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WANTED—Teacher for S. S. No. 2, Township of Chatham. Duties to commence after Easter holidays. Applications to be addressed to John Kennedy, Chatham Township, Chatham P. O.

WANTED—200 teams, 100 laborers and scraper holders, to work on Michigan Central Railroad double track; free transportation; earth and rock work to be let by the cubic yard to responsible contractors having suitable outfits. For particulars address W. E. Trench & Co., General Contractors, Tilbury, Ont.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Furnished house or rooms, with modern conveniences. Apply to Miss Gardiner, Wellington St. West.

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FARMS FOR SALE—I have 75 acres in the Township of Dover, 13th concession, owned by Ed. C. Wemp; also 96 acres in the 5th concession, Dover, owned by L. King; 50 acres in the 5th concession, Dover, owned by Julius Bechard; 50 acres in the 5th concession, Dover, owned by L. King; 40 acres on River Road, Dover, owned by John David. I also have money to loan on land mortgages at the very lowest rate of interest. Henry Dagneau.

TO RENT—New brick, two-storyed General Store, at Pain Court, Dover South. Post Office and Telephone Office in connection. Good frame house adjoining, which contains parlor, dining room, kitchen and five bed-rooms. Good well and stable. Church and school opposite. Fine business stand. The store is now being erected and will be for rent on reasonable terms as soon as completed. For further particulars, address Zephir Cheff, Big Point.

AN AGREEMENT AT LAST.

France and Germany Are Said to Have Come to a Settlement.

London, March 21.—According to The Evening News of this city, telegrams were received in London from Algiers yesterday stating that the Moroccan conference had reached an agreement satisfactory to all parties.

Phillips Weekly Expenses \$25. Toronto, March 21.—A weekly expenses account of \$25 paid to Joseph Phillips, ex-President of the York County Loan Co., was the chief subject at the Police Court yesterday. What these expenses were for the witnesses could not say, but the payments had been going on for some considerable time. Mr. Phillips was not always out of town when the payments were made, and when he was away he put in vouchers for additional expenses. An adjournment was made until Thursday.

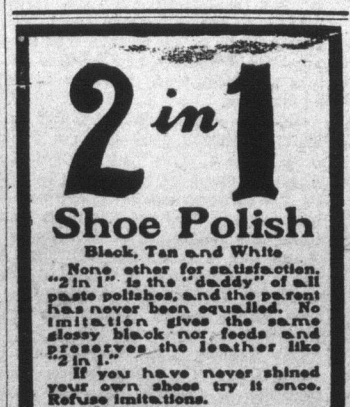
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Carpet Ball Standing

The S. O. S. won from the C. O. F. last evening in the Sons of Scotland Hall. The following is the standing of the clubs, including last night's game:

	Won	Lost	Ties	P. Ct.
S.O.E.	9	2	9	818
A.O.U.W.	11	3	6	781
A.O.F.	9	3	5	595
I.O.F.	5	6	9	431
S.O.S.	4	8	8	333
C.O.F.	1	14	5	63



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HON. MR. HANNA INTRODUCES NEW LICENSE BILL IN ONTARIO

He Advocates Higher License Fees—New Act Gives Added Revenue to Municipalities of \$124,000.

BRATENDERS MUST ALSO PROCURE LICENSE FOR \$2.

Toronto, March 21.—The Provincial Secretary with his new Liquor License Act occupied the centre of the stage in the Legislature yesterday afternoon. Hon. Mr. Hanna prefaced his remarks by saying that the provisions of the bill were on the lines of the policy of the Government concerning the enforcement of the license laws, as stated by the Premier. The bill aimed at the enforcement of the law and the collection for the province and the municipalities of a reasonable revenue in return for the monopoly of the business. He proposed to deal with the bill under several heads, and the first would relate to the enforcement. There were 31 sections in the bill, and 15 or 16 dealt with enforcement. There was an interpretation clause to define what was intoxicating liquor. There had been trouble in the past by reason of the vagueness of the act.

Uniform regulations throughout the province were provided for, and the Government would take the responsibility for those regulations.

To License Bratenders. There was a proposition to license bratenders. The Government took the position that the license commissions having control of the trade should also have control of the man who dispensed the liquor. A fee of \$2 would be exacted. Under the old law liquor could not be sold to a man under 21, but a boy of 16 could go behind the bar and dispense the liquor. The inspectors issue licenses subject to the approval of the commission. This feature was confined to cities and towns.

It was also provided that a man who in the violation of the law was liable to the penalty, and on the second offence to have his license cancelled. The inspector was compelled to call it a second offence if it were such. On conviction for the third time the licensee should lose his license, and if the commissioners did not cancel the license, anyone might take the matter up and set the necessary machinery in motion, so that there could be no way of evading the law.

The Law in Districts. Sections were devoted to the administration of the law in districts. If it were represented to the Government that the law was being violated the Government would investigate, and though it might not be able to secure a conviction it would take the power to cancel the license on sight if it was assured by reputable persons that the law was being violated. In North Ontario the Government took the power to veto the commission and cancel a license if the action of the commission was at variance with the policy of the Government. "This section was increased responsibility on the part of the Government," said Mr. Hanna, "and we assume that as well."

Mr. Hanna pointed out that the bill restricted the power of physicians to give certificates. In his own County of Lambton he knew of as many as 25 orders from physicians being presented over one bar. That meant practically a blanket order. It was proposed that a physician's order should contain particulars which would render it practically impossible to abuse the law in this respect.

A section in the old law, which was on the statute books for 25 years and was repealed in 1902, thereby allowing convictions to be quashed on a technicality. Mr. Hanna believed without the knowledge of the ex-Premier, was re-enacted. This section made it difficult for a guilty man to escape.

Must Raise the Fees. Mr. Hanna said he would now touch upon the license fees. As to the necessity for raising them there could scarcely be room for doubt. The question was how much the increase should be. The law created a monopoly, firstly in favor of the licensee and secondly in favor of the landlord. The former had to pay a higher license fee for the privileges obtained, but the latter paid nothing. He simply went on and collected more rent.

The public was not getting the full value of these franchises. The speaker, in backing up this argument, referred to the seven transfers in Toronto as having brought in last year \$138,000, of which \$51,000 only was for the license, and \$133,000 for the license themselves. While Ontario boasted of high license fees, they were not high by comparison with other cities outside Ontario. There was no state in the United States where the number of licenses was limited as in this province, where the fees were no higher.

Mr. Hanna cited a number of cases. In Boston only one hotel was allowed to 500 of population, and the license fee was \$2,000, yet the full limit of licenses was taken. The retail trade in Ontario paid only 30c per head of population. In Alleghany, Pa., it was \$1.45 per head; in Booth, Iowa, \$1.50; in Boston, \$2.30; in Montreal, \$1.40; in Quebec, \$1.25, and in St. Hyacinthe, \$1.47. The speaker quoted many more, and drew the conclusion that a very substantial increase in the cities and towns of Ontario would be justified.

Revenue Evenly Divided. The most important part of the bill, the license fees, was then announced as follows:

	Tavern Shop.
Cities of 100,000 or over.	\$1,200 \$1,000
Cities of 50,000 and less than 100,000.	700 700
Cities between 10,000 and 50,000.	500 500
Cities below 10,000 and towns between 5,000 and 10,000.	450 450
Towns of 5,000 or less.	350 350
Villages.	250 250
Townships.	120 200
Districts (except in cities, towns and villages).	120 ...
City, town, village or other municipality or in unorganized territory in the districts.	500

For beer and wine licenses there would be a fee of three-fourths of that imposed for tavern licenses in the same locality, and for a transfer of license a fee of one-third of the fee payable for the license transferred.

The Lieutenant-Governor in council might increase the duties on both tavern and shop licenses in the districts to any amount.

Share and Share Alike. As to the revenue, it was proposed that the Government and the municipality should share and share alike. (Applause.) The Government had been getting a great deal more than the municipalities.

The bill would allow the council of any municipality, except in cities, to increase the duties as the council should decide, a bylaw passed before the first day of March to come into effect on the first day of May in the same year, while if passed after the first day of March it would not come into effect till the first of May in the year following.

Where a municipality had before this act increased the license duties to an amount exceeding the minimum fixed by the act, they were to stand at the higher figures, but in cities where the duties now payable were in excess of council could make no further fees.

Under the proposed scale the municipalities would receive in the neighborhood of \$357,000. Under the present fees the municipalities get but \$233,000, while \$307,000 came to the province. The Government had deducted 10 per cent to come and go on, as there would be a reduction of licenses in the province. These figures did not include licenses to brewers, distillers and fines.

The Government had done away with the special census which could not be justified. The last completed municipal census had been adopted.

Could Enforce Local Option. It had been provided that municipalities should have the power to enforce local option by the appointment of inspectors. The power of the Government, said Mr. Hanna, was that where a municipality was bent on local option it should be given the power to enforce the law. Local option votes should be taken only on annual election days, and it was provided that upon a petition of 25 per cent of the electors the council must submit the bylaw. The temperance and liquor interests were united in favor of this section. Three-fifths of the polled vote was required, and if the bylaw passed the council must pass the bylaw. Prominent temperance men, including the leader of the Opposition had supported this percentage.

"And," said Mr. Hanna, "I am prepared to accept the authority of the leader of the Opposition where it suits my purpose to do it." The argument for this was that a majority of six or seven might easily be upset in two or three years. There should be a substantial preponderance of sentiment in favor of the law before a change was made.

Could Vote Every Two Years. Another change had been made in the law in respect to local option. To-day if local option was carried it was good for three years, if turned down it could be tried again in three months. It is now provided that a vote might not be taken for two years after a preceding vote.

There is provision for labelling the goods so that when a Scotchman called for Scotch he would get what he asked for. "Tied" houses were to be legislated against. These places had been condemned by license commissioners and the Government proposed that the contract between the brewer and the dealer should not be valid.

Hon. Mr. Ross Approves.

Hon. Mr. Ross generally approved the bill as being in the interest of temperance. In many respects it commended itself to his judgment. The Liberal party had done much for temperance, reducing the number of licenses from over 6,000 to under 3,000, legislation which was in harmony with public opinion. Hotels had been closed on Sundays, Saturday nights and on election days—all these steps had been in advance. The Liberal party had removed the liquor traffic from the control of the municipalities; its legislation had been in the direction of the improvement of hotel accommodation. In fact, said Mr. Ross, the province had made such progress that if Mr. Hanna's bill had not been a step forward it would have been an anachronism. He was glad the Government was walking in the footsteps of the old. It could not do anything in the way of a strict enforcement of the law that would not have the support of the Opposition. There were men in the liquor business who were respectable men, but there were also men who did not observe the law, and these deserved no sympathy. The speaker concluded by expressing satisfaction that the Government had in some respects "followed in the footsteps" of the late administration, but that in some other ways he was prepared to dispute the merits of the act. He thought the Government could afford to go further than was proposed.

Water Tank Explosion Wreck.

Wingham, March 21.—An explosion of the water tank in connection with the heating apparatus of the new G. T. R. station, occurred about 1 o'clock yesterday morning, resulting in about \$1,000 damage to the building. The east wall of the station building is badly wrecked. Roadmaster Fender's office and the baggage room are so badly damaged that they will have to be rebuilt.

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Pleaded Guilty.
Walkerton, March 21.—Geo. Fletcher of Repley pleaded guilty yesterday to three charges of theft and incendiarism. He was granted a remand of sentence until the end of the month.

CAPS

We have never had as many styles of caps to show, at any time in any season, as we have just now.

Tams and Fancy Caps galore for the little chap. Golf, Motor and a variety of Yacht shapes for his big brother and his dad. We also have some pretty little novelties in the way of Tams and Caps for girls. The price range is large, extending from 15c. to \$1.00.

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DUNSMUIR APPOINTED.

Will Be Lieut.-Governor of British Columbia—Mr. Riley a Senator.

Victoria, B. C., March 21.—The Victoria Times, of which Hon. William Templeman, Minister of Inland Revenue, is president, announces that the vacant Senatorship has been awarded to George Riley, ex-M. P., while it has been decided to appoint to the Lieutenant-Governorship of British Columbia, James Dunsmuir, ex-Premier of the province and millionaire coal operator.

Ottawa, March 21.—Sir Charles Parsons, who previous to the taking over of the Imperial garrison at Halifax was commander of His Majesty's forces, will be appointed Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia. It is, of course, expected that he will resign the position as an eligible Nova Scotian shall be found who will accept the job.

A SPRING TONIC

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Make Rich, Red, Health-Giving Blood.

Cold winter months, enforcing close confinement in over-heated, badly ventilated rooms—in the home, in the shop, and in the school—sap the vitality of even the strongest. The blood becomes clogged with impurities, the liver sluggish, the kidneys weakened, sleep is not restful, you awake just as tired as when you went to bed; are low-spirited, perhaps have headache and blotchy skin—that is the condition of thousands of people every spring. It comes to all unless the blood is fortified by a good tonic—by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills not only banish this feeling but they guard against the more serious ailments which usually follow—rheumatism, nervous debility, anaemia, indigestion and kidney trouble. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are an ideal spring medicine. Every dose makes new, rich, red blood. Every drop of new blood helps to strengthen the overworked nerves, overcomes weakness and drives the germs of disease from the body. A thorough treatment gives you vim and energy to resist the torrid heat of the coming summer. Mr. Mack A. Meuse, Sluice Point, N. S., says: "I was so completely run down that I could hardly work. I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as I had heard them highly spoken of, and a few boxes worked a great change in my condition. I am again feeling as well and strong as ever I did and can recommend the pills to all weak people."

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7 lbs. Best Rolled Oats.....	25c
6 Bars Comfort Soap.....	25c
1 Fine Table Syrup, per Gallon.....	50c
10 Cans Pineapple, per dozen.....	15c
1 Fresh Ground Coffee, per pound.....	25c
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