

THE DYING SON.

"Open now the window, mother: For my life is waning fast, I would see the sunlight, mother, Look upon it while it lasts: For my eyes are growing weaker— I shall carry but a spell, Let me see its golden beauty Ere I go to Heaven to dwell.

"LITTLE FOLK."

Little hands clapping with gladness and glee, Little hearts thoughtless, and careless, and free, Little eyes beaming with joy and delight, Little ones—all of them—merry and bright

THE OLD STORY.

A little boat on a rippling tide, Lightly fitted and lily sailing, A gentle breeze from the drifting sand, The boat strikes in, and the ropes are straining.

ANNABEL

THE TEMPTATION.

CHAPTER XIV.

MRS. LANGTON DEVISES A SUBTLE TRICK, WHICH MEETS THE APPROBATION OF BARNARD HAYES, AND OPERATIONS ARE BEGUN TO CARRY IT OUT.

"Nothing will prevent suspicion if she is able to recognise him. And to obviate the possibility of such a thing too early, we must manage it so that she does not see him before she leaves England, and as little as possible during the journey.

NEW AND SEASONABLE HARDWARE.

SPADES AND SHOVELS LADIES SPADES GARDEN TOOLS IN SETS GARDEN LINES GARDEN REELS PRUNING SAWS GARDEN HOES HEDGE SHEARS GRASS EDGING SHEARS PRUNING KNIVES GARDEN TROWELS BILL HOOKS EDGING KNIVES RUBBING KNIVES WEED HOOKS

SMOKERS.

Use the "Myrtle Navy." See T. & B. on each plug. Price so low that all can use it.

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OVER TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY PIECES OF McNAUGHTAN & THOM'S BEST PRINTS

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All Wool TWEEDS from 50 cents.

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The Cheapest and Newest. Prices to suit everyone.

WM. STEWART.

Guelph, Dec. 12, 1872

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Is going on lively at the old stand, Wyndham St.

BOOTS AND SHOES

Belonging to the Insolvent Estate of John A. McMillan is being sold at a tremendous sacrifice. Large additions have been made from the Insolvent's store in Collingwood, and the whole must be sold off without reserve to wind up the Estate.

The Entire Stock of Machinery

Consisting of Sewing, Pegging, Eyelting and Splitting Machines. Also, a large number of Sole Dies, which will be sold very cheap.

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ALL the NOVELTIES of THE SEASON!

French Pattern Bonnets, French Pattern Hats, MANTLES,

JACKETS, COSTUMES, &c.,

AT MODERATE PRICES.

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For THE SICK ROOM

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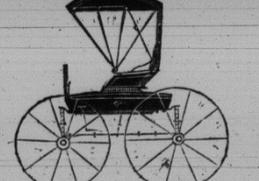
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Gold and Silver Watches, Chains, Brooches, Rings, &c. Hair Plate and Device Work. Clocks and Time pieces. Jewelry repaired and made to order. Plated Goods in variety. Guelph, Feb. 12, 1873.



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Call and see the style and finish and ascertain the prices of our work, and you will be satisfied that this is the place to buy.

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The undersigned having opened a Coal Yard in Guelph is prepared to furnish all kinds of

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At moderate prices. Orders left at the store of John A. Wood, Upper Wyndham Street, will be promptly attended to.

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

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