

revolution, removed to N.S. with other loyalists; it is connected with the family of the late Major Genl. Sir Isaac Brock, K.B., the hero of Queenstown. S. of the late Rev. Chas. Tupper, D.D., of Aylesford, N.S. B. at Amherst, N.S., 2 July 1821. Is an M.A. of Acadia College, N.S. Took degree of M.D. at Edinburgh, and obtained the diploma of the Royal College of Surgeons, same city, 1843. M., Oct. 1846, Miss Frances Morse, of Amherst. Is Governor of Dalhousie College, Halifax (apptd. by Act of Parlt., 1862). Was Presdt. of the Can. Medical Assn. from its formation, 1867, until 1870, when he declined re-election. Was a mem. of the Ex. Council and Provl. Secy., N.S., from 1857 to 1860 and from 1863 to 30 June 1867; and Prime Minister of that Prov. from 1864 until he retired from office with his Govt. on the Union Act coming into force, 1 July 1867. Was a delegate to England on public business from the N.S. Govt., 1858 and 1865; from the Dominion Govt. (with respect to the N.S. difficulty) March 1868; leader of the delegation from N.S. to the Union Conference at Charlottetown, 1864; to that in Quebec in same year, and to the final Colonial Conference in London to complete terms of Union, 1866-67. Holds patent of rank and precedence from Her Majesty as an Ex. Councillor, N.S. Created C.B. (civil) by Her Majesty, 1867, and K.C.M.G., 24 May 1879. Author of *A Letter to the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Carnarvon on the Union Question* (London, 1866). Declined a seat in the Can. Cabinet, 1867, and the Chairmanship of Intercolonial Railway Board, 1868. Sworn of the Privy Council June 1870, and was Presdt. of that body from that date until 1 July 1872, when he was transferred to the Inland Revenue Dept., and there remained until 22 Feb. 1873, when apptd. Minister of Customs; resigned office with Sir John Macdonald, 5 Nov. 1873. Sat for present seat in N.S. Assembly from 1855 until the Union, when returned to Commons; re-elected by acclamation on his accepting office in 1870, again returned at g.e., 1872, again at g.e. 1874, and again at g.e. 1878; re-elected on accepting office of Minister of Public Works same year, making eleven times that he has been elected in his native county. Sworn as Minister of Public Works, Oct. 1878, and as Minister of Railways and Canals, 20 May 1879. The following are some of the measures which were introduced and carried through the Legislature of N.S. by the hon. mem.: The Jury Law; Education Act, providing free schools; Equity Judge Act; Windsor and Annapolis Railway Act; Bill providing for a Quarantine Station and Hospital; Representation Bill; Executive and Legislative Disabilities Act; the first Act passed by any of the Provinces prohibiting dual representation; an Act reducing the