

on to Clare - & you shall see it -
 So mainly thanks for your
 letter - You, can always find
 new conquests to make in the
 life of the Spirit - There is no
 need to weep like Alexander
 the grt. that there were no more
 worlds to conquer - The followers
 of Christ - can go on & on, till
 the eternal things are his.
 But - the path of the just shall
shew more & more till the
perfect-day - I think it means
 a man here begins to walk as
 the night - picking his steps, as
 he gazes the sky begins to lighten
 then the mountains tops, &
 later the way he walks, &
 last he has the full day, when
 he can run without fresh
 walk fast & not-tire - That
 is true picture - of our N. team
 life - & a beautiful one
 & comforting.

Tell me if you like any
 of Faler's Hymns & don't let
 the book I have just got it
 out from England -
 how off I away to get
 some provisions for my small
 family - It is quite difficult

to get nice vegetables, but
fruit in plenty.

Much love dear son
I wd change knees with you
if I cd but my stiff joints
wd not be a good exchange
in the long run.

Let me know if
I cd get you anything special
I wonder if any one cd teach
you backgammon it is a
fine game. Have you the
marks on the back of your
checker board?

Mother -

