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GREAT VICTORY FOR JAPANESE. Russians Disastrously Defeated on the Yalu. After Two Days Heavy Fighting Japs Force a Passage—Russians Refuse Mediation. SHANGHAI, April 23.—It is reported here that the Russians have suffered a disastrous repulse after two days' fighting on the Yalu river, the Japanese forces crossed the river and the Russians retreated. NO INTERFERENCE WANTED. ST. PETERSBURG, April 23.—In the most categorical terms Russia has officially notified the world that she will not accept mediation to terminate the war with Japan. The official notification, which accords with the authoritative announcement made by the Associated Press April 22, is contained in a circular issued by the ministry of foreign affairs to the Russian representatives with foreign powers, which is gazetted in the Official Messenger this morning. The circular denies the report that formal proposals have been made to the imperial government by any foreign power to use its good offices to restore peace, a denial which does not refer to the personal intimation addressed directly to the Emperor by King Edward and King Christian of Denmark, an account of which was given by the Associated Press. The text of the circular is as follows: "The foreign press has recently been persistently circulating rumors concerning intentions on the part of some of the European governments to undertake a friendly intervention in view of a speedy termination of the conflict between Russia and Japan. Telegrams have been received announcing that proposals of such a nature have already been made to the imperial government. You are empowered to deny this kind of report categorically. Russia did not wish war, and everything within the limits of possibility was done by her to avert it. The complications which had arisen in the Far East in a peaceful manner, but after the treacherous rupture, the part of the Japanese who forced Russia to take up arms obviously no friendly mediation can have any success. "Similarly the imperial government will not admit the intervention of any power whatever in the direct negotiations which will occur between Russia and Japan after the termination of hostilities in order to determine the conditions of peace."

ONLY A DESPATCH BOAT. NAGASAKI, April 23.—The Japanese steamer Kinshu-Maru, which was sunk by the Russians near Genoa, resulting in the drowning of 200 Japanese troops, who had refused to surrender, was attached to the fleet as a despatch boat. CROCUS SPRING UP AGAIN. ST. PETERSBURG, April 23.—Victory Alexief telegraphs under today's date that Japanese ships were sighted six miles off Port Arthur last night and that this morning ten Japanese cruisers and six torpedo boats were seen in an adjacent bay. CHINESE GOVT. RESTLESS. PEKING, April 23.—It is asserted on the best authority that the Russians are about to enforce martial law west of the Liao river. The government is worried and the Dowager Empress has ordered the provincial governors to abandon her birthday celebration and to use the money collected for that purpose to equip twenty thousand troops immediately. FRANCE FEARS NO COMPLICATIONS. BRUSSELS, April 23.—At a reception tendered him by the municipality, M. Pelletan, French minister of marine, in a brief speech, declared that France no longer dreamed of conquests and that her resources were hereafter to be employed to fortify her present possessions. He did not believe, he said, that the country would be involved in war and he feared no complications in the Far East. HEROES ROYALLY WELCOMED. ST. PETERSBURG, April 23.—The oldest inhabitant of St. Petersburg does not remember such an outbreak of popular enthusiasm as was witnessed this morning on the arrival here of the survivors of the Variaz and Korietz. Every regiment was represented, as if the emperor wished all his fighting men to see how the brave are honored. The crews of the Variaz and Korietz were quickly mustered on the platform, each man wearing the St. George's Cross. The formalities over, the high admiral, moved with emotion embraced Capt. Roundell and other officers. It is now the turn of the decoration of the nobility and municipality to present addresses of welcome and the traditional bread and salt. Then began the triumphal march down by Nevsky of the officers and men of the Variaz and Korietz. Marched in two columns and headed by two bands of music. The people went fairly wild over the heroes and showed them their flowers and a mighty roar of cheering from roofs, windows, balconies and lamp posts and the surging mass below. PAT'S REVENGE. (Railway Journal.) One of the favorite stories of the late Charles F. Clark, president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, concerned an Irishman employed at the New Haven station. For some reason Pat was discharged. The day after losing his job he appeared at the ticket window. Smiling broadly, he laid down \$3 and ordered two tickets to New York. On his way out to board the train he said to the special officer: "Tigre, now! I got the best of the Consolidated Road for once. I bought two tickets to New York, and I ain't gon'to use but one of 'em."

MURDER AND SUICIDE ON THE BOSTON EXPRESS. Osgood Killed His Wife and Himself in Sight of Horrified Passengers—Eyewitnesses' Stories

MURDER AND SUICIDE ON THE BOSTON EXPRESS. On Train Coming to St. John, W. E. Osgood Killed His Wife and Himself in Sight of Horrified Passengers—Eyewitnesses' Stories AUGUSTA, Me., April 23.—Mrs. W. E. Osgood, of Hiram, was shot by her husband on board the express train bound from Boston to St. John, N. B., last night, and died in a hospital early today. Osgood also shot himself and is dead. The tragedy was due to domestic difficulties. They were returning from Boston, where Osgood had gone after his wife, who had left her home. When the train stopped at a station the other passengers heard Osgood and his wife quarrelling. A few minutes later Osgood stood up and when his wife requested him to leave she drew a rapier from under her coat and a stream of blood was pouring down her face. As she staggered he caught her in his arms and, as her motion became fainter and her form more limp, he looked up. There stood her husband with the still smoking revolver in his hand, and a wild look in his eyes. His gaze was concentrated on the face of the dying woman, as the moans became gradually weaker, and the muscular contractions less pronounced. He slowly raised his left hand to his head as if in agony, then without a word warning the right hand flew up and with the report of the revolver he fell to the floor. Mr. McNeil says that when he first jumped up it was with the intention of grappling with Osgood, but that seeing the woman tottering about he grabbed her. Then realizing what had happened he held on to the woman and endeavored to revive her. It is said that the woman was Osgood's second wife, and that there has been considerable talk in the past about a man about 30 years of age, and the woman about twice to fifteen years younger. THE PORTER'S STORY. The porter of the Pullman car, who though he did not see the shooting, was one of the first to witness the act in which it took place, gave the following account: "Hurry up the car he found the passengers in a state of consternation. On one seat was the woman in a prostrate position, bleeding freely from a wound in the head. On the next opposite was the man with blood flowing copiously from two grievous wounds in his head. The sight once they were told of the soldier. The passengers were practically helpless from fear. A despatch was immediately sent to Augusta to have an ambulance ready to receive the bodies on the arrival of the train, and efforts were made to pacify the frightened passengers. The porter says that W. E. Osgood belongs to Hiram, Me., where he is engaged in an extensive lumber business. He is a man about thirty years of age and well known.

GEO. GEE WILL HANG JULY 22nd. The Sentence Pronounced by Chief Justice This Morning Prisoner Had Tears in His Eyes, But Received His Sentence With Coolness. WOODSTOCK, April 23.—The murder trial of George Gee was finished yesterday afternoon. Chief Justice Tuck charged the jury strongly against the prisoner, as the evidence showed a cool, deliberate taking of human life. It took the jury only forty-five minutes to bring in a verdict of guilty. Gee heard the verdict with apparent indifference and smiled as he rolled a quid of tobacco from one side of his mouth to the other. Later, in the jail, the prisoner had an interview with his parents and with Bessie Gee, with whom Millie was living at the time of the murder. George began addressing Bessie Gee: "I am to be hanged for the murder of Millie Gee. I did not murder Millie Gee, although I had the rifle in my hands. You, Bessie, was the cause of the murder. When I went to your house and found Millie there it drove me crazy. I would have murdered you, too, I was wild. "I am going to die and could not die with any hardness in my heart against anyone so I sent for you but you are the murderer, not me. Now, after seeing you, I will die for the murder I am charged with and I have no hard feelings now for you or any one." After this dramatic speech, Gee's nerve completely collapsed and he sobbed like a child. Bessie Gee actually rolled on the floor and cried hysterically, while Mr. and Mrs. Gee, the prisoner's parents, cried softly. Bessie Gee casually remarked afterwards on the street that he was sorry for poor George. A large crowd assembled at the court house this morning to hear the sentence passed by His Honor Chief Justice Tuck. George Gee was brought into the court room at 11 o'clock sharp by Deputy Sheriff Foster and Chief of Police Kelly. The prisoner stood up. The judge, in sentencing him, said: "George Gee, you are convicted of having murdered Millie Gee. You were fully tried and defended. The jury found you guilty, as they could do nothing else. The principal plea was insanity and I said to the jury that to excuse you it must be proved that you were insane at the time. This was not shown. The prisoner says you said you were fond of, yet you murdered her through jealousy." The prisoner stood perfectly calm with downcast eyes, apparently not trying to hear the judge. "I remarked to the grand jury that your community wants missionary work done," continued the chief justice. "I hope your fate, terrible as it is, will do good to the community. Forgive your enemies and try and get a complete change of heart. I sentence you to be hanged by the neck on Friday, July 22nd next, until dead, and may God have mercy on your soul." The prisoner had tears in his eyes and shook hands with friends before he was removed from the court room. CROWDS SAW THEM DROWN. (Special to the Star.) KINGSTON, Ont., April 23.—While fishing near Rockport, opposite Alexandria Bay, early last evening Black Mallory and Frank Swan of Alexandria Bay were drowned. Their boat capsized in a heavy sea, and though people on shore saw the accident they could not do anything in time to save the young men. The body of Frank Swan was recovered. Don't take things as they come if they belong to other people. In seeking their level tops of men are compelled to slide down hill.

THE WEATHER. Forecast—Fresh easterly and southeasterly, light, and showery today and on Saturday. REAL STRENUOUS. (Chicago News.) He—I understand Sotfielgh has been assigned a very difficult role in your amateur theatricals. She—Yes, poor fellow! They gave him a thinking part.

Roelof's Hats. There is no better value than the above make. They rank next to the Celebrated Stetson Make, and the price is only \$3.00.

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STORY OF AN EYE WITNESS. Walter McNeil, of the firm of W. P. McNeil & Co., bridge and structural iron workers, of New Glasgow, was, perhaps, the only eye witness of the shooting. McNeil was on his way from Hiram to New Glasgow with his wife. He says the couple boarded the train at different points and their conduct was such as attracted his attention. During the evening he noticed that they did not get along very well, and in fact their general deportment was such that he could not keep his eyes off them. Even after his wife fell asleep he kept watching them, although at times he dozed. Suddenly he heard a loud exclamation, looked up and at that instant there was a flash, an almost deafening report, a scream that he will not forget to the end of his days. Then a woman staggered into the aisle and drew a rapier from under her coat and a stream of blood was pouring down her face. As she staggered he caught her in his arms and, as her motion became fainter and her form more limp, he looked up. There stood her husband with the still smoking revolver in his hand, and a wild look in his eyes. His gaze was concentrated on the face of the dying woman, as the moans became gradually weaker, and the muscular contractions less pronounced. He slowly raised his left hand to his head as if in agony, then without a word warning the right hand flew up and with the report of the revolver he fell to the floor. Mr. McNeil says that when he first jumped up it was with the intention of grappling with Osgood, but that seeing the woman tottering about he grabbed her. Then realizing what had happened he held on to the woman and endeavored to revive her. It is said that the woman was Osgood's second wife, and that there has been considerable talk in the past about a man about 30 years of age, and the woman about twice to fifteen years younger.

JOGGINS MINERS STRIKE. Got No Pay for Five Weeks—Mine is in Serious Danger—200 Men Out. (Special to the Star.) MONCTON, N. B., April 23.—Great excitement prevails in the Joggins Mines as a result of the men quitting work yesterday at noon on account of five weeks' back wages not being forthcoming. Pumps were stopped and all fires drawn and it is said that the horses are still in the mine. The manager has requested the owners to have the mine closed, but it is said he refused. The train from the mine has also stopped, and on account of threats from the miners. It is feared that serious damage will be done to the mine if the difficulty is not at once arranged. About three hundred men are employed, 200 tons of coal are raised daily, and from four to five thousand dollars in wages paid each fortnight.

END OF AN INTERVIEW. (Music and Drama.) "Speaking" of "call down," said Charles Hawtrey a few nights ago, I think the hardest that ever an actor got accused to a man who once called to see Lewis Waller. The actor is well known, but for obvious reasons it's just as well not to mention his name. He had written to Waller, asking for an appointment to talk over a part which he hoped to play in a coming production. "And now," remarked Waller, after the preliminaries had been discussed, "what salary will you one-part to?" "Well, I couldn't think of playing for less than \$250 a week," was the answer. "Waller suddenly became engaged in a manuscript on his desk. "Please close the door as you go out, Mr. Blank," was all he said."

DOVE-TAILED WINTERS. (From the Brooklyn Eagle.) "I can't quite make out," said Dusen, as he caught a stray sparrow in his gloved palm on the other morning, "whether this is the end of last winter's brood of nest. It reminds me of old Cap. Tidd's race horse." "And what about him?" I asked. "Why he used to come so far behind that we couldn't tell whether he was losing the race or winning the second."

NO PLACE FOR THE PEANUT. Cotton is Slowly, But Steadily, Crowding it Out in the South. We are told that the great doctrine of the solidarity of mankind is being enforced as never before by the discoveries of modern science. Medicine, economics, biology, physics, in their latest developments, teach us with hitherto unapproached force that all men and all things are so bound together that what affects one affects all. It is an impressive truth. Consider the case of man, the cotton crop and the peanut. Within the last few years the consumption of the peanut has vastly increased. The interesting feature has been the way in which justice and contempt to a place of unparalleled popularity in popular esteem and value—namely, cotton. Last year we broke the wrinkled shells of 5,000,000 bushels of pinders and ate some billions of arachnis "nuts." It essentially the choice of a plebeian taste, if the rich and fastidious prefer a daintier delicacy, the peanut is without rival in the favor of the multitude. But now observe. The plant arachis hypogaea demands an early spring, a hot and moist summer and a sunny, friable loam. But these are conditions required by another plant of great usefulness and value—namely, cotton. With this staple at a normal value, Virginia, North Carolina, Georgia and Tennessee have found it advantageous to devote a part of their acreage to the edible at the expense of the sartorial crop. But lately cotton has been going up, and the south is naturally planting it, to the neglect of other crops, unhappily almost to the exclusion of the peanut. Thus we see that such an unimportant fact as the value per bale of cotton vitally affects human happiness in a remote particular.—Philadelphia Ledger.

MORE TENNIS COURTS. The St. John Tennis Club met last night and decided to build four new courts near the old Davenport school, on land purchased from the Gilbert estate. The courts will be of clay and will be made as perfect as possible. The membership of the club has been increased from 70 to 100, and there promises to be a great revival of interest in this splendid old sport, which demands of those who would play it properly more agility and skill of hand and eye than almost any other game.

28 lbs. Bright Brown Sugar for \$1.00. 25 lbs. Best Granulated Sugar for \$1.00. Only \$1.00 worth sold to each customer. A lb. of regular 40c. Tea for 25c. A pound of good Coffee for 25c.

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WAITING AN ANSWER. One of those renegade Canadians whom we see around here every summer in holiday time with impressive Yankee draws and portentous pink shirtwaists has been writing, in a New York paper deploring the backwardness of the Dominion and inviting his former compatriots to come with him under the folds of the starry banner that waves, etc.

SENATOR WARK'S DAY. Yesterday's tribute to Senator Wark by the senate and house of commons was an incident without parallel in parliamentary history.

ALDERMAN MILLIDGE'S SUGGESTIONS regarding the city's water supply are comprehensive and appear reasonable and coming as they do from one who has made careful study of water and sewerage conditions during the past ten years they are worthy of careful consideration.

SPRINGTIME'S HIDE-AND-SEEK. You just can't come that foolin', Miss Springtime, over me!

RECENT DEATHS. CHAS. H. DEARBORN. The death is announced of Charles H. Dearborn, of the firm of Dearborn & Co. of this city.

THE MONCTON CITY COUNCIL has decided to act on the suggestion of the insurance underwriters and purchase a chemical engine.

THE MARRIAGE TOOK PLACE in St. Bartholomew's church, Melrose, N. S., on Monday, the 11th inst., of Miss Christina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Noonan, to Bradley Joyce.

THE RAPID TRANSIT ROUTE. "There's no rapid transit on the road to success," he announced.

DEATHS. CHRISTIE—On April 28th, Alexander Christie, 12 the 7th year of his age.

WANTED—A case of Headaches that KUMFORT Powders will not cure is from ten to twenty minutes.

LOCAL NEWS. The Moncton city council has decided to act on the suggestion of the insurance underwriters and purchase a chemical engine.

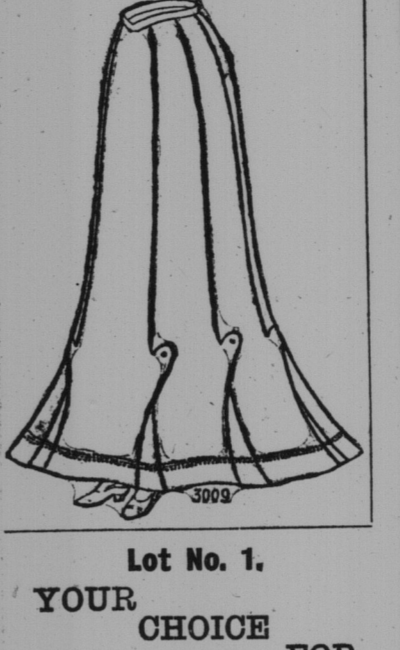
THE COST OF CONSUMPTION. "One in three of all the deaths between the ages of twenty-five and thirty-four years is due to consumption."

HEAVY IMMIGRATION TO CANADA. GREAT FALLS, April 19.—Twenty-five persons bound for Canada, who were furnished with letters to the officials of the Canadian government by B. Davies, the local agent, left by way of the Montreal and Great Northern today.

PROVINCIAL WEDDINGS. The marriage took place in St. Bartholomew's church, Melrose, N. S., on Monday, the 11th inst., of Miss Christina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Noonan, to Bradley Joyce.

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Our Stores Are Crowded During This Closing-Out Sale. LOW PRICES AND BIG BARGAINS FOR ALL.

FREDERICTON NEWS. FREDERICTON, April 28.—Nashua Lake, I. O. F., Marysville, celebrated the 8th anniversary of the founding of the order at their entertainment, participated in by the members.

OLD FASHIONED CURES. (Boston Transcript.) Home remedies for human ills seem to be in favor just now.

A VISIBLE OBJECT. A testy old gentleman forced to lay over an hour in Dul Tova was cursing his fate, when a mild-mannered citizen strolled into the station and engaged conversation.

That's The Store. F. R. PATTERSON & CO. THE DAYLIGHT STORE.

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A SHIRT WAIST SALE. Pretty White Lawn Waists, 69c. each. Another Belt Sale, 9c. each.

A CRUEL THRUST. (Goderich Signal.) We are in a position to say that the Hamilton Spectator's aversion to the teaching of Latin in the schools is not due to its dislike for things Roman, as might be expected.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS. Only a Few of This Society Remain in the City. Quite a Number Have Taken up Farms Along the River and are now Living There.

KNOW WHEN THEY ARE WELL OFF. Longshoremen in Montreal Will Not go on Strike.

THE BRIDES OF KOREA. SILENT YOUNG WOMEN. Once Married Their Duty is to Work and Not to Talk.

SENTENCE SERMONS. Talent never wear out.

MONTREAL'S TROUBLES. Amendment to City Charter Being Badly Used by Legislature.

WHEN MINISTERS DIFFER. Rev. E. M. Saunders and Rev. H. F. Waring Have The Floor. They are in a Controversy Which Arose out of the Latter's Convention Sermon.

THE columns of the Messenger and Visitor indicate strained theological relations between two divines of the Baptist church in Halifax.

NOTES FROM EVERYWHERE. Air famine is the common cause of pneumonia.

TROUBLE FOR HUM KI. Hum Ki is a celestial who conducts a laundry business at the corner of Ludlow and Galloway streets.

SENATOR WARK HONORED. Senate Pays a Tribute to Him as an Upholder of the Strenuous Life.

OTTAWA, April 28. — There was a historic scene in the senate chamber this afternoon when a portrait of Senator Wark was unveiled and the patriarch of the upper house was then presented with an address.

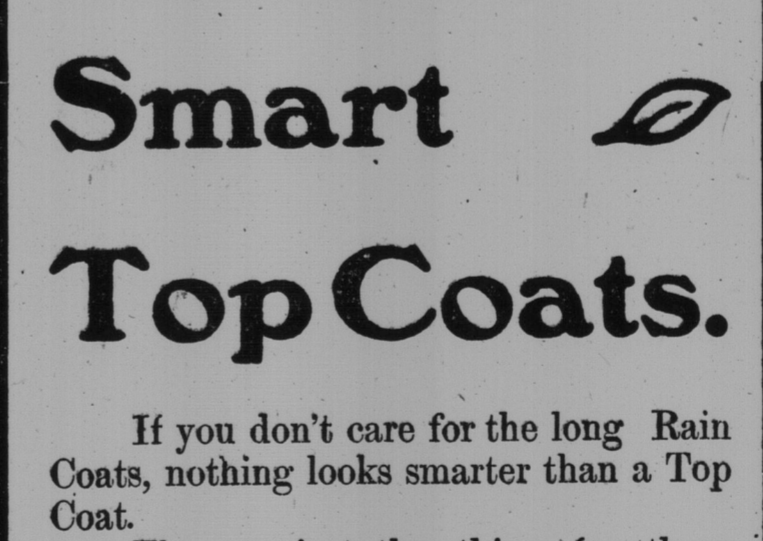
EMMERSON ROASTED. Opposition Speakers Score Minister of Railway for His Failure to Speak on the G. T. P. Bill.

OTTAWA, April 28. — The house transacted routine business till 2.30, and then went into committee on the G. T. P. bill, which was under discussion at six o'clock.

THE SENATE. The senate today extended the time for receiving private bills till June 1st.

TEETH FOR THE WORLD. It is estimated that over thirty million artificial teeth are manufactured yearly in the United States.

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MONTREAL'S TROUBLES. Amendment to City Charter Being Badly Used by Legislature.

MONTREAL, April 28.—The bill of the city of Montreal amending the charter is having a hard time before the legislature.

MUTUAL COMPANIES. TORONTO, April 28.—Following the lead of the latter companies, mutual companies have increased rates here fifty per cent.

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FANCY VESTS. A new assortment came in last Saturday, silk and wool, and silk and linen effects, very handsome, \$3 to \$4.50.

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AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION. The regular monthly meeting of the St. John City and County Agricultural Society was held yesterday afternoon.

ALMOST AFRAID TO GO TO SLEEP FOR SHE WOULD NOT WAKE UP.

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS. She has been restored to perfect health.

FLUTTERING OF THE HEART. SHORTNESS OF BREATH. FAINT AND DIZZY SPELLS.

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Sporting News.

BASEBALL. American League. DETROIT, Mich., April 28.—Innings: R.H.E. Detroit0 4 3 0 0 1 1 2 3 3 Chicago0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 2 3

THE RING. ST. LOUIS, April 28.—The police stopped the fight between Jack O'Brien of Philadelphia and Kid Carter of Brooklyn in the third round of a scheduled 10-round bout.

BOSTON, April 28.—A number of world-famous pugilists appeared at the Boston Theatre today in a benefit performance for John Bullman, first prize heavyweight champion of the world.

HALIFAX NEWS. HALIFAX, April 28.—At the Board of Trade meeting today one of the proposed advances of nearly 75 per cent had already been ordered and that it was too late to do anything.

GORDON DIVISION. A concert was given last night by members of Gordon Division at their hall in the Market building.

FLLOUR RATES REDUCED. The wholesale flour merchants of St. John are well pleased over an announcement made by the railroads.

FRATERNAL VISIT. The officers of the St. John County Lodge No. 100, F. & A. M., visited Gideon Lodge last night.

TWO FIRES. Two fire alarms were rung in yesterday afternoon, but in neither case was any damage done.

A GOOD INVESTMENT FOR 1.00. As spring is coming, now is the time to clean up your system.

WANTED. WANTED—A girl for general housework. One that can get home at night.

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LIBRARY AND TERCENTENARY

\$2,600 and \$2,000 Voted by the Expiring Treasury Board for These Objects.

At the regular meeting of the treasury board held yesterday afternoon several important matters were dealt with.

A delegation composed of Richard O'Brien, W. M. A. Smith, Mrs. J. A. Christie, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. J. A. Robertson and Mrs. Tuck, appeared before the board.

Rev. W. O. Raymond and D. R. Jack Sledge, L. O. G. O., were invited to the celebration committee to ask that a grant be made for this celebration.

Ald. Maxwell was not in favor of the proposal that two thousand dollars be paid as a general grant to the tercentenary.

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SCH. VIOLA TOWED BACK. The Lillo, Capt. Haslett, arrived here yesterday afternoon from Swan Island with the sch. Viola, Capt. Cole.

AT ST. MARY'S. The Young People's Association of St. Mary's church gave a very successful concert last night.

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Extension Tables, \$5.35, 6.50, 7.00 up. Parlor Suites, in 3, 4 and 5 pieces. Prices from \$74.00.

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE. WANTED—A girl for general housework. One that can get home at night.

HELP WANTED—MALE. WANTED—A machinist. Apply to the OUBURN SUPPLY CO., Fairville.

HOUSES TO LET. TO LET—May 1st, self-contained house, 4 rooms, occupied by present tenant.

TO LET. TO LET—Office in Prince's Wharf, street, over E. P. Pines & Co. office building.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—One salmon boat, 22 feet long, 7 foot beam.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—A bargain, only four months in use, Frisco Royal Range and hot water heating.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—One second hand American Hack. Also a horse; will do for farm purposes.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—One second hand express wagon, almost new, for sale at a bargain.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—Large burglar proof safe, of most reliable make, fitted with an incombustible combination French lock.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—A well equipped printing plant, just the thing for a country newspaper. Apply "B." Star office.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—A new cedar row boat for family use. About 15 ft. long. Apply A. M. T. Daily Star Office, St. John.

SITUATION WANTED. BY a young man having had some experience at office work. Address B. L. care STAR OFFICE.

LOST. LOST—On April 29th, two parcels from a customer, either on Ulnes or Main streets. Finder will confer a favor by leaving same at either the Central or North End police station.

MISCELLANEOUS. SHINE AND POLISH. GENTS—Satisfaction guaranteed, 4 Dock street.

OFFICE REMOVED. 109 Charlotte street. This is to notify all persons having goods under lease held by me to call at my address without delay and arrange for better payments or return goods without delay. C. S. GOGGIN.

SEWING MACHINES. \$20.00 SAVED in the purchase of a sewing machine here. New Drop Head Machine from \$25.00 up. No agents. P. F. BELL, 79 Germain street.

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