

200 PERISHED IN GREAT FLOOD

Storm Caused Reservoir in Natal to Overflow, Causing Many Deaths.

Durban, Natal, June 2.—A great storm which has swept over Pinetown, the centre of the tea and sugar plantation of Natal, caused the reservoir to overflow, causing the death of 200 persons. The storm resulted in numerous casualties elsewhere.

HUNDREDS KILLED AND WOUNDED BY EARTHQUAKE.

Ceja, Montenegro, June 2.—Later details of the earthquake from Scutari, Albania, show that 100 persons were killed and 250 injured, and that the town has been completely devastated. It is feared that the list of casualties will be considerably increased.

SETTLING THE NORTHWEST.

Big Rush of Settlers in May, and the Rush Still on.

An idea of how rapidly the Northwest is being filled up through the energetic and systematic immigration policy of the Dominion government may be found in the homestead returns for the past month, when there was an increase of nearly 1,000 entries over May, 1904.

There were 3,925 homestead entries for the past month against 2,953 for the same month last year or an increase of 972. At Regina there were 1,080, an increase of 208; at Battleford, 566, an increase of 250; Yorkton, 659, an increase of 182; Red Deer, 353, an increase of 218; Edmonton, 329, an increase of 29; Prince Albert, 231, an increase of 64; Lethbridge, 217, a decrease of 10; Calgary, 192, a decrease of 48; Alameda, 160, an increase of 50; Winnipeg, 84, a decrease of 10; Brandon, 12, a decrease of 21; Dauphin, 33, a decrease of 13; Minnedosa, 19, an increase of 7.

CLARK'S DAINTY MORSELS.

A thin slice of Clark's luscious juicy Lunch Tongue between two thin slices of bread well buttered—a delicious sandwich.

BATHURST

Local and Personal

W. J. Kent, left last Thursday for a week of holidays to Winnipeg and likely to the Pacific Coast.

The many friends of Mr. T. D. Adams of New York, are glad to see him back to Bathurst. Mr. Adams, will spend the summer at his cottage here.

The Steamer Tougroun loaded by Messrs. Summer & Co., left our harbor Wednesday.

The Big River drive which has had so much trouble owing to low water is doing well now, and the drivers expect to get to the boom next week.

Mr. Joseph Poirier, M. P., of Grand Anse was in town this week.

Rev. Fr. Collette, of Cape Balde, spent a day in Bathurst last week after visiting Tracadie and Carleton Place.

Arrangements are now being made for a pilgrimage to St. Anne de Beaupre, Quebec, which takes place on July 3rd, leaving Memramcook in the morning and taking passengers all along the road to Restigouche County and the managing committee are making all preparations for first class accommodations for all.

Our base ball players regret very much to have lost one of their star players, Mr. Daniel Connolly who left on Monday morning for Charlottetown where he will work at stone cutting with Mr. Kitchen.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansen, went to Petitcodiac on Saturday where they were called owing to the severe illness of Mrs. Hansen's father Mr. Price. Mr. Hansen returned on Monday leaving Mrs. Hansen at her dying father's bedside.

Mr. Hal Johnston, of the Bank of Montreal, Moncton, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. O. F. Stacy, spent a few days in St. John this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Comeau of Carleton Place spent a few days in town the guests of Mrs. N. A. Laundry.

There is only one thing the matter with your jokes, said the fresh friend.

"Well? queried the joke carpenter.

"Their whiskers need amputating answered the f. f.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Beware of cheap imitations.
Signature of Dr. J. C. Ayer

FIRE AT BUCTOUCHE.

Two Hotels and Several Stores Destroyed Yesterday Morning.

Buctouche, June 6.—Another blaze occurred at Buctouche, in which seven buildings were burned. At 1.30 o'clock this morning fire broke out in the store occupied by John Sayre. His loss will be a heavy one as he carried little or no insurance. Those burned out are: John Sayre, general store; John L. Cormier, Hotel and barn; J. P. Gogan, confectionery store; M. L. D. Cormier, Hotel and barn just completed.

G. S. Richard, general store. Fortunately it was a calm morning, otherwise nearly the whole business part of the town would have been swept away. Mr. Sayre would carry probably \$3,000 or \$4,000 worth of stock. Mr. Richard also had a large stock. The total loss in stock and buildings would be \$20,000 or more.

DAINTINESS.

The Quality That Develops the Greatest Charm in Woman.

If any woman in the world were allowed three wishes she would name chances to one demand beauty, wealth and cleverness. In this order are the good things of life valued by a woman. She would rather have a pretty face than anything else in the world. Next to that she wants the money wherewith to dress up to that pretty face, and, finally, for no reason in particular, she would like a little brains thrown in, just enough to make her clever at repartee and able to say nice things when they are needed and able to understand learned things when they are said.

Yet no amount of money in the world, no beautiful face, no cleverness, can make up for a lack of daintiness. Daintiness is the quality which in a man's eyes distinguishes a woman from the other sex and from all others of her own sex. It is the quality which gives her charm of manner, of voice and of appearance.

The most beautiful face in the world is not attractive to a man if it is surrounded by a mass of frouseled hair and wears a coarse expression. The cleverest speech that ever fell from a woman's lips would not interest a masculine listener or rouse his admiration if it were full of coarse phrases. No gown that was loud in color, bold in cut or untidy about the edges ever charmed a man, no matter if it were worth its weight in gold.

Daintiness is not something to be relegated to our maiden aunts. It is not to be confounded with primness and rosemary. It is the secret of feminine charm. The moment a woman loses her daintiness she loses her identity. She is no longer a woman, and, not being a man, she is a nonentity.—New York Press.

SOILED CARPETS.

How They May Be Cleaned and Their Colors Brightened.

Carpets which have grown dirty, have lost their color and have become dull and old looking can be nicely renovated in the following manner: Cut up into very small pieces about an ounce of soap and make it into a lather with a pint of boiling water; then add another quart of water and an ounce of borax.

Put this mixture on the range and bring it to a boil; then remove it, and when it is quite cool add an ounce of alcohol, one of ammonia and half an ounce of glycerin. Do but a small portion of the carpet at a time, and renovate it by wetting a clean flannel cloth in the above mixture and rubbing in vigorously until the spots are removed and the color brought back. Another way to bring the colors out may be used, and it may be accomplished in the ordinary sweeping if salt or dried tea leaves or a mixture of both be thickly sprinkled on the carpet an hour before the sweeping is begun. Use a good, stiff broom when sweeping, and the whole appearance of the carpet will be marvelously improved.

TOILET TIPS.

Pure almond oil will not hurt the most delicate skin.

Salt water acts as a tonic on the skin. Gently spatted on the face, it will help make the cuticle firm.

When massaging to plump the arms and throat, use cocoa butter. It is better and cheaper than cold cream.

Rose water, eight ounces, and tincture of benzoin, two drams, make one of the best skin tonics and whiteners.

Almond meal cleanses the face and leaves it in a smooth condition. Mix a small quantity with rose water and massage the whole face with this, afterward rinsing off with tepid water.

Hair can be curled constantly on the iron without injury, providing the iron is not too hot. If the hair is well curled immediately after shampooing the curl will remain in longer, the ordinary head of hair retaining it for a week.

MARKING TIME AT THE FRONT

Nothing new from the war Centres. Details of Naval Battle.

Manila, June 3.—Rear Admiral Enquist (who was commander of the heavy cruiser squadron of the Russian fleet), arrived in the bay at nine o'clock this evening on board his flagship, the protected cruiser Aurora, accompanied by the protected cruisers Oleg and Jartichag. All the vessels were more or less damaged and there were many wounded men on board.

Rear Admiral Train, on board his flagship the battleship Ohio, with the Wisconsin, Oregon, Raleigh and Cincinnati, was outside Corregidor Island manoeuvring, when the Aurora saluted with thirteen guns, and the Ohio answered.

Admiral Train and his squadron accompanied the Russian vessels to Manila.

Tokio, June 4, 2 p. m.—Vice Admiral Togo visited Vice Admiral Rojestvensky at the naval hospital at Sasebo Saturday and expressed his sympathy for the Admirals' wounds. He praised the desperately courageous fight of the Russians and expressed his hope that Vice Admiral Rojestvensky would soon be able to return to Russia.

Rojestvensky was deeply moved by the Admirals' words and thanked him. He congratulated Japan on the courage and patriotism of her sailors and said it lessened his regret and the sorrow of defeat to know the high character of the victors.

NORTH SHORE IS PROGRESSING

Campbellton and Dalhousie Show Marked Progress.

If it is true that the progress of a town is shown in the character of its mercantile establishments, no town in Canada of equal population can boast of handsomer stores, or more up to date stocks and bricker trade than the town of Campbellton. For one who has visited Campbellton a quarter of a century ago and sees it now will be convinced what energy and a progressive spirit will do. Some very fine residences are also being erected on pretty grounds.

The new Post office that is being erected on Main Street will be a monument that will beautify the business portion of the town, and the addition of wharves as commodious will make Campbellton's harbor a very convenient one for shipping as well as easy for passenger traffic.

A good second to Campbellton in progress during recent years is the little town of Dalhousie, which notwithstanding that it has not the advantage of being traversed by a thorough line of railway is going ahead.

With the Dalhousie Lumber Co's two large mills, the Chapin mill and the large factory under erection by the Restigouche Woodworking Co., our town can boast of four manufactures of which it can well be proud, especially under a modern system of regular cash payment to the working men.—Events.

BRYENTON.

The people have nearly all finished farming and the fishermen are getting their nets ready for the fishing season. Quite a number of fish, principally shad, have already been caught.

Messrs. Howard, Ernest and Wallace Bryenton took their departure for Campbellton on Tuesday last to work in the employ of Dow Shields & Co.

Miss May Donovan, our popular teacher, paid a visit to her home in Douglastown last week.

Miss Alice Hambrook of Indian town is visiting her sister, Mrs. Howard Mander-ville.

Mrs. Henry Kelly met with a very painful accident a few days ago. She sustained a bad fall and fractured her arm.

Misses Maggie and Lydia Bryenton visited friends in Newcastle this week.

Messrs. Horace Carnahan and Freeman Bryenton have returned home from the lumber drives.

Mr. Alf. Bell's new home is nearing completion. Quite a number of carpenters are engaged in the work.

Miss Ella Bryenton is visiting friends in Chelmsford.

Business for Sale.

A prosperous and well established Boot and Shoe Business for sale. Stock—New, clean and up to date. For further information, Apply to M. H. McMILLAN.

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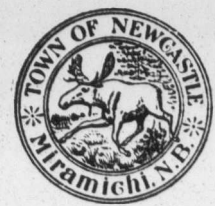
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NOTICE.

TO THE RATEPAYERS OF THE TOWN OF NEWCASTLE.

Take Notice that I have received the Assessment List of the Town of Newcastle for the year 1905 and all persons assessed in the said town shall be entitled to a deduction or discount of five per centum on the amount assessed against them respectively upon payment of their respective rates to me within ten days after which time no discount will be allowed, and all rates must be paid within 30 days from this date.

Dated this 7th day of June A. D. 1905.

R. T. D. AITKEN,
Town Treasurer.

Students Can Enter At Any Time

As we have no summer vacation, do not divide into terms, and the instruction given is mostly individual. We do not find it convenient to give a summer vacation, as many of our students are far from home, and would be seriously inconvenienced by an interruption of their work.

Besides, St. John summer weather so cool that a vacation is not necessary. Catalogues free to any address. S. KERR & SON.

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At once, First Class Carriage Painters or men who have done painting on passenger coaches.

Apply to RHODES, CURRY & CO., Lt., 34-6

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A Zephra bred Stallion, descendant of Alright, is a handsome black of 12.50 lbs., carriage or draught horse. Will travel Barnaby River and Rogersville and on the Southwest to Indian town and Renous River on Northwest to Redbank.

For particulars apply to WM. T. SAUNTRY.

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"THE PHARMACY."

A good tonic is needed to help you through this trying Spring Weather.

Our Compound Syrup of Hypo-phosphites, - - - 75 cents.
Quinine Wine and Iron, - - - 50 "
Beef, Iron and Wine, 50c. and 75 "

A. E. SHAW,
DRUGGIST, NEWCASTLE, N. B.

Are you Coming to Town on Thursday For the Circus.

Buy your Fruit, Confectionery and Cakes at Stables'. At the same time leave a list of your needs in the Grocery line and have us fill your order while you see the Circus.

GEO. STABLES.

Hats! Hats! Hats!

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