D. C. Firth for Miss Jennie Cameron, who was the recipient of many pretty gifts. Among those invited were: Mrs. H. Lunam, Mrs. Drumm, Mrs. D. C. Firth, Mrs. W. F. Napier, Mrs. G. F. Miles, Mrs. S. W. Dimock, Mrs. A. H. Troy, Miss Asker, Misses Beatrice and Mary Richards, Miss Mowat and Miss Gertie Adams.

Mr. Wilfred Comeau has returned home after spending the Easter holidays with friends in Moncton.

Miss Greta Dickie, of Moncton, has returned home after visiting friends in town.

Mr. T. G. Marquis, of the Bank of New Brunswick staff, St. John, spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Marquis.

Miss Opal LaBillois, of Dalhousie, was in town this week.

## MONCTON

Moncton, April 27—Mr. Russell Fillmore of the Bank of Montreal staff, Guelph (Ont.), is the guest of his parents for a few days.

Mr. Roy Whelpley has returned to Grand Falls, after spending the Easter holidays in town with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Whelpley.

The local order of the Daughters of the Empire intend holding an at home in Castle Hall, May 1. The committee is composed of Mrs. E. B. Chandler, Mrs. Peter McSweeney, Mrs. C. P. Harris, Mrs. Greene and Miss Kathleen Hewson.

Mr. Leo. Richard, of the Royal Bank of Canada staff, at Parrsboro, is the guest of friends in town.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cochran, of Salisbury, is in the city, the guest of her son, Mr. Thomas Cochran.

Mrs. P. S. Archibald and Mrs. Beulah Harris are spending a couple of weeks in Boston.

Mrs. D. MacOdrum has returned from Halifax, where she was spending Easter with relatives.

Mrs. David Hudson, of Glace Bay, is spending a few days in town, the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. E. Killam.

Mr. Arthur MacDougall, of the Royal Bank of Canada, has been transferred to Parrsboro, and leaves at once to take up his duties at that place.

Miss Caroline Cahill, of Sackville, spent the week-end with friends in the city.

Miss S. G. MacDonald has returned from Chatham, where she was spending Easter at her former home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Snow have returned from Sackville, where they were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Snow.

The Misses Hazel and Ruby Rayworth spent part of the week in St. John with friends.

Mrs. Freeman Goodwin, of Bathurst, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. W. Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Price, of Montreal, are visiting relatives in the city.

The Misses Annie and Ella Babbitt, of St. Mary's, are in the city, the guests of their sister, Mrs. W. K. C. Parlee.

Mrs. R. L. Lennox has returned to her home in Rexton, after spending a couple of weeks in town with her daughter, Mrs. G. Fred Knight.

Miss Kathleen Hewson has returned from Sackville, where she was spending a few days with friends.

Mrs. C. H. Holly Lounsbury, of Chatham, is in town, the guest of Miss Beatrice Payson.

Mr. John McNeil, of Edinburgh (Scot.), is spending sometime in town, the guest of his aunt, Mrs. John Edington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Harris have returned from Newcastle, where they were visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. H. Sinclair.

Mrs. Charles McCarthy has returned from a trip to St. John.

Miss Hazel Nickerson and Miss Christine McNairn have returned to Fredericton to resume their studies at the Normal school.

Moncton friends are interested in the announcement of the marriage of Miss Laura Beatrice Wright, a former resident of this city, and Mr. A. Lee Freebairn, of Pincher Creek (Alta.) The bride wore an empire gown of cream menaline, and carried a bouquet of bride roses. The happy couple have the good wishes of many friends.

Miss Beatrice Shannon left on Tuesday for Pennsylvania, where she will spend some time with friends.

Moncton, N. B., April 28—Street talk has it that a movement will shortly be started in Moncton for a new hotel that will be the largest and most up-to-date in the maritime provinces. So far, of course, there's nothing to the porposition but talk, but some interested in booming the town consider the project feasible. A six story fire-proof hotel to cost in the vicinity of $100,000 is talked and the site mentioned is the Spurr property in Main, between Robinson and Church streets.

It has been proposed that the board of trade take up the discussion to get the views of the business men and feel the people on such a proposition.

The publicity committee of the board of trade and city council met tonight and discussed ways and means of advertising and booming the city during the present season, when the street railway construction and natural gas installation will be taking place. No definite action was taken but it was felt the city council should aid the movement to make Moncton's industrial advantages known by a substantial grant.

A committee consisting of Ald. Price Charters and W. G. Jones was appointed to formulate a definite plan and report later.

Geo. C. Keirstead has been engaged as assistant to Rev. Geo. A. Lawson, pastor of the Frist Baptist church, for the summer months. Mr. Keirstead is a native of St. John, just completing his second year at Newton Theological School.

At a meeting of the city baseball league this evening it was decided to play the opening game, May 27, between the Y. M. C. A., last year's champions, and the Victorias.

Judge Wells expects to leave about May 5 for England to attend the coronation.

J. A. McDonald Piano & Music Company, Halifax, will close out their Moncton branch after May 1.

D. A. Storey, general freight agent of the I. C. R.; and daughter, Miss Freda, returned Tuesday from a seven weeks trip to Bermuda. Mr. Storey, who is off on several months leave of absence for the benefit of his health, leaves Monday night with his family for the White Mountains.

## NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, April 27—Last night Rev. S. J. Macarthur united in marriage Mrs. Mary Stewart, nee McCullam, of Tabusintac, and James G. Baisley. The bride was the widow of William Stewart. Mr. and Mrs. Baizley will reside here.

Yesterday Rev. Mr. Macarthur united in marriage Miss Katherine Lulu, daughter of James G. Baizley, to Otto W. Feidler, a native of Saxony, but now proprietor of a restaurant here. Mr. and Mrs. Feidler left for St. John on their honeymoon.

Tuesday evening at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McAuley, Miss Annie Sophia McAuley was married to Wm. W. Borton, of Summerland (B. C.), late of Moncton. Rev. S. J. Macarthur performed the ceremony in the presence of many guests in the parlor of the Union Hotel, which was handsomely decorated for the occasion. Mendelssohn's wedding march was played by Miss Alice Morris. Arthur Metcalfe, of Moncton, supported the groom, and Miss Jean Allen the bride. The bride, who was given away by her father, was attired in champagne Brussels net over natural pongee, with bridal veil and lilies of the valley, and she carried a bouquet of carnations and maidenhair fern. Miss Allan wore blue silk mulle and carried a bouquet of carnations and maidenhair fern. The happy couple were serenaded by the Newcastle Cornet Band. At 10 o'clock the guests, including the band, partook of supper. Many handsome gifts were received. The groom's gifts were: To the bride, a pearl bracelet; to the bridesmaid, an amethyst stick brooch, and to the best man an amethyst stick pin. Mr. and Mrs. Borton left that night for British Columbia, accompanied as far as the station by many friends. The bride's going away dress was of blue serge with blue helmet hat.

On Monday evening at Douglastown, Mrs. Jane McKenzie and Mr. Amos Williston were married at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Robert Vanderbeck. Rev. E. C. Simpson performing the ceremony. They were unattended. Supper was served to the guests, and the gifts received were valuable. The bride's costume was of wisteria broadcloth. Mr. and Mrs. Williston will live in Douglastown.

Tuesday morning in Nelson R. C. church Rev. Father Power united in marriage Miss Helena English and James McEachern. They were attended by Miss Irene English and Mr. Vincent McEachern. The bride was dressed in hand embroidered champagne crepe de chine over green satin with large picture hat, and the bridesmaid wore pink crepe de chine over pink satin, with picture hat. Mr. and Mrs. McEachern are spending their honeymoon in New York and Boston.

Monday afternoon at Nelson Father Power officiated at the marriage of Miss Mary Ann Dolan, of Nelson, to Henry English, of North Dakota. After a wedding supper Mr. and Mrs. English left for their American home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Harris, of Moncton, spent Sunday with their daughter, Miss E. H. Sinclair.

H. W. Robertson, of St. John, is the guest of his father-in-law, Isaac Leighton.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Bernard, of Moncton, attended the Borton-McAuley wedding.

Judge Wilkinson, of Buchville, attended the wedding yesterday of his grandson, William Wilkinson, in Campbellton.

Robert Galloway removed to Fredericton yesterday.

Miss Emma Price, of Moncton, is visiting Mrs. James Stables.

Miss Naomi G. Beckwith is visiting Miss Florence Cunzon, of Fredericton.

Earl Atkinson, of Blackville, has joined the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia here.

Rev. F. M. Atkinson has resigned the Baptist pastorate of Underhill and Upper Blackville.

William and Robert McKenzie, who spent the winter with their uncle, Thomas Jeffrey, have returned to their home in New York.

Miss Isa Leighton has returned from her Moncton visit.

Newcastle, April 28—At the town council last night H. W. Robertson, of St. John, was present on behalf of the J. W. Miller Extract Co., Ltd., which is being organized to build a tanning extract factory. Mr. Miller was also present.

Mr. Robertson had no definite offer as to locating here, but wished to hear the following option from the council: That the town should guarantee a fixed valuation for twenty years, of the Anderson property (now owned by Crandall & Harris), at $5,000 instead of $8,000 as at present, and the R. Corey Clark property, now assessed at $1350, at 5-8 present assessment. Also that the town should agree to supply, either by connection with the town pipes, or with reservoir, or by well, a daily amount of 25,000 gallons of water. He said that the council's answer would have influence upon the company's decision as to whether they would locate here.

The proposition was referred to a committee of the whole, with Ald. Clark chairman.

The committee finally reported in favor of: (1) The town sinking a test well; (2) Fixing the valuation of the real estate acquired for the industry by J. W. Miller Extract Co., Ltd., at 3-4 of present valuation for the next twenty years, whenever it shall be ascertained that by doing so these industries will locate here.

The mayor and town clerk were authorized to issue $30,000 of 5 p.c. debentures payable redeemable in forty years, bearing five per cent, in order to pay off floating indebtedness. The former bonds floated at four per cent had realized only 86. Five per cent bonds would probably sell at par.

Newcastle, April 29—The Royal Hotel, where many country people put up, has ben quarantined for smallpox, there being two cases, a boarder and the proprietor, Moses Whitney, the latter of whom is seriously ill.

The local Liberal Association and W. S. Loggie, M. P., have recommended the following as census takers for this parish: James Falconer and Hugh Morris, of Newcastle town, and Alexander Woods, of Douglastown.

## ANDOVER

Andover, N. B., April 27—Mr. Harold North, who was the guest of his sister, Mrs. F. M. Howard, for two weeks, returned to his home in Canning (N. S.) on Friday.

Miss Lottie Demings returned home from Wolfville on Friday, the seminary being closed on account of the typhoid epidemic.

Mr. Wm. Spike and daughter, Helen, spent a few days in St. John last week.

The Book Club, of Lower Andover, met on Thursday last at the home of Mrs. D. R. Bedell.

Miss Bessie Lawson and Miss Fannie Lawson, of Caribou (Me.), were visiting friends in the village last week.

The friends of Mrs. Helen Stevens will be much grieved to hear of her loss, by fire, of a valuable barn on Wednesday afternoon. The fire had made such headway when discovered that only one horse was rescued, the other two, with four head of cattle, being burned. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

Rev. Mr. Warren and Mrs. Warren, of Fort Fairfield (Me.), were guests of Miss Sarah Watson during the deanery meeting.

A quiet wedding took place on Saturday evening at the Methodist parsonage by the Rev. Mr. Ives, when Mrs. Della McCarthy, of Limestone, was united in marriage to Mr. Hiram Murphy, of Aroostook Junction.

Senator Baird returned to Ottawa on Monday.

Miss Josie Miller is visiting friends in the village.

Mr. Howard Campbell, of Birch Ridge, was doing business in the village on Wednesday.

Mrs. Jarvis, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Matheson, returned to her home on Wednesday.

Mr. N. J. Wootin is attending a meeting of the Life Underwriters Association of New Brunswick now being held in St. John.

The friends of Miss Grace McPhail are sorry to learn of her illness of typhoid at Wolfville (N. S.)

A meeting of the chapter of the Deanery of Woodstock was held in Andover this week, when there were present the rural dean, Rev. A. W. Teed, of Richmond; Revs. J. S. Warren, of Fort Fairfield, W. P. Dunham, of McAdam Junction, David Jenkins, of Hartland; A. H. Crockett, Grand Falls; H. T. Buckland, Gordon and Lorne; P. J. A. Francis, Centreville, besides the rector of this parish. A hearty service was held in Trinity church on Monday evening, in which Rev. W. P. Dunham preached.

At 8 o'clock Tuesday morning Holy Communion was celebrated, Rural Dean Teed being celebrant and Rev. D. Jenkins assisting. The chapter met in the Sunday school hall at 10 o'clock. The usual portion of the New Testament in Greek was read and discussed, also a portion of the prayer book and other business in connection with the church work in the deanery of Woodstock was dealt with. The next meeting will be held at McAdam July 25. After the session of the chapter all repaired to the rectory, where a tempting repast, provided by the rector and Women's Auxiliary and Guild of St. Agnes, was partaken of, after which the rural dean in a neat speech expressed the pleasure they had in meeting here and thanked those of the congregation, the auxiliary and guild for their entertainment.

## DALHOUSIE

Dalhousie, N. B., April 26—Mrs. John Barberie, president of the Ladies' W. A. Society, left for Fredericton this week to attend the annual meeting there.

Mrs. H. A. Hilyard entertained a few friends at bridge whist on Friday evening last.

Mrs. Geo. E. Mercier, who has been visiting friends in Montreal for the past three weeks, arrived home on Saturday last.

Mrs. W. S. Montgomery leaves tomorrow morning for Montreal to visit friends.

Mrs. W. A. Mott spent a few days in Campbellton last week, guest of Mrs. S. Lingley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Nolan are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby girl at their home on Sunday last.

Miss R. McCardle, of Moncton, spent a few days in town last week, guest of Miss Louise Barthe.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chisholm, who have been spending the winter months in the west, returned from Vancouver last week.

Miss Nora O'Regan was in Campbellton on Monday.

Rev. R. J. Coleman, who has been residing here since the Campbellton fire, has accepted the charge of St. Mary's Episcopal church.

Mrs. W. A. R. Cragg entertained a few friends last evening to bridge whist.

Mrs. James B. Storer was in Bathurst last week for a few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bishop.

Mrs. McKenna, of Bathurst, is now visiting Mrs. John Baldwin here.

Mr. Thos. Murphy, who has been away for the last six weeks to the West Indies, returned home this morning.

Stephen Robinson and Harry Russell each got a wild goose the other day out of a flock of three. Very few geese have been shot hereabout this spring.

Miss Janie McGorman is home from Moncton, where she spent some weeks with her sister, Mrs. H. R. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Woodworth took their young son to Moncton today for surgical treatment.

Miss Gertie Smith, daughter of Manning Smith, of Riverside, is very low with chronic lung trouble.

## ST. GEORGE

St. George, April 27—A telegram on Tuesday announced to Mr. and Mrs. James Skene the death of their only child, Mrs. C. DeBlois Denton, in Summerland (B. C.) from gastritis. Deep sympathy is extended to the bereaved husband and parents. Mr. Denton holds the professorship of mathematics in Okanagan College. Summerland, and with Mrs. Denton spent a part of their vacation last summer with Mr. and Mrs. James Skene.

Mr. and Mrs. James Emery, of Ontario, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hibbard.

Mrs. A. C. Gillmor is spending the week in St. John.

On Wednesday evening Mrs. E. R. O'Brien and her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Toy, gave a most pleasant evening as a farewell to Mrs. Philo Hanson, who leaves shortly for the west. During the evening Mrs. O'Brien, on behalf of the members of the Thimble Club, presented Mrs. Hanson with a short address and a gold thimble suitably engraved. Mrs. Hanson was taken completely by surprise and thanked the members for their lovely little gift, which she highly appreciated.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sophia Moran took place from St. Mark's church on Friday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Spencer officiating. Mrs. Moran was a life-long resident of St. George and is survived by two children, Mrs. George Marshall and Mr. S. L. T. Moran, and one brother, Mrs. A. S. Baldwin.

Mrs. Dawes Gillmor has returned from a pleasant trip to St. Stephen and Calais.

Miss Alma Coffey, Miss Annie O'Neill and Miss Bessie McGrattan have returned from a pleasant visit in St. John.

## ST. ANDREWS

St. Andrews, April 27—Mrs. Robert Teinant and son, Master David, sailed for England on S. S. Lake Erie the 20th and will remain for the summer.

Mr. J. Townsend Ross is home again, after a pleasant winter spent in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Langmaid came from Montreal on Saturday. The winter months were spent with their son, Mr. William Langmaid.

Mrs. Earl R. Brown visited in St. Stephen last week and is now in Stanley (N. B.) visiting.

Miss Hilda Hewitt returned to Normal school on Monday.

Mr. G. Durell Grimmer is able to attend to business again, after an attack of grip.

The Misses Mabel and Mary Jones are at home from their visit in St. Stephen with their grandmother, Mrs. John Jones.

Miss Ida Graham is convalescing after an attack of bronchitis.

Miss Eva L. Stoop made a short visit with Mrs. J. F. Duston in St. Stephen this week.

Miss Georgie Richardson was a guest of Mrs. J. W. Richardson this week in St. Stephen.

Miss Maria Hutchinson has been suffering from bronchitis but is better at the time of writing.

Miss Eva Burton is quite ill with a severe cold.

The play, Valley Farm, which is to be given in Audrales hall May 9, is being looked forward to with much interest, the parts being taken by young people of the town. The cast of characters is:

Harold Rutledge, a young New Yorker .....Roy Gilman

Perry Deane, a son of the soil.....Robert Stinson

David Hildreth, a New York lawyer. .....Sydney Anning

Silas Holcomb, owner of Valley Farm .....Samuel Mason

Azariah Keep, a clock tinker..... .....Kenneth Cummings

Jennings, servant at Rutledge mansion .....Ronald Hewitt

Isabel Carney, niece of David Hildreth .....Clara Gove

Hetty Holcomb, a country flower transplanted to city soil..Ethel Cummings

Mrs. Rutledge, Harold's mother..... .....Ruth Greenlaw

Alvira Holcomb, sister of Silas..... .....Ida Graham

Lizzy Ann Tucker, who borrows but never gossips .....Bessie Mallock

Verbena, hired girl at the farm..... .....Gladys Thompson

Mrs. A. K. Gifford came on Monday and is a guest at The Anchorage. Mrs. Gifford spent a very happy winter in England.

Mr. Thomas R. Wren spent a few days in St. John last week.

Mr. John Peacock spent a pleasant winter in Pinehurst (N. C.) and is at home for the summer months.

## WESTFIELD

Westfield Beach, April 27—Mrs. A. Fred Watters and two children, Vera and Velma, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hatton, at Calais (Me.), for several weeks, returned home today.

Mr. Watson Allen, K.C., of St. John, is occupying his summer residence at Ononette.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Magee, of St. John, are spending a few days here, making a few changes about their summer cottage.

Miss Grace C. Lingley, who has been spending a few days in St. John, returned home Tuesday.

Mr. J. Willard Smith, of St. John, is having some repairing done on his summer residence at Hillandale.

Mr. and Mrs. Myles, of St. John, came to their cottage at Hillandale today.

Mr. Egbert C. Prime, who has been spending the winter in St. John, has returned home for the summer months.

Mrs. A. E. Rowley was in St. John today.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hutchings have recently moved into their pretty summer residence.

Mrs. Caulfield, who has been spending the winter with relatives in the United States, returned home today.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Burden return to Boston tomorrow, after having spent a few days here.

Westfield, April 26—Miss Grace Lingley spent Sunday and Monday in St. John, the guest of her sister, Miss Carnie Lingley.

Mrs. Woodman is occupying her cottage at Belyear's Point.

Mr. and Mrs. McGregor were at their summer Cottage Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Burden, of Boston (Mass.), came in on the noon train yesterday and are spending a few days at Lone Water Farm.

George Rathburn has taken a cottage here for the summer. Mrs. Rathburn came Monday.

Mr. Caswell, of Calais (Me.), is here attending to his pulp wood business again.

## WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, April 26—At the home of Mr. Charles Campbell, Richmond, this afternoon at 3 o'clock, will be solemnized the marriage of his daughter, Jennie Matilda Campbell, to Mr. Raymond Montgomery Gabel, of the firm of Connell Bros. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. R. A. MacDonald. The bride will be unattended, and will wear a gown of white colienne over white satin, with veil and wreath of lilies of the valley, and beautiful pearl necklace, the groom's gift. Her travelling dress will be navy blue broadcloth with tan colored hat. Mr. and Mrs. Gabel will drive to Houlton to take the B. & A. to New York and Hartford (Conn.). After a short trip, they will return to reside in Woodstock. Many lovely gifts have been received.

Mrs. Charles Dickinson left on Tuesday to spend the summer with her mother in California.

Mrs. A. W. Harmon left yesterday for Boston and Chester (Penn.), to visit relatives.

Mrs. W. B. Nicholson was called to St. John last week by the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. Daley.

Miss Lucy Phillips is visiting her grandmother at Worcester (Mass.)

On last Wednesday afternoon at Christ Church, Lower Woodstock, the marriage took place of Miss Trixie Helen Augherton to Mr. Donald Charles McCarmac, C. E. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Goring Allder. The bride wore a pretty dress of blue silk with hat to match. Only the immediate relatives were present.

Mrs. Howard P. Wetmore has returned after spending a week in St. John.

Mr. M. L. Hayward, of Houlton, was in town on Wednesday.

Mr. H. H. McCain, of Florenceville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith last week.

Mr. H. L. Bentley returned last week from Bridgetown (N. S.), with his family.

Mr. Frank McNaught was a visitor in Chatham last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John McLauchlan and Miss Marguerite McLauchlan spent Thursday in Houlton, guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Miller.

Miss Catherine Rankin returned on Saturday after spending several weeks in St. John with her uncle, Mr. Robert Thomson.

Mrs. Elizabeth Steeves left on Monday for her home in Hillsboro, after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. R. A. Estabrooks.

Mr. Colin King returned from Montreal last week.

Mrs. Guy B. Manzer left on Friday for Providence (R. I.), to visit her mother, Mrs. Wightman, who is very ill.

Miss Kate Miles, who has been spending the winter with her cousins, Misses Blanch and Marion Dibblee, returned last week to her home in Mangerville.

Miss Helen Raymond, of Simonds, has been visiting friends in town.

Customs Inspector McLaren, of St. John, was in town last week.

## SUSSEX

Sussex, April 27—Mrs. James Lamb was a visitor to St. John Thursday.

Dr. Carter, chief superintendent of education, visited the school here Friday.

Mrs. Robert Morison and family are receiving many messages of sympathy owing to the death of Mrs. Morison's youngest daughter, Marion, which took place on Monday evening.

C. D. Strong, St. John, spent Sunday here, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Keith.

Mrs. A. S. White and Mrs. J. H. Ryan were visitors to St. John the first of the week.

Miss H. A. Belyea and Miss Beatrice Wetmore, of Apohaqui, spent Sunday here, guests of Mrs. Heber Sinnott.

Mrs. F. G. Lansdowne was in St. John this week attending the funeral of her father, the late Wm. H. Drake.

The Sussex Golf Club has started playing and will meet soon to reorganize.

Miss Alice S. Keith, of Petitcodiac, spent the week here with relatives.

Mrs. Ora P. King left Wednesday for Fredericton, where she will be the guest of Canon and Mrs. Cowie at the rectory.

Captain Bray, of Shediac, was the guest of Mrs. Joseph Lamb this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Sharpe left Wednesday on a two months' trip to the Canadian west.

Miss Winnie Oldfield, of Newtown, is the guest of Mrs. A. L. Robinson.

Frank Slipp left this week for Fort Fairfield (Me.), where Mrs. Slipp is visiting her parents.

Mrs. Robert Colpitts and children, who have been guests of Mrs. Warren Colpitts, have returned to their home in Dawson, Albert county.

E. C. Benson and Joseph Benson, of England, were here this week, guests at the rectory. They left Wednesday for Winnipeg, where they will locate.

Miss Pearl Stockton left this week for Boston, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Rye.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Suffren have taken E. P. Vanwart's house in Main street for the summer.

Deceased was seventy-five years of age and in fairly good health up to the time of his death. Today he was about the house as usual and ate a hearty breakfast and dinner. After dinner as he was sitting in a chair he complained of a pain in the stomach, and got up to lie down on a sofa, when he collapsed and died in a few minutes.

Sussex, N. B., April 31—John C. Hazen, a well known Kings county man, died very suddenly at 1 o'clock today, at the home of his son-in-law, H. B. Price, where he and Mrs. Hazen have been residing for the past three years.

Mr. Hazen was a retired farmer and a man of good standing in the community. He is survived by a wife and four daughters, Mrs. H. B. Price, Mrs. Gilford White, and Mrs. F. M. Price, of Sussex, and Mrs. Ambrose Manning of Newtown; also two sister, Mrs. Miles Hoar, of Sackville, and Mrs. John Brenan, of Upper Corner.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, interment in the town cemetery, Rev. W. F. Alton officiating.

The funeral of the late Mrs. James McNutt was held this afternoon, and was very largely attended. The procession of carriages was over half a mile long. Interment was made in the town cemetery, Rev. Frank Baird officiating.

## CHATHAM

Chatham, April 28—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Watt have gone to Montreal for a short visit.

Rev. Geo. Wood has gone to spend a few days at Halifax. Rev. R. Johnson, of that city will occupy St. Andrew's pulpit next Sunday.

Mrs. D. C. Winslow and Miss Mary Winslow have returned from St. John.

Miss Jennie Russel has returned to New York, from which place she had been called in consequence of the death of her aunt, Miss Barbara Cameron.

R. A. Snowball has returned from Montreal, where he had been attending the funeral of Mrs. Snowball's mother, Mrs. McIntyre.

Miss Carrie Lynott has been visiting friends in Bathurst.

Miss Helen Cox and Miss Lottie Loggie spent part of last week in town, the guests of Miss Staples.

Mr. Fred Carvell has gone to St. John to join Mrs. Carvell, who is staying there with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cusack. They are expected home this week-end.

Mr. F. H. McNaught, who recently went to Woodstock to live, spent a few days at his old home here last week.

Mr. Arthur H. Maher has gone to Montreal on a business trip.

Mr. A. W. B. Letth spent Sunday at his home in St. John.

Mr. Jas. Wood, C.E., of the public works department here, who has been spending a three weeks' vacation in the upper provinces, has new returned.

Mr. and Mrs. John Elder are receiving the congratulations of their friends on the arrival of a daughter.

Mrs. Andrew Forsythe has returned to town, after a pleasant visit to friends in Sussex and St. John.

Mrs. G. H. Lounsbury has gone to spend a week or so with friends at Moncton.

Miss Lucey has returned home after a visit of two months duration to friends in New York.

Mr. Frank Powers, Jr., of Lunenburg (N. S.), was here last week visiting his son, who is on the Bank of Monfreal staff here.

Mrs. J. F. Connors received word on Sunday of the death at Fredericton of her mother, Mrs. Charles Duffy. The deceased lady, although advanced in years, was in fairly good health. Her death was not expected. Mrs. Connors left for Fredericton on Monday.

Mr. Andrew Baldwin, who has been teller in the Bank of Nova Scotia here, has been transferred to Halifax, and left for that place on Tuesday.

Mr. Charles Doherty and Miss Blanche Ellis, of New York, were married at the Pro-Cathedral on Tuesday morning. They will reside in Chatham.

## RIVERSIDE

Riverside, Albert Co., N. B., April 22—Mrs. D. W. Harper returned last week from Sussex.

The following pupils of the Consolidated school led their classes during the third quarter: I., Douglas Tingley; II., Cecil Tingley; III., Annie Tingley; IV., Jack Crocker; V., Hazel Barbour; VI., Gertrude McDonald; VII., Kenneth Barbour; VIII., Anita Peck; IX., Margaret Barbour; X., Laura Tingley; XI., Aileen Turner.

A splendid programme was rendered at the school last Tuesday evening on the occasion of the promenade concert.

A rumor is going the rounds that efforts are being made to secure the services of a number of graduates in music, and elocution to put on a concert on June 3, the King's birthday. As residents of this section have few opportunities of attending such entertainments, it is to be hoped that arrangements can be completed.

## GLASSVILLE

Glassville, N. B., April 27—William Scott has returned from a four years' residence in British Columbia and the prairie provinces and purchased the Ed. Scott farm, formerly owned by Mr. Welsh. Mr. Scott was favorably impressed with the west and was successful there, but he declares he saw nothing better than Carleton county all things considered.

Arch. Scott, jr., was married yesterday to Miss Minnie Elliot. He has purchased the Jas. Elliott homestead and furnished the house. The young couple will take up their residence there at once.

Mr. Barter, who kept a well known hostelry on the Miramichi, recently sold to an English family, who have already taken up their residence there. Mr. Barter is moving to British Columbia.

The grass is already showing green hereabout and practically none of it was winter killed. The present outlook for farming is excellent.

Cows are in strong demand at prices from $30 up. Young pigs sold readily at $3 each. A very large amount of pressed hay will be summered over. There is practically no beef at all in the country.

## HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, April 27—Steamer Harbinger was in the Shepody river today. Shipping is now fairly well on the move, but there is not likely to be much stir till the arrival of the deal steamers. Capt. J. J. Christopher has taken his schooner, the Leonard C., to Parrsboro to load lumber. Capt. Will Beaumont has made two trips in his little packet to Moncton. The schooner Packet, Reid, arrived today with freight from St. John.

Hopewell Hill, April 28—Walter Killam, of Curryville, who operates a portable mill at Alma, had his right hand badly cut yesterday. He was engaged in edging at the time.

A very large bear that had been seen about the vicinity of Curryville for the past week was captured today by Lewis and Joseph Fenton and J. A. Tingley, who had been on his trail for some days. The men wounded the animal last night and today again overtook him and dispatched him. He was a fine specimen, with an almost jet black coat, and mesured six feet six inches in length, and 29 inches around the neck. Mr. Tingley is thinking of having the animal mounted.

## FREDERICTON

Fredericton, N. B., April 30—The water in the river here is rising at the rate of upwards of one foot in 24 hours. A large amount of lumber was running today.

A smoker was held at the sergeants' mess, No. 3 Regimental Depot, Saturday night in honor of William J. Duncan, former sergeant major in the R. C. R., who has severed his connection with the local depot, and who will leave on Tuesday for Chatham where he will assume the duties of caretaker of the armory and drill instructor to the 73rd Northumberland Regiment and Cadets. Sergt. Major Duncan was presented with a purse.

Rev. Dr. Symonds, vicar of Christ Church Cathedral, Montreal, preached a special sermon to students at the Cathedral tonight. The service was largely attended.

The Fredericton Brass Band gave a sacred concert in the Opera House tonight after evening services in the churches. The concert was heard by a large and appreciative audience.

The death of Mrs. Janet Steen took place at Kingsley, Saturday night, after a short illness. She is survived by several children, Harry Steen, traveler for Randolph & Sons, is a son.

The death of John Mackay took place here this afternoon very suddenly. Deceased was 69 years old and is survived by four brothers, Harry C. Mackay and Geo. Mackay, of Fredericton, and William and Martin, living in the United States. Deceased for several years conducted a tea business in St. John. The funeral will take place Tuesday morning.

## PARRSBORO

Parrsboro, April 27—Miss Flossie Bentley, of Port Greville, was the guest of Miss Minnie Thompson last week.

Mrs. T. W. McKay and Miss Kate McKay, who have been spending the winter in Chatham, arrived home on Friday.

Miss Agnes Aikman spent last week in Dartmouth visiting her sister, Mrs. Wilhelm Crane.

Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Corbett left on Friday for Edinburgh, where the doctor will take a post-graduate course.

Rev. G. D. Milbury, accompanied by Mrs. Milbury, arrived in town on Thursday to enter upon his mission as pastor of the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. McKenna are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a baby daughter.

Mr. Fred. Broderick and family arrived from Boston a short time ago, and will occupy the dwelling near the site of Broderick's hotel for the summer.

Mr. Robert Aikman, who for a number of years has held the position of accountant with the Cumberland Railway & Coal Company, has been transferred to Springhill.

Mr. Michael Clancy is visiting his sister, Mrs. Annie Johnson.

Mrs. Melvin Bowden and children, who have been spending the winter in town, removed to Port Greville on Monday.

The dwelling of William Gilbert on the Beaver Dam road was destroyed by fire yesterday.

The death occurred on Saturday morning of Isabelle, wife of E. D. Allen. Although the deceased had been ill for some time and it was feared that she could not recover, the news of her heath was a shock to her many friends. Mrs. Allen was the youngest daughter of the late Thomas Mason, of Green Hill. She leaves her sorrowing husband and one little daughter, Vera, to whom heartfelt sympathy is extended. The funeral took place on Monday afternoon. Rev. Mr. McRae, of Springhill, conducted the services.

## HARCOURT

Harcourt, N. B., April 28—Henry Wathen left on Tuesday to visit friends in Moncton, St. John and Greenwich.

Miss Alice Chrystal returned recently from Boston and will spend some time at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Thurber, who spent Sunday with friends in the village, returned to Millerton on Monday.

Mrs. Lockhart, of Moncton, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boyd.

Mrs. Blatner, of Boston, is spending a few days at her old home here on her return from Glace Bay, where she had gone to attend the funeral of her brother, William Bryant, whose death under such sad circumstances occurred there on Tuesday last.

Mrs. A. Dunn and Miss Jessie Dunn left on Thursday for Dalhousie, where they will make their home for the future. Their many friends regret their departure.

Miss Mary Keswick has returned from a visit with Moncton friends.

W. N. Ingram and little daughter, Elizabeth, are visiting relatives in the village.

## RICHIBUCTO

Richibucto, April 27—The thermometer today climbed to almost eighty degrees in the shade. The temperature yesterday was only a few degrees lower. A change of almost fifty degrees in a week.

Miss Kathleen O'Leary, who spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O'Leary, has returned to Mount St. Vincent Convent, Halifax, to resume her studies.

Bernard Doucet came to town a few days ago. Mrs. Doucet and family, who have been spending the winter at Grand Anse, intend coming home in about two weeks.

Miss Edith James entertained a number of friends on Monday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. James.

Mrs. Kealty, who has been spending the winter with her mother, Mrs. P. Kavanagh, returned this week to Boston.

James Irving yesterday launched a very fine craft which he recently built for Mr. Anderson, Burnt Church, Northumberland county.

## SALISBURY

Salisbury, N. B., April 27—The funeral took place at Mount Eagle Wednesday afternoon of Carrie Taylor, the young daughter of Thomas S. Taylor, who was burned to death Monday evening. The services were conducted by Rev. F. G. Francis; interment at Mount Eagle cemetery.

This (Thursday) afternoon the funeral of Walter B. Henry took place and was very largely attended. After a short service at the house at Scott Road the body was brought to the Methodist church at this village, where an impressive memorial service was conducted by Rev. J. J. Pinkerton, pastor of the Wesley Memorial church, Moncton. Rev. Mr. Pinkerton also conducted the service at the house and grave. He was assisted in the services by Rev. F. G. Francis, pastor of the Salisbury Baptist church. The pall-bearers were John and William Stewart, of St. John, brothers-in-law of deceased, and Messrs. Hedley V. Ayer, of Fawcett Hill; George Henry, of Scott Road, and Walter and Robert Henry, of Lewis Mountain, nephews of the late Mr. Henry. Interment in Pine Hill cemetery.

Salisbury, N. B., April 28—Samuel S. Taylor, of Shediac, is spending a few days here with his son, S. H. Taylor.

William Stewart, who was in Salisbury attending the funeral of W. B. Henry, returned to St. John Thursday evening.

The condition of J. Stewart Henry, principal of the Surrey, Albert county, school, who is seriously ill of pneumonia at his home at Scott Road, is reported as slightly improved today. His aunt, Miss Ann Henry, who is also very ill, is showing some slight indications of improvement.

The J. E. Humphrey's log drives on the North River are temperarily hung up for lack of water.


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