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HARTLAND, Carleton Co., N B.

HARTLAND, N. B., AUGUST 27, 1898.

The Woodstock canning factory is paying finely. It is an immense success both in point of excellency and saleability of product. This season they could have sold the whole of their output to one firm. Hartland should have a canning factory. It could well support one without overdoing the business or conflicting with Woodstocks interests. The capital required is not larger than might be easily secured. The return on the investment is good; and the industry would be the making of the town.

On account of its manifest greed the town of Woodstock is being retaliated upon. They put a tax on everything they can think of, and their last victim was the fire insurance companies, which they have assessed upon the business done within their corporation. Accordingly the underwriters have issued notice that on and after Sept. 1st an additional rate of five cents per \$100 insured will be collected on all rates taken or renewed. How much does the town gain by this?

The necessity for providing some means for lighting the streets of the village was never more manifest than last Sunday night. People coming from church found much difficulty in getting along safely. Until electric lighting can be accomplished a very good substitution can be found in kerosene. A good light at Taylor's corner and another near the churches would answer very well, and the expense would be a mere trifle.

The "Railway News" would like to know if commercial men who visit the Woodstock exhibition this fall will be expected to ante up their tax as usual, and if the money will go into the exhibition fund or to the town.

To Tax the Big Stores.

Alderman Gallery is the head of a movement against the big departmental stores which is to be sprung upon the City Council at the next meeting if the occasion arises. Ald. Gallery was all ready to bring the matter up at the meeting yesterday, but there was no opportunity. He explained this morning that he had been led to take action by the proprietors of store property in his ward, particularly along Notre Dame street. He had in his hand a little document showing the amount paid in taxes by departmental stores in 1897. The five biggest stores, according to the memorandum, paid for water rates \$2176, and for business taxes \$3562. Ald. Gallery claims that there are 563 vacant stores in the city, and he blames | tively. the departmental stores for it.

He has been prosecuting enquiries from every part of the United States everywhere and in many places reme- Stevens, W. R. Gillin.

dies had been provided. He proposed to introduce into the Council a resolution providing for powers to impose special taxes on departmental stores similar to those set forth in the act relating to trade and commerce in the State of New York. In this act all articles of commerce are classified in natural groups. To conduct business in any one group, a special tax of one dollar a year is imposed; for any second group, \$100; for a third, \$5,000; for a fourth, \$10,000; for a fifth, \$20,-000; for a sixth, \$40,000; for a seventh \$80,000; for an eighth and every group thereafter, \$100,000 per annum.

Carried Over Fences by a Hurricane.

Marysville, York Co., Aug. 22 .- A terrible hurricane passed over this part of York Co. on Wednesday last. On the farm of James Mc. onnaghey a horse rake with iron wheels was blown against a fence and broken in atoms, and while Mr. McConnaghey with his son was ploughing in the field the latter was picked up and carried over several fences, giving the lad a severe shaking up.

Corbett's Father a Murderer.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 16 .- R. J. and killed his wife and then turned the weapon upon himself with fatal effect It is believed that the murderer was demented. He had been in extremely poor health for some time. Death was instantaneous in both cases.

PERSONAL NEWS.

Moses Orser, jr, left on Monday for Lowell, Mass.

J. S. Knight of St. John, was in Hartland

R. D. Merrow of Auburn Me., was in Hartand this week.

Miss Carlotta Hallet spent a week with friends at Perth.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Jewett were in Hartland on Tuesday.

Miss Kate Cameron spent Sunday with Waterville friends.

Miss Susie Gray, B. A. has gone to assume her duties on the Moncton High School etaff.

Mrs. Caroline Riley, of Vanceboro arrived on Wednesday to visit relations in Hartland.

Rev H. D. Worden of Andover was calling or the old friends here on Wednesday.

Thomas Whitehouse of Knowlesville, who has been in the States for over a yerr, hes re-

Geo. W. Richardson of Fort Faisfield was visiting his brother, R. W. Richardson here this week.

Mrs. Fred. H. Lindow and Miss Lindow of Presque Isle. Me., have been visiting Miss Harmon at Peel.

Miss Maude Keswick has gone to Collingwood Ont., with her aunt, and will spend several months.

Miss Robin Hay and Miss Blanche Kelly wheeled over to Littleton Me., on Saturday Horses To Let; Stylish Carriages. and returned on Tuesday.

B. W. Morgan aud John Barnett, jr., leave on Monday for the Normal school. They will work third and first class papers respec-

Among the Hartland people who registered at the Victoria Hotel, Woodstock on Monday were D. H. Keswick, H. D. Keswick, and Canada. 'he difficulty existed Guy. E. McCollom, G. R. Burtt, Fred. H.

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