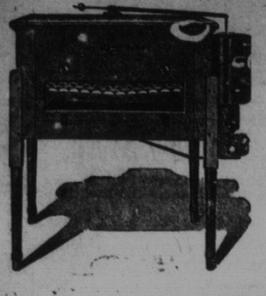


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HARMONY HALL.

Fellow McKeown Repels a Vile Charge—The Wad. "Fellow McKeown," said the President, "I am requested to ask you to state what you know about the increased cost of criminal prosecutions in New Brunswick."

SPORTING NEWS.

WILL FIGHT THE WINNER. Kid Seely is training hard for his 10 round bout with Sergt. Dunn, R. A., which will take place at the R. A. Park, Friday, 27th. Seely says if he wins he will fight the winner of the Littlejohn and Jordan bout.

LITTLEJOHN IN TRAINING. Littlejohn, who is to box Jordan at Halifax the first week in March, is getting himself in great form for the meeting. The men are to weigh in at 145 pounds at noon on day of contest.

BASE BALL. HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb. 10.—Over 30 baseball teams of Pennsylvania, Delaware, New Jersey, New York and the district of Columbia were represented at the initial meeting in this city of the National League of Independent Baseball Clubs.

LAWN TENNIS. LONDON, Feb. 20.—G. R. Mewburn, secretary of the English Lawn Tennis Association has despatched a challenge to America for the international tennis championships.

POLICE COURT. Went to Sleep in a Soft but Chilly Bed. John Tufts, who, according to one of the police officers, has been in court about once a month during the past ten years, nearly made his last appearance today.

ORGAN RECITAL. The organ recital and concert at Centenary church last night was well attended, and worthy of the high appreciation of all. Mrs. F. G. Spencer and Miss Trueman sang soprano, Miss Shute contralto, Cameron Bogart tenor and D. B. Pidgeon baritone.

OPPOSITION WARD MEETINGS. Ward meetings for the coming election will be held every evening at 8 o'clock as follows: Kings, Queens, Duke and Sydney wards at Foster's corner.

BADLY SCARED. (Chatham World.) The Tweedie men are so badly scared that they are conducting a house-to-house canvass in Chatham, Nelson and Newcastle on the heels of the paper they have hawked around for signatures.

CAMPAIGN NOTES.

Opposition Outlook Bright All Over the Province.

Mr. Hill is Out of the Government—Review of the Situation.

The Telegraph says, "he is a foolish liberal, or worse, a false one," who opposed the Tweedie government. That's nice talk. The Telegraph says the Globe is an "opposition organ," and that John Morrissy is not a good liberal. Mr. Tweedie is the standard.

Mr. Hill's resignation has at last been accepted by the government. The Telegraph says, "Charlotte county is all right." Wouldn't that jar you? There will be a rally of the Brooks warders this evening at No. 8 engine house, where the room will be open from now until the elections take place.

Mr. MacAlpine says Mr. Ellis ought to be ashamed of himself. That settles it, even if Mr. Blair had not declared that if he wanted political advice he would never go to the senator for it.

Never did a party on the eve of an election have better prospects for a decisive victory than has the opposition in New Brunswick today. The opposing lines have been in array for over a week now and with only a week between them and the balloting, the attacking forces are already well within the outskirts of the defense.

THE WAD AT WORK. A small portion of the wad has been opened for present campaign uses in the city. Some of the agents of the government party have been within the past few days visiting licensed taverns where the thirst of a great many of the faithful has been quenched.

THE DEATH ROLL. LONDON, Feb. 20.—The Bishop of Southampton, Rev. Hon. Arthur Temple Lyttleton died this morning at Petersfield, Hampshire. He was born 1852.

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county, for whose support the premier has been appealing, are now alienated from him.

Westmorland is another sure opposition county. Its ticket is a splendid one, while that of the government is weak, as in the last. There are many evidences of popular revolt against the government of Tweedie and Pugsley.

In Albert, Gosse and Rommel are making a stiff fight, with a large majority of the better thinking people in the county arrayed on their side.

In Restigouche, despite the fact that Arthur P. Gagnon has been obliged to retire from the opposition ticket, the count of ill health and W. A. Mott is for the present fighting the government's ticket single handed.

In Kent there is now in the field the government ticket composed of Barnes, Johnson and Goguen, with Antoine Grouard, ex-senator of Kent, and Pascal Hebert, both running as independents.

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MONTEAL, Feb. 19.—McGill graduates here are to hold a meeting here in a few days to take into consideration the proposal to erect a \$75,000 students' club house.

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For a tea that will always be up to the same high standard, get Red Rose.

HOTEL HORROR.

Fifteen or Twenty Persons Burned to Death.

Caught Like Rats in a Trap in Blazing House This Morning.

DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 20.—Fifteen or twenty persons were burned to death and twice that number seriously injured in a fire that destroyed the Clifton House at Cedar Rapids early today. There were 120 guests in the building when the fire broke out, and most of the dead are buried in the debris.

The fire originated in the basement, and presumably from an electric wire, and spread rapidly through the lower floors. Escape in the lower doors and windows were cut off entirely before the guests could be aroused.

At 10 o'clock all but ten of the missing had been accounted for. These are supposed to lie in the debris, although it is possible they also may be located among the rescued. The ruins are still burning, and it is impossible to search them for bodies.

POPE'S JUBILEE.

His Holiness Completed the Functions Without Undue Fatigue.

Brilliant Assemblage of Diplomats, Aristocrats of Rome, and Vatican Officials.

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Here and there groups of papal guards in bright uniforms, lent color to the whole. Notable among the diplomats was Count Almadorar, head of the special mission sent to represent the King of Spain at the jubilee.

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HOCKEY.

Halifax vs. St John. Feb. 18th. and 20th.

QUEEN'S RINK

PTITHIAN AT HOME. A Grand Gathering in Castle Hall Last Evening.

The "At Home" held by New Brunswick and Union Lodges of the Knights of Pythias in Castle Hall last evening, in honor of the anniversary of the founding of the order, was a great success.

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