Perhaps, too, there is something newer still in the fact that the se-

verest criticisms Premier Whitney has sustained have been from the press of his own party. Unless these editors are disgruntled, and make their attacks from hidden

pilots of the concession hunter and

grafter as cormorants, trouble for

the party and loss to the province

will ensue. It was a great Conserva-tive victory that marked the 25th of January in this province; but it was also a people's triumph. Mr. Whit-

ney's duty is, therefore, to rule for the people and keep the corpora-

tions at bay. While hammering Ross and Gibson and Stratton he declared

for a high standard of public control by the men in authority and from that

standard he cannot successfully de-part. One thing calculated to make him careless and indifferent is a sycophantic party press that will

applaud his every act and endorse the

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Mutual Life Revelations NOT CAMPAIGN CATCHWORD More Shocking Than Equitable. Says Attorney - Two Members of McCurdy Family Draw \$2,600,000 in Com-

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Ownership.—Matter of Money.

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Ownership for reform in the supervision of the liquor trade; for a reducent of the company, and the promise of District Attorney Jerome, that the insurance scandals certainly will be submitted later to an extraordinary grand jury were the sensational developments in the insurance situation to-day.

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W. F. Thummel, the attorney who was associated with Judge Andrew Hamilton of Albany, in looking after legislation for the New York Life, the Equitable Life and the Mutual Life Insurance companies in the so-called legislative pool that was exposed last week, testified before the committee that he was now employed as an atterney for the Mutual Life Insurance Company at a salary of \$7200 a year. company at a salary of \$7200 a year. Mr. Thummel said that he personally placed in the hands of the chairman of the Republican congressional campaign committee \$2500 in cash, which had been given the witness for that purpose by Vice-President Robert A. Granniss of the Mutual Life Insurance

Company.
Why It Was Given. Witness said the contribution had been suggested by the danger of a Democratic house, that would result in tariff and other legislation of a character to the said of the said ter to upset business and affect policy-holders. He said other companies had been asked to contribute, but he did not know how many did so. Mr. Thummel denied paying money to influence

legislation.

He described the legislative pool, and said the expenses were met by the company looking after the territory in which expenses were incurred, and later an adjustment of these expenses. Was made between the three companies. He had received money from the New York Life in the adjustments, but kept no account of his disbursements. Mr. Thummel said Mr. McCall was in error in his testimony yesterday, that he had paid money to the witness to further federal supervision of insurance, the disappeared last Friday night. Coroner Noble was notified, but, it is not thought an inquest will be held. nad paid money to the witness to further federal supervision of insurance. Witness had talked with Mr. McCall on this subject, and Mr. McCall had promised to contribute to it, but no money was paid to Mr. Thummel.

He further described the division of been in New York Ct. I would night.

Coroner Noble was notified, but, it is not thought an inquest will be held. as there are no marks of violence on the body.

Papers in his pocket showed he had He lurther described the division of been in New York, St. Louis and other territory in the country under which the companies looked after legislation affecting insurance interests, and said the Mutual Life had paid out in 1904 about \$15,000 for legislative work.

McCurdy on the Stand. It was at this point that Robert H. McCurdy was called. He had several documents in his hand as he mounted the platform, and when he had been manager of the Mutual Life Insurance Company. His powers, he said, were delegated to him by the president and vice-presidents of the company. His duties, he said, were principally confined to the supervision of the agency. How Dr. Pyne represented the government Prof. London University Colleges were represented the government. Prof. London University Colleges are represented the government. Prof. London University Colleges were represented the government. Prof. London University Colleges were represented the government.

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COATSWORTH FOR MAYOR.

No Other Conservative to Oppose Urquhart in January.

Yesterday it was stated that the ald- Hughes and Speaker St. John, erman would oppose Mayor Urquhart, if the latter ventured to go after a fourth term, and that there would be no other Conservative candidate in the

Ald. Coatsworth would be acceptable,

house. In fact , they cover the business district, and are constantly adding to their already large number of subscrib-The system has been so thoroughly tested and improved during recent years as to merit the hearty endorsation the bankers and merchants of this

Boston Cigars, 4 for 25c Bollard.

McClellan, Tammany's Candidate for Mayor Also Declares for Public Ownership-Matter of Money.

Mayor McCleina, in McCleina, in Mayor McCleina, in Mayor McCleina, in McClei

tor Armstrong, chalrman of the legislative insurance investigating commission, wrote to-day that "We intend to devote some time to fraternal insurance before we finish our labors."

Hyde Gets No Favors.

Another incident of the day's developments was the publication of a letter from Chas. E. Hughes, counsel to the legislative committee, to Samuel Untermyer, counsel for James J. Hyde, the former controlling stockholder of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, in which Mr. Hughes said the committee would make no discrimination in favor of Mr. Hyde in his examination before the committee.

In lieu of an appearance in person, James Hazen Hyde, thru his counsel, offered his testimony before Superintendent Hendricks. It seems improbate a summing of the legislative former to the finish administration the city had taken control of the Staten Island ferry service, and taken steps to acquire other ferries, and also contracted for a municipal electric lighting plant. The matter of municipal ownership was a proposition of dollars and cents. How the community may be best served, whether by private or public operation of public utilities, must be determined by the man of business and no theorist. "The franchise wealth of the city," the mayor continued, "belongs to the people and should never be parted with. Franchises should be granted only for limited periods, on terms most advantageous to the public.

"Any attempt, however, to acquire franchise property now in its possession by a mynicipality fettered by the exist-

James Hazen Hyde, thru his counsel, offered his testimony before Superintendent Hendricks. It seems improbable that Mr. Hyde's new offer will be accepted. Whether the committee will attempt to have Hyde indicted and extradited remains to be seen. The committee has considered this possibility. The Tribune will say to-morrow.

The chamber of commerce to-day, adopted a resolution declaring that additional legislation is needed for the proper regulation of life insurance companies.

W. F. Thummel, the attorney who was associated with Judge Andrew

"Any attempt, however, to acquire franchise property now in its possession by a municipality fettered by the existing constitutional debt—limitation, and therefore incapable of assuming the enormous obligations of purchase, maintended the renormous obligations of purchase, maintended the renormo

A Principle Now. "Public ownership," the platform as-"Public ownership," the platform asserts, "is no longer a campaign catchword, but a principle applied and in operation in this, the greatest of American cities. As intelligent, conservative, and responsible democratic administration may be entrusted with the continued application and the ultimate triumph upon safe lines of the principle of municipal control of public utilities."

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so satisfactory.
"Its finances have been honestly administered, and its credit has been restored and strengthened. Scandals are unknown, the city's reputation is un-blemished, and in the contemplation of its marvelous growth in greatness and power, civic ride is quickened."

CHINAMAN FOUND DROWNED. Prosperous, But Downhill Course Ends in Death.

A "floater" was found in the Bay

FUNERAL OF JOHN MILLAR. Various Educational Bodies Were Largely Represented.

The funeral of the late Deputy Minister of Education John Millar yesterday

Hon. Dr. Pyne represented the gov-ornment, Prof. Loudon, University Col-lege; Prof. Clark, Trinity; Chancellor Burwash, Victoria College, and Prof. Squair, the Dominion Educational As-

by Rev. Chancellor Burwash and Rev.
J. B. Smith, and the pall-bearers were:
Prof. Fletcher, Inspector Seath, Principal Scott, Dr. Pakenham, Inspector
Hugher and Speaker St. John

NEW COLONEL FOR R. C. R. Major Wadmore is Appointed to

Succeed Col Buchan. Ottawa, Oct. 5.-Major Robinson it is said, to the temperance people, the Methodist body and the Conservative party. In addition to this he would draw support from those opposed to a draw support from those opposed to a command of the Royal Canadian Re-

BLACKHEAD VICTIM

IS RETURNED BY ABDUCTORS New York, Oct. 5.—Tony Marendino, the small Italian boy who was kidnapped from his Brooklyn home two weeks ago, and has been held captive while demands for a \$5000 ransom were made upon his parents, was found to Morning newspaper route carriers made upon his parents, was found to-made upon his parents, was found

OUTSPOKEN CRITICISM OF MR. WHITNEY

An Old Time Conservative Daily Discusses the

SOME DEFECTS. Editorial Galt Daily Reporter (Con-servative) Oct. 4. Already we can detect a flavor of family compactism about the Whitney

government.

See how things are working in Queen's Park.

One Smith, a civil engineer, was given a fat office on the Temiskaming Railway. But that wasn't enough for the gentleman. A few weeks after he was made engineer of the power commission. He holds the two offices today.

P. W. Ellis, a member of the Niagara Falls Park Commission, another favor-ciples of public and municipal

Falls Park Commission, another favorite, was further honored by appointment to a place on the power commission of the liquor trade; for a reduction of the liqu

In fact, it is not going too far to say that the harshest judgments yet passed on the Whitney admini-stration have been in the editorial columns of newspapers that nobody would accuse of being in sympathy with the Liberal party, such as The Toronto World, The Galt Reporter and The Wiarton Canadian.

The Whitney administration is not likely to receive from the Liberal press the ding-dong, day-in-and-day-out, right-or-wrong cen-sure which The Mail and Empire pours forever and ever against any-body or anything associated with the Liberal party. The Mail is probably the last of the Mohicans in that style of journalism that wearies all and convinces none.

work of ministers who are courting The World reprints these two editorials from The Galt Reporter, not so much for what they say, as the splendid spirit they evince. We have taken the liberty of black lettering portions. They show that the public conscience is working at last, and especially that in the Conservative party there will be plenty of speaking out in open meeting. That is what we admire. Half a dozen papers joining with The World in its crusade for government for the people will work wonders. These papers are in sight: The Galt Reporter is one; The Weekly Sun is another; and there are others that the public can name. They will be a source of

strength to Mr. Whitney-not a menace. It may be, and we sometimes suspect, that some of the papers of the smaller towns are very sore on the competition that they have to encounter from cheap Toronto dailies, all of which are owned, published and distributed in the interests of corporations, and the political friends of corporations, and sold for as low a price as 60c and 70c a year. There are two of this class in Toronto, and a third one of them is sent any place outside of Ontario for less than \$2.00 a year. They are all Cox papers.

It is all very well for this class of paper to hand out complimentary notices to the evening dailies in the smaller towns, but they find that those who are most complimentary of them, also push them out of busi-Mr. Flavelle, for instance, is worthy of recognition for what he is doing in the way of improving the university, in the development of the hospital, and other philanthropic objects, and he is also worthy of the appreciation of Conservatives in his self-sacrifice, and in his willingness to help the cause of the Conservative party, and to strengthen Mr. Whitney's hands in an honest administration of the public affairs of Ontario, but he is also busy in the cheap paper business and apparently also busy in helping on the great Cox syndicate, of which he is a section; and no wonder that papers which feel this competition also think they see in Mr. Flavelle the Conservative end of that combination that once handled Ross & Co so advantageously to themselves, and which is now doing or rather getting ready to do the gracious with Mr Whitney and to "take care of him" as they took care of Mr. Ross. They will supply him with all kinds of generous support and laudations. They will praise him morn, noon and night. And they will deal with public rights by handing out platitudes. We further suspect that what The Galt Reporter says is thought by many others.

So in the light of the quotations above we beg to say that it is not quite equitable or quite good policy for the government, or for the leader to have only one kind of eggs in his basket, and apparently The Reporter, and some others in this city, think that Mr. Whitney has already enough

What Mr. Whitney must do more than anything else to-day, is not to recognize any set of individuals or any class, or to recognize those who may be philanthropic, but to deal justly with all classes, and above all things, to maintain public rights as against the corporations and to keep his weather-eye open for corporation agents and corporation jourpals with glad hands and armfulls of compliments. And we take it that this is just what Mr. Whitney is doing. But it will never hurt him to remind him of it at times. And now is one of the times, according to The The World's opinion is this: that The Galt Reporter, who speaks of

himself as only "a workingman," is a better friend of public rights and government for the people than Mr. Flavelle and therefore well worthy

Groom Absent, No Wedding Bride and Guests Waited

Thomas Garvin Disappears on Eve of Marriage to Young Riverdale Lady and is Since Unheard Of.

and wedding guests to the number of The funeral services were conducted fifty were in waiting for the ceremony, wedding at the home, where a number of handsome presents had been received. The guests had all arrived. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Wesley Dean. When the continued absence of Garvin awoke alarm, Garvin's twin sister from Buffalo became hysteri

Garvin was employed here as a pian Marguerite Cigars, 4 for 25c Bollard

Extra Protection.

The Holmes Electric Protection Company offers from any other method of guarding by electricity; individual Wires to every bank, store and warehouse. In fact, they cover the business district, and special canadian Regiment, to succeed Col. Buchan, promoted. Capt. A. E. Carpenter is appointed major to succeed Wadmore. Major Sydney Chilton Newburn, of the 13th regiment, has been appointed brigadier majoor of the fifth infantry brigade, western Ontario.

Where is He?

ON AND OFF AGAIN.

Victoria, Oct. 5.—The D.G.S. Quadra was inclined to be despondent at times, but at the Gillson home, where he last appeared on Monday evening, nothing brigade, western Ontario.

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ings are at his boarding place. Tuckett's "T, & B" 10 cent plug. 24 Ten Cents.

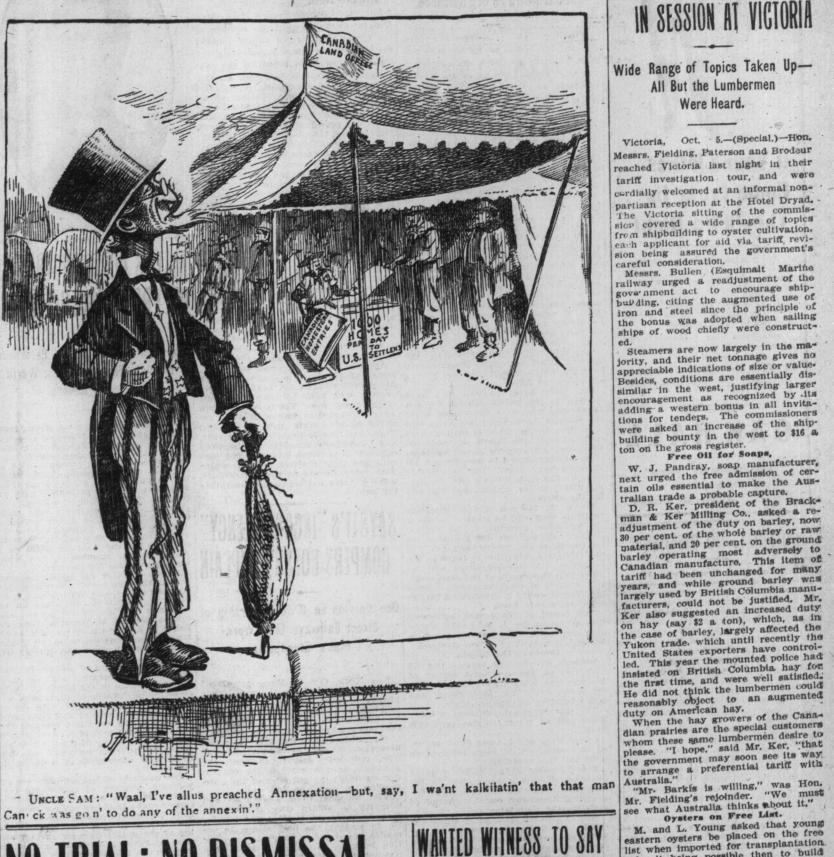
sack of OTTO COKE at your Will last a whole day. 125 Smoke Taylor's "Maple Leaf" Oigars on Olive, and she had her arrested.



V.C.Cigarettes for sale everywhere.

Not as Safe as It Seemed. Mrs. Reilly of 44 William-street used a teapot for a bank. With Mrs. Reilly lived Olive Durbin. The pot was \$7 shy, and Mrs. Reilly's sus

STILL THEY COME.



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NO TRIAL; NO DISMISSAL OFFICIALS SAFE AWHILE

Ontario Government Will Not Seek Evidence of Partizanship and It Is Up To the Conservatives To Lay Charges Against Office-

Fifty or sixty of the active Conservative party of Toronto, to wit the patronage committee, met at the Parliament Buildings last night Premier Whitney and some of his colleagues, The question discussed related to appointments-or rather non-appointnents. Premier Whitney called it a tea party," and the other conferees attend. The gathering was regularly

men who had been offensively active during the administration of the late government, and asked bluntly what he was going to do about it.

His answer melted the deputation and execration was turned to blessing. and execration was turned to blessing. So the government has again come off victorious in a family scrap which threatened more dire results than could come from an encounter with avowed and Constables Karr and Phillips and

This was the answer, in so many "Gentlemen,-If you want the head of a government official it is up to you, the patronage committee, to show why. It is not the business of the government to run around looking for information against any member of the service. We are not here for that purpose. We have other matters of importance before us. We believe you

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Men's full dress and frock suits, full sik lined, \$30 and \$35. Business suits, extra values, at \$20. MacLeod, Merchant Tailor, 452 Yonge, 3rd door above College. IMMIGRANT IS MISSING HAD \$500 WHEN LAST SEEN

Edmonton, N.W.T., Oct. 5 .- A young

man named Gorman, an immigrant, has mysteriously disappeared from near here, while returning from the post-He had over \$500 on him when last The police are investigating.

tality in Bay Near Queen's Wharf.

son, a plano polisher, living at 206 spiracy with reference to the insurance, Clinton-street, was drowned in the slip one of the witnesses making the startlat the foot of Brock-street.

Donaldson, who owned a small steam had offered him a substantial bribe to launch, had it moored in the slip. In perjure himself, would hardly admit that there had been launch, had it moored in the slip. In anything out of the ordinary run, Those company with his brother-in-law he present had been notified by card to went there to see if it was all right. It was missing. They took a flat bot-tomed scow and went in search of it. organized.

Altho the conferees were one and all able to hold their information pretty able to hold their information pretty close it nevertheless got out that there was a heart-to-heart talk on matters that lie to the heart of the working wing of the party in Toronto. Mr. Whitney was informed of the dissattiffaction over the retention in office of a way. Form Price's grass and sank. isfaction over the retention in office of men who had been offensively active Prince was exhausted when he climb-

> and Constables Kerr and Phillips, and assisted in dragging for the body. They worked for over two hours without success. They located the sunken scow. Constable Williams will take up the search this morning. Donaldson was 22 years of age, and worked for the Palmer Piano Com-

> Sometimes people whose doctor pre-cribes St. Leon Mineral Water are unable to procure it from their dealer. Do not go without this great curative agent, but write St. Leon Mineral Water Co., East Queen-street, Toronto, and they will tell you where to procure

Emoke Alive Bollard's Cool Mixture. ORATORS OF THE EVENING.

Montreal, Oct. 5 .- (Special.)-The fol lowing gentlemen will speak at the Whitney banquet on Tuesday night: lowing gentiemen will speak at the Whitney banquet on Tuesday night: Hon. J. P. Whitney, Hon. Dr. Reaume, and Hon. J. J. Foy, Messrs. Lucas and Bradasen, M.L.A., and Messrs, Monck, Marchand. Chapais, Bergeron and Marchand.

Conqueror Cigar, Sc. Alive Bollard

HON. G. W. ROSS IS SAID TO BE NEXT LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF B.C.

Victoria, B.C., Oct. 5 .- (Special.) -- Your correspondent is this morning informed upon high authority that a decison has been reachwith respect to the filling of the British Columbia lieutenant-governorship, vice Sir Henry Joly de Lotbiniere, the problem of deciding between the claimants within the province being solved by a selection outside altogether of the circle of expectants
Hon. George W. Ross, former premier of Ontario, has, it is

said, been agreed upon for the office, and has signified his willing-A formal announcement in this connection may be looked for

Statement at Fire Inquest at Hagersville May Result in Conspiracy

investigation into the supposed incendiary fire on the Almas estate here on Labor Day, was held before Coroner which otherwise would be established which otherwise would be established. Detective J. E. Rogers to-day. J. A. their raw material from British Co-Murphy, county crown attorney of lumbia mines.

H. F. W. Behnson for the cigar inH. F. W. Behnson for the augmentation of Gordon Donaldson is Victim of Fa- Cayuga, Mr. Kerr of Kerr & Thomp-

Cayuga, Mr. Kerr of Kerr & Thompson, Hamilton, and Mr. Corey, representing the Anglo-American Fire Insurance Company, prosecuted.

The evidence did not prove the suspicion of incendiarism, but prosecutions may follow in regard to an alleged constitution of the cigar interests advocated the augmentation of the duty on raw leaf tobacco with the object of inducing British Columbia ranchers to grow the plant.

There now remain only the lumber men to be heard, and the business of the commission in Victoria will be at About 9.30 last night Gordon Donald- may follow in regard to an alleged con-

perjure himself.
The fire occurr perjure himself.

The fire occurred in a dwelling occupied jointly by Goldberg and Fenwick, Jews. The place was thoroly gutted. Fenwick claimed insurance on from \$1300 to \$1600 worth of goods, which he claimed were in the place, but which, it is asserted, had been previously re-One of the witnesses said that Fen-

ing at Punta Gorda. The vessel will probably be a total loss. A delightful hot weather breakfast is a dish of Norka and cream, with a lit-tle fruit if desired, and a cup of Gold Medal Coffee. It's economical, too.

ALLISON-CANE-At Newmarket. Wednesday, Oct. 4, by Rev. N. A. Camp. 10 o'clock to-morrow night. bell, J. H. Allison of Port Perry, to Emma Frances Cane of Newmarket. BLACK-SCOTT-At Chalmers Church, on

to Matilda Margaret Scott of George town, Ont. McMURRICH-McKEE-At Knox Church, Woodstock, by the Rev. Dr. McMullen, Alc on Wednesday, Oct. 4, Annie Adelaine, daughter of George W. McKee, to G. Temple McMurrich of Toronto.

DEATHS. CANNIFF-On Oct. 4, suddenly, Frederick M. Canniff, barrister-at-law. Funeral (private) from 61 Cecil-street

Friday, the 6th inst. Friends will please send no flowers. COOPER-At St. Michael's Hospital, on Wednesday, Oct. 4, Robert Cooper, in his 61st year. Funeral Saturday, from his late resi-

dence, 8 Clara-street, to Necropolis Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. HEATH-In Hamilton, Wednesday, Oct. 4, 1905, Arthur G. Heath, aged 31 years. Funeral from his late residence, 124

Peter-street, Hamilton, on Friday, at 3.30 p.m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. PARK-On Oct. 4, 1905, at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Muckle, 116 William-

street, Horatio (Ray) Park, aged 49 Funeral from above address on Saturday, at 2 p.m., to St. James' Cemetery.

Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. F. W. Mathews Co. Undertakers.

ONE CENT TARIFF COMMISSIONERS

IN SESSION AT VICTORIA

Wide Range of Topics Taken Up-All But the Lumbermen Were Heard.

Victoria, Oct. 5 .- (Special.) -- Hon. Messrs. Fielding, Paterson and Brodeur reached Victoria last night in their tariff investigation tour, and were cordially welcomed at an informal nonpartisan reception at the Hotel Dryad. The Victoria sitting of the commission covered a wide range of topics from shipbuilding to oyster cultivation, each applicant for aid via tariff, revision.

each applicant for aid via tariff, revision being assured the government's careful consideration.

Messrs. Bullen (Esquimalt Marine railway urged a readjustment of the government act to encourage shipbubding, citing the augmented use of iron and steel since the principle of the bonus was adopted when sailing ships of wood chiefly were constructed.

Steamers are now largely in the ma-Steamers are now largely in the majority, and their net tonnage gives no appreciable indications of size or value. Besides, conditions are essentially dissimilar in the west, justifying larger encouragement as recognized by its adding a western bonus in all invitations for tenders. The commissioners were asked an increase of the ship building bounty in the west to \$16 a, ten on the gross register. ton on the gross register.
Free Oil for Soaps,

W. J. Pandray, soap manufacturer, next urged the free admission of certain oils essential to make the Australian trade a probable capture.

D. R. Ker, president of the Bracksman & Ker Milling Co., asked a readjustment of the duty on barley, now 30 per cent. of the whole barley or raw material, and 20 per cent. on the ground barley operating most adversely to material, and 20 per cent, on the ground barley operating most adversely to Canadian manufacture. This item of tariff had been unchanged for many years, and while ground barley was largely used by British Columbia manufacturers, could not be justified. Mr. Ker also suggested an increased duty on hay (say \$2 a ton), which, as in the case of barley, largely affected the Yukon trade, which until recently the United States exporters have controlled. This year the mounted police had insisted on British Columbia hay for the first time, and were well satisfied. He did not think the lumbermen could reasonably object to an augmented duty on American hay.

When the hay growers of the Canadian prairies are the special customers whom these same lumbermen desire to please. "I hope," said Mr. Ker, "that the government may soon see its way, to arrange a preferential tariff with

eastern oysters be placed on the free list when imported for transplantation. only, it being possible then to build up an important industry now monopolized by California. In so far as British Columbia, the Yukon and the western prairies are concerned, it was explained that the maritime provinces cannot supply sufficient quantities of young oysters for western needs.

young oysters for western needs, Transplantation oysters on the free list should not exced eight months in Bounty on Pig Iron. Hagersville, Oct. 5.—(Special.)—The restigation into the superscript the superscript into the superscript that it would result in immense blest functions.

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protest of the Victoria Phoenix Brewing Co. against the prohibition upon Canadian brewers of using rice and similar less expensive ingredients in the manufacture of beer, under penalty of an additional charge of 10 cents per gallon. American beers, not subject to the Canadian regulation, it is contended, are made of cheaper materials. The commission was asked to allow rice to commission was asked to allow rice to be used without extra impost. The Liwith offers of compensation if he would declare the goods had been there at the time of the fire.

Vessel Wrecked.

Eureka, Cal., Oct. 5.—The steamer St. Paul, bound from San Francisco to Portland, Ore., went ashore this morning at Power as a Proposition of the same tests for ingredients as Canadian brewers was not pressed. It was announced this evening that the lumbermen will probably abandon representations here.

About Time for a New Hat. It only takes a few minutes at Diner's to prove to a man what stylish hat will suit him, because every fashion is there. From a full choice a man ought to be able to get exactly what he wants. Dineen's hats have quality and appearance, and prices are within moderation. The store will be open till the cleak termogrow uight.

COOL. Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay-

Thursday, Oct. 5, by the Rev. H. A. Moderate variable winds; fine and Macpherson, Thomas Black of Toronto comparatively cool.

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