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RICH HARVEST FROM WRECKED STR. SILVIA

New Bedford, Mass., April 2.—Postage stamps valued at upwards of \$100,000, forming a consignment in process of shipment from New York to Newfoundland, have been washed ashore at the Island of Cuttyhunk from the wreck of the steamer Silvia. The stamps are of the current Newfoundland issue and were being shipped by the American Banknote Company of New York to the Newfoundland government.

When they washed ashore several days ago, the stamps were contained in a single box which was cast aside by the male wreckers but pounced upon by the women. As a result the little island has become a veritable philatelist's paradise. Many sheets of the stamps have been given away and some are said to have been sold. They are in two and five cent denominations and one woman is said to have possession of all the five cent stamps, alone valued at \$80,000. The stamps, when taken from the box in which they were found bore the seal of the American Banknote Company. They were not listed on the ship's manifest, the insurance adjusters here state, but were shipped as cash in charge of the purser of the steamer.

BUILDING OPERATIONS SHOW LARGE DECREASE

Montreal's Building Permits Had Big Falling off During March

(Montreal Star.) According to the official report of the Building Inspector issued today at the City Hall, there has been a decided decrease in the value of building permits issued during March. The decrease as compared with the permits issued in March of last year is nearly half a million—the exact figures being \$455,838.

STEEL COMPANY REDUCES STAFF

Dominion Iron and Steel Co. Continues its Policy of Retrenchment

Sydney, N. S., April 3.—(Special.)—The retrenchment policy inaugurated about three months ago by Mr. Mitchell of Montreal, superintendent of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company, still continues to be enforced whenever possible.

BOY SUFFOCATED IN "ROBBER CAVE"

New York, April 3.—While his mother lay in a swoon upon the sidewalk with a group of persons trying to revive her, a group of boys were in a large mound of earth under a chimney trying to dig out the body of a boy, Jerry Curran, thirteen years old, who had been suffocated in a "robber cave" at the corner of Reservoir and Howard avenues, Long Island City, yesterday.

BIG FIRE IN DISTILLERY Looks as if Whole Big Plant at Peoria Would be Destroyed

Peoria, Ill., April 3.—Fire which started at the mill of Corning & Company's distillery early this morning, was still raging at 9 o'clock this morning and indications were that the entire plant including two immense bonded warehouses, elevator, cattle yards and store houses, would be entirely wiped out. The damage so far is placed at between \$750,000 and \$1,000,000.

THE CIVIC SHATE AS NORTH END HEARS IT

How the Candidates May Line Up in the North End Wards

From enquiries made in the north end today the following can be given as practically a certainty as the slate for that section of the city in the coming civic contest.

A NOVEL GAME.

Northampton, Mass., April 2.—The big event every March for boys and girls in the village of Florence is a scramble for marbles and pennies.

A MONARCH'S GIFT.

Paris, April 2nd.—Mme Yvonne Bertrand, who made her stage debut at the Palais Royal, has a beautiful pet dog which she is not only very fond of but which she proudly regards as visible, tangible proof of her dramatic talent.

GIRL THE STAKE IN POKER GAME

Columbia Planters Try in this Way to Settle Love Affair But Tragedy Ends It

Columbia, Miss., April 2.—With the affections of a beautiful brunette as the stake in a poker game, two men played five hands before daylight this morning and one of them was shot and killed by the girl after he had won.

BOY MURDERED HIS PLAYMATE Sixteen Year Old Lad on Trial for Killing Nine Year Old Girl

Camden, N. J., April 2.—Joseph Wood, sixteen year old, was put on trial for his life today, charged with the murder of his nine-year-old playmate, Ethel Marx. The boy seemed oblivious to his serious position, and, according to alienists who have studied him, he lacks moral sense.

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MINIATURE ALMANAC. Sun Rise Sets High Low April 3 Friday 6:06 6:48 0:38 7:33 4 Saturday 6:04 6:30 1:41 8:18 The time used is Atlantic Standard.

VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN. Steamers.

Montreal, ad London, March 14. Hestia, ad Glasgow, March 17. St. John City, ad London, March 24. Lake Manitoba, ad Liverpool, March 25. Virginian, ad Liverpool, March 27. Kanawha, ad London, March 31.

ARRIVED TODAY. Schr M. D. S., 190, Graham, from Dorchester for Yarmouth, N. S., coal, (in for cable cable).

CLEARED TODAY. Stmr Corsican, 7288, Outram, for Liverpool, ad London, Wm. Thomson & Co., raise and send.

CLEARED YESTERDAY. Schr Calabria, 481, McLean, for City Island for orders, Alex Watson, lthas.

SAILED TODAY. Stmr Empress of Ireland, 8028, Forster, for Liverpool, via Halifax, C. P. R. Co., pass and mde.

DOMINION PORTS. Annapolis, N. S., March 28.—In port, Schr Neva (Br.), from Bear river, to finish loading for West Indies.

BRITISH PORTS. Greenock, March 31.—Sld str Lady Sybil (Br.), Halifax.

MARINE NEWS. Signal Station Master Morton received this morning from Brier Island stating that a steamer passed inward at 9 o'clock. It is probably the Hestia from Glasgow or Montreal from London.

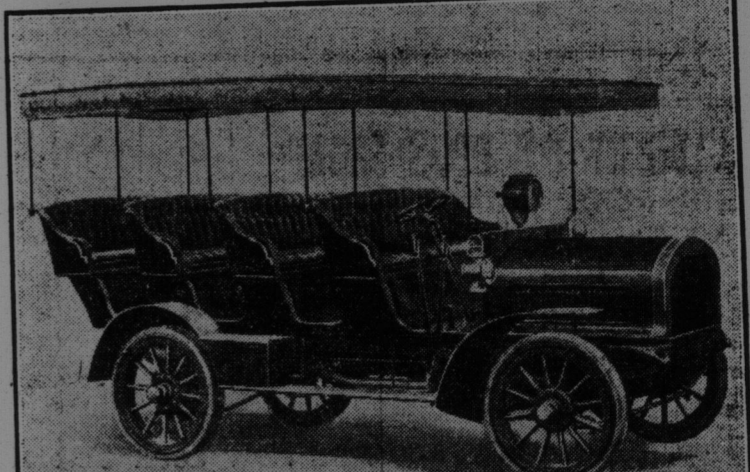
REPORTS AND DISASTERS. London, March 31.—St. Thomas cables that the St. John, N. B., has put in leaky.

RECENT CHARTERS. British schr Mireola, 270 tons, from Philadelphia to St. John, N. B., coal, \$1.23.

CHINESE STEAMERS. The Japanese flag is familiar at this port. Japanese steamship lines have secured a large share of the trans-Pacific carrying trade.

DEATHS. McNAMARA—Suddenly on the 2nd inst. at Lakewood, Daniel McNamara, leaving two sons and two daughters.

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HOLDS THE KEY TO HUSBAND'S LIPS. Lynn, Mass., April 2.—That Edward Ward Vanderbill, husband of Mrs. May Scamnell Pepper-Vanderbill, the famous medium and psychic, can speak only when his wife lets him

Masonic Funeral Notice. The members of Hibernia Lodge are requested to meet at Masonic Temple, Germain street, at 215 o'clock, Friday, April 3, 1908, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Bro. Joseph Marsh.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS. By Major Hart, Commanding 62nd St. John Fusiliers. Saint John, N. B., March 31st, 1908.

LYONS THE ADVERTISER. Box 203 - St. John, N. B. late advertising manager Fraser, Fraser & Co.

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