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CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & Co.

ACTON.

In presenting our regular half-yearly Circular to the Public we have again to return thanks to our numerous customers and the general public for the very large share of business extended to us, and in doing so we can only assure them that no effort on our part will be spared to merit a continuance of their favors. As heretofore it will be our constant aim to advance their interests as far as lies in our power, and at all times endeavor to show as large and complete a Stock as can possibly be found in one establishment. Feeling assured that the bountiful harvest of the past season with a reasonable prospect of fair average prices for all kinds of farm produce, will cause a great revival in trade, we have purchased this season a larger stock than in any previous year, and having done so with a knowledge of the wants and tastes of our customers, we feel assured we shall not be disappointed in finding ready demand therefor. As heretofore our stock comprises

General Dry Goods,

Of all kinds, Millinery and Millinery Goods of all kinds, Boots and Shoes in immense variety, Ready-made Clothing, Groceries, etc.

As to prices we are determined not to be undersold by any one either in Acton or outside. We manage our business at the least possible expense and will sell at all times at the lowest possible prices.

We extend a cordial invitation to examine our new Stock, which we trust will in style, variety and good value, compare more than favorably with any house of the kind in the trade. In the fall of the year no one requires a line of credit as money is then more plentiful than at any other season of the year, besides our experience teaches us it is in all cases infinitely better to pay as you go. Our motto heretofore has been

CASH AND SMALL PROFITS,

And we are determined to adhere firmly to the principle.

We find it impossible to enumerate all lines of Goods in stock, but will refer to some.

IN MILLINERY

We show all the latest novelties in colors, styles, and makes. We employ only experienced hands, whose constant aim will be to suit tastes and requirement of purchasers, at lowest possible prices. We charge no fancy prices for Millinery. The Ladies will please remember this.

We show an extensive stock of

Ladies' Mantles and Shawls,

Also Clouds, Wool Squares, and Furs of all kinds—cheap.

Also a large stock of

GENTS, YOUTHS AND BOYS' OVERCOATS

In Ulsters, Red River, Brown and Black Beavers, Men's Ready-made Suits—coarse and fine, extra value. Clothing made to order by experienced hands.

LADIES' DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT

Shows all the new designs, fabrics and colors. In Black Lustres we challenge all competition. Ask for the famous Tiger Brand Black Lustres. Winceys, extra value. Flannels in grey, scarlet, white, check, orange, etc. See our line of Factory Check Flannel at 25c per yard.

BOOTS and SHOES

From the heavy Stoga to the infant's shoe—all bought direct from the makers. No middle man's profit. Stock extra large and well selected. Five per cent off all purchases of five pairs at any one time.

FRESH TEAS AND GENERAL GROCERIES

Regularly to hand

Our Famous 50c TEA is used more extensively than any other Tea in the market. Sold in 5 lb. lots at 45c. Try it and be convinced.

Gents' Felt Hats, Cloth Caps for Men and Boys, and a fine assortment of Fine Fur Caps, Grey and White Blankets, Grain Bags, Cotton Warps, in fact almost everything found at any time in a general store.

We most cordially request a continuance of patronage from those who have hitherto favored us, and a trial from all who have not had our Goods, feeling assured that Goods and Prices will be entirely satisfactory.

We pay Cash for good Dairy Butter, or take in exchange for Goods. Our terms are cash or produce.

CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & CO.

Acton, October, 1877.

Christie Henderson & Co Acton

W. STEWART & CO

ARE

NOW SHOWING

A very large and very choice assortment of

New Dry Goods

FOR

FALL WEAR

IN

New Black and Colored Silks,

New French Cashmeres,

New Ribbons and Ties,

New Dress Goods,

New Staple Dry Goods,

OUR STOCK OF

Tweeds, Cloths,

and

Overcoatings

is very choice and cheap.

We hold a very superior and large lot of

NEW MANTLES AND MILLINERY.

W. Stewart & Co.,

GUELPH.

October 16, 1877.

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PLANING MILLS

Will be found a quantity of

SEASONED LUMBER

FOR SALE

Comprising inch, 1½ and 2 inch dressed and undressed. All good stock.

Sash,

Doors,

Mouldings,

Battens, &c.,

Manufactured as usual.

THOS. KEEAGE, Prop.

Acton, Aug 2, 1877.

POST OFFICE STORE

ACTON.

The subscriber having again gone into the grocery business, would intimate that he has always a full line of goods usually kept in first-class grocery houses, fresh, and of the best quality, such as—

TEAS.

BLACKS—
Finest English Breakfast Congou, Souchong, Oolong, Flowery Orange Pekoe.

GREENS—
Moyune Gunpowders, Silver Leaf Gunpowders, Moyune Young Hysons, Uncolored Japans, Imperials, Twankays

Our teas are all selected for their superior drawing qualities

Special discount on purchases over 5 lbs.

COFFEES.

Our stock comprises the best grades of Old Government Java, Laguayra, Maracaibo, and Rio.

Roasted and ground, daily, on the premises, thus retaining all the natural aroma and flavor of the berry.

COCOAS AND CHOCOLATES.

Taylor's Cocoa and Chocolate, Epp's Homœopathic Cocoa, Menier's Chocolates.

SUGARS.

Refined, in Loaves, Cut Loaf, Dry Crushed, Granulated, Extra Ground, Extra C., English Refined—all grades, Demerara, Porto Rico.

Amber, Honey and Standard Syrups.

TOBACCOES.

Chewing, Smoking, Cigars.

FRUITS—DRIED.

Valencia Raisins, Layer Raisins, Loose Muscatel, Sultanas, Seedless, Vostizza Currants, Black Patras do. in cases—selected Do. do. in bbls., Eleme Figs, French Prunes, Tunis Dates. These goods are the finest exported.

CANNED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Peaches, Pears, Cherries, Pineapples, Strawberries, Succotash, Green Peas, Corn, Beans, Tomatoes.

CANNED GOODS.

California Salmon, Portland Lobsters, French Sardines, Cove Oysters, Fresh Mackerel.

Cured Hams and Bacon, Cheese and Butter.

Burnett's Extracts & Essences. The Finest Goods Manufactured.

Soaps of all kinds.

Pickles and Sauces.

Crosse & Blackwell's, Mixed Pickles, Chowchow, Piccalilli, Mushroom Catsup, John Bull Sauce, Lea & Perrin's Worchestershire Sauce, Tomato Catsup, Favorite do., Yorkshire Relish, French Mustard.

FARINACEOUS GOODS.

Carolina Rice, Arracan Rice, Pearl Sago, Rio Tapioca, Pearl Barley, Corn Meal, Oatmeal.

DESSERT FRUITS.

Currants, Valencia Oranges, Messina Lemons, Pineapples, Tunis Dates, Bordeaux Walnuts, Filberts, Almonds.

BISCUITS & CONFECTIONERY.

Arrowroot, Wine, Soda, Abernethy, Cream, Lemon, Butter, Boston, Graham, Oyster cracker, New York Ginger nuts, Ginger Snaps, Candies and Sweetmeats of all kinds, Cheese, Butter, Eggs, Hops.

CROCKERY.

China Sets, White Stone Sets, Figured Stone Sets, Chamber Sets, Tea Plates, Bowls, Jellies, Platters, Bakers, And a full line of other kinds.

Mill Pans, Cream Crocks, Butter Crocks, Jugs, Flower Pots, &c. Selling at the manufacturers' prices.

GLASSWARE.

Tumblers, Goblets, Lamps, Lamp-Glasses, Glass Plates, Glass Sets, Fruit Jars, &c., &c.

Wall Papers and Window Blinds. In great variety—cheap.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Tubs, Pails, Brooms, Washboards, Brushes, &c., Ropes, Wire and Wooden Baskets, Patent Medicines, Dye Stuffs, Stationery, School Books, Purses, Wallets, School Bags, Spectacles, Violins, Violin Strings, Briar Pipes, Fancy Goods, Combs, &c.

Boneless Codfish, Herrings, Oysters in can and bulk—in season.

Besides many other articles in season, not here mentioned.

Cheap for Cash or Trade.

JAMES MATTHEWS.

Acton, June, 1877.

Conveyancer, Com. in Q. B., Issuer of Marriage Licenses, Insurance Agent, &c.