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IF YOU PATRONIZE
The Everyday Bargain Store
YOU LEARN TO SAVE MONEY

Full Line of New Fall Goods

Heavy Underwear for all the family, Winter Clothing, Reefers, Heavy Working Pants, Sheep-lined Jackets, Cardigans, Gum Rubbers, Overcoats, Raincoats, Caps. Bought right; sold right.

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HARVESTING TOOLS!

of all kinds, including Forks, Rakes, Scythes, Snaths, Blocks, Grapples
Rope and Warp of all sizes, Baskets

Most of these are carried over from last year, so we can sell them cheaper

We also have plenty of Paris Green, Arsenate of Lead and Blue Vitriol (99% pure), Arsenoid, Lime, etc., for the potatoes.

Straw Hats, Light Shoes and Thin Underwear for the hot weather

In Ladies' goods we have plenty of Summer Dry Goods, including Blouses, Middies, Skirts, White Underwear, Hosiery, in colors Prints, Cottons, Ginghams, Voiles, Creppes, Striped Goods, etc.

In Groceries we are ahead of the game as usual, having a large stock bought before the recent advances, and are giving our customers the benefit of this saving.

We are paying **MORE** for Butter and Eggs than any of our competitors. Please call us up if you have any of these to sell. It will pay you

We have two Typewriters, one a brand new No. 4 Underwood, and the other a secondhand Empire. Both in perfect repair and running order, but as we do not require both will sell either at a bargain. Also a Second-hand Automobile (5 passenger McLaughlin-Buick), in good repair, will be sold at a snap on, easy terms.

As we are the only STRICTLY CASH STORE IN THIS VICINITY we are in a good position to do better for our customers than our competitors.

S. W. SMITH

The Cash Store

N. B. Phone 3-2

EAST FLORENCEVILLE, N. B.

Farmers' Phone 18-2

HON. F. B. CARVELL IS MINISTER PUBLIC WORKS

"Tory" Government No Longer Exists, But a
Real Union of Canada's Ablest Men—
Carvell Gets Most Important
Portfolio

Canada now has a real National Government, made up of an equal number of the ablest men in both the great political parties. The "Tory" government no longer exists. The new cabinet is recognized as a union cabinet, as much Liberal as it is Conservative, yet claiming to be neither the one or the other. The government of Canada is now in trim for the best possible service toward winning and ending the war—and all other matters sink into insignificance beside this all-important problem.

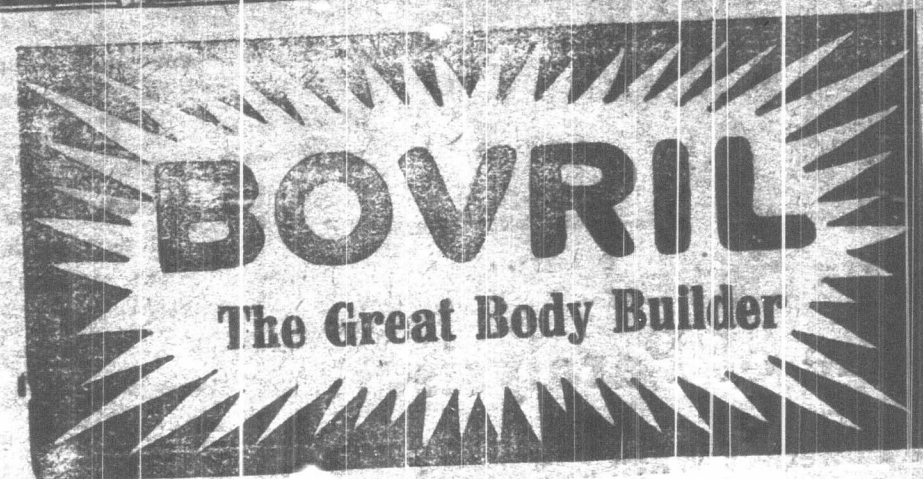


HON. FRANK B. CARVELL
Minister of Public Works in the Dominion Government

That this union should and could have been effected three years ago is admitted by all. But the stranglehold of Patronage and Graft was hard to break. That a union government was not established before parliament prorogued is to be regretted. In such case extension of parliament would have been a reasonable proposition and an election deferred for a time. As it is an election is absolutely necessary.

Months ago Hon. F. B. Carvell was sought by Premier Borden to enter his cabinet. He was offered his own choice of portfolios. At the same time Mr. Carvell was urged by the Liberals, and by Sir Wilfrid Laurier himself to take the leadership of that great party. On either hand the man from Carleton was offered an open door to fame and triumph. Yet he hesitated. Canada's need was for a national government and the sinking of party differences. Carvell believed this, yet he knew that to enter a government where union was merely pretense would be but to betray his followers. Therefore he hesitated—not in doubt, but to make sure that union was to be real, honest, in absolute good faith. So it was that Frank B. Carvell,

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For Sale at Bargain Prices

- 1 Second Hand Chevrolet Touring Car
- 1 " McLaughlin-Buick Touring Car
- 1 " Ford Touring Car (Almost New)

Will accept Potatoes or Cattle in exchange

Enquire of S. W. Smith, East Florenceville, or W. P. Stapleford Bath.

Can be seen at anytime at Florenceville Garage.

Letter from Pte John K. Glass

John K. Glass, son of John Glass of Windsor, enlisted with the 14th and was wounded in action a few weeks ago. The following letter to his mother was written Sept. 12 at Northamptonshire War Hospital in England: "Have not heard from you for about a month. Am wondering what has become of you. Sent a card the night I arrived in England telling you my address. Tell Mary I got her boots. They were too big but will wear three or four pairs of socks in them."

Well, I can hardly write now; don't know whether you can make it out or not.

There are thirty-six of us here and we are having a fine time. My wound was not serious. My fingers are stiff now but they will soon be better.

Well, I suppose you read about the good work the Canadians did at Lens.

Mother, I was about the first to climb out of the trench to go over the top and advance through a regular assault. The noise was something awful. A man don't get scared any; it is something like hunting, only on a larger scale.

I got the man that got me so am satisfied. He turned a machine gun point blank at me and only hit me once, but I shot him and bombed the machine gun. Don't worry about me. I am getting along fine.

Mother, I remember Old Thornton and Frank Goodman, for they are helping to do great work at Lens. We have got the most of it now.

I am having a ten days pass and think I will go to Scotland. Tell dad not to worry or work too hard.

From your loving son
John

(The good report from the two Hartland boys mentioned will be read with pleasure by their friends.—Editor.)

An Unseasonable Snow Storm

A notheast snow storm set in Thursday night and Friday morning dawned upon a world covered with several inches of the wintry mantle. Everywhere, in the localities where the storm prevailed, shade and fruit trees were badly damaged by the weight of snow which clung to foliage that had not yet been shed. Some farmers had not their harvest gathered and the snow, with the unfavorable weather before and after, was the cause of considerable loss. There are still many acres of potatoes to be dug and for nearly two weeks the weather has been most unfavorable; yet the whole of September was fine and just why some farmers are behind in their work seems a mystery.

Six years ago, on Oct. 10, there was a very heavy snow storm and much grain was ruined.

A rainy summer is almost invariably the forerunner of early frosts and early winter conditions.

William G. Tinker

The death of William G. Tinker, a well known Hartland boy, occurred on Sept. 18. For years he was employed by the B. & A. railroad as train despatcher in the Bangor offices. He was baptised at the age of 14 by the Rev. S. W. Bennison uniting with the Baptist church here, and living ever after a consistent Christian life. He was in declining health for the past five years. Besides his wife and one daughter he leaves to mourn, two brothers, Frank, of the freight department at Ottawa, and Holland of Eau Claire, Wisconsin, and one sister, Mrs. Hugh McGregor, of Bocabec Cove, N. B.