F.T.HILL & CO., - Markdale

Immense Purchase and Sale of Children's, Girls and Women's Hosiery.

3000 Dozen In the Lot

3000 dozen of Women's, Girls, and Children's Stockings. Just think what that means, 36,000 pairs, that is the exact figures for one of the biggest purchases we ever made in hosiery. This big lot of Hosiery we purchased last February when cotton hose was not seasonable and the manufacturers wanted money. Having three stores and being able to sell part of the lot to one of the keenest wholesalers in Toronto, made it possible for us to handle the quantity and now we are selling Hosiery 35 to 40 per cent less than we could sell them if we paid the manufacturer regular prices.

1200 Pr. Women's Fine Lisle Hose.

1200 pairs women's Fine Lisle spring needle ribbed Hose, tripple knee, spliced heels, warranted fast dye. A beautiful fine stocking. Regular 35c value. All sizes from 6½ to 9. The way we bought them makes it possible for us to sell them at 19c a pair or 2 pair for 35c

Women and Girls Two Thread Fancy Lace Hose

In colors of Black, Tan, and White, also plain Black Silkolene; very fine gauge. Regular 25 to 30c stockings. This big purchase made it possible for us to sell them at per pair ..... .11c

Women's Fine Black Cotton Hosiery

Fleece Lined, sale price 11c a pr.

1600 pairs of Women's Fine Black Cotton Hose in seemless feet, fleeced lined. This hose sells regularly at 18c pair, but the way we bought this lot we are able to sell them at per pr 11c

Women's Hose in Black and Tan

With Fancy Pattern. 2 pr for 25c.

800 prirs Women's light weight fine black Hose. seemless feet. In fancy patterns of white, mauve, blue and Tan decorations. Special 2 pr for ....25c.

The Flesherton Advance

Is published every Thursday at $1.00 per annum if paid in advance, $1.50 if not so paid.

NET ADVERTISING RATES

1 column display one year, $60
Half column one year, $30
Quarter column one year, $15
Fortnightly changes if required
Quotations for transient advertising will be given on application.

Grand Valley has the nucleus of a navy. The first boat was launched on the Grand River last week and another will follow. We presume they are of the regulation dreadnaught type and will be available to the British government in case of need.

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The Bell Telephone company will hereafter confine its operations to Ontario and Quebec. It has sold out its systems in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. The Saskatchewan sale was made recently, the purchase price being $367,500. The company has evidently profited by the fable of the dog and bone, who lost all because he wanted all. Independent lines and uneasiness in Ontario and Quebec have decided the company to bend all its energies to the retaining of the bone it is at the present moment chewing on. We would, however, like to see the Ontario government make a struggle for its possession. The big income from our mines ought to make it possible for the government to buy out the Bell Company in this province and run the system in the interest of the public.

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Gipsy Smith closed a remarkable series of evangelistic meetings in Toronto on Sunday night. The Gipsy is a wonderful man—one of the most successful evangelists the world has seen since the days of Paul, and his visit to the Queen City will be productive of much good. It is not the matter of his discourse that makes him so successful, but the original manner in which it is delivered. He appears to be able to sway an audience to tears or smiles at his will. He returns to England this week but expects to be in Chicago in October.

The British Problem

A great contest is impending in Great Britain between radicalism and conservatism. The question to be decided is, How shall the funds be raised to meet the greatly increased expenditures of government?

Public opinion, almost without distinction of party, demands that the navy be made more powerful, and Dreadnaughts are extremely costly. The spread of socialistic principles makes the loud call for such measures as old-age pensions too strong to be resisted even by the Conservatives. Both parties are committed to extensive schemes of land purchase and other ways of improving the condition of the poor in Ireland and in Great Britain.

To meet these and other charges on the revenues the present taxation is quite insufficient. The Unionists propose one method of obtaining the means; the Liberals, who are now in power, propose, and will probably carry into effect, another method. The Chancellor of the Exchequer brought in the budget the last week in April. His plan includes new taxes, or an increase of old taxes, that will fall exclusively on the rich and the well-to-do. The government will take at least five per cent. of all incomes exceeding $2,500, and nine per cent. on all incomes above $25,000.

It adds to licenses and stamp duties, increases taxation on stock-exchange transactions, lays heavier death duties, levies a tax on the increase in the value of land between one sale and another, and imposes various other taxes. Although these changes will add nearly a hundred million dollars to the national income, it has been said that not one penny additional will be taken from a poor man who neither smokes nor drinks.

If the Conservatives were in power they would provide at least a part of the additional funds needed by changing the tariff system. They maintain that the present free trade policy is the chief cause of the failure of British industry in competition with other countries, and hence of unemployment and poverty.

Between these two there is soon to be a battle royal, and the incidents and result of the contest will be worthy to be closely watched.—Youths Companion.

Our Scrap Book

A TRUE HERO

A poor man named Appleton, better known as "Jim, the Sweep," has signalized himself by an act of heroism that can scarcely be surpassed. In one of the low quarters of Merthyr Tydvil, called River Side, a small house inhabited by a miner, was discovered to be on fire, and and very soon a crowd assembled, with the object of endeavoring to put it out. They soon found that no one was in the house, and a neighbor, immediately this discovery was made, suddenly recollected a fact that had slipped his memory, and with a terrific cry shouted out, "There' half a hundred cask of powder in the pantry." A scene followed of the most startling character. The house was situated in the midst of a densely inhabited locality, and thus in a moment those who could be aroused were seen flying from the spot; some nestling their children in their arms, others bearing away some prized household god. As for the crowd around the burning house, they scattered in every direction, all but one man—and he, Jim, the Sweep, with the coolness of a hero, forced his way into the house, and in a moment saw the perilous nature of things. Two beds were on the bedstead, burning fiercely, and the flames had actually caught the pantry door. Jim had to shut the front door in order to open the pantry. This he did, and right before him was the dreaded cask, and around it was a thin fork of flame. He tried to raise the cask but it was burning hot, and instead of a top, it had an iron "bakestane." With a blow he struck this off, and though the cask burnt his hands severely he held on with the tenacity of a Briton, and bore the powder safely to the air, where it was soon put out of danger. A few minutes more, and the powder, (49 lb. in all) would have scattered death and destruction on every side.—English paper, 1862.

Things That Never Die.

The pure, the bright, the beautiful,
That stirred our hearts in youth,
The impulse to a wordless prayer,
The dreams of love and truth;
The longings after something lost,
The spirit's yearning cry,
The striving after better hopes,—
These things can never die.

The timid hand stretched forth to aid
A brother in his need,
The kindly word in grief's dark hour
That proves a friend indeed,—
The plea for mercy kindly breathed,
When justice threatens high,
The sorrow of a contrite heart—
These things shall never die.

The memory of a clasping hand,
The pressure of a kiss,
And all the trifles, sweet and frail,
That make up love's first bliss;
If with a firm unchanging faith,
And holy trust on high,
Those hands have clasped, these lips have met,
These things shall never die.

The cruel and the bitter word,
That wounded as it fell;
The chilling want of sypmathy,
We feel, but never tell.
The hard repulse, that chills the heart
Whose hopes were bounding high,
In an unfading record kept—
These things shall never die.

Let nothing pass, for every hand
Must find some work to do;
Lose not a chance to waken love—
Be firm, and just and true,
So shall a light that cannot fade
Beam on thee from on high,
And angel voices say to thee—
These things shall never die.—Anon.

Walter McLaughlin was killed at Parry Sound while riding on an engine. He leaned out of the cab window and struck his head against a box-car.

Coughs that are tight, or distressing tickling coughs, get quick and certain help from Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. On this account Druggists everywhere are favoring Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. The tender leaves of a harmless lung-healing mountainous shrub, give to Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy its curative properties. Those leaves have the power to calm the most distressing Cough, and to soothe, and heal the most sensitive bronchial membrane. Test it once yourself and see! Sold by all dealers.

The final plans are now being prepared at Twin Falls, Idaho, of what the engineers claim will be, when completed, the highest bridge in the world. It will serve to carry the tracks of an electric road across the Snake River Canyon at a point a short distance below the Great Shoshone Falls of that river. The under side of the bridge will be 700 feet in the clear above the water.

MAKE MONEY.

Selling Pelham's Peerless Fruit and Ornamental trees, shrubs, etc., during the winter months. We offer you steady and profitable employment in your own district at good pay. WE HAVE OVER 600 ACRES of choice nursery stock which you will sell direct to your customers. No diseased or dried out American stock supplied. Established over 30 years.

Write for particulars.

Pelham Nursery Co.
Toronto, Ont.

Bad Attack of Dysentery Cured.

"An honored citizen of this town was suffering from a severe attack of dysentery. He told a friend if he could obtain a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy, he felt confident of being cured, he having used this remedy in the West. He was told that I kept it in stock and lost no time in obtaining it, and was promptly cured," says M. J. Leach, druggist, of Wolcott, Vt. For sale by W. E. Richardson.

Stop That Cold

To check early colds or Grippe with "Preventics" means sure defeat for Pneumonia. To stop a cold with Preventics is safer than to let it run and be obliged to cure it afterwards. To be sure, Preventics will cure even a deeply seated cold, but taken early—at the sneeze stage—they break, or head off these early colds. That's surely better. That's why they are called Preventics.

Preventics are little Candy Cold Cures. No Quinine, no physic, nothing sickening. Nice for the children—and thoroughly safe too. If you feel chilly, if you sneeze, if you ache all over, think of Preventics. Promptness may also save half your usual sickness. And don't forget your child, if there is feverishness, night or day. Herein probably lies Preventics' greatest efficiency. Sold in 5c boxes for the pocket, also in 25c boxes of 48 Preventics. Insist on your druggists giving you

Preventics
"ALL DEALERS"

LORD ROSS, 35673

A. T. R., the unbeaten horse on Canadian soil. Sired by full brother of Dare Devil, 209, by Mambrino King, 1279, the handsomest horse in the world.

ROUTE

Monday, May 3—Will leave his own stable, Kilsyth, and proceed east to Wm. Tottenham's Hoath Head, for noon; thence east to 5th line to Samuel Stephens', Strathaven, for night.

Tuesday—By Spring Hill to 10th line, south to Joe Hulbert's for noon, thence to Kimberley for night, where he will remain until Wednesday noon.

Wednesday—At 1 o'clock will leave by Eping and Rocklyn to James Bailey's for night

Thursday—Home to Findlay's Livery for noon and by way of gravel road to George Baker's for night.

Friday—To John King's Sr., King's Corners for noon, thence to Robert Day's for night.

Saturday—To John Vanwyck's, Annan, for one hour, thence to City hotel, Owen Sound, for noon, where he will remain until 4 o'clock, thence to his own stable, Kilsyth, where he will remain until the following Monday morning. This route will be continued throughout the season, health and weather permitting.

Cards of breeding sent on application.

JOHN FINDLAY, Proprietor and Collector. P. O. Box 430, Meaford, phone 70. Jacob Hunt in charge. 1 July

The American Standard Bred Stallion

DEMOTTE

29842

The property of J. Rudd Matthews, Markdale, Ont. TERMS—$12.

Demotte will make the season of 1909 as follows:

MONDAY evening—Berkeley.
THURSDAY evening—Flesherton.
The rest of the week Markdale House Stables.

Demotte, 29842, is a handsome, game, level headed horse with a perfect disposition; to see him is to like him, and after looking over his pedigree all must admit that he is one of the best bred horses imported. Where will you find another in this country with as fast a sire and dam? His grandsire, Gambetta Wilkes, sired Gambolier, the sire of the great Eel 2.2¼. His grandsire on his dam's side, C. F. Clay, has more to his credit in the 2.10 list than any other horse in Kentucky, and is also one of the, if not the greatest, sires of high actors in the United States. Demotte is a beautiful high going horse with a great turn of speed kimself, having been a close 2nd in 16¾. I have put this horse's fee very low, within reach of the owner of the ordinary mare, while the owners of the best mares will get the service of a $25 horse for just $12. Those wishing to bargain for living colts can do so by applying to me. I have also made arrangement for pasture close to town for mares sent a distance.

Markdale Steam Laundry

Andrew Wilson, Agent, - Flesherton

We quote you a few of our summer prices: All starched shirts, 10c each; Summer cotton underwear, 5c each; handkerchiefs, 1c each; wash vests, 10c; duck trousers, 15c, and other articles at proportionately low rates. We try our best to please you. If we fail to do so tell Andy and we will put them right.

W. J. Smith, Prop.

Canadian Pacific

Very Low Rate For Summer Trip to Pacific Coast

$77.30 return from Flesherton good going May 20 to Sept. 30.

Return limit Oct. 31. Liberal stopovers. Wide choice of routes. Go by the direct Canadian line—see your own country—the west, the Rocky Mountains. Visit the Seattle Exposition and other special attractions.
Talk it over with

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REPRESENTING
Canada's Oldest and Greatest Nurseries
IN Flesherton
And Adjoining Country.

You will find there is a good demand for Nursery Stock on account of the high prices that growers have realized on their fruit this season.

Our salesmen are turning in a big business to us this year. Become of them and earn good wages through the winter months.

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WE are opening up a merchant tailoring business under the managment of Fred Morley who is a first class workman. We have a complete range of new and up-to-date stock. We guarantee a perfect fit. Call and see the goods—just in the corner room MRS. SMITH'S OLD STAND.

Men's and Boys' ready made suits. We show in all the Latest styles in Men's suits, at prices ranging from $10.00 to $17.00. Boys 3 piece suits—We never had such a complete range of patterns. Prices from $4 to $6.50.

NEW Dress Goods in all the new shades and patterns—prices 55c to $1.50 per yd., also a large assortment of Ginghams, Zephyrs, Linens, Prints and Muslins
A complete range of Ladie's Ready-to-wear Garments—Skirts, Jackets, Waists, Underskirts, Etc.

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.

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

HORSE SHOEING A SPECIALTY

Heard's Carriage Works

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 implementshed. 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 RICHARDSON 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 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

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, 1½ 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

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.

Eggs For Hatching.

Brown Leghorn Eggs for hatching, from first class pen. All prize birds at East Grey fall fair are in this pen. Eggs 50c. per setting of 15
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CROUP stopped in 20 minutes sure with Dr. Shoop's Croup Remedy. One test will surely prove. No vomiting, no distress. A safe and pleasing syrup—50c. Druggists.

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

CASH PAID FOR HIDES.

Jas. McClocklin,

Good Farm For Sale.

Lot 19, con. 6, Osprey containing 100 acres, 80 cleared, frame house, frame barn, stone foundation; orchard, well watered. One thousand down and balance to suit purchaser. Immediate possession Apply to R. N. KINNEAR, Maxwell P. O.

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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.

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Levinias and Wimples, the best of breeding and quality. Bull, cows and heifers for sale at reasonable prices
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Cows and heifers for sale, none better, Prices right, Post Office, Proton Station; farm half mile from Saugeen Junction.
We have sold all our bulls.
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