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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 Canada 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

MONDAY EVENING, OCT. 14, 1872

OCTOBER.

The brown leaves rustle in the wind,
And golden is the oak tree's crown;
The red beech drops her ripened mast,
The chestnut husks come showing down.
October's kiss is on the woods,
The garnered is Pomona's wealth;
The squirrel thinks of winter rest,
Begins to store his nuts by stealth.
Gone are the roses, crimson flowers
That crowned the virgin brow of June;
And where the nightingale hath sung,
The robin pipes his mellow tune.
One touch of frost is on the blades
Of grass beneath the forest tree;
Close in his lair the dormouse lies,
And nestled in her cell the bee.
The last geraniums still shed
On lawn a scarlet glow;
The queen chrysanthemum hath donned
Her robes of winter, rose and snow.
The latest breath of summer stirs
Upst the leaves and in the air;
It shakes the cones amid the firs,
And straight is gone we know not where.
So oft a gleam of sunshine past
Beehives again in man's last days;
Summer and winter, smiles and tears—
Wiser than cure are Heaven's ways.

The Foster Brother;

The Orphan of the Wreck.

CHAPTER XXI.

A DARK ECLIPSE FOLLOWED BY A WONDERFUL BREAKING OF THE LIGHT.

What a tremendous reaction this revelation produced in George's mind. Its intensity was agonizing and alarming. There was not only the natural surprise at finding Lillias' companion to be his dearest friend, Harry Markham, and the amazement at learning he was her brother, but the revulsion of feeling and emotion which the knowledge caused. He was in a moment brought from a state of wrath and indignation, raised in his heart under the belief that Lillias was false, into the realization of her perfect integrity; and the immense strain involved in this sudden transformation of belief and feeling was terrible in its power. George's whole frame trembled under the surging of the inward sea; his great and high nature was moved to its centre; and his appearance was such that both Harry and Lillias became intensely alarmed on his account.

"George," said the former—"George, my dear fellow, command yourself. By said by 'we shall all be able to laugh heartily at this mistake; but not now—not just yet—the situation is too grave for it. You have had a shock, and I can well understand its cause. But call up your strength to assist you into calmness. Do—that's a good fellow—for my sake; for the sake of poor Lillias, who is frightened at your aspect."

"Take her, Harry," said George, in a broken voice—"take her into the harbour. I will join you in a little. A few turns on the grass will bring me back to something like composure."

"That's right," cried Harry, cheerily. "I know you will soon be yourself."

He took the arm of Lillias, and led her back to the harbour. Very slowly and unwillingly she went, and as she moved she continued to cast a wistful, yearning gaze on George, who had turned aside and was walking swiftly to and fro under the shadow of the trees.

Fully five minutes did he so perambulate, the length of time thus attesting the violence of the struggle he had to undergo ere the desired calmness was gained.

Then he came towards the harbour, and Harry met him at the entrance with outstretched hands. But instead of taking the hands thus fraternally extended, he gently put Harry aside, saying, "Not yet!" and entering the harbour kneeled at Lillias' feet, and murmured—

"Can you—oh, can you forgive me?"

"Forgive you, George?" said the astonished girl. "Forgive you for what?"

"For the greatest crime I could commit. Heaven help me Lillias. I charged you in my heart with faithlessness and treachery; and under the insane belief that you had turned to another lover, my anger was kindled against you—I upbraided you. I insulted you. Justly may you spurn me from your presence; and if for my unworthiness you banish me for ever, I shall go without a word, for, heavy as the punishment must be, I fully merit it."

Lillias looked and listened in amazement; then with a low cry she flung her arms round his neck, and sobbed there with happy, happy emotion.

"You are not to blame, George," she said. "Oh, no, you are not to blame. How could you know—how could you think—? It is we who need your forgiveness—Harry and I."

"That is indeed true," spoke out Harry. "I at least—I most of all require your pardon for the deception I have practised toward you so long. Love for Caroline, affection for you, are the only excuses I can offer; and knowing the generosity of your nature, I am sure these excuses will not be offered in vain."

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G. B. FRASER,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

OPENED OUT
—AT—
G. B. FRASER'S,
A full assortment of
MOURNING GOODS,
FOR FALL AND WINTER WEAR,
SUITABLE
VIZ:
Black Cape Cloths,
Black Repp,
Black double warp Lustres,
Black Henrietta Cloths,
Black Cobourgs,
Black French Merinoes.
The new style Black Paramatta
suitable for Merinoes in wear,
and at half the price.
Courtauld's Black Crapes, on
which rain or damp has no effect.
Samples sent free of charge throughout
Ontario.
G. B. FRASER.

Direct Importer of Dry Goods

Ex. Steamship St. David,
From Glasgow.
2 cases Aberdeen Winseys,
1 " Paisley Shawls,
1 " Wool Shawls,
1 " Balmoral Skirtings.
Ex. S. S. Sarnation
From Liverpool.
2 cases Dress Goods,
3 cases Blankets,
1 case French Merinoes,
1 case French Kid Gloves.
Just opened and for sale at
G. B. FRASER'S,
Direct Importer, Guelph.

and Family Groceries, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Guelph, September 2, 1872

CLOTH
SHAW AND
HALL
MURTON
Merchant Tailors,
CLOTHIERS,
AND
Gent's Outfitting
ESTABLISHMENT,
GUELPH.

1872. FALL AND WINTER SUPPLIES. 1872

RETAIL DEPARTMENT.

W. D. HEPBURN & CO.

ARE NOW OFFERING FOR SALE AN EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENT OF STRONG AND FANCY BOOTS AND SHOES

Suitable for Fall and Winter Wear. We invite careful buyers to our system of doing business, viz.,

SMALL PROFITS AND BUT ONE PRICE.

W. D. Hepburn & Co. manufacture their own goods and feel they can confidently recommend them as CHEAP and DURABLE, and all they ask is one trial, which will not fail to prove the genuineness of

Home-made Boots and Shoes.

As we employ over FORTY HANDS we can supply a large portion of Guelph and surrounding country.

Samples of our Goods can be inspected at the Central Exhibition to be held in Guelph on the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th of October.

ALL KINDS OF BOOTS AND SHOES MADE TO ORDER. Repairing done as usual

TERMS CASH. Store and Factory Eastside Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Guelph, Sept. 27, 1872.

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PETRIE'S
DRUG STORE

DURING THE

EXHIBITION WEEK

PARTIES visiting Guelph during the Exhibition should not fail to visit

Petrie's Drug Store,

THE

HANDSOMEST

Store in the County,

AND

BEST STOCK

OF

PURE DRUGS

AND

CHEMICALS

IS KEPT. IF YOU WANT

RELIABLE MEDICINES

YOU WILL FIND THEM THERE.

JUST RECEIVED

AT

PETRIE'S

DRUG STORE

—A—

LARGE SUPPLY

OF

YORKSHIRE

CATTLE FEEDER

AND SIMPSON'S

CATTLE SPICE

WE HAVE RECEIVED A NEW AND COMPLETE STOCK OF

COAL OIL LAMPS

—OF—

New and Elegant Designs

And at exceedingly low prices. Call to see them.

We have also a new stock of Genuine Extra Flint

Lamp Glasses

Which stand the heat, and do not easily break.

JOHN M. BOND & Co.,

DIRECT IMPORTERS.

ONTARIO COAL YARDS.

MURTON & REID

Have received and are receiving a large stock of Delaware, Lackawanna and Western R.R. Co's COAL of all sizes.

COG, STOVE AND CHESTNUT, IN FIRST-RATE CONDITION, CLEAR AND DRY.

This Coal, for general use, is the best article in the market—low for cash.

All other Coals, such as Briar Hill, Mount Morris, Lehigh and Bloomsburg, in large quantities. Order early and secure your stock at present prices.

Office—James Street, one door south of the Canada Life Assurance Co., Hamilton.

GEO. MURTON, Agent at Guelph.

NEW MUSIC STORE,

Quebec St., Guelph.

F. C. Whiting, Importer of all kinds of Musical Instruments, Fittings Strings

English Music, V. Novello's Music, Instruction Books, &c., wholesale and retail.

Melodeons, Flutinas, Concertinas, Accordions, &c., tuned and repaired. Tuning done for the Trade. Agent for Northman & Co's Pianos and Organs. Also, Agent for Virtue & Torston, publishers.

425 Queen St., Guelph.

GOLDEN LION

GUELPH

1872

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 Trousersings,
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.

500 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

1872) Central Exhibition. (1872

ROBT. RAE & Co.

WILL SHOW DURING THE EXHIBITION WEEK A LARGE STOCK OF NEW GOODS CONSISTING IN PART OF

Crockery, China, Glassware,

LAMP GOODS,

FANCY GOODS, an immense variety,

Pocket and Table Cutlery, Plated Ware, [a splendid lot of New Cruets, Pickle Stands, &c. just received]

To all of which they invite the attention of Visitors to the Exhibition.

ROBERT RAE & Co.,

Guelph, Sept. 27, 1872.

Importers, Alma Block.

GEORGE S. POWELL

Begg to announce that he has purchased the

Bankrupt Stock of BOOTS and SHOES

Of John McNeill's Estate, and will continue the

Boot and Shoe Business in all its Branches

IN THE SAME PREMISES.

Having been with Mr. McNeill for a number of years, and having an experience of over 18 years at the business, he feels confident of giving the public entire satisfaction.

A NEW STOCK

Will be produced in a few days, and in the meantime the goods now on hand will be sold at remarkably low prices.

REPAIRING DONE AS FORMERLY

And satisfaction guaranteed. A trial solicited.

GEO. S. POWELL.

Guelph, May 17, 1872

CONNOR'S BILLIARD HALL,

IN THE

QUEEN'S HOTEL, GUELPH, OPPOSITE

THE MARKET.

Refitted in the latest fashion. Five latest styles of Cue and Tables.

Guelph, April 19, 1872.

CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP

SKINS, CALF SKINS, and WOOL

PICKINGS.

The highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gov. on Street, Day's Co.

Block, Guelph.

Flasterers Hair constantly on hand for

MOUTON & SONS.

Guelph, April 19, 1872.