

The Foster Brother

OR— The Orphan of the Wreck.

CHAPTER III.

WHAT KENNETH AND THE ITHERS FOUND

Kenneth was now free to proceed to his own residence, and as he walked up the slope carrying his little burden, he grew anxious as to the state in which he might find Lucy. He had been absent for fully two hours, and if in the interval she had awaked and learned whether he had gone, he dreaded the effect.

His fears were groundless. On entering the bed-chamber he found his young wife sleeping as calmly as before, and Beattie, the maid, informed him that she had been going in and out of the room every few minutes, and she had never stirred. The drapery which had been drawn had been of potent power, and was doing its work effectually and well.

His purpose was to place the sleeping boy in bed by Lucy's side, and preparatory to this he removed the rest of the wrappings which still enveloped him, the last being a soft, warm, richly-patterned Indian shawl, which must have been wrapped round the boy before the vessel struck, for while it was damp outside the inner folds were not wet, and the child's own dress beneath was perfectly dry.

Then he stood for many moments gazing down upon them, and had no doubtings as to what he had done and proudest. Well did he know that Lucy would surely endorse all that he proposed, and take to her heart, as he had done, the poor fatherless orphan babe cast on her care in such sad and sorrowful circumstances.

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Since Store, the only place in the Town of Guelph, where you can find a good selection of Genuine Household Boots and Shoes.

The best Imported Goods can always be had at W. D. Hepburn & Co's cheap for cash

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For first-class Custom Work leave your measures at Hepburn's, the largest and best Custom Shop in Guelph.

All kinds of Leather and Findings for sale to the trade at reasonable prices. Agents for the Genuine Elias Howe Sewing Machine, which we are selling at greatly reduced prices. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere, they are pronounced by all competent judges to be the best Sewing Machine in the Market.

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30,000 Standard and Dwarf Apple, Pear and Plum Trees.

NOAH SUNLEY will offer his entire stock at his Nursery, Gange Street, this incoming season at the following prices:—All varieties of Apple, 18 cents; Pear, 37c; Plum, 1c; Crab, 20c; Strawberry, 12c; Currants, 12c; Gooseberry, English varieties, 8c per dozen; Strawberry, 75c per hundred; every variety warranted true to name. Come and see the stock, all the varieties in bearing in my grounds and select for yourselves the trees you prefer. Terms Cash.

Guelph, June 12, 1872.

GUELPH PUMP FACTORY. The undersigned begs to inform the public that he has now fitted up his new shop in the most complete manner, and has on hand a large stock of Pump timber. He is prepared to make to order, and furnish on the shortest notice, pumps of superior quality of all kinds.

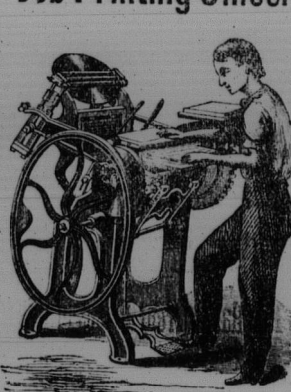
Having and long experience in the trade he feels sure that he can turn out work to the satisfaction of the public.

All orders for new pumps or repairs promptly attended to.

Remember the factory, on the bank of the Speed, near the Erasmus bridge, and directly opposite the new English church.

E. STOVELL, Guelph, April 10, 1872.

MERCURY Job Printing Office.



Owing to the great increase in our Job Printing we have been obliged to purchase

Another Large Gordon Press, Which is now at work in the Establishment.

We have now FIVE PRESSES

In operation in the office, which, together with our very large and varied assortment of Plain and Fancy Type, makes it the largest, most complete, and best equipped Job Printing Office in the Province outside of Toronto.

Every Description of Printing ON SHORT NOTICE

In first-class style, and at low prices. Guelph, May 7, 1872

Wm. Stewart, Is now opening out a very attractive Stock of New DRY GOODS for early Spring use.

Notwithstanding the great advance in Dry Goods, I will be enabled to offer these Goods at last Season's prices. See advertisement next week.

WM. STEWART, Guelph, March 16, 1872

WILLIAM BROWNLOW, UNDERTAKER

Respectfully solicits the attention of those bereaved of earthly friends to his Undertaking Establishment, in rear of the Wellington Hotel, where all things necessary for the proper observance of the last rites due the departed can be furnished on the shortest notice.

Metallic, Walnut and other Coffins kept in stock. Shrouds supplied, and Funerals conducted with the utmost decorum. Charges moderate.

Guelph, Feb. 3, 1872 WM. BROWNLOW, dw

FARM FOR SALE. — Lot 41, concession 18, Minute, containing 110 acres of good cleared, well fenced, and in a good state of cultivation. There is excellent timber for rail and firewood purposes on the farm, which is situated within 2 1/2 miles of Clifford Station on the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway, and 7 miles from Harrison on the same line. Good log house and barn, and well watered by a spring. Terms easy. Apply to Wm. McEwan, on the premises, or to James McEwan, Builder, Stratford, Ont.

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E. O'DONNELL & Co. ARE SELLING

New Prunes 5 cents per lb.

New Raisins 5 cents per lb.

New Currants 5 cents per lb.

New Figs 5 cents per lb.

The best Dollar Green Tea for 80 cents per lb.

The best Black Tea for 60c

The best 75c. Green Tea for 60c

A beautiful Bright Sugar 11 lbs for \$1

And every other article in the Grocery Line is GREATLY REDUCED IN PRICE AT

E. O'DONNELL & CO. Guelph, May 15, 1872

HATS GO TO HATS AND CAPS BYRNE'S AND CAPS

HATS & CAPS D. BYRNE

HAS just opened the largest and best assorted stock of Hats and Caps ever shown in the Town of Guelph.

IN ALL THE VERY LATEST STYLES

Comprising English and American Silk and Felt Hats; Cloth Hats, straw and felt; Cloth, Silk and Velvet Caps; Boys and Children's Felt Hats; Scotch Caps of every shade and color.

Call at the Guelph Hat, Cap and Fur Store, and See for Yourself. Guelph, March 27, 1872

SELLING OFF, SELLING OFF!

Making Room for New Stock at PERRY'S GROCERY STORE,

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Currants, new and old; Raisins, new and old; Sultana Raisins, Seedless Raisins, Black Basket Raisins, Blue Basket Raisins, Crown Raisins; New Prunes;

A General Stock of Sugars.

A VERY CHEAP TEA Will be sold for 50 cents per lb.

PERRY'S GROCERY STORE.

GUELPH CLOTH HALL. SHAW & MURTON

Have now received the Balance of their Spring Goods, and would invite inspection to their Stock of CLOTHS, which is this season more than usually attractive.

Gentlemen will do well to leave their Orders as soon as possible.

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New Goods for the Times AT JOHN R. PORTE'S

Fine Gold Sets Brooch and Ear-rings

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Silver Thimbles, Tea Spoons, Chains, ELECTRO-PLATED WARE

Casters, Breakfast and Dinner Butter Coolers, Cake Baskets, Children's Mugs, Salons, Butter Knives, Pickle Forks, Spoons and Forks of all kinds.

RODGER'S TABLE CUTLERY Remember the name and JOHN R. PORTE, Wyndham Street, Guelph

Guelph, Dec 10, 1871

NO CONTRACTORS AND OTHERS. The subscriber keeps on hand Fresh Lime, Stone, Sand, Posts, Lumber, &c., which he will sell at reasonable prices to all who may favor him with their patronage. He also keeps teams on hand, to be let by the day or otherwise, at his residence near the G. T. station, where he will see to this business in person in the usual way, and hopes to be patronized hereafter as he has been in the past. Orders promptly attended to. DENNIS COFFEY, Guelph, April 11th, 1872

TIMBER FOR SALE. A Committee of the Guelph Township Council will be in attendance on the road allowance between the 4th and 5th concessions Div. C, adjoining Lots 9, 10 and 11, for the purpose of selling the timber on that portion of road allowance, on SATURDAY, 29th inst., at 4 p.m. Parties to meet the Committee on Lot 9.

MATTHEW SWEETNAM, WILLIAM BENHAM, Guelph Township, June 12, 1872

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A very superior quality SPONGES

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A large and varied assortment of TOILET ARTICLES & PERFUMERY

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E. HARVEY & Co. Family and Dispensing Chemists Guelph, May 9, 1872.

LANDS FOR SALE IN THE STATES.

20,000 Lumbermen and Others — 20,000 acres of Timbered Lands and 10,000 acres of Farming Lands for Sale or Exchange for other City Property or Property in Canada, on reasonable terms.

These Lands are situated 60 miles from Cincinnati, Ohio, on the Licking River and its tributaries in Rowan County, Kentucky. Kentucky is a healthy country, and a mild climate. The lands are good Farming Lands, and are well timbered with Beech, maple, Hickory, pine, cedar, yellow poplar, black locust, chestnut, hickory, gum, elm, ash, sumpter basswood, white wood, and butternut, and is underlaid with coal and iron of the very best quality, and these advantages to market. The property above mentioned is 60 miles south of Cincinnati, 35 miles east of Lexington, Ky, 27 miles west of Mayville, and 55 miles from Newport and Covington. There are two Railroads running through these lands which will be completed in a short time, and with the Licking River running, it is navigable for 100 miles of the year. Also have several farms in Rowan County. Also for sale in Fleming County, Ky., a farm of 200 acres, 100 acres well improved, two good log houses and barn, two orchards 25 years old, 100 fruit trees each all kinds, also 400 peach trees, 5 years old, in excellent condition. Price \$2,500. Two thousand and down, balance on bond and mortgage, or will exchange for other property in Canada. Also, in the same County, 200 acres, 200 acres improved, log house and barn, 4 acres of orchard 20 years old, all kinds of fruit, 150 acres well timbered. Price \$2,500. Two thousand cash down, balance on Bond and Mortgage or will exchange for other property in Canada.

P.S.—It has been thought and stated by some people that these lands are worthless, or in dispute with squatters or the Rio River. The title is perfect, and all the inhabitants and settlers are united to encourage new comers of northern people from Canada. They offer to pay all expense of travelling if the lands are not as represented to be by applying to me at the North-House, Guelph, Ontario.

JAMES A. APPLEBY, Proprietor, Guelph, Jan. 10, 1872

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