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IF YOU PATRONIZE The Everyday Bargain Store

YOU LEARN TO SAVE MONEY

Changing to Cash Basis

On and after October 1st no more merchandise will be sold on CREDIT in this store. We expect to sell fully as much as before—even more. But all the sales will be for CASH or PRODUCE.

We are going to make the change in your interest as well as our own. What you are interested in is the fact that under the new deal we are going to sell you things for LESS MONEY.

You see, when we get cash we can pay cash. This means a saving in our buying, and we shall pass the benefits along to you. We shall not of course, get as much for our goods under the cash basis. But we shall get the money when the sale is made, and can afford to take less than if we had to wait thirty, sixty or ninety days for our money.

Why do we think this way? Why is it not just as good for a merchant to get his money at the end of the month as it is to get it day by day?

This is the reason. Every store that gives its customers lowest prices sells its goods on the lowest margin. If we give you the benefit of these discounts we will have to get the discounts first. The way to get goods so they can be sold at the right prices is to pay cash for them or at least discount the bills, which is the same as cash. When a merchant has to borrow money from his bank to discount his bills the banker gets a portion of the benefit in the form of interest—a benefit that under ordinary circumstances should go to the customer.

You will not be interested in a long drawn statement of the ways and wherefores of the cash system benefit. It is enough to say that where business in general is conducted substantially on a cash basis prices will be lower.

This is why we are going to adopt the cash system. No one need feel any sense of injury at being asked to pay cash.

The credit of most of our customers is good. It isn't the question of getting the money that worries us. It is merely a matter of getting lined up with the new way of doing things—the way that gets cash, pays cash and gives better values for less money.

You don't have to take our word for our ability to save you money as a result of the new deal.

COME IN AND SEE! ALL WE ASK IS A CHANCE TO SHOW YOU.

A. W. PHILLIPS

BRISTOL, N. B.

CHANGING TO STRICTLY CASH BASIS

ON OCTOBER 1 we are changing to a STRICTLY CASH BASIS and will sell no more goods on CREDIT after that date. All kinds of Produce will be accepted same as Cash.

Every REASONABLE and SENSIBLE person knows that in the long run this will be much better for BOTH my CUSTOMERS and myself for I can sell my goods MUCH CHEAPER and yet have more clear profit, as it will save the big expense of Book-keeping and Book-keeping supplies, cost of making out accounts and mailing them, and the BIGGEST LOSS of all, in BAD DEBTS and loss of interest on overdue accounts.

Further arguments in favor of the Cash System is unnecessary as EVERY ONE KNOWS we can SELL CHEAPER for CASH than at SPECIAL CASH SALE prices later. We will prove that we will SAVE YOU MONEY.

S. W. SMITH

East Florenceville, N. B.

N. B. PHONE 32

FARMERS' PHONE 182.

KEITH & PLUMMER

announce their

FALL MILLINERY OPENING

on

Wed. and Thurs. Sept. 20 - 21

and you are cordially invited to see our all new stock and to meet

Miss ELIZABETH GIFFORD, Modiste

GREENWOOD TO BE DEDICATED

Every Interested Person Should Attend Service Sunday Afternoon

On Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. there will take place the most unique religious ceremony that has ever been held in these parts. Not only will the ceremony be the only one of its kind, but in its very nature it will be most solemn and impressive. It will be then that the new Greenwood Cemetery will be dedicated as hallowed ground for our beloved dead, and as ground set aside under religious auspices for the last resting place of most of us citizens of Hartland and vicinity.

All the members of the village have agreed on a program of brief addresses and there will be appropriate prayer and music. M. L. Hayward will tell the people what the committee of seven has done and give a financial statement.

Always every year when the snow went off the ground the graveyard has presented a sad, mournful, desolate, gruesome appearance suggestive everywhere of death and decay and those who had loved ones buried there felt more poignantly their grief when they visited the graves and saw the condition of desuetude.

Today conditions have changed. A number of men of the town—most of them rugged, stern men not much given to sentiment—have given their earnest endeavor to raise from the old burying ground a place that would do honor to the dead, dissipate the shuddering awe and fear which one could not previously repress when visiting the cemetery; and inspiring the living with the thought that there is still hope in death, and those who are buried there are not dead but sleeping.

The transformation that has taken place at Greenwood, although still far from complete, is wonderful and a very hopeful sign of the progress of our people. The people in Hartland and surrounding country have really deep interest in this graveyard, if they but knew it. There are many who live at distant points who have friends buried there. As many as possible should gather at the cemetery on Sunday afternoon. It is desired to see hundreds there, and there will be, if the day is fine.

You are given this special, personal invitation to come.

WILL ASSIST THE POTATO GROWERS

New Line of Steamers to South American Ports and Warehouses Planned

T. W. Caldwell, M. F., of Carleton county, was in the city yesterday in conference with J. C. Chesley, local agent for the marine and fisheries department, in regard to obtaining a warehouse for the handling of potatoes being shipped to Cuba and the West Indies. Mr. Caldwell, with the government engineer and Mr. Chesley, visited West St. John and made an inspection of several of the sheds there. It is expected that the engineer will make a report today in regard to the shed and Mr. Caldwell remained here in order to complete arrangements.

Mr. Caldwell said last evening it was hoped to soon have a line of steamers carrying potatoes from here to South America ports. Negotiations with this end in view were progressing well and he expected that a definite announcement, in this respect, would be made soon—Telegraph.

CARLETON CO. MAN STRIKES OIL

S. F. Boyce, Who Retained His Holdings in Montana, Is Well Repaid

Friends here have received word that a 15,000 barrel gusher has been reported on the property in Montana owned by S. F. Boyce, of Lake George, York county.

Mr. Boyce is a native of Somerville but went to Montana some years ago and resided there for a considerable period, but about four years ago he returned to this province, purchased a property at Lake George and now has a fine home there, where his family reside. He has, however, retained portions of his original holdings in the west, including about 1,000 acres, where considerable oil exploration work has been going on.

The Great Falls, Montana, Tribune gives details of the finding of the gusher and makes it evident that Mr. Boyce's holdings should prove very valuable. Where the gusher was reported was at what is known as Sunburst-Boyce No. 1; previously in that section of Montana oil had been obtained only by pumping, but in this case the well blew itself in with the big production reported above. Early telegrams sent from the scene to Great Falls said the well was flooding the area with oil and that reservoirs were being rapidly built to hold the flowage.

C. Little White, of the Valley Motor Company, received word yesterday from Mr. Boyce of his good fortune with copies of Great Falls papers.—St. John Journal.

BENNIE SWIM DIES TOMORROW

Young Man to be Executed is Bearing Well, Although He is Slightly Nervous—Music For Mrs. Boyd

Woodstock, Sept. 12.—As the day approaches for the execution of Benny Swim the condemned man is keeping up wonderfully, although slightly nervous. The woman, Mrs. Boyd, awaiting trial for the murder of her children, occupies a cell on the same floor, and Sheriff Foster has given her a gramophone and some records which she plays very often. Swim said to his keeper, "That music gets tiresome, but I won't be here long and will not say anything as I suppose it amuses the poor woman."

As sewing and knitting could not be given Mrs. Boyd it was thought advisable to take up her attention with music. Every day Swim's spiritual adviser, Rev. H. V. Bragdon, spends some time with him and he has expressed a desire to be baptized. Arrangements for carrying out the ceremony were made in the corridor near his cell. Holmes, the executioner and an assistant have arrived to complete the preparations for the execution, which is to be carried out in the jail yard on Friday.

Woodstock, Sept. 12.—The preparations for the execution of Benny Swim are going on. The lumber for the gallows was placed on the ground today, and workmen will commence construction in the morning. The condemned man, when told the sentence would be carried out, went to pieces, but has recovered and, strange as it may seem, evinces considerable interest in the final preparations. His cell is on the opposite side of the jail on which the gallows will be erected, and he inquired today when building operations would commence. He also asked if the lumber had been hauled and requested that he be given a cell on the other side where he could witness the building of the structure. His request was granted.

AFTERNOON TEA AT MRS. MILLER'S

Mrs. S. S. Miller was hostess at a very pleasant afternoon tea Tuesday when Mr. Miller's niece, Mrs. Sinnett, was guest of honor and also Miss Nellie Thompson of Boston. Mrs. Miller received her guests on the spacious verandah where a pleasant hour was spent. Later the guests were invited into the house and were given a treat when Mrs. Sinnett favored them by singing a couple of numbers. The guests were then ushered into the prettily decorated dining room and partook of a most luscious luncheon. After refreshments were served Mr. Sinnett, who also has a most wonderful voice, favored the company by singing a solo. The invited guests included—Mrs. Sinnett of Canning, N. S.; Miss Nellie Thompson, Boston; Miss Jameson, St. John; Mrs. Bruce Berry, Moncton; Mrs. Hatfield, Boston; Mrs. Fred Boyer, Mrs. H. C. Cochrane and Mrs. C. N. Barton of Victoria; Mesdames J. T. G. Carr, C. H. Taylor, H. J. Aitken, Frank Hagerman, R. B. Hagerman, H. H. Hatfield, Wm. McLeod, Will Carr, Harley Burpee, A. W. Kyle, W. F. Haigh, G. McBurnie, Mrs. Henry Teddie and Miss Evelyn Teddie, Miss Mary Carr, Miss Marlon W. Stevens. Misses Jean and Muriel Miller assisted with entertaining the guests. Mrs. A. A. Riddout presided at the head of the tea table and poured the tea.

TO INTEREST LOCAL EXPORTERS

The secretary of the Board of Trade yesterday received a communication from E. C. Austin, of Barranquilla, Colombia, South America, with regard to the prospects of interesting local exporters in the matter of shipping goods to Colombia and Venezuela. Mr. Austin also advised that he had reached New York on his way to this country, and expected to leave that city for St. John on September 13 or 14.—St. John Journal.

BIG CROWD AT THE EXHIBITION

Today is Children's Day and Hartland School Has a Large Number of Contestants in the Sports—Show Was Good

Woodstock Exhibition opened on Tuesday with favorable weather and a large crowd gathered to see the best show of all time in Carleton county. Yesterday forenoon the weather was threatening, but there was little rain anywhere in the county and an immense crowd gathered, the particular point of interest being the free-for-all races.

Today is children's day and Hartland schools closed for the occasion. A large number of the pupils have come to the event and many are entered in the sports as follows:

Broad jump, running broad jump—(a) Paul Kyle, (b) Arthur Rigby, Harry McCollom, Harold Donkin.

Three-legged race—Arthur Rigby, Harry McCollom, Harriet Harris, Muriel Miller, Martha McCollom, Helen Rideout.

Relay Race—Arthur Rigby, George Barter, Dean Price, Hazen Hayward. Hundred yard dash—Paul Kyle, David Morgan, Clayton Price, Grace Coughlin, Marion Stevens, Harold Donkin, George Barter, Mabel Nevins, Martha McCollom.

Lodovino Violette, Anna Orser, Mildred Sippell, Frank McMullin, Arthur Waters and Charlie Miller are also contestants.

The children were taken to Woodstock by A. W. Kyle, C. E. Rideout, and C. E. Morgan.

SUICIDE OF SIMONDS BOY

The community was shocked yesterday when they received news of the suicide of Wendell Ebbett, son of Whitefield Ebbett of Middle Simonds. He was Station Agent at Washburn, Me., and leaves a wife and one child who are at present visiting at his old home at Simonds.

When last seen alive Mr. Ebbett was conversing in normal manner at 11 p.m. on Tuesday. He did not show up for work yesterday morning and investigation found his dead body in his room and an empty bottle of alcohol told of the vain attempt to end his life, but his cut throat proved the more successful venture. The shocking news was received by the parents and wife yesterday and deep sympathy is extended to them. During the last few weeks he had been working hard and had much worry and it is believed that his act was due to a temporary mental derangement.

The remains will be brought to Hartland today and funeral will take place at Middle Simonds this afternoon under Masonic honors.

BROTHERS WED—BUT NOT EACH OTHER

Ray Wallace Laskey of Moncton, brother of E. W. Laskey of this town, and Miss Maud Lillian Spencer were married on Wednesday last at the Wesley Memorial parsonage, Moncton. Mr. Laskey has for some years been employed in the engineering department of the C. N. R. and his bride was formerly an employee of the N. B. Telephone Co. The young couple arrived here on Saturday and spent a few days of their honeymoon with Mr. Laskey's brother. Their Carleton county friends wish them every happiness.

More surprising than the foregoing was an announcement appearing in the same column of a St. John daily which states that "Mr. and Mrs. Leverett W. Clark of St. Stephen announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Winnifred A. Millidge, to Gordon Laskey, P. D., of Woodstock, the wedding to take place in the near future." The groom-to-be in this case until a couple of weeks ago resided here with his brother Edward, but is now engaged in the practice of his profession in Wilson's Dental Rooms at Woodstock. He is a graduate of a New York City dental college. The charming young woman who is to be the bride is no less than the principal of Hartland High School and during the year of her sojourn here has won a host of friends. The happy couple will receive the felicitations of all the town.

IN MEMORIAM

In sad and loving memory of Harry M. Hagerman who passed away Sept. 12, 1921. "They are not dead who live in hearts they leave behind."
Mrs. H. E. Hagerman and children.