

TUESDAY EVE, OCT. 20, 1874.

Resignation of the Rev. Dr. Barrie.
All our readers who are acquainted with the Rev. Dr. Barrie, will join us in expressing regret at the notice which appeared in our report of the proceedings of the Presbytery of Guelph, at their meeting in Elora, on the 12th inst. It is there stated that, in consequence of infirm health, the Doctor has tendered the demission of his charge in Eramosa. About a year and a half ago he was laid aside during some weeks from pastoral duty, and was under the treatment of Dr. Hercul, of this town. Having been restored, he resumed his ministerial labors, and continued uninterruptedly at them till towards the end of last month, when his trouble returned, and he was forced to absent himself from the pulpit. His medical adviser considering it hurtful to him to be actively employed, and other reasons presenting themselves, he resolved to lay his resignation in the hands of the Presbytery, and await the action usually taken in such cases. We hope his strength may yet be so far recovered that he will be able once more to make proof of his ministry, in which he has for a long period engaged.

We learn that Dr. Barrie came to Canada in 1841, and commenced his services in November of that year. For a year and two months he travelled through the vacancies of the United Secession Church, as it was then called, refusing invitations to a settled pastorate, because of the spiritual destitution that prevailed, and thinking he could be more extensively useful by itinerating than by entering upon a fixed charge. On the 2nd February, 1843, he was ordained in Eramosa, and on the following day, in the Irvine settlement, a few miles from the present thriving village of Elora, by the Missionary Presbytery of the United Secession Church, the two congregations forming a joint charge. He continued pastor of both till 1849, when, after his return from a visit to Scotland the preceding year, he was loosed from the congregation in the Irvine settlement, and confined to that in Eramosa, where a manse had been erected. At the date of his ordination the congregation in Eramosa numbered just thirty members. From the last information we have received, there are now upwards of one hundred and seventy. The addition made the first year was six.

According to the arrangements made at the time of his settlement, Eramosa was to have two successive Sabbaths' supply, and the other or third Sabbath was given to the Home Settlement. He was not long in Eramosa till the congregation at Guelph, connected with the same religious denomination, applied to him for an afternoon service on those days he was preaching at Eramosa, to which he agreed, and continued to give supply till 1846, when the congregation at Guelph called and procured a minister of their own.

All who are acquainted with Dr. Barrie know him to be a man of untiring energy and great force of character. He was abundant in labors, and was for a long time frequently away from home supplying spiritually destitute localities. Soon after his return from Scotland in 1848, he made a mission tour away to the north, through districts into which settlers were only beginning to enter, and he may be looked upon as the pioneer of the church in that quarter. His name is widely known, and he has endeavored himself to many a heart with whom he has sympathized, and whom he has encouraged in the trials peculiar to the early settler. Many a one will join with us in the desire that he may be restored to public usefulness, or that his life may be long spared, and rich comforts enjoyed in his declining years, although he should be laid aside from the work he loved so well, and in which he has been so long honored to be engaged.

FIRE IN MARYBORO.—On the night of Thursday, 8th inst., the house of Mr. Jas. Wilton, on the farm of Mr. Geo. Chaffey, Maryboro, was entirely destroyed by fire, together with all its contents. Mr. and Mrs. Wilton were from home and arrived too late to do anything towards saving the property. The house was a new one, Mr. Wilton having just got it finished and furnished entirely with new furniture. The loss is consequently a heavy one, there being no insurance upon the property.

PROVINCIAL PLOUGHING MATCH.—The Provincial Ploughing Match, for District No. 4 (the Western Section of the Province), is to be held on the farm of Jas. Rankin, Esq., Lot 35, of the 1st Con. of North Easthope, County of Perth, about three and a half miles East of the G. T. Station, Stratford, on Wednesday, the 28th inst., commencing at 9 o'clock precisely. It is open to all ploughmen in the Province; but competitors, from Counties which have not subscribed \$25 to the funds of the Match, will be charged an Entrance Fee of \$1. There are to be three classes of prizes. The first class is open to all ploughmen, the prizes being respectively, \$50, \$40, \$30, \$20 and \$10. The second class will be open to all who have never taken a prize at a Provincial Match, or a first prize at any County Match, the prizes being \$35, \$30, \$25, \$15 and \$10. The third class is open to boys under eighteen years of age, the prizes being \$25, \$20, \$16, \$12, \$10, \$8 and \$6. Entries must be made with Stewart Campbell, Esq., Secretary and Treasurer, Stratford, on or before the day of the Match.

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DRESSES.	SKIRTS.	SHAWLS.	JACKETS.
Lustres front 12½c	Wincey, from \$1.00	Heavy, plain colors, from \$2.50	Children's Black Cloth... \$.25
Home Spun (plain) 25	Quilted Lustre 1.62½	Tartan Plaids 2.50	" Velveteen 37½
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All wool, for 50	for Guelph.	Guelph.	

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Pattern Bonnets,
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SPECIALTIES

Black Lustres.—George Jeffrey, Sole agent for celebrated "Bear Brand." Our 25c cannot be equalled.
Black Silks.—Useful Glace, 75c; Ducape \$1; Drap de Lyons \$1.50; Bonnetts' \$2.
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We show this Week the Cheapest Lot of Goods ever before shown in Guelph

NOTE THE FOLLOWING PRICES:

500 pieces Fine Scoured Wincey at 10c, worth at least 15c. 10,000 pieces New Styles D.K. Prints, at 9c, worth 12c.
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With pleasure we inform the Ladies of Guelph that we have secured the valuable services of Miss Manny as principal in our Mantle Department. The name of Mes Marney is sufficient guarantee that the orders entrusted to her care will give eminent satisfaction.

Remember the Store—THE GOLDEN LION—where the once wonderful John Hogg was, and where the now wonderful J. D. WILLIAMSON is. Although unprincipled men have been trying to impose on the people that the Lion has been moved up street, the Lion is still in the old spot, next door to Mr. John Horsman's, Lower Wyndham street. Where the Lion is, there the Bargains are.

Golden Lion, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

J. D. WILLIAMSON.

TO THE PUBLIC!

JOHN HOGG'S

New Store is now fully opened, and has a Tremendous Rush of Customers.

No wonder the bargains that are given cannot fail to attract the attention of all classes of the community, the best value yet offered in Fancy and Staple Dry Goods in Guelph. Special value in Bed Blankets, Quilts, Sheetings, Table Linens, Towelings, Window Hollands, and Lace Curtains.

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Are specially inviting, and ladies intending to buy either of the above, will find an immense assortment of each, and at prices fully 25 per cent. under any house in the business in Guelph. It will afford me pleasure, to show these goods.

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Department is very fully stocked with every variety of the newest styles and designs, and the taste of intending purchasers, however varied, will easily be gratified. Prices extremely cheap.

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Is done on the premises, and will thereby afford to gentlemen desirous of procuring the best suit of any class of goods, made to their order, at the lowest price procurable in the Dominion. A first class cutter on hand at all business hours. All orders for clothing are guaranteed to fit, and sent to any part of Ontario. A marked saving will be effected by visiting my New Store.

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This Department is full to overflowing with every class of Overcoats, warmest Blanket Coats, Pea Jackets, Dress and Frock Coats, Shooting Coats, Pants and Vests, also suits to match. I need hardly say that I am determined to bring down the high prices that have hitherto been paid for Clothing, and the public may rest assured that no effort on my part will be wanting to regulate the Trade of the Dry Goods of Guelph. Call and be satisfied that my motto is quick sales, small profits, and ready money.

Ladies Shawls, Jackets, Polonaises, Jacket and Mantle Cloths, Satin and Lustre Skirts,

Are such as cannot but meet with the good taste of the ladies of Town and Country, and I feel that these goods have only to be seen in order to be appreciated.

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In all kinds, Scarlet, White, Welsh, Saxony, Shirting Flannels, Wincey Flannels, Tickings, Linens, Towels, Window Hollands, Small Wares, Haberdashery of every kind, are of such a character as to warrant a continuance of that liberal patronage bestowed on me by the inhabitants of Town and Country during my career in business here for the past twenty-one years, and I beg to give thanks for the very liberal support that I have had. Since opening my New Store I have been perfectly crowded from morning until night, and I am happy to say that the greatest satisfaction has been expressed at the extraordinary cheap prices that I ask, and for the best goods. I only seek the support of my old friends and customers, and the public may rest assured that the best goods will be offered to them, and at the lowest possible prices.

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These are really select patterns, and well worthy the inspection of those about to purchase.

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Guelph, Oct. 15, 1874.

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In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite the Market.
The room has just been refitted in splendid style, the tables reduced in size, and everything done to make it a first-class Billiard Hall.
Guelph, Nov. 3rd, 1873.

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