

PREFACE.

IN presenting their First Edition of the Ottawa Directory, the Publishers, have great pleasure in acknowledging the large patronage extended to their work in the city as well as throughout Hull and Aylmer. It has been their aim to give to their Subscribers the most complete Directory ever published in the Capital, in the most compressed form, neither pains nor expense having been spared on their part in taking the names of the inhabitants, and in the formation of a carefully compiled *Street Directory*, for the first time issued in Ottawa.

To give some idea of the value and accuracy of the present work, they would mention that it contains 1200 more names than has yet appeared in any former Directory. Much difficulty was experienced in making the Street Directory, owing to the imperfect numbering of the houses, but they did their utmost to make it as complete as possible, and they feel satisfied that the result will give every satisfaction.

Through the counties of Carleton and Russell they have given the inhabitants with their Post Office, Concession, Lot, &c., as far as it was possible to obtain them this year. Next year they hope to be able to give every inhabitant, with the same information. In conclusion, they have much pleasure in tendering their sincere thanks to the officers of the Government, Public Institutions,

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