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In bringing out our first number, we are anxious to be able to place before the public of this locality from time to time the items of local interest for each month, original articles & poetry by persons in the district, announcements of events for the coming month &c. We invite the hearty co-operation of all and sundry, in contributing copy to, subscribing to, and recommending this little magazine to as large a number as possible. It will be conducted irrespectively of diverse opinions on matters of a religious, political or other nature. It will afford an opportunity for the ventilation of grievances, the suggestion of improvements, and recording the doings of the locality, the securing of righteousness, or the prevention of wrong-doing. In fact to provide a means for the publishing anything of local interest.

Owing to a technical difficulty in the printing this number is late but in future we shall publish on the first of each month.

HARTLAND PARISH COUNCIL.

At the council meeting on Friday the 2nd, October. Councillors Allan, Colwell, Griffiths, H. Haynes, Jas. Haynes, J. T. Haynes, Jeffery, Oke, and Snow. Mr. J. T. Haynes occupied the chair. Cheques were drawn for the rate (which is considered entirely satisfactory), and rents for the owners of allotment land &c.

HARTLAND SCHOOL BOARD,

The September meeting was attended by all the members. This being the quarterly financial meeting, the business transacted was of a routine character.

At a committee meeting of The Hartland United Band of Hope & Total Abstinence Society, it was decided to commence the winter series of entertainments, on the 21st. of October.

BIRTH.

STONE—Sep 20 at Kernstone the wife of Thomas Stone, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

MARTIN—HIGH—October 3rd.

HOWARD—LANE—Sep 13th.

GATHERCOLE—NANCE—KIEVILL—Sep 8th.

DEATHS.

Shepherd—Oct 4th, at Clovelly.

William Shepherd, age 48

BRIGHT—Sep 22 at Harton, James Bright, 74

Walter—Sep 23 at Pethole John Walter 4

THE WORKING MAN HIS CONDITION PAST & PRESENT.

By Rev E J CORY.

The working man—what was his condition in the world before the birth of Christianif y, and what has it become since? This is the question I mean to look at in the present paper. The great fact, distinguishing the condition of society in the modern world from what it was in the ancient world, is, that in the old world the working man was, almost without exception, a slave among us here with no rights, free. And when we speak thus of the change that has taken place in his condition since the work began, we mean that more as comprehending, not merely labourers in the field, but nearly all persons occupied in agricultural life; and not only the labouring classes in towns and cities, but men engaged in art and handicraft, even in the most skilled departments of it. Language is often addressed to the working man, to make him dissatisfied with his lot and to fill him with a sense of injury & a feeling of discontent and resentment to be classed as society above his own.

To be continued

THE BIRTH OF THE HARTLAND CHRONICLE.

A short & mighty cheering is sounding in our ears; Old Hartland seems to tremble, as the loud & mighty cheer. What's the meaning of this tumult; the town or its rooms full; 'Tis a shout in favour of the birth of the Hartland Chronicle; And strangers to this little town all wonder at the noise;

And then exclaim, in angry tones: "How will be boys" But, when they know the truth and hear "Gelp" their hearts are still, And one and all join in to cheer The Hartland Chronicle.

This day I have opened upon us with a bright and sunny glare; The hum of many voices, sounds like Music in the air; Old HARTLAND hath changed from its long time weary lull Since the news of birth of the Hartland CHRONICLE.

And every Month we're told the
CHRONICLE will appear,
 In **HARTFORD** Town on Monday, in places
 far and near;
 And every **COVENS**, the pages all are full
 For more to bring **COMPTON** [??] in the
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 you must go
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 bell a pull

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 full of information printed in the
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THE STATE OF HARTLAND,
 contains the greater part of **HARTLAND**
 which was destroyed by the heavy seas that
 prevailed on the morning. Mr. G. Nance-kievil
 and his staff were endeavouring to
 prevent further loss if possible.

Some valuable headstoes to the west of **WEST**
 Point, being blown off altogether,
 and some of the five to eight certain furni-
 ure. The launch "MACARY" lies with the
STEAM LAUNCH "ATLAS" pines, coal
 &c, struck on the rocks at **HARTLAND**
POINT about 1 A.M. **OCTOBER 7, 80** she had
 previously been abandoned by her crew.

HARTLAND CHURCH HARVEST
THANKSGIVING,
 was held on Thursday, Sep. 10th. Canon
 Tynans preached twice to full congrega-
 tions. The decorations were decidedly
 superior. The proceeds of the tea and ser-
 vices were devoted to the funds of the **HID**
ETIC & INFIRMARY. There was some
 singing.

STON **THANKSGIVING SERVICES**
 began on Sunday 13th Sep when Rev. E. J.
COBY preached in the morning and Mr.

JOHN BRITTON in the evening. On Wed-
 nesday when there was a highly successful
 public tea and meeting. The chapel was nicely
 decorated. **HARTON** Bible Christian com-
 mitted Thanksgiving and Chapel Anniversary,
 took place on Sunday and Monday Sep 27 &
 28 th. Rev. W. Lee & American & Mr. J. B.
 Knight evening were the preachers at **Ston**
 Monday afternoon Rev. J. J. Cary presided on
 Tea provided by Mrs. Cary and presided at
 by her, Mrs. Hazard, and Mrs. Wickett. Mr. J.
 Cary was the chairman and Revs. W. Lee &
 J. J. Cary the speakers. The chapel was beauti-
 fully adorned with flowers, fruits, &c.

The Wesleyan Harvest Festival commenced
 on Sunday, Sep 25th when Mr. Jones preached
 twice. The weather being inclement, the
 Monday afternoon service had to be foregone.
 Rev. G. Poojer, the new superintendent and
 Mr. J. T. Giles made suitable speeches as well
 as the chairman Mr. John Dennis. A vote of
 thanks was unanimously accorded Miss Drey
 for acting as organist during the two years.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS,

Rev. J. T.

Giles preached in the Temperance Hall on
 Sunday, October 4th at the conclusion of the
 ordinary services in the town. His sermons
 were based upon the words, "Enter ye in at
 the straight gate," Mat 13. Having shown
 that the path of duty is often opposite
 to inclination, ease, and comfort, he divided
 the obstacles into two classes; those subjec-
 tive, and those objective. He particularly
 pointed out selfishness, pride, and inconti-
 nency. Showers of rain and hail made the
 congregation smaller than was anticipated.
 Mr. R. Colvill has made a great improve-
 ment in the appearance of that quarter of the town
 by the erection of his new premises.

The devil is the only gaiter when a boy is
 whipped to make him go to church.

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