

SALE OF DAMAGED GOODS

AT THE GREAT BRITANNIA HOUSE!

COMMENCING ON SATURDAY, THE 19th DAY OF OCTOBER, 1872.

HEFFERNAN BROTHERS

Have just received a large consignment of New Goods damaged by water on board steamship "Vicksburg," which will be sold at Panic Prices.

LIST OF GOODS DAMAGED:

1459 pieces Hoyle's best Prints;
860 " Blue Navy Prints;

90 pieces Black Casban;
127 " Union and All-wool FLANNEL;
1278 yards of Fancy Dress Goods.

60 pieces Heavy Tweed;
2 bales of Factory Cotton;

These Goods, although badly wet by sea water, are not injured in quality, and will wash perfectly clean and new. First come gets the best choice.

REMEMBER THE DATE, SATURDAY, 19TH OCTOBER. POSITIVELY NO RESERVE. TERMS CASH.

HEFFERNAN BROTHERS,

NOTED FOR CHEAP DRY GOODS.

(18)

Britannia House, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Guelph Evening Mercury

MONDAY EVENING, OCT. 21, 1872

TO MABEL IN HEAVEN.

You passed away, O Mabel, like the dew of morning hours
That trembles on the thirsty grass, and gladdens all the flowers;
Ere your sweet young life was tainted by a breath of sin or care,
You left this weary world for realms all bright beyond compare.
But you left a heart, O Mabel, wrestling with such bitter woes
As only in this world of grief, a mother's heart can know.
Could she see a single moment all the blessings that are thine,
Made a star of light forever in the Saviour's crown divine,
Could she look upon the beauty of the dwellings of the blest,
Where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest,
I believe her lonely heart would cease its cry of longing wild,
And would sing: "I thank thee, Father, for thy goodness to my child."
O, I know her lonely heart would cease its cry of longing wild,
And would say: "I bless thee, Father, surely thou hast saved my child."
O, she knows the sea of sorrow woman's heart must battle through,
And she would not wish you, Mabel, on the dreary ocean too.
Soon her bark shall ride at anchor on the waters of the bay,
And you'll lead her through the pearly gates into the light of day.
Where not a breath of sin or care shall mar a single soul,
While the never-ending ages of eternity shall roll;
Where every spirit shall forget its cry of longing wild,
Where the child shall find its mother and the mother find her child,
Where the Father guards his children in the dwellings of the blest,
Where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest.
HENRY HAZLEWOOD.

The Foster Brother;

—OR—
The Orphan of the Wreck.

CHAPTER XXII.
A FOUL DEED—THE MISSING ONE.

"Captain Gibson," cried George in wildest horror, "forego your horrid purpose. Do not—oh, God, do not kill me."
For answer they dragged him forward with increased determination, and by the fenshish expression which he saw on both their faces the youth knew that they had resolved on his destruction. Convinced now that appeals would be useless, he ceased to make them, but a frenzy of soul supervened, which caused him to put forth a frantic effort to escape from their hands.

The love of life is strong in every man, and most so in the young and healthy, who have no affinity to death, but whose every hope and desire is in existence. This instinctive and deepest power of feeling in the soul leapt up into vehement exercise in George, and there ensued a struggle of the most desperate character—a silent, hard-breathing struggle of men whose last energies were staked on the issue.

Had George been uninjured when he began the contest his chance would have been good, for he was much younger and more active than his antagonists, but the blow which had a little before rendered him insensible had weakened him much, and though he was animated by the most powerful influence that can work in a human soul, he was placed at fearful disadvantages, and struggled with a blind, confused, ill-directed effort, which was in a sure way deciding the contest against him.

With a horrible sinking of soul, George realized this, and the bitterness of death came upon him, and during the few moments that he still continued desperately to struggle, the cruelty of his fate pressed upon his soul with acutest agony.

They had now borne him up against the frail rotten bars of the wooden enclosure, and beneath him he saw the black gulf of the shaft of the old mine, round which years ago the wooden bars had been placed as a protection both for man and animal. The mode of his death was here made clear to him. He was to be hurled to destruction down that black abyss—ashed to pieces in its unknown depths. With a shuddering groan he made a last despairing effort to escape, but his murderers on their side increased their endeavor, and pressed him ruthlessly against the wooden bars till they gave way with a crash and a suddenness which nearly precipitated all three forward into the shaft.

Stephen and Garrett saved themselves by bounding back. George, alas, fell inward, and clutched as the fall of one of the bars which still remained firm. He was now hanging over the abyss without foothold, and supported only by his arms. The bar, too, was frail as the rest, and he felt it cracking and yielding—the moment it gave way he must fall and perish.

"Break the bar," hissed Stephen, through his panting lips.

Nathan had already formed the intention of doing so, and with a fenshish glare

Buffalo Fancy



Robes, Robes.

HATS, CAPS AND FURS

D. BYRNE

HAS just received his Fall Stock of Hats, Caps, Ladies' and Gents' Furs, Buffalo Robes, Fancy Robes, Buck and Kid Gloves, &c. &c.

THE LARGEST & CHEAPEST STOCK

Ever Shown in Guelph.

Corner of Wyndham Street and Market Square.

Ladies' and Gents' Furs Altered and Repaired.

CASH FOR RAW FURS

Fall and Winter Goods.

ROBT. RAE & Co.

WILL SHOW DURING THE EXHIBITION WEEK A LARGE STOCK OF NEW GOODS CONSISTING IN PART OF

Crockery, China, Glassware,

LAMP GOODS,

FANCY GOODS, an immense variety,

Pocket and Table Cutlery, Plated Ware, [a splendid lot of New Cruets, Pickle Stands, &c. just received]

To all of which they invite the attention of Visitors to the Exhibition.

ROBERT RAE & Co.,

Importers, Alma Block.

Guelph, Sept. 27, 1872.

Ale, Porter, and Beer

SLEEMAN'S CELEBRATED

In Quarter and Half Barrels and Bottles.

Delivered in any part of the Town at Brewer's Prices.

HUGH WALKER,

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

Guelph, Oct. 1, 1872

NEW GROCERY STORE

Next to Petrie's Drug Store.

SCROGGIE & NEWTON

Big 1 announce to the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that they have just opened out an entirely new and carefully selected stock of first-class

Groceries, Glass, Crockery and Earthenware

WINE AND LIQUORS, &c.

Which they are prepared to sell at as low rates for cash as any other store in the town of Guelph.

CHOICE TEAS, comprising all the favorite brands

NEW FRUITS

TOBACCOES, smoking and chewing.

WINE AND LIQUORS.—The finest Port and Sherry

Wines, Brandies, Rum, Gin, Ale and Porter. The finest

Bye, Malt and Toddy Whiskies.

The public generally are cordially invited to call and examine our Stock. Goods, as we are confident that they can be supplied at our Store with as good and as cheap articles as can be found in any other establishment in town.

SCROGGIE & NEWTON

TO SPORTSMEN.

USE ONLY

GOULD'S MAGIC RIFLE CLEANER,

For instantly cleaning Rifles and Sporting Guns, and removing Fouling and Lead-ing, rendering unnecessary the dirty and laborious process of washing with water. For sale at

Petrie's Drug Store.

TO FARMERS.

If your Horses are troubled with Coughs or Colds, get

French's Horse Powders

At once.—They are the best for that purpose, giving instant relief. As a condition medicine they are unequalled. Prepared and sold by A. B. PETRIE.

IN LARGE SUPPLY

At PETRIE'S Drug Store, the

YORKSHIRE

CATTLE FEEDER

AND SIMPSON'S

CATTLE SPICE

USE

Petrie's Stove Polish

To Beautify Chimney Corners, Stove Pipes, Iron Works, Tin, Wood, &c.,

FREE FROM SMELL.

THE BEST LINIMENT IN USE,

The Wellington Oil,

PREPARED BY

A. B. PETRIE, CHEMIST, GUELPH.

FALL and WINTER

New Dry Goods!

WM. STEWART

Is now opening a large, varied, and most complete stock of New Dry Goods. Many lines were bought much under present values:

4000 yds Plain and Fancy

Winceys,

a job lot, from 10c to 25c

6400 yds Factory Cotton

slightly damaged by fresh water, price 8c to 10c, value 10c to 12c.

DRESS GOODS

A SPECIALITY

Now in stock over 10,000 yards Rich and Rare Dress Goods, embracing all the latest productions of the Looms of Britain and the Continent for the coming season.

See windows this day.

WM. STEWART.

Guelph, Sept. 13, 1872

PARKERS HOTEL,

DIRECTLY—

OPPOSITE the MARKET, GUELPH

First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an attentive

hostler.

The best Liquors and Cigars at the bar.

JAMES PARKER, Proprietor.

GOLDEN LION



NEW FALL & WINTER GOODS

500 Cases and Bales Just Received!

COMPRISING:

- 100 bales of Carpets,
- 100 bales of White Cottons,
- 100 bales of Factories,
- 12 cases of Black Silks,
- 13 cases of Black Lustres,
- 13 cases of Black Cobourgs,
- 12 cases of Black Sarmattas,
- 15 cases of Ready-made Clothing,
- 12 cases of Yorkshire Fancy Trouserings,
- 10 cases of Black Cassimeres,
- 10 cases of West of England Broadcloaths,
- 10 cases of Gents Shirts, Collars, Ties and Braces,
- 93 cases of Fancy Stuffs and Haberdashery.

500 cases and bales expected next week, comprising Fancy Dresses, Silks, Merinoes, Hats, Mantles, Bonnets, Shawls, Blankets, Flannels, Gloves, Hosiery, &c., the Largest and Best Assorted Stock of Dry Goods ever imported to Guelph.

CHANGE & WILLIAMSON,

GOLDEN LION,
THE ONLY DIRECT DRY GOODS IMPORTERS IN GUELPH.
Wyndham Street, Guelph, September 12, 1872

G. B. FRASER,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

OPENED OUT AT G. B. FRASER'S, A Full Assortment of MOURNING GOODS, SUITABLE FOR FALL AND WINTER WEAR.

- Black Grape Cloths,
 - Black Repps,
 - Black double warp Lustres,
 - Black Henrietta Cloths,
 - Black Cobourgs,
 - Black French Merinoes.
- The new style Black Fauxmatta suits, each Merinoes in wear, and at half the price.
- Courts' Black Crapes, on which rain or damp has no effect.
- Samples sent free of charge throughout Ontario.

Direct Importer of Dry Goods

Ex. Steamship St. David, From Glasgow.

- 2 cases Aberdeen Winceys,
 - 1 " Paisley Shawls,
 - 1 " Wool Shawls,
 - 1 " Balmoral Skirtings.
- Ex. S. S. Sarmatian From Liverpool.
- 2 cases Dress Goods,
 - 3 cases Flannels,
 - 3 bales Blankets,
 - 1 case French Merinoes,
 - 1 case French Kid Gloves.
- Just opened and for sale at G. B. FRASER'S, Direct Importer, Guelph.

and Family Groceries, Wyndham Street, Guelph.
Guelph, September 2, 1872

ONTARIO COAL YARDS.

MURTON & REID
Have received and are receiving a large stock of Delaware, Lackawanna and Western R. R. Co's COAL of all sizes.

COAL, STEVE AND CHESTER, IN FIRST-RATE CONDITION, CLEAN AND DRY.

This Coal, for general use, is the best article in the market—low for cash.

All other Coals, such as Briar Hill, Mount Morris, Lehigh and Blossburg, in large quantities. Order early and secure your stock at present prices.

Office—James Street, one door south of the Canada Life Assurance Co., Hamilton.
GEO. MURTON, Agent at Guelph.

JOHN KIRKHAM,
Silver Plater and Brass Finisher.
All orders promptly attended to. Shop—opposite Chalmers' Church, Quebec Street, Guelph.

GUELPH PUMP FACTORY.

The undersigned begs to inform the public that he has now fitted up his new shop in the most complete manner, and has on hand a large stock of Pump timber. He is prepared to make to order, and furnish on the shortest notice, pumps of superior quality of all kinds.

Having had long experience in the trade he feels sure that he can turn out work to the satisfaction of the public.

All orders for new pumps or repairs promptly attended to.

Remember the factory, on the banks of the Speed, near the Erasmus Bridge, and directly opposite the new English Church.

Guelph, Aug 12th 1872
E. STOVELL,
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F. STURDY,
House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter
GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER.
Shop next to the W. C. Hotel, Wyndham Street, Guelph.