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THE OIL DUTIES.

In the days when the Conservatives
were in power the duties on coal oil were
singled out for strong and constant con-
demnation. Since the Liberal party
came into power they have indeed re-
duced the duty to some extent—perhaps
one cent per gallon—but have come far
short of what the country had a reason-
able right to expect of them in that
regard. The duty ought, in the interest of
consumers to be entirely swept away or
greatly reduced.

The situation is briefly this:—In one or
two counties of Ontario there are oil
wells, many in number but of compara-
tively small productive capacity, which
are only sufficient to produce about one
half the oil required for consumption in
the country, and generally of an inferior
quality to that imported. In 1899 we im-
ported 10,403,602 gallons and there was
produced in Canada 11,883,037 gallons. In-
round figures the price at which the
foreign oil was entered at the custom
house was 15 cents, and the value of the
Canadian oil at the place of shipment was
then 10 cents per gallon. The duty on
the imported oil was 5 cents per gallon.

In addition to the duties on imported
oils are the duties on the tanks, the in-
spection fees, etc. which go to swell the
price to consumers. Moreover the Cana-
dian oil wells are mainly controlled by
the Standard Oil Company of the United
States. In the United States there is the
competition of other oil companies with
the Standard, which serves to keep down
the price in that country. So from all
these causes it happens that consumers in
the United States pay little more than
half as much for their oil as the people of
Canada pay for a like article. At the
same time we are not really protecting
Canadian producers of oil, for every dol-
lar that the system of high oil duties puts
into the pockets of Canadians it puts eight
to ten dollars into the pockets of Rocke-
feller and his associates, who, as we have
said, own a controlling interest in the
Canadian wells.

The question is in no sense one of party.
The Government of the day have, as we
said reduced the duties and removed some
troublesome restrictions. Let that be
placed to their credit. But they have left
the duties still so high that because of
them we are now paying very nearly
twice as much for both domestic and im-
ported oil as we would pay if the duty
were abolished. Of course, there is some-
thing to be said on the other side, as there
always is. If foreign oil were admitted
free of duty, or at a greatly reduced rate
of duty, some, and perhaps many of the
poorer paying wells in Ontario would no

longer be operated. Then less domestic
oil would be produced, more oil would be
imported, a number of persons now em-
ployed in Lambton and Bothwell counties
would be put out of employment, and so
on. On these grounds the producers of
Canadian oil make their stand, and by
means of a powerful lobby, appealing to
the strong protectionist sentiment in
Parliament they have so far been able to
prevent any further reduction of the oil
duties.

THE GUARDIAN is strongly of opinion
that the entire population of Canada
ought not longer to be taxed for the sake
of the oil-well owners and refiners in parts
of two Ontario counties. But we pre-
sume that unless the people make their
influence felt by strong remonstrances
through their representatives in Parlia-
ment things will remain very much as
they are.

At an early hour yesterday morning
some sixteen Irish members of the
British House of Commons, on account
of disorderly conduct in refusing to obey
the rules of the House, were named by
the Speaker, then by resolution were
suspended, and on their refusal to leave
the chamber were forcibly ejected by the
police. Several of the number resisted
the police, but were carried out. These
men are probably not insane enough to
think that the cause of Ireland can be
benefitted by a course of disorderly con-
duct and obstruction. The worst enemies
of Ireland could only wish that they
would continue on this line of action,
which is calculated to alienate the sym-
pathy of the better classes throughout
the Empire and the world. There are a
number of high-minded men among the
Irish representatives, such as our own
Edward Blake, who must have been both
pained and disgusted by the disgraceful
scene.

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Meetings of the Electors of East
Queens will be held at the following
places and times, to which the op-
posing Candidate is invited:—
Wednesday, March 6th, at Pownal,
at 7 o'clock p.m.
Friday, March 8th, at Lake Verde,
at 7 o'clock p.m.
Saturday, March 9th, at Grand
View, at 2 o'clock p.m.
Tuesday, March 12th, at Mount
Herbert, at 7 o'clock p.m.
Thursday, March 14th, at Wheatley
River, at 2 o'clock p.m.
Thursday, March 14th, at Rustico
Bank Hall, at 7 o'clock p.m.
Friday, March 15th, Brackley
Point Road, at 7 o'clock p.m.
Saturday, March 16th, at Mt.
Stewart, at 2 o'clock p.m.
Monday, March 18th, at Eldon, at
2 o'clock p.m.
Monday, March 18th, at Belle
River, at 7 o'clock p.m.
Tuesday, March 19th, at Murray
River, at 2 o'clock p.m.
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LUNenburg, N.S., Sept. 26th, 1900.
From Mr. E. M. SHELZLE: It affords
me great pleasure to write you of the good
Doan's Pills have done my father. He
has been ailing for many years, and I
consider it providential that he ever got
a box of your pills. Altogether he has
used five boxes and is completely cured,
and wishes to recommend them to all who
suffer from kidney trouble.
AURORA, ONT., Nov. 23rd, 1900.
From Mr. SILAS MILLAR: Some months
ago, previous to procuring a box of Doan's
Pills, I was badly troubled with backache,
and the one box completely banished all
pain from my back, and I take great
pleasure in recommending them to others.
STANBRIDGE EAST, QUE., Feb. 8th '99.
From H. C. HALL, ex-Mayor: I have
been troubled with my back and kidneys
off and on for some time, and not long
ago I was taken with such a backache
that I could not straighten up and could
hardly lift a one pound weight. I pro-
cured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and was
astonished at their effect, for in a
short time I was completely cured,
do not hesitate to recommend them to
those who suffer from lame back or
troubles.
MIAMI, MAN., Nov. 14th, 1900.
From MR. ALEX. FRASER: Some
ago I procured a box of Doan's
Pills determining to give them a
trial. I had become so badly kidney complaint
had become so bad I could hardly
it. After using the box of pills I
cured and cannot refrain from recom-
mending them to all persons
with kidney disorder.
KAMLOOPS, B.C., Sept. 26th, 1900.
From MR. MATTHEW DRYDALE: Some
time ago I was troubled with an
pain in my back, and tired feeling of
the slightest exertion. My urine was
discolored. I procured a box of Doan's
Pills and after taking them my back-
ache has disappeared and my urine has
to its normal color. Altogether the pills
were a perfect cure. I consider them
wonderful preparation.

VICTORIA, P.E.I., Sept. 26th, 1900.
From MRS. P. H. CURTIS: My daugh-
ter, aged 19, had severe pains in her back
at times, also swelling of the feet and
legs. I procured a box of Doan's Pills
and by the time she had taken the one
box she had gained 9 pounds and was
completely cured.
MIDVIC, N.B., March 22nd, 1900.
From REV. J. W. GARDNER: I think it
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Tapestries

20 yds	brown & cream ground sold for	85c	now	55c
20 1/2 "	green " " " "	95	"	65c
21 "	red " " " "	85	"	55c
24 "	blue " " " "	65	"	50c
36 "	cream " red " " "	68	"	55c
21 1/2 "	" " brown " " "	85	"	60c
40 "	" " brown small pattern	1.00	"	65c

Short Ends

9 yds	red and brown sold for	85c	now	65c
8 "	cream and salmon " "	95c	now	68c
16 1/2 yds	cream and red " "	55c	now	43c
6 yds	green " " " "	65c	now	50c
14 yds	green and brown " "	80c	now	60c
5 yds	brown " " " "	68c	now	50c
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