place. There are thirty acres fall ploughed, five acres of fall wheat, well fenced and in a good state of cultivation. This is one of the best farms in the township and can be bought right. It is situated one mile from Flesherton and five miles from Markdale. Apply to RICAARDSON BROS., Flesherton

Lots 34 and 35, con. 3 S D R, 160 acres, 65 cleared 10 acres pasture, balance good bush. Barn 65x50, driving shed, good frame house, 2 wells, 1 acre of orchard and stone wall under barn. Saugeen river crosses back of farm. Well fenced and in good state of cultivation, 3 miles from Proton Station. For terms apply on premises to JAMES H. VAUSE, Proton Station

For sale cheap, or rent, immediate possession Lot 30 con. 14, Artemesia, about 75 acres clear, comfortable log house and frame barn. Apply to R. J. Sproule, Flesherton, or John J. Martin, across the road from said lot.

Lots E ½ 8 and 9, Con. 13, in the towhship 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

For sale cheap and on easy terms, good comfortable frame dwelling, stable and driving house, with three village lots, in Ceylon. Dwelling well built and finished and good bearing orchard on the property. Apply to
R. J. SPROULE, Flesherton

For sale or rent—100 acre farm, 1 acre of orchard, 10 acres bush including 5 acres hardwood, well watered and good fences, brick house, frame barn, 1¼ miles from school and post office, 3 miles from Proton Station. For price and terms of sale apply to Wm. Taylor, lot 73-74, con 1 north of Durham road, Artemesia

Lots 65, 66 and 67, con 3 Artemesia, 150 acres 135 cleared and under cultivation, all fenced two good orchards; large frame barn, basement barn and outer frame barn 24x36, frame dwelling. This will be made a good thing for the right man W. H. McNALLY, Portlaw

For rent—lot 37, con 4, Artemesia, 100 acres, 85 to 90 cleared and in cultivation, comfortable dwelling, bank barn, stone stabling, in a first class settlement and well worthy the attention of those requiring such.
R. J. SPROULE, Flesherton

Lot 3, con. 4 Osprey, 100 acres well timbered. For terms etc. apply to R. Roberts, Lady Bank P. O.

Poultry Raising Advancing.

At the recent Poultry Institute meeting in Guelph, Mr. G. A. Putman, superintendent of Farmers' Institutes, said:

Until recently the Farmers' Institutes had not paid much attention to the discussion of poultry questions; in fact prominent members of institutes had at times expressed a distinct aversion to the discussion of such trivial subjects. Recently, however, the poultry spirit has developed among the farmers. Many of them have become enthusiastic poultry-raisers, and now many institutes have special poultry meetings, at which expert poultrymen or women lecture on some phase or phases of the poultry industry. This has caused a rapid improvement of the farm poultry business, but still greater improvement may be looked forward to in the near future. Through the Women's Institutes already organized, and the local Farmers' Clubs, which are being organized in different parts of the Province, the best methods of housing, breeding, feeding, marketing, etc., are kept before the people. It is doubtful if poultry-raising as an exclusive business would be a success on most of the Ontario farms, but each farmer should receive a large profit from a flock of 100 or 150 hens treated as a side line. The work of caring for poultry is light, and can be performed by children who oftentimes have no other regular employment, and who will nearly always develop a love for the work if they are given sufficient interest in it. The profits from farm poultry may be greatly increased by co-operation in buying and selling stock and products.

Three Frankford hotelkeepers have been acquitted on a charge of selling to minors, as the young man in question looked to be over the legal age.

The March Rod and Gun

Fish and Game Protection work throughout Canada forms a prominent topic in the March issue of Rod and Gun and Motor Sports in Canada, published by W. J. Taylor, Woodstock, Ont. In addition to a sketch of the meetings of the North American Fish and Game Protective Association, the organizations of three provinces also receive attention while in Ontario it likewise comes in for special treatment. Although so much space is given to this important work of aiding the conservation of Canada's natural resources, sportsmen will not be disappointed in the usual fare provided for them. The Hon. Chas. Scott tells in graphic language of a successful moose hunt in New Brunswick, while the Finest Hunt of the Wolf River Hunt Club is one no sportsman will read unmoved. An incident of the wolf hunt now in progress in Northern Ontario should not be overlooked, while Dr. Hornaday's Ideals of Sportsmanship will recommend themselves to all. These ideals will be cherished, aimed at and worked up to and cannot fail to have a marked effect on the future of sport throughout the Northern portion of the continent. A description of British Columbia's new game preserve, with many other articles, including a particularly good one on Fur Trading With Indians in the Far North, departments replete with information and a special account of the Hamilton trap shooting tournament, make up a number appealing to every lover of the great out-doors, and one full of vivid interest to them all.

In sickness, if a certain hidden nerve goes wrong, then the organ that this nerve controls will also surely fail. It may be a stomach nerve, or it may have given strength and support to the Heart or Kidneys. It was Dr. Shoop that first pointed to this vital truth. Dr. Shoop's Restorative was not made to dose the Stomach nor to temporarily stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. That old-fashioned method is all wrong. Dr. Shoop's Restorative goes directly to these failing inside nerves. The remarkable succes of this prescription demonstrates the wisdom of treating the actual cause of these failing organs. And it is indeed easy to prove. A simple five or ten days test will surely tell. Try it once, and see. Sold by all dealers.

Cityhood For Owen Sound.

A motion was introduced in the Town Council by Councillor James H. Rutherford and unanimously carried, that a special committee be appointed to take up the question of securing the incorporation of Owen Sound as a city. The recommendation was made in Mayor Harrison's inaugural address that these steps be taken. The town, with its newly-acquired annex, the most thickly populated section of the town plot of Brooke, has now a population estimated at 13,000.

Manager Franz of the Lake Superior Corporation, which was recently taken over by English capitalists, have issued a statement that the company would immediately commence extensive additions to the open hearth furnaces at the Algoma Steel plant in the Canadian Soo. Other improvements are to follow fast, the intentions being to make it the greatest steel concern in Canada. It is reported that the company will erect new blast furnaces and a structural steel plant.