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ON SATURDAY NEXT, FEB. 1ST.,

TO SELL AT AND UNDER COST THE WHOLE OF THEIR

IMMENSE STOCK OF WINTER DRY GOODS,

Consisting of the best assorted, most carefully selected, and closest bought Stock of Dry Goods ever shown in Guelph. HEFFERNAN BROTHERS, elated by the success which invariably attends their Cheap Sales, are determined to make this a crowning success, to effect which

Every Article will be Marked at and Under Original Cost Price.

POSITIVELY IN NO INSTANCE WILL MORE THAN COST PRICE BE CHARGED.

Dress Goods and Dress Trimmings, Shawls, Jackets, Shirtings, Hosiery, Gloves, Laces, Ribbons, &c.,

Carpets, Damasks, Lace and Lena Curtains, Fringes, Toilet covers, &c.

Readymade Clothing and Millinery, all to be Cleared Out by the 1st day of March, next.

Terms Cash. All Goods booked will be charged the usual price.

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Splendid Bargains!

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Guelph Evening Mercury

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 12, 1873.

ANNABEL

OR THE TEMPTATION.

CHAPTER V.

AN UNLOOKED-FOR MEETING—HAPPY NEWS FOR ANNABEL—STRANGE DEPARTURE—BRIGHT PROSPECTS—THE UNSEEN SHADOW.

"Hurray! that's rare good news," cried Jim, enthusiastically. "I'm as glad as if I had gotten a thousand pounds. I'll drink the old gentleman's health in a pot of porter at dinner. And what department is your situation in, sir?"

"I am to be manager of the American business."

"The what?" exclaimed Jim, leaving nearly his own height. "The American department? Why, let's bless you, sir, that's where I'm porter. Why, sir, you'll be my master."

"I'm glad of that, Jim," said Philip, holding out his hand. "I shall have at least one man whom I can thoroughly trust. Only," he added, with a smile, "if the restless fit come upon you, you'll be off and leave me."

"Not a bit on it, sir, I'll stick by you, sir, as long as you like. I haven't forgot that you said to me you might, and how you were so kind as make me one of your selves—you and Mrs. Annabel. Oh, I'll serve you night and day, sir, and be proud to do it. Didn't I say as how you were meant for the top of the tree?"

"And you, Jim," returned Philip, "are meant for a higher place than where you are now. Fortunately I know something of your worth, and shall find means to promote you to a post where your high qualities may find exercise."

"Bless your heart, sir, I'll be content with anything to be serving a gentleman like you. I know when I meet in with the right sort—one as is not stuck up nor proud, nor thinks the like of me not the same kind of flesh and blood as himself. I know my place, sir, and won't never think of stepping out of it. But I claim the freedom to have my own thoughts and opinions, and to speak them out too; and I know you will think none the worse of me for that."

"I think all the better of you for it, Jim especially as your thoughts and feelings are so true and manly. But good-bye just now, for I long to see Annabel, to tell her of my good fortune."

"And won't she delight to hear it," returned Jim, slyly, as Philip was hastening away. "I wish her and you joy, sir, with all my heart."

"Thanks, I'll not forget to tell her so. But won't you look in at Danwell Row? I'll tell the gentleman you are here, and that you will be in my department. So he may wish to see you; and I have don't any more delicate scruples."

"Well, if you think so, sir, I'll look in to-morrow night. If it was no more than to see Miss Annabel's beautiful face lighted up with the happiness that has come to you both."

Philip laughed, waved his hand, and was gone.

With quick steps he hid through the streets, for he wished to intercept Annabel on her way from teaching. It was near the hour when she returned home from the last of her day's exercises, and by dint of hastening he might reach the vicinity of the house in which she was engaged, and so accompany her to Danwell Row, acquainting her by the way with the happy tidings he had to communicate, and exclaiming with each other those hopes and gladness anticipations which had so suddenly opened up.

He was quite in time—may, he had five minutes to wait ere Annabel came forth. It was a quiet place, where no traffic ran. The house stood back from the roadway, from which most of them were separated by a high wall. Therefore they were quiet, and quite free from observation.

The moment Annabel emerged from the gate she saw Philip, and as it was not his custom to meet her at that hour, his presence naturally gave her surprise, and she immediately perceived that he had news to give her, and that the news was good she saw by his flushed eager face and sparkling eyes.

She ran towards him, his own face lighted up with expectancy, and he advanced to meet her with an air of proud but honest elation.

BREAKFAST.—Epps's Cocoa.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—By 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.—Civil Service Gazette. Made simply with Boiling Water or Milk. Each packet is labelled—JAMES EPPS & CO., HOMEOPATHIC CHEMISTS, LONDON.

MANUFACTURER OF COCOA.—We will now give an account of the process adopted by James Epps & Co., manufacturers of the articles, at their works in the Easton Road, London.—See article in Cassell's Household Guide, 3206ndw

FRASER

\$34,600

GOOD NEWS—The Largest Wholesale Bankrupt Stock ever brought to Guelph will be offered for Sale in Lots to suit Merchants, Hotel Keepers, and others, on and after Monday, the 13th inst., at the Cheap & Co's.

MR. FRASER having bought a Wholesale Bankrupt Stock in Montreal at fifty cents in the dollar will sell the same at less than the Goods could be bought for in England. Seeing is believing.

FRASER

STEAM

DYE WORKS

GUELPH

The subscriber having fitted up a portion of his Soap Factory Perth Street, near Eramosa Bridge as a Dye House, and has secured the services of Mr. Wilfrid, late Gouge & Co., Wyndham Street, who is a first-class dyer, to superintend the same, begs leave to acquaint the public thereto.

Dyeing and Scouring

In all its branches will be found this concern with promptness.

W. H. G. KNOWLES, Proprietor.

The Guelph Cloth Hall

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EVERY ARTICLE OF WHICH IS

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Cloths and Woollen Goods of all Kinds.

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And a general assortment of Goods for Men's Wear.

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Wyndham St., Guelph.

Guelph, Dec. 6, 1872

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Just received, another lot of these Superior Wines and Scotch Flannels.

Blankets for Half Price.

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Two days reduced. Everything Cheap, very cheap.

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Has much pleasure in stating to the public that he has secured many lots of desirable New Dry Goods under current prices, and they will be offered

At Decided Bargains!

Piles of Scarlet Flannel at 25c

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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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GUELPH.

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The subscriber would call the attention of the public to Kinney's Patent Improvement in Stove Furniture, by which pots, kettles, frying pans, &c., are so constructed that no smoke, smell, and steam from frying meats, or other cooking are conducted up the chimney as perfectly as in the old-fashioned iron-placed. Ladies, give them a trial.

Sole agent for Guelph.

A good assortment of SPOVES, TINWARE, and PLOUGHS always on hand, and at the lowest prices.

Wm. HEATHER,

Corner Wolvich-st. and Eramosa Road

Guelph, 2nd August, 1871.

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NEW

DRUG STORE

Nearly opposite the Old Stand,

NOW OPEN.

Mr. PETRIE takes this opportunity to thank the Public for their large and liberal support during the seven years he has been in business in Guelph.

The New Store is the one formerly occupied by Mr. H. Perry, and lately by Mr. J. R. Fort, as a Confectionery Store. The store has been enlarged and refitted, making it a much more desirable place of business than the old stand.

Having secured the new store for a term of Ten Years, I hope, with the assistance of the Public, to present in the future as I have done during the past seven years, any monopoly in the Drug Trade in Guelph.

The old store will remain open for business until the first of May.

By conducting my business in the future in the same upright principle as in the past, I trust to receive a continuance of your generous support.

I am, yours very truly,

A. B. PETRIE.

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Fifteen to twenty thousand dollars worth of

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Together with a Mountain Stock of Ready-made Clothing and Furnishing Goods in Men's, Boys' and Children's Wear, to be included in the sale of profit.

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GREAT BARGAINS WILL BE GIVEN

Call early and get the first selection.

W. GALLOWAY,

Next door to M. Bond's Hardware Store,

Guelph, Jan. 5, 1873.

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