

Events of a Day.

C. M. B. A. Reception.

The Fredericton branch of the C. M. B. A. are to hold a reception at St. Dunstons hall on the evening of the tenth instant. About one hundred invitations have been issued.

Tonight's Function.

Mrs. Harry G. Chestnut will entertain a number of her lady and gentlemen friends to a ball at Windsor hall this evening. Hanlon's orchestra has been engaged to furnish music.

Hotel Man Dead.

Mr. Angus Kennedy, the well known hotel man of St. Andrew's, proprietor of Kennedy's hotel, died suddenly yesterday afternoon aged 72 years. He leaves a widow, six daughters and three sons.

Pleasantly Entertained.

Miss Mabel Borchill entertained about thirty-five of her young friends very pleasantly at her home, Queen street, last evening. Dancing and whist were the principal amusements.

A Halifax Death.

A Halifax despatch says: W. K. Reynolds, former provincial treasurer of Nova Scotia, died here last night at the home of his son-in-law, H. B. Clark. He was in his 82nd year. [The deceased gentleman was the eldest brother of Mrs. Chas. Fletcher of this city, and an uncle of Mrs. L. C. Macnutt.]

Interclass Debate.

An interclass debate between the sophomores and freshmen is to take place in the college library on the evening of February 13th. The subject will be "Resolved that the common school education of N. B. should be made compulsory." Messrs. Dole and Orchard will be the leaders.

Once Resided Here.

Mr. Charles A. Estey, a well known citizen of St. John, who died yesterday at his home in that city, was a resident of Fredericton for a number of years up to 1854, and married his wife, formerly Miss Elizabeth Read, here. He was 74 years old, and his children who survive include Mrs. Phelps, wife of Mr. Ernest Phelps, the well known insurance adjuster.

Basket Ball Game.

The basket ball game at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium yesterday afternoon between the Seniors and Sophomores of the U. N. B. resulted in a victory for the latter. The score was Sophomores 14, Seniors 12. It was the fastest and most exciting game seen at the gymnasium this season. The Sophomores wore their new gymnasium suits and made a very natty appearance.

Removing to St. John.

Mr. J. S. Marnie, who for fourteen years has conducted a gentlemen's furnishing establishment at Moncton, is about to sell out and return to St. John about the first of next month. Mr. Marnie was a former resident of this city, employed in the late Mr. Thomas Logan's dry goods store, and took an active interest in Y. M. C. A., and church work.

An Efficient Mail Driver.

The people on the eastern side of the river between Mouth Keswick and Southampton are well pleased with the mail carrying service this season and Driver Ebbett is coming in for much well deserved praise. He is on the road in all kinds of weather and no hind stops him from delivering his mails on time. As the people of the section served by him only have two mails a week, Mr. Ebbett's regularity is greatly appreciated.

Critically Ill.

The very serious illness of Mrs. Reading, Queen street, east, is deeply regretted by her many acquaintances in town and elsewhere. Members of her family have been summoned to her bedside and but little hope is entertained of her recovery. —Truro Daily News. [Mrs. Reading is the widow of a former well-known Truro citizen, Mr. George Reading, clerk of the supreme court, and is the mother of Mrs.

Pearson, wife of Mr. B. F. Pearson, M. P. P., for Colchester, the well-known barrister and company promoter.]

AMONG THE CURLERS.

Married vs. Single Match Opened—An Invitation to Truro.

The curlers met in the regular monthly meeting last night, President Hawthorn in the chair and a large attendance of members.

There was not much business to transact and an early adjournment was made to permit the opening matches of the married vs. single competition to be played.

A vote of thanks was passed to the Campbellton and Chatham curlers for the very handsome manner in which the Fredericton men were treated during their recent visit to the north shore.

A private communication from a prominent member of the Truro club was read, announcing that the Truro curlers intend visiting St. John this month and requesting the Fredericton club to send rinks to meet the visitors at St. John. A resolution was passed instructing the secretary to write the Truro club inviting them to extend their trip to Fredericton, and assuring them of a return match at Truro next season.

There were four rinks competing last night in the opening of the Married vs. Single match, and the former lead by three points.

The rinks and scores were as follows:

Married.	Single.
Dr Irvine	Settle
Dr McNally	Vanwart
Massie	Ferguson
Hawthorn, skip...11	D Simmons, skip.. 7
Reid	Holland
Palmer	McFarlane
Hall	Thomas
Rutter, skip.....9	Tibbitts, skip.....10

The competition will be continued this evening, the skips to play being: Wilson vs. Foster, Macnutt vs. Harrison, Wetmore vs. Hatt.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of People in Whom Our Readers are Interested.

Mr Robert Scott of Dumfries, is in the city, a guest at Long's hotel.

Mr E Drury Allen, of Moncton, formerly of this city, is among the guests at the Queen.

Mr George F Burden, M P P, of Pokiok, is among the visitors to the city today.

Miss Lena Jones, of St. John, is visiting friends in the city.

Warden Brooks of Southampton, was in the city today, attending a meeting of the Fredericton and Woodstock Steamboat Company, of which he is a director.

Miss May Rowley of Marysville, left here on Monday for Kingston, Jamaica, W. I., to visit her brother, Mr A H Roley, manager of the Bank of N. S. at that place.

BOARD OF TRADE.

A Proposition to Establish a Furniture Factory Here.

A special meeting of the council of the Fredericton Board of Trade was held in the office of Mr. J. W. McCready yesterday afternoon. The Messrs. Ardison of London, England, who are negotiating for the establishment of a furniture factory here, were given a hearing and explained their proposition. They propose to establish a factory here to give steady employment to from forty to sixty hands. They want the city to loan them the sum of \$20,000, to be paid back in annual instalments of \$1000 each, without interest, and exempt the concern from fire and water rates for a term of years. The proposition seemed to meet with the approval of the gentlemen present.

Should Interest All.

Ladies don't miss them. Nearly a thousand yards of Hamburgs and insertions bought at a great bargain previous to the advance. See them and you'll admit they are great value for 8, 10 and 12 cts. and our sale price of them is only 6 1/2 cts. Don't delay for they are sure to go fast. Peter Farrell & Co.—d.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of the Fredericton and Woodstock Steamboat Company—Officers Chosen.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Fredericton and Woodstock Steamboat Company was held in the office of J. H. Barry, K. C., this morning. The president, James S. Neill, occupied the chair, and the other gentlemen present were:

Geo T Whelpley, John Palmer, Joseph Walker, M Fickler, J H Barry, K C., John Kilburn, Ald J S Scott, Jas A Bell, Fredericton; George F Burden, M P P, Pokiok; Warden F R Brooks, Southampton; Williamson Fisher, Woodstock; Robert Scott, Dumfries. A number of other stockholders were represented by proxy.

The annual report of the board of directors for the past year was submitted and approved of by the shareholders. It set forth among other things that the steamer Aberdeen had made 22 trips on the Woodstock route against 45 for the previous year.

The following directors were elected: James S Neill, Warden F R Brooks, Mayor Palmer, Geo T Whelpley, Williamson Fisher, Coun M B McNally and Robert Scott.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors the following officers were re-elected: President—James S. Neill.

Secretary-Treasurer—J. H. Barry, K C. Another meeting of the directors was held this afternoon, but only routine business was transacted.

York County Lodge.

The annual meeting of York County Lodge, L. O. A., was held last evening and was well attended. After the usual routine business had been transacted the following officers were elected:

County master—John Oldham.
D C M—Wallace Brown.
Chaplain—Robert Elliott.
Recording secretary—G. L. Haviland.
Treasurer—A. D. Thomas.
D F C—A. Wilson.
Lecturer—C. H. Fox.
Deputies—F. Yeomans, J. Blair.
Outside tiler—Howard Segee.
The next meeting will be held at Cross Creek, on May 17th.

Linen and Cotton Sale.

Edgecombe's linen and cotton sale is now in full swing. Bargains are plentiful, and housekeepers are happy. There has been another advance in price of cotton goods in the market so now is the time to secure a supply.—d.

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A. J. GREGORY.
Jan. 30—dlr

Legislative Notice.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next session of the General Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick for an Act to incorporate The Citizens' Telephone Company, with power to erect, maintain and operate a general telephone system in the Counties of Charlotte, York, Carleton and Saint John.
Jan. 20—d4wks

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