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### Borden Wants Carvell

The Ottawa correspondent of the St. John Globe, in an article on the political situation at Ottawa, says:

"F. B. Carvell is badly wanted by Sir Clifford and Sir Robert, but the hope of getting him has been abandoned. He objected to joining a government of which Hon. Robert Rogers was a member, and now that Mr. Rogers has gone Mr. Carvell appears reluctant to enter a ministry in the formation of which Sir Clifford Sifton is taking so large a share."

The above must certainly make pleasant reading for the Tory politicians of New Brunswick and their newspaper organs, who have for years made Mr. Carvell the target for the vilest kind of abuse. How B. Frank Smith, J. Kidd Flemming and J. B. M. Baxter must have rubbed their eyes in astonishment when they read the Globe's Ottawa despatch from which the above extract was taken! One can almost see the editor of the St. John Standard and the coterie of boodlers who control that paper, pinching themselves to see if they are alive. The very fact that Mr. Carvell is "badly wanted" by Sir Robert Borden to join his tottering government, must be gall and wormwood to the Tory bosses of this province. No doubt they protested vehemently, but their protests evidently carried little weight with the premier. He still wants Mr. Carvell, but the despatch tells us that he has about abandoned hopes of getting him, not because a howl has been raised by the Tory bosses of New Brunswick, whom he evidently regards as "flies on the wheel," but because Mr. Carvell appears reluctant to enter a ministry in the formation of which Sir Clifford Sifton is taking so large a share. Toryism in New Brunswick has certainly fallen on evil days.—Fredericton Mail.

### Bristol Events

Mrs. Ollie McIntosh of Esdraeflon spent Wednesday the guest of her sister, Mrs. Staff Banks. Henry Brooks went West on Monday on the harvest excursion. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Street o



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Upper Kent spent part of the week guests of Mr. Street's parents and left on Friday for St. John to spend their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Neville Jensen spent Thursday at Upper Kent, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Street.

Miss Maude Darkis spent part of last week in Hartland.

Miss Carrie Noble of Hartland spent the week-end with her brother, Leighton Noble.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Street, Mr. and Mrs. Neville Jensen and James Gallupe motored to Somerville on Sunday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jensen.

The Misses Lillian, Alice and Master John Lang are guests of their uncle, Gordon Lang.

Master Allen Bell of Wapske was the guest this week of Mrs. Sidy Giberson.

School opened again on Monday with Miss Darkis of Florenceville teaching the Primary Department and Mr. Gullivar of Norton the Advanced Department.

The painters left here on Wednesday having finished painting the station and bridges.

Master Garnet Banks returned from Esdraeflon on Wednesday where he has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. William McIntosh.

Mrs. Leighton Noble and daughter Nellie and Leitha spent last week with friends in Hartland.

The many friends of Mrs. Theodore Rogers are sorry to hear of her illness.

Mrs. Vince Giberson of Bath were on Saturday the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Boyer returned from Caribou on Saturday where they were the guests of Charles Estabrooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Oak Boyer and Mr. and Mrs. James Tupper returned from Burnt Land Brook on Saturday where they have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Evezett.

Mrs. James Bell and daughter Ruth went to Fredericton on Saturday.

Miss Jessie Bell of Fort Fairfield spent the week-end the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Bell.

Miss Verna Jacques of Plaster Rock is the guest of Miss Helen Somerville.

Mrs. McLean went to Woodstock on Saturday for the purpose of consulting Dr. Rankine.

### ANDOVER LOCALS

Miss Eva Hiscock of Bairds-ville spent last week in town the guest of Mrs. Henry Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Waite have returned to their home in Woodstock.

Miss Graham of Grand Falls is visiting her friend, Miss Grace Porter.

The young people met with Miss Jessie Jamer last Tuesday evening and a pleasant time was spent by all present, supper was served by the young ladies. Dancing and music was indulged in until eleven o'clock when all took their departure for home after thanking Miss Miss Jamer for her hospitality as a charming hostess.

Robert Watson of the Forestry Battalion now stationed at Sus-

sex is spending a few days at his home in Andover.

Sheriff James Tibbitts and Master George Bedell motored to Grand Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. C. M. Tibbitts entertained a few friends at six o'clock dinner on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Wootte and family motored to Caribou Monday and Tuesday where they attended the Fair.

Mrs. George Balmain of Woodstock is the guest of Mrs. Ida Baird.

John P. Forest of Fort Fairfield was in Andover during the past week. While here he installed electric lights in the Episcopal Rectory.

Miss Isabel Thomas of Fredericton, Miss Rankine of St. Andrews, and Miss Grant of Southampton have returned to Andover and started their work as teachers in the Andover Grammar School on Monday morning. The many friends that the young ladies made in Andover and Perth during the past are glad to welcome them back again.

Vaughn Bedell of St. John is spending his vacation at his home in Andover, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Bedell.

The first corn roast of the season is to be held this evening at Miss Jessie Jamer's.

Misses Beatrice and Violet Gillett spent a few days of last week with friends at Cliffdale.

Miss C. Zetta North, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. F. M. Howard leaves Thursday for her home in Canning, Nova Scotia.

Mrs. William Matheson and family who have been spending the last six months at their summer home in Cabano have returned to their home in Andover.

### CENTREVILLE NEWS

Rev. Mr. Cooch of Mars Hill occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church here Sunday morning. At the evening service in the same church Rev. Mr. Boyer, representative of the International Bible Society, preached an eloquent and very instructive sermon to a large congregation.

A very heavy shower here Monday evening, Aug. 29, accompanied by heavy thunder and severe lightning. One bolt struck the exhibition building doing damage but did not set the building on fire.

Mrs. Jack MacKenzie is home after a pleasant visit with relatives at Mars Hill.

Misses Annie and Fanny West returned home from Woodstock Saturday evening.

Miss Annie West expects to sail for Russia in about two weeks with a U. S. A. unit composed of 60 nurses and 30 doctors.

Louis Niles, a returned soldier, is visiting at the Centreville Hotel.

Lee Brown, B. C. Estabrooks, R. W. Balloch and Willard Bruce motored to Caribou Thursday to attend the races.

Burton Clark, L. B. Clark, Whit. Bishop and E. M. Crouse went to the head of the Tobique by auto, leaving Wednesday and returning Friday. They had a sumptuous repast of salmon and trimmings at the American club house at the Forks.

Mrs. L. B. Clark returned Friday from Bath where she had been visiting relatives.

A. Page, manager of the Imperial Products Ltd., Woodstock was in the village Thursday by auto. While here he bought four beef cattle from Jack Lee.

Thursday afternoon the Ladies Aid had a picnic on Mrs. Emma Webb's lawn. Supper was served from 5 to 7. Everyone had a good time and the sum of \$16 was raised for missionary purposes.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Burr Forsyth the 20th inst.

Your compositor made a mistake in names in last week's cor-

respondence. Al. Boone of Bridgewater was reported as being at Dr. Brown's over night on his way to the races in Fredericton. Then we remarked that although along in years Mr. Boone was still somewhat of a sport. Your compositor put Dr. Brown instead of Mr. Boone. This mistake caused some amusement and the genial doctor has had to stand a lot of chaff. He is not yet considered in the "along-in-years class."

T. B. Thistle and son Malcolm spent Monday in Woodstock.

Howard Reid was a visitor in Woodstock on Saturday.

### CROPS OF PROVINCE

Report By the Minister of Agriculture

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 24—The provincial department of agriculture is now working upon the organization of a new system for securing monthly crop reports. The intention is to have the chairman of the boards of revisors in each parish prepare reports by a new method of classification of crops. The scheme has not yet been worked out fully, but it is expected that it will be in operation before long. Reports in the past have not been very accurate, as in many cases blanks were filled in by men not in touch with agricultural conditions.

Hon. J. F. Tweeddale this morning gave a statement of crop conditions so far as the information received by his department, and his own personal knowledge would permit. Hay is abundant. On the Upper St. John much old hay is pressed and ready for shipment, and the cut of new is so great that storage room is at a premium. (Farmers with hay containing a large amount of clover are letting it ripen with the intention of threshing it for clover seed. Similar conditions prevail in other parts of the province.)

There is little live stock in the province to which to feed hay, a regrettable state of affairs, resulting largely from the demand of the United States market for young animals.

In all sections the potato crop promised good until within the last week. In that time rust has hit Victoria and Carleton counties hard. The largest potato acreage is in that section. Some fields are entirely brown and rot also has made its appearance. Farmers anticipate that the yield will be seriously affected. Similar conditions are reported from Aroostook county, Maine.

The minister said that turnips were of acreage from fifty to seventy per cent, greater than the average and everywhere were in an excellent condition. The yield was expected to be more than the average.

Wheat, the growing of which was encouraged particularly by the agricultural department, gives excellent promise. The acreage is the largest in years. The wheat is well headed and ripening fast. The crop promises better than oats which appear to have been injured by the heavy rains of the spring.

Buck wheat grain has grown better than in years. The yield will be an average one with extra good straw. Barley is in excellent condition. Beans are a larger crop than ever.

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