

"Wreck of the Steamships "Edith Emily" and "Vicksburg."

ANOTHER LOT OF DAMAGED GOODS AT THE GREAT BRITANNIA HOUSE!

HEFFERNAN BROTHERS

Are now receiving another large consignment of Dry Goods, damaged on Voyage of transportation on board steamships "Edith Emily" and "Vicksburg," which will be opened and ready

FOR SALE ON SATURDAY NEXT, THE 26th OF OCTOBER, 1872.

Factory Cottons, Lilac, Pink and Buff Prints, Blue and Brown Denims, Flannels, Tweeds, Winceys, &c. &c.

CHEAP! CHEAP! CHEAP!

These Goods were bought at the Underwriters Auction Sales in Toronto, and will be sold at Extraordinary Low Prices.

TREMENDOUS BARGAINS AND A BIG RUSH FOR THE NEXT FEW DAYS. TERMS CASH.

HEFFERNAN BROTHERS,

NOTED FOR CHEAP DRY GOODS.

(18-c25)

Britannia House, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Guelph Evening Mercury

FRIDAY EVENING, OCT. 25, 1872

The Foster Brother;

—OR—
The Orphan of the Wreck.

CHAPTER XXII.

A FOUL DEED—THE MISSING ONE.
But when nearly two hours had passed, and their vessel gave no sign of stirring, and his breakfast was, as Allie said, "gettin' cold and dozed," Matthew thought he would rouse him. He therefore crossed the passage, and gave a low and gentle tap on the door of his bedroom. Seeing that this produced no response from the sleeper, he knocked louder, and at the same time called out—

"Maister George, wunna ye think o' gettin' up noo? Yer breakfast is maist out o' season."

"Still there was no answer."
"Bless me, hee sound hee sleeps!" muttered Matthew. "I'll ha' to rap louder yet."

And he applied his knuckles with redoubled vigor to the panels of the door, giving a knock which sounded through the whole house.

The same result followed. No answer came from within, and Matthew thought there would be nothing for it but to enter and rouse him by a shake.

Accordingly he turned the handle of the door and penetrated to the interior, calling out as he did so—

"Eh, Maister George, but ye are sleepin' sound this mornin'. It's easy to be that ye had late 'oors last night. Eh! what! Mygracious me!"

These ejaculations burst from Matthew when he came to the bedside and found it empty, and saw too that it had not been slept in that night. He stood for some moments in silent astonishment, staring with open mouth at the folded coverlet; then he cast a hurried and alarmed look round the room, and burst away to the kitchen, causing Allie to start up in consternation as he exclaimed—

"Guid be w' us, Allie, Maister George is no there, and the bed has ne'er been slept in."

"No there! He hasna been in a night!" ejaculated Allie, with a petrified look at her husband.

"It's as fac' as I am here. Gang ben an' see for yourself!"

Allie had no intention of doubting Matthew's word, but in the extremity of her wonder she did rush to the bedroom, Matthew following, and there they stood together gazing at the bed, which Allie saw at a glance had never been occupied.

"Mercy me, what can has happened him?" faltered Allie, turning on Matthew a bewildered look.

"Guidness kens; but something maun has happened him, that's very clear."

"Oh, Matthew, what's tae be done?" "Dune! I kenna what tae do; and yet a moment maunna be lost. I'll rin along tae Mrs. Benal's at the lodge; maybe she'll ken something about him."

"Oh, dear me," groaned Allie, "I sair mindoot the Captain has come on the swainsome thegither, and dune Maister George a boddy injury."

"It look' sower like it," cried Matthew, as hastily he put on his hat, adjusted his plaid round his shoulders, seized his stick, and rushed from the house, Allie standing gazing after as he toiled up the bridle path towards the high road.

A sad occurrence recently took place at Hallowfield, near Milton, resulting in the death of Mrs. John Beattie, of that place. Mrs. Beattie was in her garden between three and four o'clock in the afternoon, and, whilst adjusting a cloth which had been laid over a hive of bees, one of them stung her on the arm a little above the wrist. She returned to her house, but immediately complained of being unwell. A swelling of the bowels and throat set in with great severity, and in the course of half an hour from the occurrence she expired.

An exchange, describing a fashionable party, speaks of a gallant who whispered to a lady, "and took her apart;" and unparaphrasing adds that "it is not a very difficult feat to take a lady apart these times, but there is very little left of her afterwards."

An entirely white lion has been captured, and is exhibited in Buenos Ayres, where \$10,000 was offered for it by an English merchant for the Zoological Gardens in London.

BEAR-BRAND—Epps' Cocoa—GRATEFUL and GOSWOLD.—By a 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 flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills.—*Obit Service Gazette.* Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled "James Epps & Co., Homoeopathic Chemists, London." Also, makers of Epps' Milk Cocoa (Cocoa and Condensed Milk).

GREAT DRY GOODS SALE!

AT THE

FASHIONABLE WEST END

A. O. BUCHAM

Begs to notify the public that he has just opened 50 Cases new and substantial First-Class Dry Goods, all

AT ASTONISHING PRICES

And will commence a Grand Sale on Tuesday next, the 22nd inst.

For particulars respecting Goods and Prices, see handbills.

Now is the time, Ladies. Look out for Cheap Dry Goods.

A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End Dress, Millinery and Mantle Establishment.

Guelph, Oct. 19, 1872

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Ale, Porter, and Beer

SLEEMAN'S CELEBRATED

In Quarter and Half Barrels and Bottles.

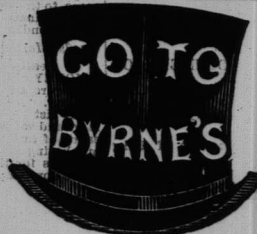
Delivered in any part of the Town at Brewer's Prices.

HUGH WALKER,

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

Guelph, Oct. 1, 1872

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Robes, Robes.

HATS, CAPS AND FURS

D. BYRNE

HAS just received his Fall Stock of Hats, Caps, Ladies' and Gents' Furs, Buffalo Robes, Fancy Robes, Buck and Kid Gloves, &c. &c.

THE LARGEST & CHEAPEST STOCK

Ever Shown in Guelph.

Corner of Wyndham Street and Market Square.

Ladies' and Gents' Furs Altered and Repaired.

CASH FOR RAW FURS

NEW GROCERY STORE

Next to Petrie's Drug Store.

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Begs to announce to the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that they have just opened out an entirely new and carefully selected stock of first-class

Groceries, Glass, Crockery and Earthenware

WINES AND LIQUORS, &c.

Which they are prepared to sell at as low rates for cash as any other store in the town of Guelph.

CHOICE TEAS, comprising all the favorite brands

NEW FRUITS

TOBACCOES, smoking and chewing.

WINES AND LIQUORS.—The finest Port and Sherry Wines, Brandies, Rum, Gin, Ale and Porter. The finest Rye, Malt and Toddy Whiskies.

The public generally are cordially invited to call and examine our Stock Goods, as we are confident that they can be supplied at our Store with as good and as cheap articles as can be found in any other establishment in town.

October 26th

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SCROGGIE & NEWTON

FALL and WINTER

New Dry Goods!

WM. STEWART

Is now opening a large, varied, and most complete stock of New Dry Goods. Many lines were bought much under present values:

4000 yds Plain and Fancy Winceys,

a job lot, from 10c to 25c

6400 yds Factory Cotton

slightly damaged by fresh water, price 8c to 10c, value 10c to 12c.

DRESS GOODS

A SPECIALTY

Now in stock over 10,000 yards Rich and Rare Dress Goods, embracing all the latest productions of the Looms of Britain and the Continent for the coming season.

See windows this day.

WM. STEWART.

Guelph, Sept. 13, 1872

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For instantly cleaning Rifles and Sporting Guns, and removing Fouling and Lead, rendering unnecessary the dirty and laborious process of washing with water. For sale at

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At once.—They are the best for that purpose giving instant relief. As a condition medicine they are unequalled. Prepared and sold by A. B. PETRIE.

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CATTLE FEEDER

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To Beautify Chimney Corners, Stove Pipes, Iron Works, Tin, Wood, &c.

FREE FROM SMELL.

THE BEST LINIMENT IN USE,

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OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH

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

The best Liquors and Cigars at the bar. **JAMES PARKER, Proprietor.**

GOLDEN LION

GUELPH



1872

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500 Cases and Bales Just Received!

COMPRISING:

- 106 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 Trouserings,
- 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 13, 1872

G. B. FRASER,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

OPENED OUT
—AT—
G. B. FRASER'S,
A full assortment of
MOURNING GOODS,
—SUITABLE—
FOR FALL AND WINTER WEAR.
—VIZ:—
Black Crepe Cloths,
Black Repps,
Black double warp Lustres,
Black Henrietta Cloths,
Black Cobourgs,
Black French Merinoes.
The new style Black Turanatta equal to French Merinoes in wear, and at half the price.
Courtland'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 Winceys,
1 " Paisley Shawls,
2 " Wool Shawls,
1 " Balmoral Skirtings.
Ex. S. S. Sarmatian
From Liverpool.
2 cases Dress Goods,
3 bales Flannels,
1 case French Kid Gloves.
Just opened and for sale at
G. B. FRASER'S,
Direct Importer, Guelph.

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Guelph, September 9, 1872

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EGG, STOVE AND CHESTNUT, IN FIRST-RATE CONDITION, CLEAN AND DRY.

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

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All orders for new pumps or repairs promptly attended to.

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