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IF YOU PATRONIZE The Everyday Bargain Store

YOU LEARN TO SAVE MONEY!

Thank You!

Thanking all my Friends, for the past year's business, which has been good, I promise 365 Big Bargain Days in 1919, less the usual number of Sundays and Holidays.

A Happy New Year to All

A. W. PHILLIPS

BRISTOL N. B.

XMAS GOODS

of all kinds are here in abundance including the usual display of Toys, Games, Books, Watches, Jewelry, Fancy Dishes, Toilet Sets, Perfumes, Papeteries, etc., also all the usual Fancy Staple lines, such as Handkerchiefs, Ties, Scarfs, Caps, Underwear (for the whole family, including the famous Stanfield's lines). All lines of

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Let me tell you frankly that many of these lines were carried over a season or two and are being sold away below today's prices. It will PAY you to call and look these over if in need of any of these lines. I'm going to clean them out regardless of today's prices.

Bring Your Butter, Eggs, Poultry for I Always Pay More

than my competitors. If you have any to sell it will pay you to call me up and get my prices. Both phones. Butter 46c, Eggs 55c, Poultry 20 to 45c a pound.

My Store Was Thoroughly Fumigated

after my recent illness, so you need have no more fear of getting the flu here than anywhere else. I have a new and competent staff to look after you, but as my store was closed for nearly a month on account of my recent sickness and bereavement, I have too large a stock in many fall and winter lines and these will be sold at

Bargains to Make Things Go

S. W. SMITH

N. B. Phone 3-2

EAST FLORENCEVILLE, N.B.

Farmer Phones 18-2

ELECTION CARD.

To the Electors of the Incorporated Town of Hartland, Ladies and Gentlemen:—We the undersigned having been solicited to become candidates in the ensuing election by a large number of rate payers, hereby announce ourselves as the Citizens Ticket, and appeal to you for your support.

If elected we pledge ourselves to carry on the business of the Town to the best of our ability, without regard to politics, and in the most economical manner consistent with the best interests of the Town.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Keith

Candidate for Mayor.

Candidates for Aldermen

JOHN T. G. CARR

A. F. CAMPBELL

A. A. NEVENS

F. HAGERMAN

E. C. MORGAN

L. D. C. MACINTOSH

J. E. MCCOLLAM

R. W. CAMERON

Use more soup

Put in plenty of vegetables and rice or barley. Even with poor stock delicious soups can be made by adding a dash of

BOVRIL

Canada Food Board, Licence No. 13-442

A teacher is wanted for Fielding school, two miles from Bristol. Apply to N. B. Rogers, Fielding.

THINGS THAT GROW DOUBLE

Freaks of Nature That the Wisest of Men Find Some Difficulty in Explaining.

Nature does some strange things in the formation of vegetables, nuts and different kinds of fruits, an exchange states. It is quite common to find two or more growing together, and naturalists frequently run across some very curious freaks.

Double ears of corn are quite common. They grow side by side, and are sometimes of equal size; but usually one has a little better chance to grow and gets the advantage over the other.

A double ear on exhibition in one of the Western states was certainly a curiosity. One side was one variety of corn, while the other side was so different that it was hard to believe the two had grown so close together.

Double heads of wheat are quite common, but double grains are scarce. Grains of rye, however, are often double, and the same is true of rice.

Onions, radishes, beets, carrots, turnips, cabbages and other vegetables are often found in double form.

The prettiest specimens of double peaches are those with two seeds, as they are most distinctly double, being joined at a point about half-way from the stem of the blossom ends.

POTATO PRODUCTS CO. BUSINESS

Successful Operation in Carleton County
(St. John Globe)

One of the manufacturing plants of New Brunswick that owes its present importance, if not its existence, to war conditions, and has attained such a position that its usefulness is assured in peace times, is the plant of the Potato Products Company, located at Hartland and Woodstock, the promoters and large shareholders of which are Hartfield and Scott of Hartland and Montreal. Evaporated potatoes is one of the chief products of their factories. For the last three years practically their entire output has been contracted for by the Imperial government, and so well satisfied have their customers been that this year there has been no maximum limit placed on quantity taken. And the consumers, the British soldiers are so well pleased with the stuff that a ready market is assured when they return to civil life. This year the Hartland output alone has been over five hundred thousand pounds of evaporated potatoes and one hundred tons of starch. The company has paid over \$900,000 to the farmers of Carleton county. Their pay roll averages about \$1800 a week. They employ 115 hands, though the work is largely done by machinery. This factory is a great boon to the potato raisers for two reasons specially. First, it makes a market for the potatoes, which are used for making starch, and second it gives assurance that the potato crop will not be an absolute loss owing to market conditions. This was the case with the 1914 crop. In the spring the price was only thirty cents a barrel, which was not enough to pay for placing them in car and immense quantities were dumped out. On the other hand, the factories are so placed that a supply of potatoes is guaranteed. From Woodstock to Grand Falls is the great potato growing section of New Brunswick. This seems to be entirely due to proximity of that country to the Maine potato fields in Aroostook. In every section of the province where it has been carried on extensively potato culture has been just as successful as in Carleton or Aroostook counties, and a sure market is the only thing necessary to make all New Brunswick as interested in the potato crop as Carleton county is at present. So far the potato business has been a gamble; the uncertainty of the price adding to the uncertain crop. The majority of New Brunswick farmers prefer mixed farming, in which, though the profits are not so great, the losses on one crop is balanced by profits on others.



This is a photograph of Pte. Burwell D. Graham, son of Frank Graham of Ashland. He was one of the many brave boys who enlisted November, 1915. He went to England with the 140th Batt. in September 1916, and to France in December of same year. He is still uninjured and serving his King and Country.

Lance Corporal Downey Returned

One day last week Lance Corporal James Edward Downey returned from overseas. He enlisted with the 55th Batt. in April, 1916, and after going to England was drafted to the famous 26th. He saw service in Belgium and France, was wounded at Courcellette and Vimy Ridge and was twice buried by shell explosions at the Somme. Later Corp. Downey served for seven months as a stretcher-bearer and qualified as first aid to the injured. In April, 1917, he returned to England and taking a course which qualified him for a Lewis machine gunner, he was detained in England as instructor in trench warfare. He has two brothers in the service—Loran, a machine gunner in France, and Charles in Scotland, while his brother-in-law, Theo. R. Shaw is in France. Lance Corporal Downey is the second son of Mrs. L. M. Stephenson of this town.

RISKS LIFE TO GET TO SICK BROTHER

Miss Alice Goodwin Has Terrible Experiences Crossing The Red Deer River

The following remarkable story concerns a young woman very well known in parts of Carleton county, she having been teacher of the school at Wicklow and Greenfield. The clipping is taken from the Calgary Albertan and was sent to The Observer by Miss Ada P. Saunders.

The following interesting story which comes from Moose Jaw shows that all the heroic deeds were not confined to the nurses who accompanied our armies to the battlefield. This plucky Alberta school teacher overcame obstacles which would have disheartened many men famed for their pluck and constructive ability, and all who read it will regret that she was unable to lend succor to her dying brother before it was too late.

C. W. Goodwin, a returned veteran from Amherst, N. S., was taken to the Prince Arthur hospital suffering from a severe attack of influenza. The secretary of G.W.V., after several vain attempts, managed to notify his sister, Miss Alice Goodwin, at Wastenda, his only relative in the west, as to his condition.

This point lies about twelve miles from the nearest railway connection on the Goose Lake branch, and on which there was no train service that day. Miss Goodwin pluckily started on a 110 mile cross-country trip in a Ford so as to make the nearest connections with the main line of the C.P.R.

Reaching the Red Deer river, Miss Goodwin found that the ferry service was practically out of commission, but persuaded the operator to make the attempt. The ferry, with the car aboard, reached midstream, where it stuck. They could neither move backwards nor forwards. After several hours of exposure Miss Alice took the initiative, and although she is unused to hardship, removed the engine from the car and placed it in a rowboat which was attached to the ferry. Tying a rope to the front of the Ford, she and the ferryman put off, dragging the car after them into the water.

After a struggle which lasted from eight in the evening until nine the next morning, the two strove valiantly against the most adverse circumstances, and finally managed to bring the car to the far shore. Here after putting the engine back, she proceeded on her journey and eventually reached the C.P.R. main line.

Upon reaching the city she found to her sorrow that her strenuous and plucky efforts had been in vain, and that her brother had passed away a few hours before. She remained, however after his funeral to nurse his wife back to health, as she, too, had been a victim of the influenza. Mrs. Goodwin, who was a community nurse before coming west, has regained her strength, and although bereaved, is making her home in the city.

Miss Alice Goodwin, although showing the same spirit that has made Canada's name immortal on the battlefields of Flanders, and of whom her brother was a true type, has returned to her duties, and in regard to the hardships she passed through she assumes the stand that her sense of duty called upon her for effort, and that duty she merely obeyed.

Wanted: a woman between the ages of 35 and 45 that can knit and sew and that wishes a home for the winter. Apply to Mrs. Ida M. Searle, Bristol, N. B.

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