Large Amount of Mail for Here Damaged in Blaze in Quebec

A mail car was damaged last evening at St. John's, P. Q., while en route here from Montreal. It arrived this afternoon with Esmonde P. Barry and Arthur Melick in charge. The car Arthur Melick in charge. The car was badly gutted in the mail section, but the other half of the car used for baggage, was not damaged, as a partition separated them. Several of the car windows were broken and the roof slightly burned outside, but on the inside almost the entire half of the car was charred. It will take about \$500 to repair the car was the estimate made this afternoon by J. M. Woodman, superintendent C. P. R. New Brunswick District.

wick District.

Out of 150 bags of parcel post and newspaper matter at least 75 were damaged either by fire or water. A few bags of letters and some registered mail were almost completely destroyed. The mail for Fredericton Junction and McAdam was delivered en route by the clerks as it was found to be in fairly good condition.

Mr. Barry said that they were at St. John's when suddenly they noticed the flames behind them. He was at a loss to account for the origin of the blaze.

The damaged mail will be sorted at the local post office.

### Local News

Four drunks appeared in the police rt this morning and were fined \$8 two months in jail.

FOUND A KEY. A key was found by Policeman Union and Coburg streets.

TO LEAVE ON FRIDAY. A. K. Harvie, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, expects to leave on Friday for Winnipeg where he will take over his new duties as inspector of the Manitoba branches.

HAD DEPARTED.

Last night about 10.20 o'clock Police Sergeant Scott and Policeman Dunphy went to a house in St. Patrick street, in response to a call that a man was creating a disturbance there. The man had disappeared when the police ar-FIRE AT RIVERSIDE.

A house at Riverside, belonging to R. S. Ritchie and tenanted by A. Boswell, was burned down last evening despite strenuous efforts on the part of volunteers to save it. Mr. Boswell managed to save the most of his furniture.

DIED TODAY. The death of Frances A., youngest daughter of Mrs. Mary and the late William DeCourcy, occurred at the family home, 32 Paddock street, this morning. Besides her mother she is survived by two sisters, Elizabeth and Theresa, of this city, and six brothers, Edward, John, Fred, Berns ard and William, in the United States, and George, of Sydney, N. S.

J. BURPEE JONES DEAD. The death of J. Burpee Jones occurred suddenly last evening at his home, 5 Frederick street. He had been engaged in the express business in St. John for many years and was well known and highly respected. He is survived by his wife, one son, Harold, one daughter, Beatrice, all at home; three brothers, Henry, of St. John; Charles, of Boston and Melbourne, of California, and one sister, Mrs. John Foster, of Shannon, Queens county. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon.

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Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

BIRTHS

COCHRANE—To Mr. and Mrs. C. H. cochrane, 2 Lawrence street, Lancaster, eb. 24, 1925, a son (John David.)

DEATHS

in, one daughter, three brothers and the sister to mourn.

Funeral on Friday from his late resince. Service at 2.30 o'clock.

McBEATH—On Feb. 24, 1925, Mary oretta (Blossom), Infant child of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. McBBeath.

Burlal took place today.

HOYT—At 52 Prospect street, Fair-lile, on Monday, Feb. 23, 1925, Mary in Monday, Feb. 23, 1925, Mary in Hoyt, widow of J. Adolphus Hoyt and daughter of the late John and Mary Coigley.

Thursday morning at 8.45 residence to St. Peter's lemn requiem high mass invited.

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James Russell Lumber Co., Ltd., and Wright Radio, Ltd., Are Incorporated.

Special to The Times-Star.
FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 25.—
James Russell Lumber Company, Limited, is incorporated, with head office at Russellville, Northumberland county, and capital stock of \$24,000. Those incorporated are Mrs. Mary B. Russell, J. Douglas Russell, Neil D. Russell, Miss M. Gertrude Russell and Miss Frances H. Russell, all of Russellville.
F. Gordon Wright, J. Russell Dickie and Neil McLeod, all of Moncton, are incorporated as Wright Radio, Limited, with head office at Moncton, and capital stock of \$49,000, for the purpose of acquiring and taking over the business of F. Gordon Wright and J. Russell Dickie, at Moncton.

IS SETTLED.

An amicable settlement of the affairs of the family of Leo Diadik, a Russian, against whom a complaint of assault was laid yesterday by his wife, was made in the police court this morning when the charge was read to the defendant. D. King Hazen appeared by MILITARY DINNER.

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Wife of Noted Author is Spending Week in St.

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John.

Mrs. Charles Harrison Gibbons, wife of a noted Canadian writer and author, is at the Clifton House, while carrying on a class of form-fitting. Mrs. Gibbons teaches the proper methods of fitting corsets and brassieres to the women who conduct this department for several firms in St. John, and will later go to other cities in the maritimes for the same purpose.

It is the objective of Mrs. Gibbons to study the health of the women of the country in providing for them garments in this and other lines that will be suited to their particular style and make for health as well as good form. The women taking the lessons are given diplomas at the end of the course.

NEARLY 700 THERE.

At St. Peter's weekly forty-fives fournament, held last evening, 696 people participated. The prize-winners were: Ladies, Miss Nellie Dever, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, first; Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Cleo

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### Local News

LIKELY FINISH TODAY. The case of Albert vs. Storey et al was continued this morning in the Circuit Court before Chief Justice Barry. It was expected the matter would be completed this afternoon.

VESSEL REPORTED.

The signal service station at the Customs House reports that steamer Manchester Shipper to be 180 miles east fo Sable Island early this morning.

SEVERELY INJURED. John Breau of Bryden street, an employe in the Nashwaak Pulp and Paper Mills, had his left leg broken and bruised by being caught in the machinery yesterday. At the hospital efforts are being made to save his leg.

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Stmr. Cairnavon, 3171, Baker, for Leith and Newcastle via Portland, Me. Stmr. Sarnolite, 1548, Geddes, for New York, Stmr. Ada Gorthon, 1537, Pyroch, for Havana.

Wedneslay, Feb. 25.

Stmr. Kastalia, 2886, Cameron, for Glasgow via Portland and Halifay.

NEARLY 700 THERE.

NO GUN.

In a case in the City Police Court esterday, in which a man was charged ith stopping another at the head of ding street and using abusive and createning language, it was stated that threatening language, it was stated that all the defendant wanted was an explanation of something that was said oncerning him, and that there was no un to figure in the case. The Magistate dismissed the matter.

A HAPPY PARTY. A HAPPY PARTY.

Little Marjorie Bain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bain, 11 Sheriff street, was given a merry party on the occasion of her eighth birthday on Tuesday, from five to eight o'clock in the evening. There were 25 young guests who enjoyed the gaily bedecked cake, trimmed with red hearts and candles. It contained souvenirs for everybody. The little guest of honor received many pretty gifts from her friends, who played games to music. last chance to secure one of these famous Concert Phonographs on such liberal terms of only \$1.00 down. Phonographs will play all records and you can

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Bruce E. Holder, violinist of the Imperial Theatra orchestra returned from Moncton today after having taken part in a concert programme produced from CNRA Moncton last night under the auspices of the J. A. Marvin Biscuit Co., Ltd., of that city. Mr. Holder played two numbers which were heard quite clearly in this city and which were acknowledged by telegrams from different parts of the United States, Canada and also by a cable received from Newfoundland. The St. John violinist was accompanied to Moncton by Eric Golding. hear all the latest songs and dance music any time, and the whole enjoy it at the same Come in and hear

W. M. S. SERVICE.

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Rev. Clifford T. Clark, M. A., B. D., pastor of the Fairville Baptist church, was the speaker at the annual thank-offering service of the W. M. S. of St. Colomba Presbyterian church, in the church hall, Fairville, last evening. Rev. William M. Townshend, M. A., presided. Gifford Laurence moved a vote of thanks, and Harper Henderson seconded it. Miss A. M. Townshend, president of the W. M. S., voiced appreciation for Rev. Mr. Clark's generous help to their work. The collection was \$21.60.

SAY NOT GUILTY.

Seven witnesses for the prosecu-tion were examined at a preliminary hearing this morning in the police court before Magistrate Henderson AMLAND BROS, Ltd.

19 WATERLOO STREET

court before Magistrate Henderson on a charge against James Merritt and Mrs. Hazel Bond and at the request of counsel, adjournment was made until Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Both pleaded not guilty to the charge. The prosecution was prosecution, which was conducted by A. B. Gilbert, was finished. Sqott E. Morrell appeared for Merritt and E. S. Ritchie for Mrs. Bond.

### WILL BE APPEALED

Definitely Decided to Take Power Co. and City Matter to

The case of the New Brunswick Power Company vs. the City of St. John will be carried to the Supreme Court of Canada following the judgment of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick against the city. Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, K.C., M.P., city solicitor, said this morning that notice of the appeal from the decision of the New Brunswick court was being sent forward at once.

Names Given.

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The Board of Arbitrators chosen by Sheriff Wilson is composed of F. E. Sayre, W. I. Fenton, L. A. Keith, J. M. Belyea and John Flood. They were sworn in at 2 o'clock and at once organized, appointing F. E. Sayre chairman and L. A. Keith, secretary.

LENT BEGINS.

## Shipping

MARINE NOTES.

A juvenile appeared before Magistrate Henderson in the police court with wandering about early this mornal and general cargo for Havana.

### PLAN STORAGE DAM

Frasers to Ask Power From Leg-islature For New Tobique Development.

There arrived at this office yesterday a modest daisy which was fresh and blooming and which apparently had only recently been severed from its stalk. An accompanying note states that the daisy was picked at Havelock on Feb. 26, 1925. The package arrived at this office on Feb. 24, 1925.

There was some discrepancy somewhere

### ARBITRATORSON PROPERTY NAMED

Board Constituted This Afternoon to Value Vocational School Site.

The Board of Appraisers to fix the value of the land which the Board of School Trustees is expropriating for the site of the new vocational school was formally created this afternoon. The five mensummoned by High Sheriff A. A. Wilson met at two o'clock at the court house and were sworn by the sheriff. After taking the oath they, in company with the sheriff, visited the proposed site and looked over the situation and adjourned to a time to be fixed later, at which they would begin the hearing and give any person interested an opportunity to give evidence as to the value of the lots.

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Today is Ash Wednesday, the beginning of the Lenten season. In Catholic churches placing ashes on the forehead's of the people was observed. Prior to celebrating mass in the Cathedral this morning His Lordship Bishop 'E. A. LeBlanc blessed the ashes, which were distributed during the morning and will also be this evening after services. During 8 o'clock mass this morning Bishop LeBlanc spoke to the congregation exhorting them to attend the various devotional services and practice penance and mor-

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MEETING FOR WOMEN. The regular Thursday women's meeting, Prince Edward street church, from 3 to 4 p. m., will be addressed this week by the convention speakers of the Christian and Missionary Alliance.

Tea and sale Thursday Feb. 27, by Wersevn Club at Victoria St. Baptist church, 5.30 to 7.30. Tickets 35 cents.

WILL SPEAK ON HANDICRAFTS.

SLEEPING CAR SERVICE ST. JOHN-HALIFAX-TRURO

The sleeping car on train No. 20 between St. John and Halifax will, on and after Saturday, February 21, operate on Saturday train as well as on other week days. The car leaving St. John on Saturday evenings will run through as far as Truro only. 2-29

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baby who is cold can digest its should be torn into strips six to eight inches wide and twenty inches long; they may be pinked on the edges, but not hemmed. They are used only four to six weeks, and then the silk and wool ribbed knit bands with shoulder straps and tabs onto which the diaper is pinned are to be substituted. The cumbersome pinning blankets or barrow-coats are

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