

### HARCOURT.

An old time basket social was held in the hall some few ovenings ago under the auspices of the ladies of the Presbyterian church. A goodly sum was realized which goes towards paying for some improvements in the church interior. A very pretty brass railing draped with garnet tapestry has been put around the pulpit platform and other improvements made which add much to the neat appearance of the interior.

A few young people enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Thurber at a progressive ping pong party on Monday evening last.

May day was observed here in the usual festive way, Miss Ruby Dunn being crowned queen; and as is the custom, entertained her loyal subjects in the even-

On Thursday evening Harcourt turned out en masse to say farewell to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. R. DcMichael and Mr. H. J. Humphrey who were leaving for Winnipeg. Messrs. Humphren and McMichae expect positions as operators on the C.

Miss Mattie Livingston left on Saturday for Boston where she joins her brother and sister.

Mr. C. Tupper Morton left on Friday for St. John where he intends taking a course at Currie's business school.

Miss Meeta McMichael is visiting her brother at Mrs. J. W. Morton's.

Mrs. Harry Wathen, jr., who has been in Campbellton for a few days has re-

Mr. A. H. Ingram spent last Sunday at his home here.

Mr. G. H. Perry has disposed of his property to Mr. S. M. Dunn and intends moving to Rogersville where he will open a general store. We are sorry to lose so good a citizen as Mr. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Buckley, of Rogersville spent a few days last week visiting friends here.

## REXTON NOTES.

Mr. A. B. Boyer, principal of Sup. School at Bass River, spent Saturday and Sunday in town the guest of R. G. Girvan.

Arbor Day was observed by the school here on Friday. Several trees were planted and the grounds cleaned up.

Mrs. W. Dickinson returned on Saturday from a visit to friends in Point de Bute.

Mrs. Edward Goldie, who has been visiting friends in this vicinity during the past few weeks, returned to her home in Fairville on Monday last.

## RICHIBUCTO VILLAGE.

The many friends of Rev. J. B. T Martineau, sincerely wish for his recovery from a severe attack of la grippe.

On Sunday we had the visit of Mr. Zacharie Leger, the popular barber of Richibucto, he was accompanied by Mr. short visit.

of Peters' Mills, was married to Miss Eliza | Headache, etc. Brien, daughter of Mr. Fred Brien. After the ceremony the happy couple proceeded towards Buctouche, accompanied by the bridegroom and bridesmaid, John J. Finnigan and AnnaBelle Brien. It is said that they are going to spend their honeymoon in St. John. Many happy wishes.

Herring which seemed to be very plentiful a few weeks ago, are getting scarce.

plentiful, judging by the first catches, are in Bengal, 150 miles northeast of Calsomewhat slacking off this week.

### COCAGNE.

Miss Annie Dysart left for Boston this morning, to take a course in the Newton Hospital.

Miss Maggie Hannigan, of Buctouche, s visiting her sister, Mrs. A. J. Dysart. Miss Eugenie Bourgeois returned from Moncton Saturday.

A great change is taking place in Main St. now. The store formerly occupied by Mr. Ruben Goguen, was taken down, and great preparations are being made for the erection of a large brick building. A tower will be build on the western ex: termity, which will add greatly to the appearance of the building. On completion this building will probably be occupied by the postmaster, telegraph operator, and a number of other officers.

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### SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF RICHIBUCTO.

ENTERED.

May. 5-Barque Sagona, ballast Monte Vedeo, Thompson; barque Ossuna, salt, Liverpool, Andrews.

May 7.-Sch. McClure, coal, New

York, Weston. May 1.-Sch. Joseph McGill, freight

Summerside, McDonald; sch. Ethel Aggie ballast, Charlottetown, Richard.

May 2 .- Hanna Eldrich, ballast, Murray Harbor, Roberts; sch. Maggie Roach, freight, Summerside, Irving; sch. Janett, freight, Charlottetown, Long.

May 5 .- Sch. Willie A., ballast, Charlottetown, Loudy.

CLEARED.

May 1 .- Sch. Neil Dow, lumber, Summerside, Wright,

May 2.-Sch. Janette, lumber, Summerside, Long.

May 5.—Sch. Champion, lumber Sum-

May 5. Sch. Jubilee, lumber, Glace

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THE DELINEATOR FOR JUNE.

The June number of the Delinestor leaves nothing to be desired in its fashions in the timeliness of its household matter, in the interest of its literature, and in the beauty of its illustrations. The publication some time ago of an article on Old Blue China aroused such interest and involved so much correspondence, that a supplementary chapter was planned to give collectors the information desired, and appears, fully illustrated, in this number. Portrait Photography of To-Day is interestingly treated by J. C. Abel, and many representative pictures by the leaders of the new school are given. In the athletic series Edwin Sandys, the expert, discusses swimming-its value as an exercise for women, how to become proficient and fancy swimming, a remarkable series pictures accompanies the article. Marguerite Tracy contributes Five Minutes Grace, a story clever in dialogue and original in plot; and Margaret Whillans Beardsley has written a strong bit of fiction in When Justice Was Appeased. The third paper in Dr. Murray's Series on Child Training deals sympathetically, yet wisely, with the disobedient child and discusses with parents the vexed question of rewards and punishments. The departments present matter of interest for every branch of the household-Summer Furnishings, Cookery, the Garden, etc.; and there are also the ever-entertaining Pasttimes for Children.

## FOUND AT FAST

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> Fire in Amos Tipling's flax mill, in Wingham recently did \$3,000 damage.

## TORNADO IN INDIA:

CALCUTTA, May 1 .- A tornado has devastated the centre of Dacca and adjoining towns. Four hundred and sixteen persons were killed. Crops were ruined Lobsters which promised to be very throughout the districts. Dacca is a city

Hindoo weddings usually come in the bot months, when the families bave lessure to prepare for them, but an astrologer must select an auspicious day for the event. The groom is ready for his preliminary game of diplomacy, which is scarcely more than a "bluff." This is a pretense to visit the sacred Ganges at Benares and wash away his sins in its healing waters. Generally there would not be time before the wedding day to complete such a journey when the groom undertakes it, but the readiness must be shown, and the company sets out. When the bride's father meets them and dissuades the groom from such an undertaking, he is very ready to stop. He is assured, moreover, that his sins have not been so grievous as to need cleansing before his nuptials. If the bride's father is satisfied with his spiritual condition, the young man may need say no more, but he returns and prepares the thali, or gold badge, that all married women must wear suspended from their necks.

### Too Realistic.

During a performance of "Captain Lapalisse" at a Valencia theater some years ago an incident occurred which, for lifelike effect, left nothing to be desired. During the said play some of the actors mingle with the spectators in order to co-operate from the body of the house. No sooner had Miralles, the actor, taken his seat in the stalls than a daring pickpocket robbed him of his gold watch. Miralles seized the man by his coat collar and called out in a deep bass voice:

"Police! Help! Thieves!" The audience, taking this little episode to be part of the performance, roared with laughter. Even the policemen joined in without stirring hand or

"This is no farce!" eried the actor in tones of despair. "The fellow has got

my watch!" The voice sounded so natural that the audience broke into loud applause at "such excellent fooling." Meanwhile the thief managed to break away from his captor and escaped.

### Wellington's Coolness. The Duke of Wellington was one day

sitting at his library table when the door opened and without any announcement in stalked a figure of singularly ill omen.

"Who are you?" asked the duke in his short and dry manner, looking up without the slightest change of countenance upon the intruder.

"I am Apollyon. I am sent here to kill you."

"Kill me? Very odd." "I am Apollyon and must put you to

"'Bliged to do it today?" "I am not told the day or the hour,

but I must do my mission." "Very inconvenient; very busy; great many letters to write. Call again or write me word. I'll be ready for you."

The duke then went on with his correspondence. The maniac, appalled probably by the stern, immovable old gentleman, backed out of the room and in half an hour was in an asylum.

### the shadow of the earth. The phases of the moon are caused by the continually varying inclination at which that half of it that is illuminated by the

An eclipse of the moon is caused by

sun is presented toward the earth. Prussia's Highest Point. The Schnee-Koppe, at an altitude of 1,686 meters, is the highest point in

## Spain and Cervantes.

Prussia.

Recently an American cyclist wheeled through La Mancha, in Spain, and in all that black region found no one who had ever heard of "Don Quixote," much less of Cervantes.

## Sprains.

A remedy for sprains that is highly recommended is made by putting the white of an egg into a plate and beating it with a piece of alum until it looks gelatinous and is stiff. Spread this on lint and lay it on the inju y. changing it as it becomes dry.

Thrifty Berliners. Of every three persons in Berlin one has a savings bank account or, more accurately, ten of every twenty-seven.

## Huge English Bedsteads.

The English four posted bedstead was a huge affair. There is one at one of the inns at Ware, a small market town near Hertford, which is large enough to hold a dozen people, and it is one of the curiosities of England. It is referred to in Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night."

## Currant Bushes. .

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It is announced that there is no truth n the reports that General Delarey with three Boer commandoes, has surrendered to the British. The War office received despatches from Lord Kitchener Thursday, but made no mention of surrenders. As a matter of fact, Delarey arrived at Klerksdorp, Southwestern Transvaal, April 24, and his commands, under General Kemp, were arranging to hold a meeting westward of that place during the present week.

LIKE OTHER EVILS cramps and diarrhœa come suddenly. Promptly give a dose of Perry Davis' Painkiller and the pains will go immediately. A bottle at hand will save hours of suffering-be prepared.

A teacher in the American girl's college in Constantinople falling in love with an Arab sheikh, changed her religion to marry him. The girls initials are I. D.

The patriotic leaders of Finland declare the Government is distorting every report of the disorder in Finland for the purpose of making an excuse to proclaim martial law.

J. Sterling Morton, Secretary of Agriculture in Cleveland's second Administration and author of Arbor Day, is dead at Lake Forest, Ill.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use KUMFORT Headache Powders.

During the recent riots at Helsingfors the Cossacks invaded private houses far from the scene of the disturbances, rode through the porticoes of the great Protestant church, forced a physician to jump from the window of his own home, beat women and children and cripples, and nearly killed a cabman a mile from the scene of the riots.

Mrs. Brotin, who has chased her husband from point to point in Europe and America, 90,000 miles in all, obtained a divor: e in Chicago on Wednesday.

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