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HARTLAND SCORCHED.

Fire Broke Out Early this Morning and Consumed Fourteen Buildings--Made Clean Sweep from Watson's to the Bridge.

13 Families Homeless, 20 Business Houses Affected and Total Loss \$150,000.

Woodstock, July 15--(Special)--A disastrous fire is raging in Hartland this morning.

At 4.30 in response to a message, the Woodstock firemen went up by train. The telephone exchange evidently is burned, as no word can be gotten over the telephone.

The Exchange Hotel and Keith and Plummer's blocks have been consumed.

The fire started in Watson's furniture store and burned to the bridge, consuming fourteen buildings.

At noon the fire was under control. Hartland July 15--Woodstock firemen arrived at noon.

The fire started at Frank Thornton's drug store, and spread in both directions, going north to Thos. Letson's harness shop, Hagerman and Baird, farming implements and the building occupied by Hoffman and George Watson was gutted. Over the stores lived families who lost everything.

Going South it burned Keith and Plummer's general store, carrying stock of \$30,000 and the firm did not save even a handkerchief, also McMillen's residence formerly occupied by Tom Letson, Sebar's hardware store, Horace Nixon's store, Chat Newspaper Office and the Postoffice, building occupied by Mr. Dickinson, Farming implements blacksmith shop formerly occupied by Gordon McAdam.

Great difficulty was experienced in saving the bridge, the gatehouse being on fire at one time.

The stores of C. P. Humphrey and J. McLaughlin Ltd. were saved.

Letson had \$10,500 on his stock and \$400 insurance. Keith and Plummer had insurance to the amount of \$15,000.

Thornton had \$1,500 insurance.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

Hartland, N. B., July 15--(Special)--Hartland today had the worst fire in its history. It broke out at 4.45 a. m. in the basement of the Tracey block, Main Street and swept that side of the street.

Following is a list of the buildings burned, owners, tenants and the approximate loss.

Tracey block, two stories and basement, owned by Mrs. A. A. Tracey, occupied by Hartland Drug Company, Drug store; Thos. Letson, Harness harness maker; M. L. Hayward, law office, library; D. C. Cox, residence; Loss estimated \$7,000.

Two story building owned by J. T. G. Carr, occupied in part by himself as storage warehouse and by Hagerman and Baird, farming machinery.

Loss, \$6,000, with small insurance.

The story building and basement on Main street, owned and occupied by Keith & Plummer, general store. Large three-story building, rear of Main street premises, occupied by Keith and Plummer, loss on building estimated at \$5,000.

In Keith & Plummer's Main street building Amasa Plummer and Mr. Perkins lived, and J. Jewett had dental parlors.

The next building on Main street, also owned by Keith & Plummer, occupied by Janet McMullen as a fruit store, and Sebar Orser, as a residence. Loss \$2,000. Miss McMullen's stock of fruit was saved.

Two and a half story building owned by J. D. Shaw, and occupied by Dr. McIntosh as office and residence, by Ziba Orser's hardware store. Loss \$20,000, fairly well covered by insurance.

Two buildings owned by W. S. Henderson, and occupied by Horace Nixon as a general store and residence, and by Mrs. Nettie Dickinson as a residence. Loss \$20,000, little insurance.

Two two-story buildings, owned by W. T. Berry, occupied by Hartland Chat, newspaper, the post office, Massey-Harris Company, residence of George McLaughlin. Loss \$10,000.

Three story building and two smaller buildings owned by H. M. Boyer, occupied by Sparrell & Miller, blacksmiths, Hartland Monument Works, and Mr. Boyer, manufacturers' agent. Loss \$10,000.

On the north the fire stopped at C. C. Watson's large store and residence owned by him and occupied by himself as a furniture store, undertaker rooms and residence and by F. W. Breen, as residence. They lost considerable.

Breen also lost his stock of groceries stored in J. T. Carr's building. Breen bought the stock Saturday and paid \$1,100. He was about to start business here and his loss is quite severe.

The building next above the Watson building and separated from it by a narrow alley escaped with small damage to the stock of James Montgomery, stoves and tinware and Mrs. Nevers' stock of fancy goods.

The New Brunswick Telephone Company had their central office in this building and were put out of commission for some time.

In all fourteen buildings were burned, twenty firms are temporarily out of business, and thirteen families are homeless.

Total loss \$150,000.

Belleville, Ont. July 15. (Special)--The village of Maynooth has been visited by the most disastrous fire in its history.

Eight buildings were destroyed representing loss of about \$20,000. The fire started in the building owned by Patrick Flynn part of which was occupied by James Stoneburg, as a barber shop and pool room. The village has practically no water supply, and as there was a strong north-west wind blowing, it was impossible to check the progress of the flames.

Wootton's store and Smith's hotel were reduced to ashes in an incredibly short space of time.

Geo. Weaver's residence in which the Metropolitan Bank has its office, was soon on fire and also a boat house owned and occupied by Simon Rouse.

Everything on the north side of the street, as far as Annie George's residence was cleaned out and it was only by supreme efforts that the Presbyterian church was saved. The building was on fire three times.

Father McIntyre was the first to notice the fire. He hitched up a team and drove to W. G. Mitson's railway camp about a mile and a quarter away and gave the alarm.

About two hundred Bulgarians were soon on the scene, and it was due to their efforts that the village was not wiped out of existence.

All the losers except Stoneburg, carried insurance, but not nearly enough to cover the loss.

To clean straw matting, boil three quarts of bran in one gallon of water, and wash the matting with the water, drying it well.

LAURIER'S RETURN.

Colleagues and Others Will Meet Him at Gross Isle Quarantine--The Quebec Banquet and Speakers.

Ottawa, July 15--(Special)--According to present arrangements, the steamer Lady Grey with Hon. Messrs. Lemieux, Aylesworth, Patterson, Beaudreau and others on board will meet Sir Wilfred Laurier on the Empress of Britain on Friday morning next at the Gross Isle quarantine station.

The Prime Minister will transfer to the Lady Grey and come on to Quebec when the party will proceed at once to the Chateau Frontenac.

At the banquet in Sir Wilfred's honor in the evening, the principal speakers will probably be Premier Gouin of Quebec, Hon. Mr. Turgeon, Hon. Mr. Patterson and Hon. Mr. Aylesworth.

On Saturday Sir Wilfred and the ministerial party will proceed to Montreal on the government steamer stopping at Three Rivers and Sorel en route for brief demonstrations.

FROM THE GRAVE.

Four Digby Fishermen Had Close Call for Their Lives.

Halifax, July 15--(Special)--Four fishermen, Vernon Bent, George Thompson and James and Nathan Kennedy, belonging to the Digby fishing schooner Loran B. Snow, strayed from their vessel on Brown's Bank Friday.

They rowed all day and were picked up off Seal Island Saturday by the Public schooner Frances A. Dentremon and landed at Lunenburg. The men then rowed to Yarmouth and this morning saw their vessel enter the harbor with its flag at half mast. They rowed off to her and their ship mates were overjoyed to see them.

I. C. R. CONTRACTS.

Extensive Additions to be Made to Rolling Stock.

Ottawa, July 15--(Special)--The Department of Railways and Canals has distributed among the Cross Company of Oshawa, the Rabbin Company of Deseronto and the Rhodes Curry Company of Amherst, N. S. tenders for 400 I. C. R. box cars of 80,000 poundseach, 310 platform cars of 80,000 pounds each, 400 box cars of 60,000 pounds each, and 225 refrigerator cars.

Some thirty new freight locomotives will also be built for the I. C. R. this year by the Kingston and Montreal Company.

WOODSTOCK DEATH.

Mrs. McElroy, Wife of Well Known Millman, and Highly Esteemed.

Woodstock, July 15--(Special)--A woman of splendid character, well known and highly respected, Mrs. Robert McElroy, passed away this morning after a few weeks illness.

Deceased was the wife of Mr. McElroy, who has been carrying on a milling business in Grafton and in other parts of the county for many years. She was a Miss Murray, a sister of Mrs. W. S. Saunders, formerly of this town and now of Calgary.

CONSPIRACY CHARGE.

Two Men Arrested in Connection with Fraudulent Company's Affairs.

Montreal, July 15--(Special)--Aristide Pichon and Samuel N. Heatherington have been arrested on a charge of conspiracy to defraud in connection with insolvency of the Ideal Manufacturing Company, of Sorel.

The liabilities are \$35,000 and assets \$1,500.

It is alleged that the company existed merely for the purpose of fraud and did not manufacture at all.

PECULIAR OBSTRUCTION.

G. N. R. Train Stalled by Dense Cloud of White Moths.

Port Arthur, Ont. July 15--(Special)--The Superior Limited of the Canadian Northern Railway had a remarkable experience near Kasabowice on Saturday, when it ran into a dense cloud of white moths, which obscured the view of the engineer, and covered the track so that the train was stalled.

Mr. Whitehead, M. P. P., has returned from a fishing trip to the Tobique.

KOLAPORE CUP.

Guernsey Won the Coveted Trophy--Canada was Third.

Montreal July 15--Canada did not win the Kolapore Cup, as announced on Saturday. Corrected cable returns show that Guernsey carried off the prize, with the Mother Country second. Canada led till the last range, 600 yards, where the men shot poorly.

At 600 yards in the Kolapore, the Canadians scored as follows:

Caven	28
Graham	32
McHarg	28
McVittie	34
Mitchell	31
Moscrop	31
Morris	29
Wetmore	30

Total 243

The aggregate scores at the three ranges were:

Canada	767
Guernsey	783
India	732
Mother Country	750
Australia	759
Southern Rhodesia	679
East Africa	718

KING OF TRUMPS SICK.

Mr. John H. Reid's famous shire stallion King of Trumps was taken sick on Saturday from an attack of pneumonia and is not likely to recover. King of Trumps is twenty two years old and was imported from England when a two year old colt. He has been in Mr. Reid's possession for fourteen years, and during that time had captured many prizes at exhibitions both in the province and the United States. He has been a great stock getter, and some of the finest draft horses in York and Sunbury counties are his progeny. Mr. Reid naturally feels very badly over the serious illness of his old and faithful friend. Mr. Reid is now in his eighty sixth year and says that if he loses King of Trumps he will retire from the horse business for good.

THE HORSE RACES.

The big race meeting at the trotting park on the 24th and 25th inst. is certain to attract a large crowd of people to the city. There will be six events pulled off during the two days for purses aggregating \$1200. There are thirty-nine entries and all competition promises to be very keen. Excursion return tickets will be issued by the C. P. R. and I. C. P. at one single first class fare.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

Mrs. Bailey, wife of Dr. L. W. Bailey, had the misfortune to fall down a flight of stairs on Saturday evening, sustaining serious and painful injuries. Her right shoulder was dislocated by the fall and she came in for a bad shaking up. The accident will likely confine her to her room for several weeks.

THE STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, July 15--(Special)--There was little trading, and no important price changes in the stock market today, while the tone was easy.

There were transactions in Montreal Power at 92, Toronto Railway 102, Canadian Pacific 176, Rio 46, Nova Scotia Steel 63, R. Bonds 75.

CANOEING TRIP.

A party composed of Douglas Roberts, Laurie Sherman, Arthur Carter of this city and Teia Mitchell of New York, left on Saturday on a canoeing trip to the Portabella stream to be absent about a week.

MADE A MOVE.

Mr. H. B. Rainsford, clerk of the House of Assembly, has removed from Miss Babbitt's house on Charlotte Street, to the Cottage on University Avenue belonging to the Fenety Estate.