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HEFFERNAN BROTHERS.

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GREAT BRITANNIA HOUSE, WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

FALL AND WINTER IMPORTATIONS AT THE MAMMOTH CHEAP STORE!

Announcement Extraordinary! Unrivalled Success! Unequalled Display! Competition Defeated!

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF DRY GOODS TO SELECT FROM!

Heffernan Brothers have great pleasure in announcing to their patrons that, in view of the great advance which they knew must inevitably take place in the price of woollen Goods they were careful to place their orders with the leading European and Canadian manufacturers fully three months in advance of any house west of Toronto, and by means of a large cash capital have been able to make special and most advantageous terms, and are now prepared to show a large and magnificent assortment of NEW DRY GOODS AT OLD PRICES.

CATALOGUE:

We here give a short catalogue of prices in a few of the leading departments, but for a full and correct idea of the immensity of the stock and the unparalleled low prices of goods we invite every one to call and inspect the stock. One visit to our Mammoth Establishment will convince even the most incredulous that Heffernan Brothers advertise facts only, and that the Britannia House is beyond doubt the cheapest store in Western Canada.

- Plain and Fancy Dress Goods at 12½c, 15c and 20c per yd, worth 20c, 25c and 30c.
- A strong heavy Winsey at a York Shilling per yd, sold elsewhere at 20c.
- 500 lbs. of Wool Nubias, bought at auction—the best value in Canada;
- Factory Cottons at 10c and 12c., extra quality;
- 3 bales of Damaged Factories at 11c per yd, worth 15c.;
- 3 bales of Damaged Cottons at 6c per yd, worth double the money;
- 10 bales of Canadian Blankets at less than last year's prices;
- A beautiful lot of Canada Tweeds at 50c, 75c, and \$1 per yard, very cheap.

An Immense Stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING, in Mens', Youths' and Boys' sizes;

As all our Clothing is MANUFACTURED ON THE PREMISES, we can guarantee that it is well made and properly trimmed.

MILLINERY AND MANTLE SHOW ROOMS!

We are now opening a Gorgeous Stock of Millinery and Fancy Goods received direct from Paris, London and New York. Our Show Rooms will be open in a few days, when we show a display of fashion never before equalled in Guelph.

Remember the Great Britannia House, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

GUELPH, SEPT. 16, 1872.

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(NOTED FOR CHEAP DRY GOODS.)

HEFFERNAN BROTHERS.

Guelph Evening Mercury

THURSDAY EVENING, SEPT. 26, 1872

The Foster Brother;

—OR—
The Orphan of the Wreck.

CHAPTER XIX.

LOVE REVEALS ITSELF—A DISCREETABLE INTERRUPTION—THE OUTCAST.

"Wrong, George—wrong to give me your love, to bestow upon me the affection of your noble heart, to let the high thoughts of your great nature light on my poor, simple self! Hush! my whole soul throbs with pride at knowing I have won the love of so exalted a soul. You say you are poor. No, George, you are rich—oh! richer far than earthly wealth can measure."

"Yet earthly wealth is the only measure which the world applies, and I have none of it," said George, bitterly. "If I had, I might weigh myself in the scale against this possessor of Carsevale, and win you from him even with your father's will; but, God help me, I am penniless—may, worse than penniless, for even an honourable birth I cannot show. Oh, Lillias, this revelation of our love overwhelms me with misery and remorse. In my own eyes, I am a villain. What, then, must I appear in the eyes of others?"

"No, no," cried Lillias, vehemently. "I alone am to blame, if blame there is at all. It was who led the way to this, and with such seeming freedom that, with your present knowledge, you must deem me shamefully imprudent. But ere long you shall know what will explain all this, only do not charge yourself, George, with any blame, for I cannot bear it, knowing how perfectly innocent you are."

"Perhaps, my darling, in the deepest and truest sense you are right," he whispered. "In the divine light, I believe, neither of us is to blame. We have but obeyed the instincts of our nature. Our hearts and souls discovered each other; they were truly mated, and that holy law of affinity which God has set upon His universe drew us to each other. We could have resisted only by doing violence to our deepest feelings, and we find ourselves in sorrow now only because false views and desires sway and govern others. But, alas! they who hold these false views, and are governed by them, are stronger than we. Stronger, did I say? Oh, heaven, must we realize this? Is there no hope of escape for us? Will an appeal to your father be in vain? Must you be sacrificed? Oh, Lillias, I cannot, cannot believe it. Has heaven permitted our meeting, and our hearts to twine round each other, only to blight our being? I cannot think this—no, no, it cannot, must not be. You must never marry Duncan Ralston."

"Heaven grant it," said Lillias fervently, as with a shudder she clung close to him and sighed heavily. "Vile wretch!" thundered a furious voice in their ears, and at the same moment a shadow darkened the arbour, and a man burst in and laid a terrible grip on George's shoulder.

Lillias uttered a piercing scream as she recognized her father. Stephen Gibson stood glaring for some moments in speechless rage at the youth whose arm he held, the intensity of his wrath being too great to allow him to speak, but that wrath being fully displayed in his distorted countenance.

Outside the arbour in the moonlight stood Nathan Garrett watching the scene. He it was who had brought Captain Gibson there. It chanced that he was passing near to the arbour on his way across the park, when his attention was attracted by the sound of the lovers' voices. His curiosity was roused thereby, and, without the slightest hesitation, he crept noiselessly forward under the shadow of the trees to learn who the speakers were, and with what object they were conversing. He at once set them down for lovers, but supposed it to be some of the servants. His amazement may therefore be imagined when, on thrusting his face round the corner of the nearest tree, and obtaining a view of the front of the arbour, he saw seated therein George and Lillias. A moment or two of eavesdropping satisfied him as to the true state of the case; and drawing cautiously back, he made straight for the mansion, and informed Stephen Gibson of what he had seen and heard.

The Captain's amazement and anger are not to be described. Rushing into the hall, he seized his hat, and issued forth, accompanied by Garrett, and together they approached the vicinity of the arbour, where the lovers still remained, absorbed in their conversation. At Nathan's suggestion, Stephen stood for a minute, and heard enough to let him understand the truth; then he sprang into the arbour with the exclamation and in a manner we have recorded.

"Foster—traitor—scoundrel!" he hissed, the moment his power of speech returned, and as he spoke he attempted to drag George from the arbour.

AT ANDERSON'S,

Opposite the Market.

Will be found a large and cheap assortment of

School Books

Text Books

Geography's

Drawing Books

" Slates

" Cards

Pens

Inks,

School Stationery,

Book-keeping Books

Exercise

Copy

School Satchels

ANDERSON'S CELEBRATED

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The Biggest and Best in the Market.

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Cheap Book, Stationery and News Depot,

OPPOSITE THE MARKET

GUELPH

Guelph Sep 19, 1872

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Below the usual price

—AT—

DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

Owing to the Large Stock

of Goods now on hand, and

having no room for the new

Goods daily arriving, Wall

Paper will be cleared out at

Cost.

Choice Patterns at Cost,

and old ones at any price.

Good Housekeepers and

close buyers will come first

and have their pick.

DAY'S BOOKSTORE,

WYNDHAM ST.,

GUELPH.

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.

530 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.

CHANCE & WILLIAMSON,

GOLDEN LION,

THE ONLY DIRECT DRY GOODS IMPORTERS IN GUELPH.

Wyndham Street, Guelph, September 12, 1872. dw

HATS

JUST ARRIVED.

A SPLENDID STOCK OF

HATS AND CAPS

ALL THE NEWEST STYLES

AT JAMES CORMACK'S,

No. 1, Wyndham Street.

CAPS

GUELPH TEA DEPOT

E. O'DONNELL & Co.

ARE SELLING

- THE BEST YOUNG HYSOON DOLLAR TEA for 80c per lb
- A BEAUTIFUL GUNPOWDER TEA for 70c per lb
- A FIRST RATE YOUNG HYSOON TEA for 60c per lb
- A VERY GOOD GREEN TEA for 40c per lb
- A NICE SWEET DRAWING BLACK TEA for 50c per lb
- THE BEST BLACK TEA IMPORTED for 75c per lb

SUGARS, SUGARS!

Sugars will be higher very soon, but we will sell Eleven pounds for \$ for a few days, so lay in your stock for preserving while you can get it cheap

Raisins, Currants, Cheese, Tobacco, Syrups, Brandies, Wines, Whiskies, Cigars,

And everything in the Grocery Line cheap, and will be delivered free of charge to any part of the Town, or to the Stations.

E. O'DONNELL & CO.

Guelph, Sept 11, 1872

dw

Wyndham Street, Guelph.

DOMINION

Boot and Shoe Store.

Noted for Cheap Boots and Shoes.

A large stock constantly on hand, selling CHEAP FOR CASH.

The subscriber would call attention to his present stock of Ladies' French, Kid and Morocco, &c., embracing some of the latest styles of the season.

ALL KINDS OF CUSTOM WORK

Under the superintendence of Mr. ALLEN. All work warranted to give satisfaction in point of material and workmanship. Remember the address—

WM. TAWSE,

Dominion Boot and Shoe Store,

Opposite the Market House.

Guelph, July 10, 1872. dwif

WHOLESALE

Flour and Feed Store.

The undersigned be to notify the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that they have entered into partnership, and have opened a Flour and Feed Store

In the premises formerly occupied by the late John Stewart,

On Macdonnell Street,

Where they hope by strict attention to business, and the wants of the public to merit a share of patronage.

Flour and Feed of all kinds kept constantly on hand, and delivered to any part of the Town free of charge.

N. B.—Cash paid for

WOOL, SKINS, HIDES & PRODUCE

OF ALL KINDS.

Goods and produce stored at moderate rates.

JAMES HEWER & CO.

JAMES HEWER Guelph, Sept. 6, 1872. ISAAC B. SHANTZ Guelph, Sept. 6, 1872. dwim

NEW FANCY STORE,

Upper Wyndham Street,

Next door to Mr. Naismith's.

Mrs. WINSTANLEY

Begs to inform her friends and the public that she has opened a Fancy Store on Upper Wyndham Street, where she will constantly have on hand a variety of

Trimmings, Berlin Wool, Needles, Pins, Tapes, Chignons, Writing Paper, Envelopes, etc. etc.

Mrs. Winstanley has also opened a

Registry Office for Servants

AND A LENDING LIBRARY.

Guelph, May 27, 1872. dw

BASE BALL STORE.

Headquarters of the Maple Leaf

Base Ball Club.

THE ONLY STORE PATRONIZED BY THE CHAMPIONS.

The subscriber begs to inform the public that he has opened a store for the sale of every description of

Base Ball Supplies.

SOLE AGENT FOR THE

RYAN DEAD BALL

IN THE DOMINION.

The only ball used in the United States Championship games.

DEALERS LIBERALLY DEALT WITH

Having played last Season with the Professional Red Stockings, of Boston, feels satisfied that by his knowledge of the game and its requirements, he can meet the wants of all purchasers.

The best brands of Cigars and Tobaccos

Can be found at his store.

SAMUEL JACKSON, West Market Square Guelph, June 20th, 1872. dtf

GOLDIE & CO'S

STEAM

DYE WORKS

We beg to inform our numerous patrons and the public in general, that we have made improvements in our machinery, and by the aid of steam we are prepared to turn out all work on the shortest notice.

All kinds of Ladies or Gents' Clothes Cleaned or Dyed.

All kinds of Woollen, Silk, or Cotton Goods cleaned or dyed. Kid Gloves cleaned or dyed. Feathers cleaned, dyed and curled. Berlin and other Woods dyed. Give us a call, and bring your goods, and you can get any shade of color desired. All work warranted to give satisfaction. No Humbug.

GOLDIE & CO'S Steam Dying and Scouring Works, Upper Wyndham St., near the Alma Block, Guelph, July 27, 1872. dw2m

FANS! FANS! FANS!

A Splendid Line at J. HUNTER'S

Chignons, Hair Braids

Coronets, Switches,

Hair Nets,

The best assortment west of Toronto, At J. HUNTER'S

For Ladies Underclothing, Corsets and Hosiery, Infant's Bands, Robes, all kinds of Woods, Braids, Laces, Flosses and Trimmings, Ruffles, Edgings, Embroidered Muslins, &c., there is no place equal to J. HUNTER'S.

Branch of Madame Demorest's Emporium of Fashion. A complete assortment of reliable Patterns always in stock, and sent post-free to any address.

Small Wares and Toys

In great variety. Balls, Bats, Walking sticks and Cane, Jet, Rubber and Plated Jewellery, STAMPING, over 1000 designs, for Braiding and Embroidery.

JOHN HUNTER, Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store, Wyndham Street, Guelph, June 21, 1872. dw

AT R. CRAWFORD'S

Jewellery Store,

NEXT THE POST OFFICE,

YOU CAN GET AT REDUCED PRICES

Elgin Watches, Waltham Watches, English Levers, Detached Levers, Clocks in every style.

Gold and Silver Chains, Gold Sets, Brooch and Ear Rings, Finger Rings, Plated Jewellery in every variety, having resolved to go into the

Manufacture of Watches

As soon as the stock is sold out.

Special attention given to

Fixing Watches, Clocks & Jewellery

Which will be carried on to a greater extent than ever, and at the old prices. Gold and Silver Plating done on the premises. Observe the address—

Next to Post Office. Guelph, Aug. 26, 1872. dw

DUIGNAN'S PUBLIC CAB.

The Subscriber begs to inform the people of Guelph that he has purchased a handsome and commodious Cab, which will always be at their service.

He will be at the Railway Stations on the arrival of all trains.

Parties wishing to hire by the hour or otherwise will be charged the most reasonable rates.

As he will make it his study to see to the comfort of all passengers he hopes to receive a share of public patronage.

Orders left at the Express Office, Mr. Hugh Walker's, and at the Post Office will be promptly attended to.

Sept. 4, 1871. do JOHN DUIGNAN

SODEN'S PUBLIC CAB.

The subscriber having purchased Mr. D. Coffey's splendid Cab, begs to inform the public that it will be at their service at all times, either by the hour, the day, or any other way, at the most moderate charges.

It will attend all the regular trains, as well as the special trains, and can be engaged for Marriages or Funerals on the shortest notice. Orders kindly permitted at Mr. Harvey's Drug Store, Parker's Hotel, and Flower's Western Hotel.

A careful and steady driver always with the Cab. A share of public patronage respectfully solicited.

Orders may also be left at the former's Grocery Store, Upper Wyndham Street. Oct. 19, 1871. dtf B. SODEN