

COLCHESTER LIBERALS.

Putting up a Strong Team
for the Legislature.ROYAL PARTY REPORTED AT
CAPE VERDE ISLANDS.

Noted Historian Dead.

A STRONG TEAM.
(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Truro, N.S., Sept. 3.—The Liberals of Colchester are meeting in convention this afternoon, and it is believed that the choice of candidates for the legislature will be B F Pearson of Halifax and Speaker Laurence.

STEAMING TOWARDS CANADA.
(Special to Daily Herald.)

St. Vincent, Cape Verde Island, Sept. 3.—The British royal yacht Ophir with the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall on board and the war vessels escorting the yacht were sighted today off Porto Praya. The Ophir is ahead of her time.

NOTED MEN DEAD.
(Special to Daily Herald.)

St. John, Nfld. Sept. 3.—Rev Moses Harvey the renowned historian and scientist and the discoverer of the famous devil fish died this morning.

Quebec, Sept. 3.—Alexander Wood clerk of the crown land department and formerly a prominent business man died last night of acute indigestion, aged 65.

GATHERING THEM IN.
(Special to the Daily Herald.)

London, Sep. 3.—Kitchener reports that since August 6 his columns report 10 Boers killed, 30 wounded, 212 made prisoners and 127 surrendered.

WILL SHOOT PRAIRIE CHICKENS.
(Special to Daily Herald.)

Winnipeg, Sept. 3.—It is understood that the Duke of Cornwall will enjoy two days prairie chicken shooting on the return journey from the coast. The ladies of the party will remain at Banff during the shoot.

DISSOLUTION IMMINENT.
(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Halifax, Sept. 3.—The date for the Nova Scotia local election has been decided upon but is not yet announced. Presumably it will be during the first week in October.

THE RAQUET.

Fredericton Tennis Players Defeated by
St. John.

The tennis tournament between the St. John and Fredericton players occupied all day yesterday. Four courts were played, three on the Officers' square and one at T. C. Allen's grounds, Church street.

The score at the end of the game stood 38 to 19 in favor of the visiting players. The score by sets was as follows:

Mixed Doubles.

Miss Helen Robertson, Mr W Allison, 2; Miss Carrie Winslow, Mr Richey, 0.
Miss Allen, Mr A Harley, 2; Miss Winnie Hall, Mr Harrison, 1.

Miss Muriel Robertson, Mr Turnbull, 2; Miss Powys, Mr Smith, 0.
Miss Mona Thompson, Mr L P D Tilley, 2; Mrs Widder, W H Norton-Taylor, 1.

Miss M Winslow, Mr J S Campbell, 2; Miss G E Robertson, H C Tilley, 0.
Miss Gregory, Dr Bridges, 2; Miss M Robertson, H Puddington, 1.

Gentlemen's Singles.

H C Tilley, 2; K C Allen, 0.
W Harrison, 2; Dr Bridges, 0.
W R Turnbull, 2; S C Smith, 0.
L P D Tilley, 2; W H Norton-Taylor, 1.

Ladies' Doubles.

Miss Allen, Miss C Winslow, 2; Miss Muriel Robertson, Miss Madge Robertson, 1.

Miss Helen Robertson, Miss Mona Thompson, 2; Miss Powys, Mrs Widder, 1.
Miss M Winslow, Miss Gregory, 2;
Miss G Robertson, Miss W Hall, 1.

Gents' Doubles.

L P D Tilley, H Tilley, 2; Dr Bridges, J J F Winslow, 1.
Mr Hogg, Mr Puddington, 2; Mr Richey, Kenneth Allen, 1.

Mr J Harrison, Mr R Turnbull, 2; Mr E C Smith W H Norton-Taylor, 1.
Mr W Allison, Mr H Fairweather, 2; Mr Harley, Mr J S Campbell, 0.

Capt Lister, Mr Hill, 2; Mr Fraser, Mr F Taylor, 1.

Ladies Singles.

Miss M Thomson, 2; Miss M Allen, 0.
M Robertson, 2; Miss Powys, 1.
H Robertson, 2; Miss C Winslow 0.
Madge Robertson, 2; Miss M. Winslow, 1.

Luncheon was served on the grounds

and during the afternoon the band of the R. R. C. I. played a number of choice selections. The game was witnessed by a large number of interested spectators.

DEATH OF S. H. MCKEE, SR.

Was One of the City's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

Samuel Hanford McKee sr., whose illness has been several times referred to in these columns, passed peacefully away at his home on King street at 7.30 o'clock on Saturday evening. He had been gradually failing for some time, but had only been confined to his bed for about three weeks. He displayed remarkable vitality, and during the last two weeks of his illness subsisted without any nourishment except an occasional sup of cold water. He retained consciousness until the last and bore his suffering with Christian resignation.

The late Mr. McKee was born at St. John, on November 7th, 1810, and was therefore in his 91st year. He was descended from a sturdy loyalist family, being a grandson of Jolia and Hanford McKee, who removed to St. John from Albany, New York, at the close of the revolutionary war. When a young man the deceased acquired a knowledge of the cooper's trade, and for a number of years carried on business in St. John in partnership with a man named William Barlowe. In the year 1852, being discouraged by the hard times which then prevailed in St. John, he disposed of his interest in the business and removed to Fredericton with his family. He at once engaged in the manufacture of temperance drinks, such as aerated waters, ginger beer, etc., and during the winter season worked at coopering. He had a great capacity for hard work, and his honorable business methods soon won him a large and lucrative patronage. Some years later he admitted his two sons to partnership, and the business has since been carried on under the firm name of S. H. McKee & Sons. The goods manufactured by the concern have the reputation of being the best in Canada. Mr. McKee retired from active business in 1895.

The late Mr. McKee was brought up a Methodist, but some years ago he identified himself with St. Paul's Presbyterian church and has since been one of its most regular and devout worshippers. He was a man of robust constitution, and prior to his last illness always enjoyed the best of health. He was a man of high character and his genial manner, sociability, and kindness of heart made him beloved and respected by all who enjoyed his acquaintance.

In 1835 the deceased married Sarah Hamilton, a native of the North of Ireland, who died about six years ago. The surviving children are Samuel H. jr, and Hamilton McKee, Mrs Alex Calder and Miss A E McKee, of this city, and Mrs. George McFarlane of Nashwaakasis. There are also a number of grand children.

The funeral took place from the home-stand on King street at three o'clock on Monday afternoon, and a large number of friends and relatives paid their last tribute of respect to the deceased. An impressive service was conducted at the house by Revs S Sykes and G B Peyson, and interment was made in the family lot in the Rural cemetery. The chief mourners were Samuel McKee, jr, Hamilton McKee, Thomas McKee, George McFarlane, Alex Calder, Hugh Calder, Armour McKee, Hanford McKee, Colten McKee, George Briggs, S H McFarlane, Sterling McFarlane, Harry Robertson and Thomas L Fowler. There were no pall bearers. Undertaker John G Adams had charge of the funeral arrangements.

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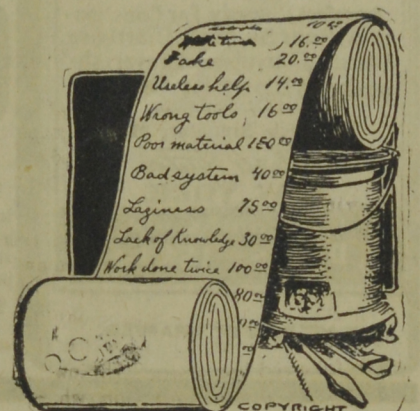
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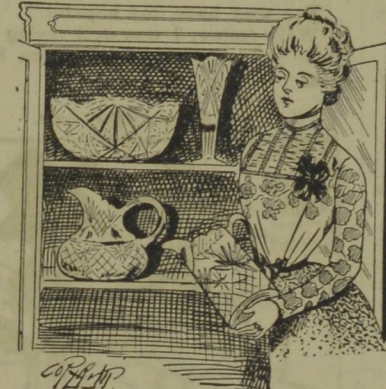
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