Financial Statement

of the

Osprey Farmers' Milling Co., Ltd.

FROM JANUARY 1st, 1928 to DECEMBER 31st, 1928

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand as per last audit	$ 570 71
Sales by Miller	6243 23
Chopping by Miller	2369 57
Miscellaneous Receipts	72 50
Received on notes	116 35
	$ 9372 36

EXPENDITURE

Miller's wages	$ 1197 00
Assistant Miller's Wages and extra help	477 50
Postage, Excise stamps and stationery	56 82
For wheat	3900 61
For oats, barley feed, wheat, etc.	1209 94
Telephone account	2 85
Insurance	154 20
Municipal taxes	180 15
Statutory fee	5 00
Repairs to mill	122 66
Freight and express	297 09
Dividend No. 16	680 00
General account	152 38
Miscellaneous account	5 35
Teaming	198 26
Rent for hall	3 00
Workmen's Compensation Board	17 94
Officer's salaries, 3 directors, $15 each	45 00
Secretary-Treasurer	400 00
Two auditors, $20 each	40 00
Cash on hand and in banks	226 61
	$ 9372 36

GRISTING

10,191 pounds of flour exchanged for wheat during the year.

ASSETS & LIABILITIES

ASSETS

Stock in Grist Mill on Dec. 31st, 1928 (estimated)	$ 3292 32
Outstanding book accounts	1930 69
Notes receivable	506 35
Cash on hand	226 61
Mill and Real Estate	9000 00
	$ 14955 97

Outstanding doubtful accounts	$ 690 78
Capital Stock of the Company	$ 8000 00
Paid up Capital Stock	$ 6800 00
Unsold Stock	$ 1200 00

LIABILITIES — NONE

We, the undersigned auditors of the Osprey Farmers' Milling Co, Ltd., certify that we have examined the books of the Company for the year 1928 and compared the vouchers for receipts and expenditure with the Treasurer's books and find them correct, showing a balance on hand and in the banks on December 31st, 1928 of $226.61.

ROSE McGIRR AND MRS. MARTHA McGIRR, AUDITORS

Dated at Feversham this 5th day of January, 1929.

THE FLESHERTON ADVANCE

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W. H. THURSTON - Editor.
F. J. THURSTON - Asst. Editor.

PROPERTY QUALIFICATION A FARCE.

Toronto Telegram of Jan. 14.

Qualifications for municipal offices in Ontario, in so far as ownership of real property is concerned, have become a farce.

When a man who is not even a resident in the municipality, who owns no real property in the city, can qualify as an aldermanic candidate on the ground that he is a tenant in an office building, and then be disqualified because his landlord has not paid his taxes, the laayman may be excused if he thinks the law is an ass.

It is equally absurd to think that a man whose only stake in the community is represented by his rental of office space is qualified to dictate policies for the ratepayers and spend their money,but another citizen who is a heavy taxpayer, owns thousands of dollars worth of realty, but through an oversight is six months in arrears with his taxes, is disqualified.

A man who seeks municipal office should have at least sufficient financial interest in the city as a ratepayer to enable him to vote on a money by-law.

The whole question of property qualification has been reduced to such an absurdity that it might just as well be wiped out.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Editor Munroe of the Meaford Mirror and one other member of the staff were laid off last week with the flu and the paper appeared half its usual size. Sickness plays hob with the newspaper office quicker than in any other line of business.

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The National Motor Show is being held in Toronto this week, when all 1929 models of the various manufacturers are being exhibited to the public. Beautiful lines and engine power make the present models greater money values than ever before. Mmanufacturers expect greater sales than ever this year in all their lines.

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Figures given out by the License Control Board last week revealed a total of 270,731 permits as having been sold so far for the present fiscal year, beginning November 1st, 1928. Of this total 7,557 have been tourist permits. The expectation of the board is that another 200,000 permits will be sold during the approaching 10 months. The revenue involved in the sale so far totals more than $540,000. Thus the nefarious busines expands and fastens its fangs on the vitals of this fair province.

VICTORIA CORNERS

Mrs. H. H. Gallagher received word of the death on New Years day of her eldest brother, Mr. John Jackson in Regina. We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Gallagher.

When Lawson Lockhart was home for Christmas he had a sore toe, which developed into blood poisoning since he returned to Detroit. It was feared for some time that he would lose his leg, but he is at last report doing nicely.

Mr. Thos. Bannon is improving slowly.

Real cold weather and storms are here in earnest.

DREAMS

To dream is every one's privilege. The facts and possibilities of life—what is to be, what has been or what should have been, are the stuff of which our dreams are made. The young dream of the future and the old dream of the past. The future is to the young what the past is to the other. For life to those who have passed the meridian of the alloted span of years in an accomplished task while to those who stand on the threshold of youth it is still in the making. The threads with which the young weave their golden dreams are those long and happy years which seem to stretch out indefinitely before them How frequently then comes and goes on the great loom of years, the shuttle of time, weaving the mysterious tapestry of our own life.—Exchange.

Will you let me have something on this watch?

I suppose I'll have to, Time is money.

TEN DAYS ONLY

MID-WINTER SALE

Wednesday, January 9

TO

Saturday, January 19

WONDERFUL CLEARANCE IN FINE DRESS SERGES 98c. YD.
All-wool, 54 inches wide, all good colors for winter dresses for any age. Original cost price more than double.

54 INCH DRESS FLANNELS $1.09
Fine, even weave, all-wool in new popular shades. Regular $1.50.

YARD-WIDE FLANNELETTES 20c.
New striped-patterns in light and dark colorings, soft finish. Regular 25c.

WHITE COTTON BATTS, SPECIAL
You need these for quilting, open out 30x60 in. **19c. EACH, 2 FOR 35c.**

YARD-WIDE CHINTZ CRETON & SATEENS
Variety of colors for comforters. Includes some 50c. values. **SELLING AT 29c.**

REVERSIBLE WOOL MATS 89c.
Oriental patterns, size 21x45, good colorings. Regular $1:25.

RAG RUGS SPECIAL 69c.
Well-made and durable, good colorings, size 27x54. Regular $1.00.

TURKISH TOWELS 49c. PAIR
Cream ground, guaranteed fast color stripes, fringed ends, size 18x39. Regular 65c.

COTTON HUCK TOWELS 39c. PAIR
Good quality huckaback, hemmed ends size 17x33. Regular 50c. line.

PURE LINEN DAMASK TOWELS 59c.
Hem stitched with space for monogram, beautiful designs, size 18x33. Regular 75c.

GINGHAM SPECIAL 19c.
32 inches wide, fine even weave, striped and plain patterns, all colors. Reg. 25c. and 30c.

CONGOLEUM RUGS SPECIAL
New designs, gold seal quality, no seconds nor discarded patterns—9x12 $11.75; 9x7½ $7.50 Other sizes in proportion.

FOUR-YARD WIDE LINOLEUM $3.50
Good range of new patterns, any length cut.

FLOOR OILCLOTHS 49c. SQ. YD.
New designs and colorings, 36, 54, 72 and 90 inches wide.

BOYS' JERSEYS — SPECIAL 95c.
Neat heather shades in wool mixtures, sizes 24 to 30. Regular $1.25.

LADIES' HOSIERY — SPECIAL 69c.
Silk, and silk and wool mixtures and all wool qualities. Popular light shades and also in black. All sizes. Regular $1.00 value.

MEN'S WOOL WORK SOCKS at 39c. and 45c.
Two assortments of special value. Regular 50c. and 75c.

MEN'S HOCKEY BOOTS $3.39
Lightning hitch, ankle pads, ankle supports, steel toe caps. All sizes. Regular $4.50.

MEN'S BRACES, SPECIAL 39c.
Assortment includes police and other styles—light and heavy weights. All good fresh elastic web. Regular 55c.

BOYS' TWEED SUITS $3.49
Two-piece suits, bloomer style, well-made and trimmed; all good wearing wool tweeds in a variety of colorings. All perfect, none soiled nor shop worn. Size 28 to 35. **Worth double the price.**

MEN'S TWEED SUITS $10.00
All well-made and trimmed, good colors, sizes 36 to 39 only. **Great bargain for everyday wear.**

MEN'S OVERALLS AND SMOCKS $1.49
Blue stripe overalls, full engineer cut with bib elastic suspenders, good pockets, smocks to match, good range of sizes. Regular $1.95.

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS 95c.
Heavy grey military flannelette, well-made and full-sized. Regular $1.25.

MEN'S OVERCOATS $17.50
Fifteen only Heavy Winter Overcoats, ulster style with deep collars, lined to waist, new colors in plaid back, wool cloths, new goods. Sizes 36 to 40. Regular $25.00.

MEN'S WINTER CAPS 49c.
Good warm winter caps, some with inside bands. **Special Clearance Price.**

MEN'S GLOVE SPECIAL $1.25
Tan cape, with wool lining, large dome fasteners, full range of sizes. Perfect goods.

BARGAINS IN ENGLISH SEMI-PORCELAIN DINNER WARE
12 GOOD PATTERNS TO CHOOSE FROM

Regular $20.00, for	**$18.00**
Regular $25.00, for	**$22.50**
Regular $27.50, for	**$24.50**
Regular $31.50, for	**$27.50**
Regular $35.00, for	**$31.50**

During the sale a Special 10% Discount will be allowed on Regular Open-Stock list of Semi-Porcelain Dinner-Ware on all purchases.

TRAFALGAR DINNER-WARE VERY SPECIAL VALUES
New shapes in Ivory Body English Semi-Porcelain — Cups and Saucers, $1.39; 6-in. Plates $1.29; 8-in. Plates $1.89; Soups, $1.69; Oatmeals, $1.39; Fruit Dishes 69 cts. per dozen.

LADIES' SHOE SPECIAL $1.98
Assortment includes odd pairs from some of our best selling lines, Oxfords, Strap Slippers and Pumps. Low, Medium and High Heels. Dongola, Patent and Kid Leathers. All sizes from 2½ to 7 represented. Regular $2.50 to $4.00.

SPECIAL 15% DISCOUNT ON ALL SILKS
This reduction applies on all Silks, Satins, Duchesse, Silk Broadcloth, Canton Crepes, Flat Crepes, Crepe Back Satins, Georgettes, Silk and Wool Crepes now in stock without exception. Take advantage of this special saving.

KOTEX SPECIAL, 3 FOR $1.09
3 full sized packages, regular 55c. per pkg.

Special Sale Prices in the Grocery Department

In addition to the above you will find Genuine Bargains offered in every line

TERMS OF SALE - - Cash or Produce only

F. H. W. HICKLING

FLESHERTON, ONTARIO