

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS.

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Applications for enlistment from men from 18 to 45 years of age in the 28th New Brunswick Dragoons (Volunteer Cavalry) will be received by Major F. P. Day or Capt. T. M. Wright Fredericton, N. B.—diw

HOCKEY CHALLENGE

The Daily Mail employees would like to arrange a friendly game of hockey with the employees of The Gleaner, the game to take place next week if possible.

TRANSFERRED TO RESERVE.

In militia orders affecting Regimental Medical Services, published in the latest issue of The Canada Gazette, Major G. J. McNally has been transferred to the reserve of officers of the 71st York Regt.

SOMETHING GOOD PROMISED.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's church, will hold a valentine entertainment in the Auld Kirk on the evening of Monday, Feb. 13th. A musical program will be carried out and refreshments will be on sale.

SOUTH AFRICAN VETERANS

The South African Veterans met last night and redvised the report of committees. Another meeting will be held on Saturday. Tenders for the annual dinner were received from several hotels.

CORRECTION.

The physician who attended the late Mrs. George Wagner at the Hospital, states that The Mail was in error in stating that her death was due to an attack of blood poisoning. He says that pneumonia was the direct cause.

THE UNIQUE.

Today being Dickens' birthday, the Unique will show a picture by the popular author, "A Dickens' Xmas Carol," a subject of great interest. Harrison and Moffat, in their specialties, will well received last night and will appear again tonight and tomorrow night.—d.

ALWAYS SOMETHING WORTH SEEING AT THE BIJOU.

The program at the Bijou today is as usual, of the highest class pictures, nothing but the best and most refined with excellent music. "In Neighboring Kingdoms," a Vitagraph drama with beautiful scenery and magnificent costumes. The western picture, "On The Mexican Border," is full of excitement.—d.

LEAVE FOR WOLFVILLE

The U. N. B. hockey squad with coach Sandy Staples will leave for St. John tomorrow morning. The U. N. B. team will play a practice game with St. John at the Queen's Rink tomorrow night and will leave for Wolfville on Thursday morning. U. N. B. will play Acadia at Wolfville in the Intercollegiate League Friday night and will return home on Saturday.

GONE TO AFRICA.

A London despatch says that the Marchioness of Donegall, who was Miss Violet Twining of this city, has left London with Sir Percy and Lady Girouard for East Africa, where she will be their guest for several weeks. Lady Donegall will afterwards visit other friends in the neighborhood of Nairobi. She intends while on her way home, to make a tour of Italy.

OLD RESIDENT DEAD.

Mr. William Sutton, an old resident, died at his home on Westmorland street last night. His death was due to paralysis, from which he had suffered for the long period of twelve years. He was eighty-seven years of age and is survived by a widow, one son, James of New Maryland, and three daughters, Mrs. William Warren, Mrs. Allan Holton and Mrs. Harry Sampson, all of this city. The hour for the funeral has not yet been arranged.

A RECORD BREAKER.

The F. B. Edgcombe Company received a consignment of goods yesterday from London, England, which broke all records so far as they are concerned in the matter of rapid transit. The shipment was invoiced in London on January 25th and on the 27th was delivered to the C.P.R. steamer Empress of Ireland at Liverpool. Yesterday, or nine days later, the goods were received by the firm in this city, having been forwarded by rail from St. John.

Mr. W. H. Berry, of St. Stephen is at the Barker House.
Mr. A. R. MacKenzie, of St. Stephen, is in the city.

ERYSIPELAS CASE
ADMITTED TO VICTORIA
PUBLIC HOSPITAL

Trustees Will Publish Annual Report—
Dental Lectures for Nurses Desired
—Heavy Expenditure for January.

All of the existing members of the Hospital Trustee Board were in attendance at the Hospital yesterday, when several matters of importance engaged the attention of the Board. Mr. A. H. Randolph, president, occupied the chair, and the other members around the table were Hon. Judge Barry, vice-president; His Worship the Mayor, Warden Rogers, Mr. Sterling, Dr. McGrath, Mr. Whitehead, Mr. McMurray and Secretary Sampson. Owing to extended absence from the city and the indifferent condition of his health, Mr. W. T. Whitehead, who always takes a very warm interest in the Hospital, has been unable to attend the meetings regularly. However, he was at his post the last two meetings and was cordially welcomed by his associates. In January the term of office of Mr. M. Tennant, who was then president, expired, and the vacancy thus created will probably be filled at the next session of the Board.

ERYSIPELAS CASE ADMITTED.

Several matters of importance engaged the attention of the Board, but no further progress was made towards improvements in the contagious wing. A few days ago one of the medical staff made application for the admission of a patient to the Hospital and as said patient was suffering with erysipelas, he was confronted with objection to admission to both the main hospital and the Dow wing. The general public have only of recent years realized that erysipelas was a contagious disease, and needed strict isolation. The visiting Trustees, having referred the question of admission to the full Board, an order was made to admit the patient to the Dow wing as the disease was not named in the prohibited section here quoted:

SECTION GOVERNING CASE.

The Medical Officers shall not admit into the Hospital any insane persons or lunatics, not any persons whom they believe to be incurable, nor any persons suffering from venereal disease, delirium tremens, or measles or whooping cough; and if any person who has been admitted proves to be insane, or incurable, he or she shall, on the certificate to that effect by the Visiting Physicians for the time being, be removed from the Hospital, unless specially allowed by order of the Trustees to remain. The Visiting Physicians, when called upon by the Visiting Trustees for the time being, shall report in writing whether, in their opinions, any of their patients in the Hospital are insane or incurable.

DENTAL LECTURES.

Dr. McGrath made a report respecting the request of the N.B. Dental Society that a dentist be added to the visiting staff so that lectures respecting the care of the teeth could be given to the nurses in training. It was finally determined that the Secretary communicate with the medical staff and ascertain their opinion respecting the need of such lectures, and also the opinion of the staff respecting the necessary isolation of erysipelas patients.

HEAVY EXPENDITURE.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted a big sheet of expenditures for January, while the receipts were rather below the average, owing to the healthy condition of the community during the cold weather.

MATRON'S REPORT.

In her report the matron was able to show that only twelve patients are being treated today and of these three are on the free roll. Among the cheering incidents of the month, the matron reported that the High School chapter of the Daughters of the Empire are sending patients The Ladies' Home Journal for the year; the Misses Hodge sent a cuppy of oranges; Miss Katherine Lynch a generous supply of jars of jelly, and Miss Mary Thompson contributed many useful articles of clothing and food. Another most welcome gift was the receipt of five dollars from the Bachelor Maidens of the city, showing that in their recent festivities they did not forget the Hospital.

REPORT TO BE PUBLISHED.

In view of the expressed desire of many persons, it was decided to publish a report for the year just ended. It means an expense of upwards of one hundred dollars, and on this account no report was published last year. The committee appointed to prepare and publish the report is composed of Hon. Judge Barry, Dr. McGrath and Secretary Sampson. No further action was taken in reference to improvements at the Dow wing, pending plans in preparation.

AMENDMENT TO
POLICE COMMISSION
ACT ADVOCATED

Mayor, Police Magistrate and Member
Appointed by Government to Com-
pose Commission.

At tonight's meeting of the City Council Ald. VanWart will probably move for the adoption of a resolution for the amendment of the Police Commission Act. The amendment will provide for the repeal of the section of the Act which empowers the City Council to appoint a committee of three or more of its own members to comprise the commission. Ald. VanWart's resolution, which was discussed by the aldermen in committee last night, provides for a commission of three members. The three members. The three members are to be the mayor of Fredericton, the Police Magistrate and a third to be appointed by the provincial government.

FAVORABLY RECEIVED

The proposed amendment to the Police Commission Act when discussed last night was favorably received by the aldermen. Both those supporting and those opposing the present commission appeared to think that the change in the act as proposed would be beneficial.

Should the act be amended in accordance with the resolution the police commission will be similar as far as its independence of the City Council is concerned to the first commission which was appointed by the government.

DELEGATION BEFORE ALDERMEN

A delegation from the School Board composed of Dr. A. B. Atherton, Messrs. J. W. Spurden and J. T. Sharkey and Secretary Sampson appeared before the City Council in committee last night and asked that the school assessment have \$25,000 fixed as its maximum. The necessity of increasing teachers' salaries was urged as the reason for increased assessment.

KING'S WARD PETITION

Ald. Calder presented a petition from the residents of King's Ward praying for the extension of the fire, water, sewerage and light limits to include the Victoria Mills.

by Architect Minue. Some of the Trustees seemed to favor the erection of an entirely new building. After the disposition of several routine matters, the Board adjourned.

AMUSEMENT SECTION
OF 1911 EXHIBITION
BETTER THAN EVER

Secretary Hooper Announces Attractions
Booked For Big Fair to be Held
Here September.

The amusement Committee of the Exhibition Association met yesterday and received the report of Secretary W. S. Hooper on the amusement attractions that he booked on his recent trip to New York. The report shows that Fredericton will have amusement attractions for the 1911 exhibition that will surpass anything offered heretofore in the Maritime Provinces.

OPEN-AIR PERFORMANCE.

One innovation which has been made in the amusement line by Secretary Hooper this year is the lengthening of the free open-air performance which is given twice every day of the fair. In years past the open-air performances have been concluded in a few minutes. This year the performance will continue about three-quarters of an hour and will be the greatest and most expensive attraction of its kind ever offered in Eastern Canada. The open-air performance will be in two parts, the acts being separate and distinct and performed by separate troupes. The Three Aeroplane Ladies will put on the greatest act of its kind ever shown in America. They are English performers and will not arrive on this side until June 1st. The Five Flying Dordens in aerial casting and return acts will furnish the second part of the free performance. They have performed at the New York Hippodrome every season for some years and are the best of their kind. Like the Aeroplane Ladies, the Flying Dordens perform sixty or seventy feet in the air. They make casts of fifty-five feet.

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CHESTNUT COMPANY'S LETTER

A letter from Mr. H. G. Chestnut, manager for the Chestnut Canoe Co., was received containing the request of the company for financial aid from the city. The terms of the request have been published previously. The aldermen decided that information more definite than that contained in the letter should be obtained before request could be considered properly. Ald. Calder and Ald. Clark were appointed a committee to obtain such information and to report at tonight's meeting.

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Sale price	-	-	10.00
Morris Chair, regular price	-	-	16.50
Sale price	-	-	12.50
Morris Chair, regular price	-	-	17.00
Sale price	-	-	11.50
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