

ODDFELLOWS  
CELEBRATE  
ANNIVERSARY

An Excellent Program Carried Out in Honor of the 111th Anniversary of the Founding of the Order.

The 111th anniversary service of the Victoria Lodge No. 13, I. O. O. F., was held last evening at the lodge rooms on Queen Street, the members of the Imperial Rebekah Lodge No. 102 being present as guests of the men. A very large crowd was in attendance and the program was an interesting one. The program was opened with a few remarks by the chairman, Alexander Sinnott. In the course of remarks he made the statement that the order had an enrollment of over two and a half millions.

"O Canada" was sung by the ensemble, and was led by Miss Carvell. The chairman, Mr. Sinnott made a brief speech, and was followed by C. A. Sampson, the nestor of the lodge, who gave a humorous little speech which called forth generous handclapping. Following is the remainder of the program: Recitations by J. Barry Allen; Playlet, by Frank VanStone and Alfred O'Hara, with Charles Bolden at the piano. Mr. Bolden also gave several solos which were well received. Throughout the program an orchestra played selections and at the conclusion dancing was carried on. Midway of the dancing, supper was served and afterwards dancing resumed until about two o'clock.

CITY AFFAIRS

Car Loses Wheel.

A large closed car had the misfortune to lose one of its front wheels last evening when it came in contact with the curbing at the corner of York and Brunswick streets, smashing the wheel and necessitating the car being towed to a local garage for repairs.

Fredericton Birds Lead.

In the Nova Scotia egg laying contest at Nappan last week a pen of White Leghorns entered by the late Mrs. Thomas Raymond of this city led with 53 eggs and 57 points. A pen of Barred Rocks owned by R. A. Snowball of Chatham lead the contest with 1059 eggs and 1041.8 points.

Able to be Out

Gerald, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baskie, Queen street, who accidentally shot himself early last winter, while playing with a loaded gun, was able to be out of doors today for the first time since his removal from the hospital. The many friends of the youngster will be glad to learn of his favorable progress towards recovery.

Home Improvements.

The management of the York Municipal Home have completed arrangements for the removal of the dwelling house from its present position to a point about 500 yards from its original place. The reason for its removal is for convenience. Mr. Miah Willis of Nashwaaksis is the contractor. The work will probably be completed by the middle of June.

St. Paul's Won

The St. Paul's United church basketball quintet, after starting out poorly, finished with an overwhelming burst of speed, to hand the Brunswick Street basketball five a 25 to 18 defeat in the High School gymnasium before a fairly good crowd of spectators. Referee Egbert Cass was generous with penalties, keeping the game in hand at all times. At the end of the first five minutes the losers were on the upper end of a 9-2 score, but the lead was cut down by half time to a 10-9 verdict for the winners. Harold Murray was high scorer for the winners with an 11 point total; Robin Davis, elongated center, second, with 8 points to his credit. For the losers, Carrie and Machum were high scorers with 13 points between them.

LUMBER DRIVES  
ARE NOT MAKING  
MUCH PROGRESS

Cool Weather And Scarcity of Water Holding the Logs Back—Big Drive of Pulp Wood is in Safe Water.

While lumbermen in Central New Brunswick are complaining of unfavorable conditions for stream driving because of low water, fair progress is being made on some of the streams. The Fraser Companies and the River Valley Lumber Company are the largest operators on Sunbury waters and both have succeeded in getting some of their drives out. The ice in the north and south branch Oromocto lakes is still holding, but is expected to melt out now in the course of a few days.

Mr. J. Stanley Scott's drive of four thousand cords of pulpwood, cut on St. Croix waters in the Parish of Canterbury, has been delivered at Palfrey Lake to the Eastern Pulp Company, an American concern. Notwithstanding the low water this drive was brought out in seven days, which is considered pretty quick work.

The water in the St. John River is (Continued on page five.)

LADIES' AID  
OF ST. PAUL'S  
WERE GUESTS

Pleasantly Entertained at the Fraser Memorial Hall by the Men's Community Club of the Church.

The Ladies' Aid of the St. Paul's United Church were entertained last evening to a grand turkey dinner at the Fraser Memorial Hall by the Men's Community Club of the same church, the occasion being a wordless appreciation of the good work which the Ladies' Aid has done in connection with previous entertainments for the men of the church. The ladies were mere guests of the men, the serving and cooking being all done by the Men's Community club. The president of the Ladies Aid, Mrs. Percy Smith, occupied the chair. After the elaborate repast, George Brown, president of the Men's Club took the chair, and a short program was carried out. It consisted of community singing led by Moses Mitchell; vocal quartet by four boys of the Tuxis group; vocal solo by Mr. W. A. Wheaton; selections by the High School orchestra. At the conclusion, Rev. Mr. Telford was present. (Continued on page five.)

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