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The Braes of Yarrow An Historical Tale of the Sixteenth Century.

CHAPTER XL.—IN THE FOREST. The first flight of arrows the Forestiers shot They wounded him on the knee; And out spake the seventh Forestier, The next will gar him die. Johnny set his back against the alk. His fist against a stake; And he has slain the seven Forestiers, He has slain them a' but ane. He has broken three ribs in this man's side. But his collar bane; He laid him twauid over his steed— He has smothered the killing game. Gilbert look up the bank of Etrick water as if purposing to go through Gilman-cleuch, but this was merely to blind whoever might be following him; for that he was followed he had no doubt. In reality he meant to avoid the glen, for knowing that for some secret reason the dwarf was a partisan of the cause of Spens, he deemed his warning worth heeding. So when he had got about a mile beyond Crosses, he forded the current and took the west side of Dodhead, with intent to go by Hindehope to Belkirk, procure a fresh horse there, and then make straight for the capital. He had not, however, advanced more than half a mile after crossing the Etrick when he heard the distant note of a bugle. A few minutes after the signal was answered by a still more distant note. "Supposing" that these sounds intimated the discovery of his hiding place he urged his jaded horse forward. The poor animal, already fairly exhausted with its lengthened journey, made a feeble effort to quicken its pace in obedience to whip and spur. But the pace was little increased after all, and the extra exertion forced upon it served to exhaust his remaining strength the sooner. The feet were lifted like weights and fell with dull thuds upon the turf. Gradually, in despite of frequent promptings, the pace slackened and the gallop was barely as fast as a fresh horse might have trotted with ease. Now he began to hear the distant tread of a body of horse, which gradually became louder—louder as the pursuers lessened the distance between them and the pursued. At length with the muffled sound of hoof-treads was mingled the clatter and clank of of armour. He had escaped an ambushade, but it was clearly not intended that he should altogether elude his enemies—whoever they were.— Upon the latter score he had little difficulty in obtaining a conclusion; although why Tushlaw should allow him to leave the Tower unharmed, and then endeavor to entrap him on the way, he could not understand. The sky was unclouded, the air was clear, the wind unobscured, and the stars shed a soft light on hill and dale. The trees of the forest made long shadows on the ground, and beneath them was darkness. Finding that his pursuers were gaining—rapidly upon him, he forsook the bridge path and dived into the forest. About twenty paces into the darkness and he halted, intending to wait there until the pursuers had passed, when he might take to the hill again and avoid them by passing round the eastern side of Hindehope. The pursuers, about twelve in number, came clattering up, and thundered by the place where their quarry lay concealed. "They are not like to find me again tonight," he thought, as he began to move out of his hiding-place. He checked himself immediately as he discovered by the sudden cessation of the sounds of movement that the troopers had halted. They had by some means become aware that their victim was doubling upon them. The moonstroopers had been made aware of this fact by a brace of sleuth hounds, whose guidance they were following. The hounds had overshot the mark by about twenty elis at the place where Gilbert had turned into the forest, and losing the scent, they turned and ran about sniffing the ground and whining. TO BE CONTINUED.

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Winter Goods

STEWART

Has now in Stock, and

Daily Receiving,

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A Magnificent Assortment of the

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Suitable for the Present Trade.

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Shawls, Silks, Jackets.

Will be sold at very reduced prices.

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TRUST and LOAN COMPANY OF UPPER CANADA, AND

THE CANADA PERMANENT BUILDING and SAVINGS SOCIETIES OF TORONTO.

THESE Companies afford every facility to the borrower, and give him the privilege of either retaining the principal for a term of years or paying it off by instalments extending over any term of years up to 15.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK, Have also a large amount of PRIVATE FUNDS On hand for Investment.

Money Invested and interest collected. Mortgages bought and subject to examination of title, and valuation of property offered.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK are Agents for the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF ENGLAND.

Capital, \$10,000,000. Accumulated funds, \$6,000,000. The Royal Assurance \$100 towards the purchase of the Guelph Steam Fire Engine, and is the only Company doing business in Guelph, that has subscribers.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK are Agents for the STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, Established in 1825.

The STANDARD takes risks at very reasonable rates, and Policy holders are secured by the very large sum of accumulated and invested funds, viz: \$18,000,000, and the Company have made the deposit with the Government of the Dominion of Canada required by the new Act.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK Have a number of FARMS for sale in the Co. of Wellington and adjoining Counties.

Also, Town Lots and Houses in Guelph, Berlin, Fergus, &c.

RAMARANTH. Lot 22, in the 10th Concession, 200 acres.

ARTHUR. South-half of Lot 15, 3rd Con. 100 acres, 60 of which are in a high state of cultivation, and well fenced, watered by a creek crossing the centre of the farm; a two story house and good barn on the lot.

ERAMOSA. Part of West-half of 2, in the 3rd Con. four acres, with a good stone house and lot table. West-half of Lot 30, in the 5th Con., 100 acres, 25 acres cleared.

ERIN. West-half of Lot 8, in the 1st Con., 100 acres, 80 cleared, good frame barn and shed and parting and frame dwelling house; well watered & fenced. West-half Lot 2, in the 1st Con., 90 acres; 60 improved; good frame dwelling house, one-and-a-half story high, and bank barn; well fenced, 4 miles from Guelph.

ELORA. Valuable Tavern Stand for sale in the Village of Elora, at present leased to Robert Cook being lots 5 and 6, corner of Victoria and Walnut Streets, with stabling for 40 horses. Private residence with grounds, and a two and a-half story stone dwelling house, and frame buildings, on Chalmers' Street, known as the Cowan House.

CARAFAXA. Lot 11, in 12th Con., 100 acres; 60 acres cleared, all dry land; farm buildings. E of Lot 22, 3rd Con., 100 acres; 20 acres cleared; farm buildings, watered by a creek. South-quarter of 5, in the 15-50 acres.

GUELPH TOWNSHIP. Lots 3 and 4, in 3rd Con., Div. D., 140 acres; 90 acres improved; frame dwelling house, and frame bank barn and sheds, well fenced. There is an excellent orchard on the farm; and being so near the Town, and on the Grand Road, makes this a very Valuable Property.

TOWN OF GUELPH. Large two story stone house, with 10 or 27 acres attached, situated on the York Road, and bounded on the south by the Eramosa river. The buildings and fences are in good repair; good garden and orchard. Terms liberal and price extremely low.

Water Privilege and Mill Site, on a fine stream, 13 acres, composed of the north parts of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 and Lots 5 and 6, in Oliver's Survey, on the Waterloo road. Lots 11, 15, 16, 22, 23, 25, 30, 31, 35, 36, 40, 41, 49, 50, 51, in Webster's Survey, lying between Strange Street and the river Speed. Lot 4, on the north side of Pearl Street, with a double frame house. Lot 155, corner of Gordon and Wellington-Sts. Lots 1043 and 144, Cambridge Street, on which is erected a frame plastered dwelling house.

Four Quarry Lots, lying Nos. 21, 22, 42 and 43 on the Waterloo Road. 78 feet of double frontage on Market Square and Macdonnell Street—just the spot for grain ware house or store.

Two story brick house on Queen Street, with stable and sheds, at present occupied by Mr. J.P. Martin.

Four Lots in St. Andrew's Church Glebe, containing from 1/2 to 1 acre each. Nos. 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40, 41, 42 and 43 in rear, acre lots each, in one block.

Also, lot 15, five acres a beautiful lot, well fenced, and in a high state of cultivation. These lots are admirably adapted for Market Gardens, and the terms of credit are extremely liberal. Lot 388, Market Street.

LUTHER. Lots 4 and 5 in the 10th Con., 402 acres, 100 of which are improved; house, barn, stabling and abutting; 9 miles from Arthur, 12 miles from Mount Forest.

North-half Lot 18, in the 4th Con. 100 acres. South-half Lot 19, 4th " 100 " Lot 20, 4th " 200 " Lot 21, 4th " 200 " Lot 1, 7th " 200 " Lot 2, 7th " 200 " Lot 3, 7th " 200 " Lot 4, 7th " 200 " Lot 5, 7th " 200 " Lot 6, 7th " 200 " Lot 7, 7th " 200 " Lot 8, 7th " 200 " Lot 9, 7th " 200 " Lot 10, 7th " 200 " Lot 11, 7th " 200 " Lot 12, 7th " 200 " Lot 13, 7th " 200 " Lot 14, 7th " 200 " Lot 15, 7th " 200 " Lot 16, 7th " 200 " Lot 17, 7th " 200 " Lot 18, 7th " 200 " Lot 19, 7th " 200 " Lot 20, 7th " 200 " Lot 21, 7th " 200 " Lot 22, 7th " 200 " Lot 23, 7th " 200 " Lot 24, 7th " 200 " Lot 25, 7th " 200 " Lot 26, 7th " 200 " Lot 27, 7th " 200 " Lot 28, 7th " 200 " Lot 29, 7th " 200 " Lot 30, 7th " 200 " Lot 31, 7th " 200 " Lot 32, 7th " 200 " Lot 33, 7th " 200 " Lot 34, 7th " 200 " Lot 35, 7th " 200 " Lot 36, 7th " 200 " Lot 37, 7th " 200 " Lot 38, 7th " 200 " Lot 39, 7th " 200 " Lot 40, 7th " 200 " Lot 41, 7th " 200 " Lot 42, 7th " 200 " Lot 43, 7th " 200 " Lot 44, 7th " 200 " Lot 45, 7th " 200 " Lot 46, 7th " 200 " Lot 47, 7th " 200 " Lot 48, 7th " 200 " Lot 49, 7th " 200 " Lot 50, 7th " 200 " Lot 51, 7th " 200 " Lot 52, 7th " 200 " Lot 53, 7th " 200 " Lot 54, 7th " 200 " Lot 55, 7th " 200 " Lot 56, 7th " 200 " Lot 57, 7th " 200 " Lot 58, 7th " 200 " Lot 59, 7th " 200 " Lot 60, 7th " 200 " Lot 61, 7th " 200 " Lot 62, 7th " 200 " Lot 63, 7th " 200 " Lot 64, 7th " 200 " Lot 65, 7th " 200 " Lot 66, 7th " 200 " Lot 67, 7th " 200 " Lot 68, 7th " 200 " Lot 69, 7th " 200 " Lot 70, 7th " 200 " Lot 71, 7th " 200 " Lot 72, 7th " 200 " Lot 73, 7th " 200 " Lot 74, 7th " 200 " Lot 75, 7th " 200 " Lot 76, 7th " 200 " Lot 77, 7th " 200 " Lot 78, 7th " 200 " Lot 79, 7th " 200 " Lot 80, 7th " 200 " Lot 81, 7th " 200 " Lot 82, 7th " 200 " Lot 83, 7th " 200 " Lot 84, 7th " 200 " Lot 85, 7th " 200 " Lot 86, 7th " 200 " Lot 87, 7th " 200 " Lot 88, 7th " 200 " Lot 89, 7th " 200 " Lot 90, 7th " 200 " Lot 91, 7th " 200 " Lot 92, 7th " 200 " Lot 93, 7th " 200 " Lot 94, 7th " 200 " Lot 95, 7th " 200 " Lot 96, 7th " 200 " Lot 97, 7th " 200 " Lot 98, 7th " 200 " Lot 99, 7th " 200 " Lot 100, 7th " 200 "

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK, General Agents, Terms and Conditions, Guelph, Guelph 28th August, 1868 dw

A CARD.

OPENING OF THE FALL TRADE.

OWING to the extensive business done by the subscribers during the last twelve months, and which is daily increasing, we are enabled to buy our Goods in the best markets for CASH. We are now offering our Stock of GROCERIES, LIQUORS, CROCKERY, &c., at prices which defy competition.

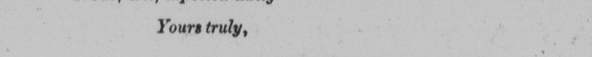
In order to make room for our Winter Stock, which we have imported direct, we will sell all Goods at a still further reduction. We would call particular attention to our large stock of TEAS, which for price and quality is the cheapest in the market

A large lot of Labrador Herrings, White Fish, Salmon Trout, &c., expected daily

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Maple Sugar

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