## POOR DOCUMENT

THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1923

Widow Accused of Heading Band That Stole \$25,000 in Garments.

New York, Sept. 6.—Mrs. Florence Fisher, a widow, who said she was 36 years old and lived at 26 Jane Street, pleaded guilty to the theft of a dress from Lord & Taylor's when she was arraigned in Special Sessions, and was sentenced to a maximum term of six months to three years in the penitentiary. The severity of the sentence followed the statement of a detective of the Stores Mutual Protective Association that the woman had admitted she was the leader of a band of women shoplifters who had stolencloaks and dresses valued at \$25,000 from the store in the last four months. George J. Clausen, the detective, said that the woman was employed in the store and that investigation revealed that some of the garments stolen by the band had been sold by her and other members of the band and that part of the proceeds had been used by Mrs. Fisher, who is the mother of two small children, to pay alimony to the divorced wife of a man with whom she had been on friendly terms.

He said that she told him that her confederates in the thefts obtained the loot with her co-operation and that they carried it away in a series of visits to the store in hat boxes. Mrs. Fisher, it further was alleged, had received half of the gowns as her share of the thefts and, with the money she had not used in paying the alimony, furnished her home with many luxuries, including an expensive player piano. She also bought an automobile in which she and her confederates frequently made out of own trips, she said.

Cleaves and distract to a factories and was afreaded towards Mrs. Fisher, detectives were sent to her home where they purchased some of the stolen garments stolen by on these visits the detectives learned that she had a daughter 16 years old and a son 14 years old.

When she was arrested, Clausen added, search of her home revealed eighty of expensive dress material. He said that the daughter of the woman had a wardrobe of gowns valued at \$300. He added that between 250 and 300 dresses and cloaks had been stolen from the firm before Mrs. Fisher New York, Sept. 6.-Mrs. Florence Fisher, a widow, who said she was 36

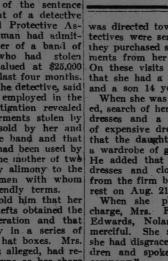
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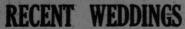
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## RECENT DEATHS

Frederick J. K. Crisp.

The death occurred at St. Martins at an early hour on Tuesday morning of Frederick J. K. Crisp, elder son of the late Rev. James Crisp and Mary Knapton Crisp. Mr. Crisp is survived by his wife formerly Miss Jennie Arvilla Hodsmyth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hodsmyth, of St. Martins, and three children, Miriam, Gordon and Audrey, the youngest of whom is six years. Mr. Crisp also leaves one brother, Rev. T. Spencer Crisp, at present statoned at Young's Cove, and three sisters, Mrs. W. D. Geldart and Mrs. C. H. M. Geldart, of Coverdale, and Miss Mary, of Salisbury. Rev. R. S. Crisp, of this city, is an uncle.

Mrs. Francis Coholan.

The death of Mary Agnes, beloved wife of Francis Coholan, occurred yesterday at the St. John Maternity Home. Mrs. Coholan had resided in Prince Edward street and was well known in that part of the city. She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Dorothy, and an infant son, five days old, and four brothers, John Elliot, of Manchester, N. H.; Frank, James and Walter Elliot, of this city. Arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

Lieutenant Coby, who came out of the Salvation Army training school in June, 1922, and who has been stationed in St. John, Moncton and Summerside, P. E. I., has been promoted to the di-visional army headquarters staff here as bookkeeper.

Paris taxicabs now show a green light at the top of the automobile if the cab is empty.

## GYMNASIUN

Y. W. C. A. classes commence next Monday, Sept. 10. Register this week at Recreation Cen-

The physical director, Miss F. G. Richards will be at the Centre each day this week from 9.30 to 5, and on Thursday and Friday evening from 7.30 to

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## Beautiful Frocks Await Your Choosing

Handsome Evening Frocks, beautifully draped are fashioned from Velvet brocades, metal cloths and softest crepes. These are in exquisite colorings featuring the rich, bright shades now so much in demand; as well as as the more conservative duller colorings.

Afternoon Dresses of various crepe weaves are ruffled, plaited, flounced or paneled. They boast very short or very wide sleeves, and the new square or pointed necks. Blacks, browns and blues predomi-

Coat Dresses of Poiret Twill or Tricotine for street or business wear feature the new side fastening and are plain or quite elaborately trimmed.

## Autumn Weather Brings Topcoat Needs

Many of the new coats are perfectly straight, some are slightly flared and a few are very circular-skirted. Fabrics are both dull and highly finished with a strong tendency toward soft velvety materials of different kinds, Big Fur Collars of contrasting or matching color add to the charm of many of the handsomes models.

Coats of heavy Tweeds and soft Woollens are show-ing in the ever popular raglan styles for motorists or for practical, every day wear for any woman.

Autumn Millinery Exposition Now Going On.

(Richard in Forbes Magazine.)

## Fall Suits For Many Types

There is every reason why it is practical to buy a suit this season. Materials combine comfort and beauty and styles vary enough to suit the needs of almost any type of figure. Fur trimmings and self colored em-broideries embellish some of the dressy suits, but for those who prefer plainer modes, tailored and semi-tailored styles are here. Brown, Navy and Black are in great demand.

### The All Important Hat of Autumn

A quirk of brim here, a novel bit of trimming there, a high crown, a new shade—and you have a stunning autumn hat. Our Millinery Exposition is now going on and reveals a wonderful variety of beautiful new modes. Hats of every type and every new style point represent-

(Second Floor.)

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# Style Parade Encored For Saturday Night

OMORROW afternoon another promenade of the Mode by Living Mannequins, but with the new closing of stores on Friday Nights, the third Fashion Show will be Saturday Evening. Music from seven o'clock till ten and the Parade of Models from eight

Come Tomorrow Afternoon from four to five and see far more than previous reports have promised. New creations have been added to the program, respecially in Coats and Suits and they are wonders.

boycott on watermelons because house-to-house dealers, who handle the bulk of the retailing of them, demand \$1 a

Ravishing braid treatment will catch your breath when a Suit of Navy Broadcloth Velour comes on the scene. The long straight coat is collared in Gray Squirrel, and down from the revers and around the waist runs a border reaching to the hem in pointed columns of flat braid intermingled by curled soutache. Lining of Gray Satin. One in Rock Gray has a Mole collar and pocket trim with strappings down from the pockets and almost all over the back.

Viatka Opossum in Black and Gray intertoning forms the collar of a Navy Marvella wrappy coat that ties at left on a large button and has wide columns of stitching pointing high from the hem and topped by three crossed straps. Brocade Satin lining. There is also very much to get to know in Coats.

The newer color range for Autumn extends from Green through Bronze to Brown. Blues in Navy, Royal, Adriatic, then come lighter wood shades, Grays and Blacks.

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