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For Present and Early Spring Wear
We are now showing a most attractive collection of Trimmed and Tailored Spring Hats.
The New Styles, the New Colors, the New Materials await your inspection here this evening. Priced most temptingly low.
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Hudson Seal Coats
Five Only Sport Models, with Mole, Grey Squirrel and Alaska Sable Collars and Cuffs.
These Coats are 32 and 34 inches long, all very stylish models, regular \$500 and \$600 Coats, made from the best quality skins.
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at TURNER'S!**
Dollar Day was intended to put forward extra values for the one day at attractive prices.
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Just now it's winter overcoats for man or boy at COST PRICE.
Men's start at \$16; Boys' at \$8.
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at "THE ROYAL GARDEN"
tops of the evening to perfection. And it needn't cost much, either; for you can arrange for a nice, tasty supper of ample variety to be all ready for your party—at
PRICES TO SUIT YOU, EXACTLY
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Clover Leaf Tires, Goodyear Tires, Dreadnaught Tire Chains, Inner Tubes, Columbia Hot Shot Batteries; Aie-O-Rene Non-Freeze Compound to prevent frozen radiators; Fyroc Spark Plugs, Hercules Spark Plugs; Wrenches, Adamsen Valve-lancing Outfits, Lubricants, Jacks, Tire Repair and Patching Kits, Lunch Sets, and
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MOTOR CAR SUPPLY DEPT., STREET FLOOR
W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD.
Store Hours—8.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Closed at 1 p.m. on Saturdays during February and March.

CHANGE OF TIME FOR ADVERTISERS
Advertisers are requested to submit copy to The Times business office before 2 p. m. on the day previous to publication. Advertisements received at a later hour cannot be guaranteed for following day's publication.

LOCAL NEWS
FOURTEEN DEATHS.
During the week ending February 19, fourteen deaths were recorded in the city from the following causes: Scalding, two; apoplexy, two; pneumonia, two; measles, marasmus, acute nephritis, cerebral hemorrhage, fracture of skull, arterio-sclerosis, acute meningitis, cardiac decompensation, one each.
BOYS WELL IN LEAD.
Twenty-two marriages were solemnized in the city this week. For the same period there were thirty births, twenty boys and ten girls.
TO PENITENTIARY.
George McDonald, alias Lorne Dunsmuir, who was sentenced to the maritime penitentiary for holding up Charles Johnson, a clerk in the King Cafe, Prince William street, and stealing \$70 from the till, was taken to Dorchester yesterday by Turnkey Bowes of the county jail.

PROPERTY SOLD.
At Chubb's corner this morning F. L. Potts, auctioneer, disposed of a double tenement freestone, 221 Prince street, west, belonging to the estate of James Jack. The purchaser was John Joyce, who bid the property in at \$2,000, this amount to include a mortgage of \$1,000.
BURIED TODAY.
The funeral of William J. Carr was held this afternoon from his late residence, 74 Forrest street, to Fernhill. Service was conducted by Rev. Canon R. A. Armstrong.
The funeral of Miss Anna Theresa Purdy was held this afternoon from her late residence, Douglas avenue, to Fernhill. Service was conducted by Rev. David Hutchison, D. D.

IN THE MARKET.
The following prices were quoted in the city market this morning: Beef, 20c to 35c; veal, 25c to 35c; lamb, 27c to 40c; pork, 35c; ham and bacon, 45c; chicken, 65c; fowl, 55c; butter, 55c to 65c; eggs, 70c to 75c; potatoes, 55c; carrots, 55c; parsnips, 60c; beets, 55c; turnips, 25c; apples, 40c to 60c; a peck; lettuce, 70c; celery, 30c; cabbage and squash, 7c a pound, and cranberries, 30c a quart.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE.
At a special meeting of St. Monica's Society held last evening in the Knights of Columbus hall, it was unanimously decided to affiliate with the Catholic Women's League and the members of St. Monica's registered as members of the larger organization. Mrs. D. P. Chisholm, the president, was in the chair. The Catholic Girls' Guild, of which Mrs. E. J. Power is president, recently took similar action.

CITY PUBLIC WORKS.
Two or three shots were fired yesterday on the excavation work in the rock on the Shamrock grounds, to prepare the way for the placing of the stone crusher. It is expected that the site will be all ready as soon as the new engine for the crusher has been secured. On the Millidgeville avenue work between 400 and 500 tons of stone have been removed from the rock, cut and placed in the fill which is being made there. This location will also be ready for the placing of a rock crusher as soon as the new engine has been secured.

ONLY TWO SO FAR.
Although there has been a great deal of agitation amongst the citizens and correspondence in the local press regarding the matter of housing and rentals this spring, but two people have so far sent any information on the matter to the Commercial Club, so H. R. McLellan, secretary, said this morning. He said that the club had decided to go into this matter with the intention of getting the fullest information possible and with a view to aiding both the real estate people and the tenants in their relation one to the other. Mr. McLellan said that McLellan was a big question which required the co-operation of the whole citizenship of the city.

NEW RACING CIRCUIT FORMED
Four New Brunswick Centres Are Represented—Meeting in Presque Isle.
Presque Isle, Maine, Feb. 19.—The Maine and New Brunswick circuit has been formed with eight tracks—including Fredrickton, St. Stephen, Woodstock and Chatham.
W. H. Gocher, secretary of the National Trotting Association, came here from Hartford, Conn., and was the guest of honor at a banquet given by the Presque Isle Driving Club last evening. The following officers were elected: President, Edgar W. Russ, Caribou; vice-president, Frank C. Marchie, St. Stephen; secretary-treasurer, C. J. Bishop, Presque Isle; stewards, J. H. Dewitt, Woodstock; J. R. Smith, Presque Isle; Frank C. Marchie, St. Stephen; George W. Reid, Port Fairfield, Maine; T. V. Monahan, Fredericton; E. Leighton, Houlton; E. W. Russ, Caribou and S. D. Heckbert, Chatham.

REAL ESTATE NEWS
The following real estate transfers have been recorded recently:
Executors of G. Bent to H. E. Beves, property in Princes street.
Hannah McCauslin to J. P. McCauslin, property in Sheriff street.
C. M. Pratt to P. J. Steel, property in Millidgeville road.
King's County.
Elizabeth Hayes to Ernest Alward, property in Havlock.

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Stores Open 9 a. m.: Close 6 p. m.
Are They Not Beautiful?
Our Spring Silks Reflect Beauty and Radiance
Those who have seen our NEW SPRING SILKS are satisfied they are not only very beautiful, but also very low in price for the excellent quality.
You have a wide range from which to select and you are assured the best quality at the lowest price.
Here are a few lines for Underwear and Sport Wear Japanese Jersey Silk, in blue, white or orchid. \$2.25 yard
White Wash Satins, beautiful quality..... \$2.00 yard
White Pongee Silk, excellent value..... \$2.00 yard
Butterfly Jap Silk, best quality, all colors..... \$1.25 yard
Pussy Willow Jap Silk, all colors..... 98c. yard

The RANGE that is out of RANGE of any other RANGE is the
GLENWOOD
BECAUSE—
IT
is an excellent Baker.
is Economical on Fuel.
is Easy to Operate.
is Plain and Easy to Clean.
is a Wonderful Heater.
has a large Roomy Oven.
has Many Exclusive Features.
is MADE IN ST. JOHN.
EVERY DOLLAR SPENT ON ST. JOHN MADE PRODUCTS EMPLOYES HOME LABOR
D. J. BARRETT, 155 Union Street
Galvanized Iron Works

New Springtime Dresses
A special purchase our buyer procured while in New York—the very newest in style—the very best in quality at the price—and every one is absolutely new.
VELOURS, TRICOTINES, SERGES, in Navy, Taupe, Beaver
\$22.50
Tricolettes in Navy and Sand.
Also a Special Purchase of NAVY SERGE DRESSES A Phenomenal Value. **\$13.90**
WOMEN'S SHOP—THIRD FLOOR.
OAK HALL - - - **SCOVIL BROS., LTD.**
ST. JOHN, N. B.

Music the Luxury of the 18th Century the 20th Century's Need
"Let there be no noise made my gentle friends unless some dull and favored hand will whisper music to my weary spirit."
It were most presumptuous to say that the Bard of Avon was presaging the coming of the McLagan Phonograph when he put the above quoted lines in Henry the Fourth's mouth; but his reference to praying for lack of noise might signify a desire for lack of surface noise in playing records.
And the McLagan is famous for its smooth even tones and dearth of foreign noises.
All records (disc) can be played on the McLagan; and this means a wide choice of artists.
Wide variety of models now showing and at various prices.
A. Ernest Everett
THE HOUSE FURNISHER
91 Charlotte Street

Near Seal Coats
At Most Attractive Prices
We have just purchased a number of Near Seal Coats at prices that make it possible for us to sell them for
\$200.00 and \$225.00.
(According to length)
They are made in loose fitting styles, 34 to 40 inches long, with large Shawl Collar and Deep Cuffs of Skunk. If you expect to buy a coat for next year, this is a good opportunity.
D. MAGEE'S SONS, Ltd., 63 King Street

COMMONS INQUIRY INTO COAL SUPPLY OF THE DOMINION
Committee is Asked For—Queries About the Griffenhagen and About Luxury Tax.
Ottawa, Feb. 19.—(Canadian Press)—The appointment of a special committee of the house of commons to investigate the future fuel supply of Canada and report thereon is to be urged by the house by Dr. Michael Steele, M. P. of South Perth. He would have the committee given full power to call for all persons, papers and records, to examine witnesses under oath, and report from time to time.
How many commissions has the government created since 1917? This question is being put to the ministry by A. L. Desaulniers, M. P. of Champlain. He asks for the names of all committees, and also the present commissioners with their respective salaries.
Inquiry as to the operation of the luxury tax being instituted in the commons by Hon. Charles Murphy (Russell). He wants to know when the tax went into operation and when it ceased to operate. He especially asks the cost of operating the tax, how the metal stamp perforators were purchased, and what has since become of them. He is also asking similar questions regarding the income tax and the business profits tax.
A. E. Fripp, M. P. of Ottawa, has placed an inquiry on the order paper of the house of commons, regarding the activities of Griffenhagen and associates, in the reorganization of the post office and customs departments. He wants to know how many accountants, clerks or other employees of the public service were detailed to assist the firm, and whether or not the work was done in the time of the country. He asks that if this work was done in the country's time, if a corresponding reduction was made from the remuneration of \$10,000 a month which it was agreed to pay to Griffenhagen and associates.
In a final question he asks that if any of the public servants assisted the reorganizing company in their private time will the government see that Griffenhagen and associates pay those servants before leaving the country.
Ottawa, Feb. 19.—(Canadian Press).—Corridor gossip is turning to the possibility of L. J. Gauthier crossing the floor and seeking a seat on the government benches. On the government side, however, there seemed to be a tendency to think that Mr. Gauthier in the latter half of his speech had destroyed much of the impression against the Liberals he had made earlier.

STORY TELLING AT NEW BOYS' CLUB
Through the efforts of Miss Gunn a Saturday morning story-telling has become a feature of the South End P. O. It is not, however, confined to boys. About fifty children were present this morning at half-past ten and listened with delight to two stories told by W. Frank Hatheway. Others present were Mrs. Hatheway, Mrs. E. A. Smith and Miss Gunn. James H. Hamilton of the South End Improvement League, and Director Bentley had made everything comfortable for the children. At the close of the story-telling two of the boys moved a vote of thanks and three cheers and a tiger were given for the visitors. The National Anthem was then sung. These story-tellings will be continued, and the children of both sexes divided into groups according to age if that should be necessary.