

TRUMPS.

BY NATHAN D. USNER. A much grimed face though rosy red; A boy's slight form, though ragged and rough.

The Rival Glansmen

A Scottish Vendetta. CHAPTER XVIII. PLANNING A MIDNIGHT ATTACK—A TERRIBLE MOMENT.

About ten days afterwards, the inmates of Castle M'Leod were on the eve of a great event.

During the first day or two after Jeanie and Ned Gordon's departure, they had suffered much anxiety lest the M'Kenzie's or the Ceterans of Ben-a-Churi should make an attack upon the Castle.

But as the day wore on and everything remained quiet and tranquil the anxiety became less irksome, though they did not relax their watchfulness.

And perhaps she had reasoned truly upon the matter, as she had that afternoon, with her arms clasped lovingly around Hector's neck, said, with a deep sigh and with more of a mournful tone of voice than might have been expected on such an occasion—

"I know not why it is, dearest, but there seems to be a strange misgiving at my heart to-night. All along I have considered it as extremely probable that my uncle and Ian would make an attempt to get me before I become legally yours.

"Fear not, my Flora," was the reply of Hector. "Let me tell you that one great cause of your fear is groundless. You forget that it has been kept a secret within the Castle when the marriage is to take place, so they cannot possibly know it.

The lovers were seated by themselves in a room of the Castle which commanded an extensive view to the south. It was late in the afternoon of a cold November day, and the mountains and hills and glens, as far as eye could reach, were clad with snow.

They had retired together to talk over the joys awaiting them, and which the ceremony of the approaching day was to inaugurate.

Hartford, Conn., thinks the name New Haven, should be written "new haven," as it is without any capital now.

BREAKFAST.—Epps's Cocoa.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills."

INNOVATION comes from Lima, Peru, in regard to a most extraordinary public entertainment which has been recently given in that city by an Italian named Contarini.



GREAT MAMMOTH SALE

GEORGE JEFFREY, WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH,

Offers the Balance of his Stock of

Fancy and Staple Dry Goods at an Immense Reduction!

Previous to Stock-taking. Everything must be Cleared Out before the 1st of March.

Remnants of Table Linens, Remnants of Prints, Remnants of Sheetings, Remnants of Towellings, Remnants of White Cottons,

TO BE RUSHED OFF AT ANY PRICE!

FURS

This is the last chance for Cheap Furs, as the balance must be disposed of regardless of cost.—A few of these Cheap Dress Goods still on hand, but going fast. Remember this is the Great Remnant Sale of the Season.

FURS

GEORGE JEFFREY, GUELPH

ALTERATION OF PREMISES

GOODS SELLING

REGARDLESS OF COST.

RICHARD CLAYTON

IN ORDER TO CLEAR OUT THE BALANCE OF HIS IMMENSE STOCK OF

DRY GOODS

"HAS RESOLVED"

On and after Saturday, the 3rd of January, 1874,

TO OFFER FOR ONE MONTH HIS ENTIRE STOCK

REGARDLESS OF COST

THE GOODS HAVE ALL BEEN BOUGHT AT THE LOWEST CASUAL PRICES, AND IT WILL WELL REPAY ANY ONE TO

SEE OUR GOODS BEFORE PURCHASING.

NOTE THE FOLLOWING LINES:

- Good Factory Cotton for 9 cents; Good Bleached Cotton for 8 cents; Horrockses Cotton for 10 cents. See them Scarlet Flannel for 23 cents. White Flannel for 25 cents. Shirting Flannels, good patterns, for 26 cents a yard, well worth 45 cents. Wineys for 9c, rare value.

Dress Goods in Endless Variety at any price.

MANTLES AND SHAWLS WILL BE SOLD TO SUIT EVERY ONE.

- BLANKETS, SHEETINGS, QUILTS, LACE CURTAINS, WINDOW HOLLANDS, CLOUDS, BREAKFAST SHAWLS, CROSSOVERS, &c. &c. &c.

Ladies, the above Goods can all be seen by calling at

THE CASH STORE,

Upper Wyndham Street.

No goods advertised but can be seen. Give us a call.

RICHARD CLAYTON,

Guelph, Jan. 3, 1874

UPPER WYNDHAM STREET.

JACKSON & HALLETT,

IMPORTERS,

Wholesale and Retail Grocers, etc.

New Fruits, Teas, Coffees

Etc., Crop 1873, comprising

- New Table Raisins, New Valencia Raisins, New Currants, New Figs, Almonds, Nuts, etc.

TEAS, TEAS.

- Choice Gey powder Tea at 50 cents per lb. Choice Young Hyson Tea at 50 cents per lb. Superior Young Hyson Tea at 75 cents per lb. Finest Young Hyson Tea at \$1 per lb. Choice Fresh Black Teas at 50 cents per lb. Finest Fresh Black Teas at 75 cents per lb. Selected Japan Teas at 75 cents per lb.

Reduction to parties taking a box. Also, our own importations of genuine Brandy, Wines, Scotch and Irish Whiskies wholesale and retail.

JACKSON & HALLETT,

Lower Wyndham-street, Guelph.

Guelph, 1873

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A LARGE STOCK OF

MEN'S

Felt OVERSHOES

—AT—

\$1.25 PER PAIR.

Call early, as they are going fast.

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Corner Wyndham Street and St. George's Square, GUELPH.

Leaving Town—Bound for the West, the Great Northwest. \$15,000 worth of Dry Goods and Groceries to be disposed of in six weeks. MR. G. B. FRASER. Bating about to leave Guelph to seek a home in the Far West, would cordially thank his many kind friends for their continued patronage for the past fifteen years, and as he is likely to be but a short time longer in their midst, his Stock will consequently be sold off at such Bargains as will ensure a speedy sale. Merchants will find it to their advantage to sort up, as many of the Goods will be sold 15 to 20 per cent. below Toronto or Montreal Wholesale prices. All goods will be marked in plain figures, and sold at cost. No account price will be made. A special discount will be allowed on purchases over \$25. This sale is genuine, the proprietor having to give up possession of his store on the 1st of May next.

C. E. PEIRCE & CO. Elephant Clothing Store.

OVERCOATS

In all Shades and Prices!

Undercoats, Pants and Vests.

Our Stock of Men's and Boys' Underwear excels anything yet seen.

ALL STYLES IN HATS AND CAPS.

Low Prices. Come and See Us.

C. E. PEIRCE & CO.,

Hepburn's Old Stand, Wyndham-st., Guelph.

FIRST PRIZE BISCUITS

JAMES MASSIE,

Manufacturer of

CHOICE CONFECTIONERY AND BISCUITS,

Alma Block, Guelph.

Invites the attention of the Trade to the Superior Quality of Goods now produced at the Manufacturer. Having introduced many new improvements, and employing only first-class workmen, and possessing every facility, he is prepared to supply the trade with a class of goods unsurpassed by any manufacturer in

- OZENGES, all flavors; DROPS, assorted flavors and shapes; GUM and LICORICE DROPS, CONVERSATION LOZENGES, MOULDED SWEETS, new patterns; SODA, SWEET and FRUIT BISCUITS, FRUIT BISCUITS, GINGER NUTS, CHEWING GUM, ROCK CANDY, LICORICE.

A Large Stock of Choice and Favorite Brand Cigars.

His Biscuits took the first prize over all others at the London Western, &c. (this year) the only place where they were entered for competition. All Goods are retailed packed and shipped with despatch.

GUELPH TEA DEPOT

E. O'DONNELL & Co.

Are making a noise among the Grocers

- 100 boxes new Valencia Raisins, first of the season, 75 splendid Ingersol Cheese, 10 hhdgs of Good Sugar at 13lb. for \$1. 15 sacks best Mocha Coffee, 15 sacks of the Finest Java Coffee, 18 sacks of the best Rio Coffee at 30c.

TEAS FINE AND SWEET

600 Caddies of the Best Dollar Green Tea for 80c., in any quantity.

A few Packages of very fine Black and Japan Tea for 75 cents per lb.

500 Barrels of the Best Salt at \$1.20 per barrel.

It will pay anybody to look in and see the large variety of fine Teas and General Groceries at

E. O'DONNELL & CO

NOTICE.

JAMES CORNACK, Tailor and Clothier.

No. 1, Wyndham Street. Has now on hand a superior stock of FRENCH, SCOTCH, ENGLISH —AND— CANADIAN

WOOLLENS

Suitable for the Fall and Winter.

FRENCH COATINGS

A specialty this Season.

At 1 & J. Andrews' FANCY STORE,

OPPOSITE THE MARKET.

GREAT CHEAP SALE

At I. & J. Andrews' FANCY STORE, OPPOSITE THE MARKET.

CONSISTING OF SLIPPER PATTERNS Toys, Dolls, and a general stock of

FANCY GOODS.

BERLIN WOOLS IN ALL SHADES

All of which will be sold at and below cost. Orders received for Hair Jewellery. I. & J. ANDREWS, Guelph, Jan. 15th, 1874.

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ROBERTSON BROS., SOLE AGENTS

Dealers in Goldie's and Armstrong's Flour, Gilmour Flour, Buckwheat Flour, Corn Flour, Cracked Wheat, Oatmeal, and Feed of all kinds. Delivered free to any part of the Town.

Do not forget the brand, Red Mill Flour and Feed Store, opposite Alma Block, Wyndham St., Guelph.

PARKER'S HOTEL, —DIRECTLY—

OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH

First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an attentive hostler. The best Linens and Cigars at the bar. He has just fitted up a room where Oysters will be served up at all hours, in the favorite style. Pickled Salmon, Lobsters and Sardines Guelph, Feb. 1, 1873