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This Millinery Dep't

This Millinery Department, the rendezvous for ladies who admire Millinery that is practical, yet refined, and tastefully put together, will be an especially spot on Saturday, where many new creations in Millinery that have been prepared this week for Saturday will be on view. You'll be sure to find a hat from this rare gathering of stylish hats that will be most becoming.

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Ladies fast Tan Cotton Lace Hose, stainless, assorted shades, spliced heel and toe, special at per pair, 25c

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MEYNELL,
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Chatham. THE CLOTHIER

Britain Will Not Remove Embargo.
London, May 12.—Yesterday the president of the Board of Agriculture, replying to a deputation desirous of urging him to remove the restrictions on Canadian cattle importation, said he had to think not of one particular interest, but of the interest of the general public. He admitted there was no disease in Canada, but he took his stand on the word risk. Concluding, he said as long as he was president of the Board of Agriculture he could hold out no hopes of passing such a measure as was wanted.

Pacific Cable Conference.
London, May 12.—The C. A. P. understands that the Pacific cable conference will be held at the end of the month. Negotiations are in progress whereby an important extension of the business facilities for the cable in Australia will, it is hoped, be secured. The confession of John Jackson at Vancouver of having murdered a woman in London, is not believed here. It is thought to be a device to get a free passage home.

Schooner Mist Lost.
Kingston, May 12.—The loss of the schooner Mist off South Bay Point, on the Prince Edward County coast, is reported. The fishing schooner belonged to Sodus Point, N. Y., and had been out for some days, securing the finest haul of fish she had ever carried. In a big squall the Mist sprang a leak, and before shore could be reached the boat went down and is a total loss. The two men on board escaped in a small boat.

K.O.T.M. NOTICE

All Maccabees are wanted at the lodge room Friday night, May 12th. There is a large initiation on and all are wanted.

A. CARTER, G. W. SULMAN,
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WORLD OF SPORT

BASEBALL THURSDAY.

The Eastern League.
Toronto 2 0 0 0 2 0 0 3—4
Buffalo 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 1—3
Three base hits—Gettman, LaPorte, Rapp, O'Brien. Sacrifice hits—Rapp, Magan. Stolen bases—Hill, Delehaanty, Nattress, Rapp. Softs—Bases on balls—By Currie, Brown, by Milligan 3 (Ourray, Softs 2). Struck out—By Currie 8 (Gettman, Hill 2, Delehaanty, Murphy, Brown, Milligan); by Milligan 4 (White 2, Magan, Currie). Passed ball—Toft. Hit by pitcher—By Milligan, Harley; by Currie, LaPorte. Left on bases—Toronto 6, Buffalo 8. Time—1:40. Umpires—Magne and Jones.

National League.
At Philadelphia—R.H.E.
Pittsburgh 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—4 10 3
Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 8 1
Batteries—Robertson and Peitz; Sparks, Pittenger, Deola and Abbott. Umpire—Kien. Attendance—2880.

American League.
At Cleveland—Cleveland-Washington game postponed.
Games today: Boston at Detroit, New York at Chicago, Washington at Cleveland, Philadelphia at St. Louis.

Now Charged With Conspiracy.
Toronto, May 12.—The Grand Jury brought in a true bill against the Christian Scientists, Sarah Goodfellow, Isabella M. Grant, Elizabeth See and William Brundrett, on a conspiracy charge, as follows, that they "did unlawfully conspire and agree together and with each other to deprive Wallace Goodfellow of the necessities of life, to wit, proper medical care and nursing, whereby the death of the said Wallace Goodfellow was caused, and also did conspire to effect the cure of Wallace Goodfellow of a then sickness, endangering life by unlawful and improper means, thereby causing the death of the said Wallace Goodfellow." The original charge against the defendants was manslaughter.

Killing Was Justified.
Toronto, May 12.—Leonardo Montecarlo, who was tried in the Assize Court on the charge of shooting Luigi Raimondi, was discharged. It only took the jury an hour to decide he was not guilty, and that the shooting was done in self-defence. Chancellor Boyd agreed with the verdict. Montecarlo was defended by Mr. Robinette.

Minard's Limestone—Lumberman's Friend.
Nothing is as strong as gentleness; nothing so gentle as real strength.

NO MINISTER OF MINES

Hon. Mr. Whitney Announces His Decision to the House.

Minister of Lands and Mines Will Replace Commissioner of Crown Lands—How Hotelkeepers Were Held Up Under the Ross Administration—Compelled to Sell 168 Hours a Week to Break Even.

Toronto, May 12.—The Government's intentions regarding the creation of a new department of mines were made known in the Legislature last night by Premier Whitney. The bill will be a minister of mines as expected, but instead the Department of Crown Lands with its mines branch, will be known as the Department of Lands and Mines with a head thereof, who will be known as Minister of Lands and Mines. The same bill changes the designation of the chief of the Department of Public Works, who will be known as "Minister of Public Works, instead of "Commissioner."

Numbered Ballot Goes.
The Premier also introduced a bill to amend the Election Act, which explained that it meant the abolition of the numbered ballot. The same ballot will be used minus the number, which permits of identification.

Hon. Mr. Matheson gives notice of a bill to tax circusmen \$500 for each 20 cars. The present tax is \$100 for 20 cars or over.

Mr. Matheson will also introduce a bill extending the time for the payment of Crown taxes on patent lands.

John Smith's bill to give widows and spinners who are eligible to vote at Municipal elections the same right at Provincial elections was withdrawn after Mr. Smith had made a fine but ineffective appeal for the ladies.

The Lieutenant-Governor will attend the House to-day to give assent to a number of bills.

The License Department.
Mr. G. W. Ross withdrew his motion for papers in connection with the appointment of fishery overseers.

Mr. McDougall moved a similar motion for information regarding license commissioners and inspectors and fishery inspectors, but accepted an addition by the Premier which calls for "copies of all correspondence between the heads of the Department of Fisheries and fishery officials of the said Department." (South Norfolk) known to the appointment of fishery overseers and report the granting or refusal of licenses since the fisheries were taken over by the Province.

Mr. Whitney remarked that he would show Mr. McDougall that the circular read in the House the other day was sent out by the Deputy Minister of Fisheries, without showing it to his superior officer.

Sir Oliver Mowat's Opinion.
Hon. Mr. Hanna opened up the question of the appointment of license commissioners, and quoted from the speeches of Mowat, Hardy and Fraser, in reply to Mr. Meredith, that it had been found advisable to select license commissioners from political friends. Experience has taught these men that it was impossible to carry out the acts of the Government, except through friends of the Government. Conservatives appointed by the Liberal Government of the day had obstructed the carrying out of the License Act. A. C. Pratt (South Norfolk) knew of fishery licenses that had been refused opponents of the late Government by the officers of the Government.

Mr. Graham reminded the House that the present Government, when in Opposition, had opposed the appointment of partisans to administer the license law.

Held Up By Commissioners.
Mr. Hanna made a sensational statement in regard to an hotel-keeper who appeared before him to ask for a license. "This man said he had been a Secretary," but he was glad there had been a change of Government. He had said, "I am here asking for a license at the price the act calls for. I have been selling liquor since 1899 or 1900. My first license cost me \$1,640. I had to pay it over to the commission, at that time I got it for a period of three months, and again and again it was renewed for a like period. I never got a license for less than \$450, and generally paid \$700. I had to sell liquor seven days in the week, and practically 24 hours a day to make the business pay. I am prepared to take a license for one year and to obey the law. All that has been charged against the West Kent commissioners is white in comparison with some of the things we know of to-day."

No Blame on Resumes.
The discussion was closed by Hon. Dr. Reaume, who explained how the fishery circular came to issue from his Department. He read a letter from Mr. Bastedo, his deputy, which said that it had been the practice of the Department in issuing fishery licenses to refer the applications to the Liberal member or defeated candidate in the riding. After the advent of the new Government, he prepared the usual circular, but in the hurry of sending it out he had overlooked the important duty of showing the Minister the draft.

The motion for the papers was then passed.

Brewers and Distillers.
Hon. Mr. Hanna introduced a bill respecting brewers and distillers and other licensees, providing for substantial license fees from warehouses of the brewers and distillers situated in places apart from the brewery or distillery, which would give an additional revenue of from \$5,000 to \$10,000. It is only legalizing what had been thought to be legal.

Several private bills were introduced and read a first time.

Third Readings.
These bills were read a third time: Respecting the London Street Railway (Hodgins); to amend the act to provide for the incorporation of co-oper-

five cold storage associations (Monk); respecting the Neponset Mining Lands Co. (Carscallen, Hamilton); to amend the act to incorporate the Lake Superior, Long Lake and Albany River Railway (Smyth); to incorporate the Young Men's Christian Association of London (Beck); respecting the Hermina Mining Co. (Smyth); respecting the consolidated revenue fund and the raising of loans authorized by the Legislature (Matheson); for raising money on the credit of the consolidated revenue fund of Ontario (Matheson); to incorporate the United Nickel Co. of Canada (Carscallen, Hamilton).

For University.
Hon. Mr. Foy moved the second reading of his bill to amend the act setting apart certain wild lands in addition to those previously set apart for the use of the University of Toronto. Mr. Foy explained that \$1,168 acres would be set aside, which is equivalent to four complete townships.

Mr. Gagey moved the second reading of his bill to amend the act respecting the establishment of municipal institutions in territorial districts. The bill asks for an appeal from a district judge to the judge in chambers in Toronto, and that the amount involved be reduced from \$20,000 to \$10,000.

Mr. Lucas sought an amendment providing that assignments be made either to the sheriff or to an assignee appointed by the Government. If not satisfactory to the Government, he would prefer to see it killed on the spot rather than slowly tortured by the legal committee.

The Premier was entirely opposed to a re-enactment of the old insolvency act.

Rebukes House.
When the House was rushing through the bills promoted by private members, the Premier found it necessary to administer a rebuke to these members who neglect to advance their bills when the proper time arrives.

Mr. Carscallen (Hamilton) asked for an amendment to the Railway Act, one of the chief provisions of which aims to protect minority stockholders. When shares are disposed of, the approval of the Commissioner of Public Works will be necessary if the bill passes.

Hon. Mr. Hendrie suggested sending the bill to a Railway Committee, and this was agreed to.

To avoid delay in judgment, when a claim in the Division Court does not exceed \$100, is the object of a bill promoted by Mr. Thompson of Simcoe, which was read a second time.

Dr. Nesbitt asked that a section of the High Schools Act, requiring the city to pay 80 per cent. of the cost of pupils from the city attending a high school outside the limits, be repealed. The bill was referred to a special committee.

Timber Berth, Block W, Algoma.
Mr. Smyth (Algoma) moved for papers in connection with the sale to C. A. McCool of timber berth known as Block W, in the District of Algoma. The order was granted.

The wise man never knows half as much as the fool thinks he knows.

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applicants. I have looked into the case and, while we are in no way committing ourselves to a change of ruling, I would be glad, in view of the new circumstances, and to be quite safe, if the Board would go in to the matter again.

Chairman Sifton—What is your view, Mr. Gifford?

Commissioner Gifford—I have no objection to considering it again. I don't want to do an injustice to anyone—only to my duty.

The chairman then announced that the matter of the two applications in question would be dealt with at the meeting in Chatham on the 27th inst.

VISIT THE HOTELS.

The Board then visited and inspected the two Bothwell hotels and, on resuming, announced that they found the Central in excellent condition and the Brunswick in just the reverse. They gave a conditional permission to the transfer of the latter from Mr. Maloney to Mr. Woolcott on the

latter giving an assurance to go ahead with improvements immediately, cleaning up and putting in good shape, refurnishing and putting in a new sanitary system. Mr. Maloney had allowed the house to go in bad repair and at the Bidgetown meeting the Board declined to renew his license. Mr. Woolcott, his successor, promises to proceed with the improvements at once and strictly adhere to the law.

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