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February 19, 20, 21
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Advertising patrons are requested to submit advertising copy to The Times business office by five 30 p. m., on the day previous to publication. Advertisements received at a later hour cannot be handled. Your co-operation will be much appreciated.

LOCAL NEWS
DEALING WITH APPEALS
The mayor and commissioners met this morning in the mayor's office and cleared up some of the tax appeals which have been under consideration.

MUNICIPAL HOME
Because of the prevalence of influenza no visitors will be admitted at the Municipal Home at present, and no other persons unless first examined by the physician of the Home.

LOOKING FOR VESSEL
The board of trade has received an enquiry from some local people who are desirous of obtaining a small auxiliary vessel of about 500 barrels capacity to use for pocket trade between St. John and points along the coast.

WILL BE SIGNED TONIGHT
A special meeting of the commissioners of the general public hospital has been called for this evening in the office of the county secretary. It is expected that the contract for the building of the nurses' home will be signed and other matters in that connection dealt with.

LOSS IS COVERED
Commissioner Bullock said this morning that the loss to the house of the St. John Housing Commission, which was damaged by fire last night, will be covered by insurance. His practice has been to keep the buildings under construction insured in accordance with the amount of the progress estimate submitted by the contractors.

MRS. JOSEPH JONES
The death of Mrs. Joseph Jones of Upper Town occurred at an early hour on Tuesday morning after a short illness. She leaves to mourn a loving husband and two daughters. The sons are Samuel, Leonard, Frederick and Harry of Loch Lomond, and Sidney of St. John city, and the daughters are Mrs. Albert Horsman of St. John and Mrs. Charles McAndrews of Bath, Maine.

BOY ROBBERS ROUNDED UP; A LONG CRIME LIST
Systematic Pocket Picking at Theatres, in Store and in Streets

Four Lads Arrested and Confess—Two Give Details of Series of Thefts Extending Over Years—Worked a Regular System.

A gang composed of lads ranging in age from nine to thirteen that call themselves "Co-boys," who for the last six or eight months have been going along the streets and in the various public thoroughfares in the city snatching pocket-books from ladies, have been rounded up by the detective department. On Tuesday night Detective Donohue arrested two boys in front of the Imperial Theatre on grounds that they were acting suspiciously. On being brought before the magistrate and questioned it was learned that they belonged to the gang and after a thorough examination of the names and whereabouts of four others were learned. The two pleaded guilty to the charges and were sentenced to a term in the Boys' Industrial Home.

Last night in front of the Opera House Detective Donohue arrested four other lads, also members of the gang, and took them to the police station. They admitted they had been carrying on the pickpocket game for some time and gave the detectives a list of their victims as far as possible, or, as one lad put it, "all I can think of." The two boys, aged eleven and thirteen, were arraigned before the magistrate this morning, pleaded guilty and were sentenced to four years in the Industrial Home.

The criminal record of this gang brings back to mind the days when the old "burrard gang" carried out their activities in the city some years ago. Complaints have been received by the department about two ladies having their pocketbooks snatched from their hands, and as a result of this the detectives have been on the lookout for any such law-breaking.

The following is a record of the misdemeanors of the two in court today: the last five years: The lad aged thirteen was sentenced to a pocketbook containing \$48 from a lady at the head of King street about a year ago; another containing \$20 from a lady in the Star Theatre some time ago; one containing \$1 and fifty cents respectively from a lady in the Queen Square Theatre on Feb. 1; one containing \$48 from a lady in the five, ten and fifteen cent theatre on Feb. 13. This morning, the lad says, he divided with three others. He told of snatching a pocketbook containing twenty-five cents from a lady in the Opera House; Feb. 1, 1919, \$10 and \$20 respectively, but he was caught and had to give the money back to the owners.

The lad's record is not so extensive, as he is only eleven years old, yet he has a few thefts against him. On February 17 he said he took a pocketbook containing \$17 from a lady at the head of King street. It was found out afterwards in the Queen Square Theatre, 138 Brittain street. This money, he said, he divided with three other lads and threw the pocketbook in an alley off Germain street. In the Queen Square Theatre he told of taking a pocketbook, containing ninety-five cents, from a lady on Feb. 1; another containing \$16 and \$33 respectively from a lady in the Imperial Theatre about three weeks ago; one containing \$120 from a lady in the alley off Germain street. At the Victoria Rink the lad said he took a pocketbook containing \$10 from a lady there the contents amounted to only one cent with a hole in it. The lad was "made" he said, and he threw the pocketbook across the street.

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No matter how pretty a dress may be, it will not show to advantage unless you have the proper corsets, and we have a most complete range of the very latest to select from.
This range includes: C. C. a la Grace, La Diva, P. C. Super Bone, Goddess Front Lace, in very good quality of Domestic and French Coutil, Brocade and Plain Satin in White and Flesh colors.
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Double Boilers, 2 qt. \$1.00 No. 8 Wash Boilers. \$1.75
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London Kettles, 6 qt. \$1.00 No. 9 Copper Tea Kettles. \$3.25
London Kettles, 8 qt. \$1.00 Large Double Roasters. \$2.00
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With the Double-Wear Cuff!
NEW NEGLIGEE SHIRTS FOR SPRING—BY W. G. & R.—HAVE ARRIVED.
These Shirts are made with the famous double-wear cuffs, which will fold easily and perfectly either way—so that it may be worn equally well either side out.
DOUBLE WEAR—DOUBLE SERVICE—DOUBLE SATISFACTION!
This Shirt will give double wear without laundering, as it is always the cuff that becomes soiled long before the rest of the shirt. Simply reverse the cuffs, replace the cuff links and double the wear. An economy, not a fad.
Double Service and Satisfaction is the result of this because the wear is divided between two separate pieces of material, while ordinarily the wear is all on one piece.
\$2.25 to \$10.00
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Perhaps there is something lacking to make your living room expressive of your ideals. We shall be glad to have you come in and ask our suggestions, to advise you and co-operate with you in making your living room the comfort retreat it should be. We have assembled an interesting display of fine living room furniture and hope you will make it a point to see it.
A. Ernest Everett
THE HOUSE FURNISHER
91 Charlotte Street
HEARD THE McLAGAN YET?

The rain of yesterday served to carry over to today special offerings we made for
Dollar Day
You will find these on Page 2 if you will turn to it—and its well worth turning to.
D. Magee's Sons—Limited—Saint John, N. B.

REAL ESTATE NEWS
The following real estate transfers have been recorded recently:
J. S. Gray et al to Samuel Metzler, property in Main street.
R. B. Hazen to G. M. Lawson, property in Great Marsh road.
James Neil to Rachel Jones, property in Brittain street.
Sterling Realty Co. to G. S. Pitt, property in Lancaster.
J. M. Trueman to Edward South, property in Simonds.
Kings County.
J. S. Cook to O. D. Cook, property in St. Johns.
Chalmers Presbyterian church to Rev. J. J. McDermott, property in Sussex.
James Jolie to H. W. Harding, property in Southfolton.
Rev. J. J. McDermott to R. C. Bishop of St. John, property in Sussex.

TWO YEARS BEHIND BARS FOR BIGAMY
Francis Fox, an Erieview, Me., man, who had a wife and six children when he married Hannah Scholfield, a widow, with two children, last December, here, was sentenced yesterday to the penitentiary at Kingston for two years.

SIR WILFRID LAURIER
To the Editor of The Times-Star.
Sir—About a year ago the Old Master died. Dear Sir Wilfrid Laurier, beyond the sea, away from your little habitation in the capital, in the land where angels chant your glory, co-operator in eternal pressure, poet, philosopher, and artist, we offer you the salutation of immortal fame.
THANKS, BERKE
Madrid, Espinosa
Madrid, Feb. 20. The national day's expectation will open here on April 16.