

EVERY DAY IS BARGAIN DAY AT THOMPSON'S

# FOUR BIG JANUARY SPECIALS

## Men's Overcoats

In heavy Imported Blanket Cloths, Fleeces and Meltons. Latest models.

**\$14.95 and \$16.75**

## Winter Underwear

Penman's heavy Ribbed Shirts and Drawers. A Real Bargain.

**\$1.19**

## Heavy Rubbers

Six Eyelet Lumberman Style, with heavy tread; red sole.

**\$1.49**

## Men's Coat Sweaters

Jumbo Knit, Shawl Collar, Close Knit Cuffs. Special

**\$1.98**

**P. J. THOMPSON**

MEN'S AND BOYS' WEAR

## AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS

AT BERKELEY  
FRIDAY, JANUARY 26th, 1940  
At 1.30 p.m.

Mrs. W. J. Jackson has instructed the undersigned auctioneer to sell by Public Auction the following:

2 iron beds, complete with mattress and springs; 2 dressers; 2 wash stands; parlor table; day bed; bevelled mirrors; sewing machine; 2 rockers; kitchenette set with table, buffet, 4 chairs; 5 living room chairs; glass cupboard; drop leaf table; 1 modern Rentrew range, like new; 1 small cook stove; 4 kitchen chairs; quantity good dry wood; wash tubs; cooking utensils; dishes; quantity of tools, etc.

The house and lot, including public hall will also be offered for sale, subject to reserve bid.

Terms: cash.  
Otto Johann, Auctioneer.

## Here Are All The Isms—Take Your Pick

The other day Hardware and Metal was shown an illustrated leaflet defining the various forms of government throughout the world, each expressed in cartoon. It came all the way from Australia to a broker in Canada.

Here they are:  
Socialism—You have two cows—you give one to your neighbor.  
Communism—You have two cows—you give both to the government and the government gives you some of the milk.

Fascism—You have two cows—you keep them both and give the milk to the government and the government sells part of the milk back to you.

Nazism—You have two cows—the government shoots you and takes the cows.

New Deal—You have two cows—the government shoots one, milks

the other and pours the milk down the sink.  
Capitalist Democracy—You have two cows—you sell one and buy a bull.

SHOP IN MARKDALE

## Morris Marble Works

Meaford, Ontario  
Monuments and Markers in all the best qualities at reasonable prices. See us and get prices before buying.  
PHONE MEAFORD 226

## WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE

The Great English Preparation. Tones and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new Blood in old Veins. Used for Nervous Debility, Head and Brain Worry, Dizziness, Loss of Energy, Failing Memory. Price \$2 per box, 3 for \$5. Sold by all druggists, or mailed in plain package on receipt of price. New complete revised rec. THE WOOD MEDICINE CO. TORONTO, ONT.

## KIMBERLEY

Sorry to report Mr. E. H. Boyle ill with rheumatic fever in Collingwood hospital.

Miss Marjorie Proctor is visiting friends at Feversham.

The skating rink is in full swing now with Messrs. Laverne Morwood and Don Graham caretakers.

Mr. James Cosher of Hogers-town, Maryland, is visiting his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Alexander.

Messrs. D. L. Wayne, Lee and Ted Weber of Alliston spent the weekend at home here.

School re-opened on Wednesday after being closed last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Ferguson and family visited friends on the East Mountain on Sunday.

## CEYLON

Mrs. Percy Hunt and Melville spent the first of last week in Toronto.

Mr. J. D. Teeter attended the Young People's School at Brampton last week.

Mr. Harry Houston of Oshawa spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Muir.

The Women's Institute held their regular monthly meeting last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Anna MacMillan. Six pairs of socks have been completed up to date for the Red Cross. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. C. Muir and will take the form of a Valentine social.

Mr. R. Purdy was in Toronto last week.

## ROCKLYN

The Rocklyn Women's Institute held the January meeting on Thursday last at the home of Mrs. Thos. Gilray. The president, Mrs. Earl Gardner was in charge. Considering the weather conditions, there was a good attendance of members and visitors. It was decided to donate fifty dollars towards installing lights in the agricultural hall, rink and shed. Another class on the wool project will be held at the home of Mrs. E. McClean in the near future.

The Institute will hold another carnival in the rink this winter. Mrs. D. Cook, Mrs. A. McGirr, Mrs. G. Perry and Mrs. W. Burrell were named as a committee in charge. Cards of thanks were read from those remembered at Christmas time. A paper, entitled "Canadian Women of Note" was read by Mrs. G. Loucks. Misses Amy and Phyllis McClean supplied splendid music. A reading on "What is expected of an Institute member" was given by Mrs. S. Falls. Mrs. A. McGirr moved that the meeting adjourn. Lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. A. McGirr and Mrs. D. Cook.

Miss Birdie McClean is spending the winter months with her brother, Wilbert, on the farm.

Mrs. W. Artley of Meaford spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Mary Cook, who was ill for a few days.

Mr. Stanley Cornfield is helping his father take out logs in the Collingwood township near Ravenna.

Mr. John Thompson is home after working this past year with Mr. Lorne Curry.

## WALTERS FALLS

Have we some snow? Well, I should smile, but we can still see out of the top of the windows.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, the Meaford mail courier, are now living in Mr. Russ. Speck's house.

The Chatsworth school bus discontinued its daily trip last week, so that the various pupils, Misses A. Lemon, B. Shepherson, M. Hanna and I. Dixon are now sojourning in Chatsworth during the week.

The A.Y.P.A. held their last Thursday meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Seabrook, when weighty matters of undertaking were arranged.

The Women's Institute met last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clar. Seabrook for the January meeting. President in the chair, the meeting opened in the usual manner. About twenty-five members were present and answered the roll call with a ten cent collection. Proceeds of the Red Cross tag day amounted to over eight dollars, which was forwarded to headquarters. A lengthy discussion of more work took place and arrangements were made for making and quilting two quilts pending further instructions of necessary Red Cross work. A quilting and ten cent tea ar to be held at the home of Mrs. McDougal on Tuesday, Jan. 30th. Mrs. Acheson gave several recipes for appetite coaxers and Mrs. Hopkins demonstrated a hot supper dish which was quite tasty. A rather lengthy discussion took place about the supper for the February meeting, but on motion it was decided to hold a social evening in the hall on Feb. 21st for members and families. After singing the National Anthem lunch was served by Miss J. Wales, Mrs. R. Speck, Mrs. Morris Rennie and hostess. Misses H. Long and J. Wales were appointed respectively, president and secretary for the girls' meeting in March.

## Dogs At Large Menace To Sheep

Many sheep breeders in Canada are of the opinion that it is practically impossible to raise sheep profitably on account of the large number of dogs which are allowed to run at large. This they consider is serious in a country that uses more wool per capita than any other country and which in war time finds itself under the necessity of importing large quantities of wool for war contracts and for general use.

One farmer in Ontario reports losing 16 head of sheep killed by dogs in one night, another 11 head and others smaller numbers. As a result of the menace from dogs there has been a reduction of 75 per cent in the number of sheep raised in one district in which sheep are regarded as the best paying class of live stock. A similar statement might be made by groups of farmers in many sections or districts of the Dominion.

Unless something is done to lessen the danger from dogs it is certain fewer sheep will be raised. Such a

condition might not be regarded as serious in normal peace time but with a war on when wool is one of the most important agricultural commodities used exclusively for soldiers' clothing it is very dangerous. Then there are possibilities of lamb being required much more extensively in Canada to replace either bacon or beef. Sheep raisers throughout Canada are urging that legislation to deal with the menace be considered as a war time necessity by the Provincial Legislatures, so that more sheep and wool may be produced.

SHOP IN MARKDALE

## F. T. HILL & CO., Ltd., MARKDALE

# CLEAN SWEEP SALE

This is opportunity time at Hill's. Our large stock must be reduced and we are certainly making it worth your while to trade with us.

THE SAVINGS ARE REALLY WORTH WHILE

## Millinery Clearance

Our entire stock of Hats re-marked and placed on sale.

Lot No. 1 Each ... \$1.00 Lot No. 2 Each ... 50c

## Dress Specials

Clearance Line of Ladies' Crepe Dresses. Your choice 98¢

Out they go! One full rack of Ladies' Crepe and Rayon Dresses while they last. Your choice 69¢

Smart Styles in Ladies' Crepe Dresses. Reg. values to \$3.50. On sale at \$1.88

Women's Crepe Dresses. Sizes up to 52. Specially priced. Take your choice at \$2.88

20% Reduction on Our Entire Stock of Dresses. New styles and a Complete Range of sizes from which to choose.

Here is a Special you really cannot afford to miss. Right at the peak of the season we are offering you Smart New Styles in Ladies' Wool Dresses at greatly reduced prices. One whole rack of these dresses. Reg. values to \$5.95. On sale at \$1.49

## Ladies' Ready-to-Wear at Reduced Prices

On display in the Ready-to-Wear Department. One table of odd lines of merchandise and the prices are reduced to clear. Included in the assortment are—

- House Dresses ..... 49¢
- Ladies' Wool Skirts ..... \$1.00
- Ladies' Odd Coats ..... \$1.00
- Fur Muffs ..... \$1.00
- Ladies' Jackets ..... 59¢
- Women's Wool Dresses ..... 69¢
- Children's Skirts ..... 59¢

And many other lines that space does not permit to mention. Your inspection will be really worth while.

## Big Coat Specials

We have also reduced prices on our entire line of Coats. While the market prices are still advancing we are offering you this merchandise at prices you cannot afford to miss. Buy now and save.

## Bargains

for the Thrifty Shopper in our Dry Goods Dept.

Don't miss the bargain tables in the Dry Goods Dept. In this group is a table of assorted odd merchandise clearing at 25c and 2 for 25c.

There are also tables with such specials as—

- Terry Towels ..... 9¢ each
- Dish Towels ..... 9¢ each
- Assorted Face Powders . 2 for 25¢
- Assorted Lines Ladies' Corsets and Girdles ..... 39¢ each
- Ladies' Sweaters ..... 49¢

And many other lines at prices that will amaze you. This merchandise is marked away below wholesale prices and as the quantity is limited, Shop Early for Real Economy.

## Specials in Food Values

Choice Quality Golden Bantam Corn (truck upset) Reg. 12c . 4 for 25¢

Vitone (large tin) and 1 can Eggo Baking Powder. Reg. \$1.00 value. Special ..... Both for 79¢

Crosse & Blackwell's Celery and Chicken Soup (labels soiled). 10½ oz. tins ..... 6 for 25¢

Cooking Onions ..... 10 lbs. 18¢

Orange Marmalade, 32 oz. jar . 19¢

Last Chance! Peas, Corn and Tomatoes, reg. sizes ..... 3 for 25¢

Oranges (small size) .... 2 doz. 25¢

Prunes (medium size) ..... 10¢ lb.

Fine Coconut. Reg. 25c . 2 lbs. 19¢

## WHEN LONG LIFE COUNTS

## WHEN LOW COST COUNTS

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