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Mrs. Johnson, wife of Capt. J. Johnson, of the Government dredge, Brimley, at Chene, recently received word of the death of her father, Dr. Hugh Blanton, which occurred at Good Friday at his home, Farnville, Virginia.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. Tait and family moved this week to Carleton, where they intend in future making their home.

Mrs. G. Blair and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, recently visited Moncton.

Mrs. Atkinson, who has been spending the past winter in Boston, the guest of different members of her family, arrived in town on Monday and has resumed her residence.

Rev. Thos. Pierce, a former pastor of St. John's Methodist church, now of Richibucto, is expected to hold service in the town Methodist church on Sunday next in the absence of the regular pastor, Rev. Geo. Steel.

Rev. J. Jardine entertained a few lady friends at drawing tables from 5 to 6 on Wednesday afternoon of this week. The guests present were Mrs. D. B. White, Mrs. E. Ross (Quebec), Mrs. W. A. Russell, Mrs. R. C. Taylor, D. S. Harper, Mrs. H. R. Stevens, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. J. DeWolf. Miss Jardine assisted her mother in serving the guests.

Mrs. Sommay recently returned from a visit to her home in Quebec.

Mr. G. M. Blackney and children intend visiting Moncton and Petrolia relatives for a few days before leaving for Vancouver on Friday of next week.

## CAMPBELLTON

Campbellton, April 24—Mr. Ruben Dickie is spending his holidays with friends in Moncton.

Mr. Harry Montgomery, of Vancouver, visited friends in Campbellton this week. Miss Muriel and Master Whitney Sterns have returned from a visit in Bathurst.

Miss S. J. Trilles has returned home from Moncton, where she has been visiting for the past month.

Mrs. B. H. Freeze, who has been the guest of Mrs. James Patterson for the past three months, has returned to her home in Petrolia.

Miss Lily Miller has returned from a visit with her parents in Newcastle.

Mrs. Malcolm and Miss Malcolm have returned from a trip to Montreal and Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Alexander and family have returned from the West, where they spent the winter.

Mr. James Patterson spent Sunday in Moncton with his daughter, Mrs. Allan H. Troy.

Mrs. Warren Price is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Bay.

Messrs. A. and A. Ferguson have returned to town after spending the winter in Bermuda.

The organ and vocal recital held in the Methodist church last Saturday evening by Prof. R. Pickard and Miss Nellie James, assisted by the Methodist choir, was very much enjoyed by the large number present.

Word was received here last week of the death of Mrs. Mary Barker, formerly of Campbellton, which occurred at Hazelton (B. C.).

Mrs. Walter Miller, of Charlott, spent Monday with friends in town.

Miss Mollie Sutton has returned from a visit in Bathurst.

## NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, April 24—Miss Jean Thurner, of Millerton, who has been visiting Mrs. Eleanor Lingley, returned to her home last week.

Mrs. John Clark, who has been so seriously ill for the past four or five weeks, is sufficiently improved to leave her home for the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Hayward, for a change.

Mrs. Evelyn Williams left yesterday morning to accept a position as stenographer with the N. B. Telephone Co. at Fredericton.

Mr. William A. Hickson, who is in the hospital in Montreal for treatment, is improving daily.

The members of the Married Ladies' Bridge Club were entertained very delightfully at the home of Mrs. Waldo Crocker, last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Moore and little daughter Emily, of Moncton, who have been visiting Mr. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Leighton, for some time, returned to their home last Wednesday.

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Mrs. Richardson was on Thursday hostess at a ladies' luncheon of 25 covers, at the home of Mrs. Richardson.

Those present were Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Lee Babbitt, Mrs. Allen Grimmer, Mrs. A. J. Gregory, Mrs. H. V. Bridges, Mrs. George Allen, Mrs. Sharpe, Mrs. Hubbard.

Mrs. Lee Babbitt entertained at a bridge party on Thursday evening, when Mrs. Harry Chestnut was the prize winner.

Miss Alice McKim, of St. John, is visiting friends in the city.

The engineering students of the university were last evening hosts at an informal dance held in the college gymnasium. The chaperones were Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. John Stevens, Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. John Stevens.

Miss Mildred Carvell, of Woodstock, came here to attend the Engineers' dance, and is the guest of Mrs. Bertha Harvey.

The Provincial Chapter and the Sir Howard Douglas Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire held a reception at the home of Mrs. H. F. McLeod on Monday evening in honor of Mrs. John Black and presented Mrs. Black with a 5 o'clock set of Crown Derby.

The dancing for Vancouver, where she will be dancing for a few weeks later will proceed to Dawson. Mrs. Black will accompany to the coast by her son, Mr. Douglas Black.

Mrs. Labor and daughter, Miss Talor, left last evening for Boston.

Mrs. A. F. Babbitt and daughter, Miss Talor, have returned from Boston, where they spent the winter.

The Tennis Club will hold a bridge on Friday evening at the residence of Major Moseley.

Miss Jessie Hatheway, of St. John, was here to attend the Engineers' dance, and is visiting her sister, Miss Frederic Hatheway.

Mrs. Rainsford Wetmore has invitations out for a bridge of ten tables for tomorrow evening.

Miss May Harrison will entertain at a bridge tomorrow afternoon in honor of Mrs. Allen Grimmer.

Fredericton, N. B., April 26—(Special.)—Mr. John Richards, proprietor of the York Hotel, has purchased the Harper property in Brunswick street and will occupy it as a residence.

The dredge Tautawanta, lately purchased by the local authorities, arrived today from Swan Creek in tow of the tug Flushing. It will undergo repairs until it is set to work on the river channel.

The saw mills in Marysville have been shut down on account of scarcity of lumber. The high water has caused a report to a report that in future logs cut on the Nashua will be manufactured in St. John, but so far can be learned there is no foundation for it.

Stream draining has begun in the Nashua, and good progress is being made. Small drives in Dunbar and Young's brooks are already out.

Premier Fleming is still here and is having a serious time straightening out the tangle in connection with the bridge. The Standard's denial of the charge that the contractors have added fifteen miles to the length of the road between the bridge and the city is being read with considerable amusement here.

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Mrs. Willard L. Carr is convalescing after an operation for appendicitis.

Rev. F. J. McMurray was in St. John last week, the guest of Bishop Casey.

Mrs. William McVey spent a few days of last week in St. Stephen.

Miss Carrie Boyer returned on Wednesday to Washington.

Mrs. Allan Smith spent Sunday in Millville, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hay.

Mrs. Porter, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. A. Burden, has returned to her home in Providence.

Mr. Frank Peabody, member of the governor's council, and Mr. Robert Peabody of Houlton, were in town on Saturday to attend the funeral of the late Stephen Peabody.

Rev. E. C. Turner was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wilmot on Sunday.

Mrs. Frederick W. McLean was the guest of honor at a small party given by Mrs. William Skilleen on last Wednesday evening, and was the recipient of a beautiful necklace. Mrs. McLean will leave tonight for New York to make her home in St. John.

F. B. Carvell, M. P., was a visitor in Fredericton on Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Torrop and Miss Gladys Torrop left on Thursday evening to make their home at Waltham (Mass.).

Mr. Burpee M. Hay entertained a number of his gentlemen friends on Wednesday evening, his twenty-first birthday.

Mr. Douglas T. Biggs, who has been on a visit to his home in Fredericton, returned to town on Wednesday.

Mrs. Manford Oxley and little daughter Daphne, of Tidnish, are the guests of Mrs. Bessie Hickman, who is able to be out again after her rather serious illness of two weeks.

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The Vicar General of the diocese of Chatham, Rt. Rev. Mgr. Dugal, was a guest at the palace over Sunday, and left on Monday for St. Basil, his bishop accompanying him as far as Bathurst.

Miss Margaret Blake, of Bangor (Me.), is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Maher, Queen street.

Mrs. H. W. Flieger was the hostess at a very enjoyable card party on Friday evening.

Mr. Hayward Logan was in town Tuesday on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Geo. R. Logan.

Yarmouth, N. S., April 26—Mr. John W. Bates and wife, who spent the winter months in Bathurst, N. B., have returned to Yarmouth for the summer.

Miss Katie Austen, of Dartmouth, who has been studying music under Mrs. Henry Chase, returned to her home in Yarmouth.

Mrs. M. Hanks Crosby, who has been visiting her son in New York, arrived here by steamer on Saturday last, and will take up her residence for the summer.

Mr. Rose Allen, of Ohio, arrived by steamer Saturday and will open his house for the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Munroe Cook have arrived from Boston and will take up their residence at the summer home.

Miss Violet Connelley, of Digby, who has been visiting friends here, returned to her home on Monday morning.

Miss Anastasia Carroll, of Charlottetown, is in town visiting her sister, Mrs. Leo Bedford Adams, who has been attending the School of Pharmacy at Halifax, returned to her home in Charlottetown.

Mr. J. S. Henderson, of Amherst, has been visiting his family in St. John, where he has been for nearly two years, has severed his connection with that institution and returned to Amherst on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wrightman, of Providence, are visiting their mother, Mrs. E. L. Wrightman, at Providence.

Mr. Edward F. Parker, who had a leg amputated on Sunday last, is reported to be progressing so well as can be expected under the circumstances. Dr. Murdoch Chisholm, of Halifax, performed the operation.

Chas. S. Pelton, stipendiary magistrate, went to Halifax on Wednesday morning and will be absent for a few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. G. MacDougall entertained at a most enjoyable bridge on Friday evening of last week. Cards were played at ten tables and the prize winners were Mrs. Jack Grant, of New Glasgow, and Mr. Howard. Mrs