

**Fashion Notes.**

Sealskin turbans will be worn this winter.

Mass trimmings are used above fringe.

Navy blue and cardinal red are worn together.

Little or no trimmings are worn on dress skirts.

Myrtle is the shade of green most called for.

Muffs made of dress materials will be very fashionable.

Small checked cloth makes very pretty in kilt-plated suits.

Green and red are the fashionable colors of the season.

Little leg stockings and neckties should match in color.

Diagonal will be the favorite suiting for gentlemen this winter.

Maria Stuart is the name of one of the new bonnet shapes.

Oxeye and gold necklaces and jet ones are suitable for morning.

Gentlemen's overcoats are made very long, reaching below the knee.

Wet dress shirts will be very fashionable both for street and full dress.

Unless kid gloves are much in demand, to be worn with walking and carriage suits.

Black silk muffs edged with a band of fur will be worn with long black silk cloaks and pelisotes.

New linen collars, cravat bows, and cuffs have hemstitched borders wrought with black or scarlet dots or stars.

Gloves stitched with black in three broad bands on the back of the hand are fashionable for gentlemen.

Embroidered silk stockings, slippers matching the dress in color are fashionable for evening wear.

**Precautions Respecting Diphtheria and Typhoid Fever.**

1. Do not visit while in a state of perspiration, or when the stomach is empty.

2. Do not swallow your saliva while present with such cases.

3. Avoid placing yourself in the current of any air that passes from their persons to a fire place, or any aperture that acts as a ventilator from their bodies to the open air.

4. Avoid inhaling their breath, or any emanations that arise from their bodies or excretions.

5. When visiting, keep at a distance of eighteen inches or two feet from the sides of their beds.

6. Avoid remaining longer than is necessary with all such cases.

7. A wash, or gargle, for the mouth, made of the strength of grain of carbolic acid to an ounce of water, may be used after speaking to a patient affected with any contagious or infectious disease, as frequently as every one, two, three, four, six, or eight hours.

8. Keep a quiet, cool, and peaceful habit of mind; indeed, maintain and cultivate this desirable acquisition.

**Friction.**

The other week when a New Yorker called at a clothes cleaning establishment in the bowery with a pair of pants under his arm, the affable proprietor of the place took them out, held them up to the light, and remarked:

"I can restore those pants in a manner to amaze you."

A day or two ago, the garments were called for, and as the owner inspected them he discovered that certain spots had been worn down so thin that holes must soon appear. He began to upbraid the cleaner, who smiled sweetly as he replied:

"We do our work here by friction, and when friction comes in contact with a greasy spot, either friction or the cloth is certain to be more or less affected."

"But these pantaloons are ruined," protested the owner.

"Nominally ruined, I admit, but your son, I was deceived in you. My idea was that you had failed in business, and wanted a haggard pair of pantaloons to wear around until you could fix up a settlement at ten cents on the dollar."

**To Keep Apples One Year.**

Years ago, when we produced large quantities of fruit, we always kept apples in good condition during the entire year. At a recent Agricultural Convention in Utica, N. Y., a quantity of fair apples were exhibited which were plump, fresh and of good flavor, quite as good as the same kind of apples are ordinarily on the approach of spring.

The apples had been put up in refuse boxes the previous year, and in the following manner: A layer of dry sawdust was sprinkled at the bottom of the box, and then a layer of apples placed in, so that they do not touch each other.

Upon this was placed a layer of sawdust, and so on till the box was filled. The boxes, after being packed in this way, were placed on the wall in the cellar, up from the ground, where they kept perfectly, retaining their freshness and flavor until brought out.—New York Herald.

Sandfield, Mass., has some remarkable women. Because the men were too lazy to mend the roads of District No. 6, the women, equipped with butcher knives, hoes and shovels, went on to the road, cut bushes for the bad places, covered them with dirt, and have made a very passable thoroughfare.

CHRISTIE HENDERSON & Co. Acton

**CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & Co.**

ACTON.

Desire again to acknowledge with thanks the large share of patronage bestowed on them during the past season, and again most cordially request a continuance of the many favors extended to them by their numerous customers and the public generally. They have great pleasure in announcing that their Stock is now complete, and offers all the advantages that close buying and low cash prices can suggest.

**As a matter of Fact, Acton is known not only throughout the County of Halton, but adjoining counties as well, as one of the CHEAPEST PLACES to buy Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Teas, and Household wants generally.**

The business men and manufacturers of Acton, by their enterprise, push, and square dealing, have placed the village in a position quite in advance of many of its older and more pretending neighbors, which position they are determined to maintain. The immense quantities of grain delivered daily in Acton, afford the best evidence that **BETTER PRICES ARE PAID** than at other points east or west, and the enormous quantities of Eggs, Apples, Butter, and other Farm Produce shipped from Acton Station, prove conclusively that a large amount of business is daily transacted. Where Produce or Goods are handled in large quantities, only a very small margin for profit is needed.

**AND THIS IS THE GENUINE REASON WHY**

Acton merchants pay higher prices for produce, and sell goods at lower prices than in other places.

In advertising our goods, we make no rash statements, and are determined to adhere to anything we state—when we say our goods are cheaper than others, we know it to be a fact. The public assure us it is the case, and we intend to stick to facts, and small profits. The people are our supporters and we intend to keep on their side, and will sell goods at lower prices than ever. Large variety, low prices, and the best goods are inducements we offer.

**OUR MILLINERY AND MANTLE SHOWROOM**

This season will offer more than usual attractions. In addition to our former staff we have secured the services of an excellent Milliner of long experience in fashionable circles, which will enable us to execute all orders neatly, promptly and satisfactorily. We ask no fancy figures as is usually done for millinery, but sell, as we do other goods, at "Honest Prices." Ladies, remember this!

Our Stock of Ladies' Dress Goods this season is large, varied and cheap. All the new and fashionable shades and patterns will be found on our shelves. Being determined to make a specialty of this line we have marked every piece down to bottom prices. No fear of comparison.

Ladies' Shawls, Jackets, Clouds, Fur Sets, Silk Ties, &c., in great variety and cheap.

Gents' Felt Hats, Cloth and Fur Caps, in all the newest makes and styles.

Heavy Etoffes, Tweeds, Undershirts, Drawers, Shirts, and Shirts, decidedly cheap.

**OUR STOCK OF READY-MADE CLOTHING**

For gents', youths', and boys', is immense. Why go shivering to church when you can get a warm, respectable overcoat for only \$5.00.

Blankets from \$1.75 per pair up.

**Our Stock of Boots and Shoes**

This season is really immense, bought directly from the manufacturers and at the lowest cash prices. We positively assert without fear of contradiction that our stock of Boots and Shoes for cheapness, neatness and durability combined, is not surpassed by any house in the trade. Special discount off our low cash prices for any purchase of five or more pairs at any one time.

Scarlet and Grey Flannels, best Canadian and American makes, 12 to 20 per cent lower than last year.

Our stock of Winceys is pronounced the cheapest by all who have had an opportunity of comparing values. We are willing to compare our York shilling Wincey with any other sold at 15 or 16 cents, and have no fear of the result. Don't fail to secure a piece.

**GROCERIES**

Teas, Sugars, Soaps, Tobaccos, &c., at decidedly low prices.

**OUR FAMOUS 50 CENT TEA**

Now commands a larger sale than ever. Buy a 5 lb. lot, and return it and get your money back if it does not give entire satisfaction.

**OUR TERMS ARE STRICTLY CASH AND SMALL PROFITS.**

Cash saves expense from collection and losses from bad debts. We rely on immense sales, and are satisfied with small margins. We put in no threads or buttons for the purpose of extracting a few more cents per yard from our customers. It is easy to buy of us, since all are treated alike, no one getting favors that are denied to others.

If you live 15 or 20 miles from Acton you will be largely repaid by a visit to our Cheap Cash Store. All we ask is an opportunity of showing the goods; you will do the buying.

CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & Co.

**REMOVED THE LION, GUELPH.**

R. CREECH,

SADDLER & HARNESS-MAKER,

Has removed one door west of his old stand, and is now prepared to turn out work, which for

NEATNESS, CHEAPNESS AND DURABILITY

cannot be surpassed by any house in the county.

Harness of all Kinds

supplied on the shortest possible notice, and warranted to give perfect satisfaction.

As he is doing business principally on the Cash System, he is prepared to sell cheaper than ever.

Give him a call and be convinced that this is the right place.

June 28, 1876. R. CREECH, Acton.

SPECIAL.

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WRITING DESKS

AND

WORK BOXES

AT

Less than Half Cost

AT

ANDERSON'S

CHEAP BOOKSTORE

On the East side of Wyndham Street

GUELPH.

SCHOOL BOOKS.

School Children should Buy Day's 5 cent Copy Book. It contains forty copies, and is made of good paper.

All the School Books used in the Town and Country Schools on hand at

DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

Day Sells Cheap.

G. T. HILL,

Mill Street, ACTON,

DEALER IN

Groceries,

Crockery,

Boots & Shoes,

Wall Paper,

Window Blinds,

Nails, Glass, Putty,

Linned Oil,

Paints, Turpentine,

Coal Oil, Salt, etc.,

All of which will be sold low for cash.

BOOTS and SHOES

Selling off at cost

Also agent for the

RUBBER PAINT COMPANY

Of Cleveland, Ohio.

Cash for Hides.

Acton, July 18, 1876.

During the past season we have sold so cheap that The Lion is now known far and wide as

**The Cheapest Store in Ontario.**

We intend in the Fall months to increase our reputation.

Our Stock is the largest west of Toronto.

It has been bought direct from the producers at Bottom Prices.

The Lion never Asks for Big Profits

But puts down the Prices to suit the times and small harvest.

1100 Pieces Winceys Wonderfully Cheap. Dress Goods never so low before. Flannels 25 per cent lower than formerly.

Large Stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING, LADIES' JACKETS AND MILLINERY.

Cheaper than at any other House.

Best Cotton GRAIN BAGS, \$3.00

A Dollar spent at The Lion will buy more than at any other store.

J. D. WILLIAMSON & Co

Guelph, Sept. 26, 1876.

**GREAT SPECIAL SALE**

**DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING**

Preparatory to Removal.

**WM. STEWART & Co**

Our entire stock of Dry Goods and Clothing is now offered regardless of cost, to reduce stock before removing to our new premises, now building. The public may rely on this.

Best and Cheapest Bargains ever offered.

**NEW CHOICE GOODS**

Cheaper than Old Bankrupt Stock at Half price—Cheap because just the goods wanted—Cheap, because Fresh and New.

THE STOCK MUST WILL AND SHALL BE SOLD.

But we are aware how perplexing it is for honest people to read the advertisements here and elsewhere. We'll talk the matter and brag the most seems to be the maxim of each. But an intelligent Public know well that Shoddy Goods are dear at Half-price.

We give a few quotations of

**GOODS REDUCED.**

4,500 yards of Dress Goods,—former prices, 15, 20, 25 and up to 35 cents—reduced to 10, 15 and 20 cents.

Striped silks reduced to 57 cents. Lace Curtains 75 cents.

Striped Grenadines to 10 cents. White Cotton Hose from 41 cents.

Striped and Plain Linen to 10 cts. Straw Sun Hats from 5 cents.

Parasols from 15 cents. Cashmere Jackets from 12 cents.

Black and Colored Lustres from 12 1/2 cents. Linen Suits from \$1.50.

Table Linens, Bed Quilts, Table Napkins, Sheetings, Damasks, etc., will be offered at striking prices.

Colored Shirting from 10 cents. A lot of Woolen Tweeds reduced to \$1.00 to 60 cents. Colored and White Dress Shirts from 40 cents.

A JOB LOT of LADIES UNDERCLOTHING to be SACRIFICED.

This Sale is no Clap Trap.

Reduced Prices Must Be Cash.

Guelph, June 5 1876.

WILLIAM STEWART