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PART 2.

## FALLING TO PIECES

Tupper Resigns Because Bowell Accepted Van Horne's Advice Instead of His.

Hon. Geo. E. Foster also on the Verge of Deserting the Government.

He May Be Saved By Being Given the Leadership in the House.

Ottawa, March 27.—It is reported that Sir Charles H. Tupper has resigned his position in the cabinet. He has not attended a meeting of the cabinet since it was decided to have a session. Tupper was in favor of a general election. A gentleman thoroughly posted in political affairs said that it is understood that Sir Charles takes the ground that the course the government should have adopted was to immediately appeal to the country on the school issue, that being in his opinion the correct constitutional course to follow. On the other hand it is said that Sir Mackenzie Bowell differed from this opinion, and it being one of the prerogatives of the premier to decide when dissolution shall take place, he took the course which commended itself to his own judgment.

Ottawa, March 27.—Tupper was closeted in the house all day and refused to see anyone. Late reports in government circles is that Tupper also may resign. He was more strongly for an election than Tupper. However, with promises of the leadership in the commons, he may remain.

None of the ministers of the crown who were interviewed by your correspondent to-day will deny the statement that Tupper has resigned from the cabinet, neither will they confirm it. It is correct that he has attended a cabinet meeting, but it was decided to hold a session before the general election. Tupper all along has been determined for elections, although he saw defeat. He was riding for a fall, so that Laurier would have had such a legacy on the school question, finances, etc., that would bring down unpopularity on the Liberal party. Now he sees the government will have to go on with these leaders and meet parliament without a leader in the house and come out of it all so badly defeated as not to be recognizable. The fact that Tupper is to be made the leader in the commons is also another reason for Tupper's dissatisfaction. He was not in favor of Patterson's retirement. It is said that his resignation has not yet been accepted.

Dr. Montague was sworn in secretary of state at the council last evening. Hon. J. C. Patterson retires.

## THE EMPEROR AND BISMARCK.

Press Comments on the Action of the Reichstag.

Friedrichsruhe, March 26.—In proposing Bismarck's health at luncheon, Emperor William said: "The eightieth birthday of your serene highness coincides with the 25th year of the German Empire. The congratulations of the army, rendered sacred to the memory of the mighty struggle, I was able to offer you before the troops. It is not to the great statesman, but to the officer that my fervent wishes go out to-day. Three months appear to me to be especially appropriate to this day. First, the confirmation verse, 'Whatever we do, do it heartily as to the Lord and not unto men.' This betokens the immovable trust in God by which your highness accomplished your mighty task, and which, moreover, the army has never denied. The second motto is the word 'nevertheless.' This was the expression of the brave Count Manteuffel when boldly, with sword in his mailed hand, he confronted an overwhelming amount of foes. Your highness often proved the truth of this motto, especially in that time of weighty resolutions for my grandfather, when he proudly pointed to his officers. The third motto, 'Spectemur armato' (let us be judged by our actions), which my English dragoon regiment wrote proudly on its standard when, after riding down the enemy's square, they captured their colors. This motto can serve as an answer to everything that your highness' enemies and envious may say or do. But we, who joyfully and admiringly feel your highness' desire to complete the splendid work commenced under the glorious old Kaiser, one and all join in the cry which all Germany, from the snow clad Alps to the dykes of the Baltic, where the breakers thunder and roar, will shout with glowing hearts."

Berlin, March 26.—It is learned that the Kaiser during luncheon at Friedrichsruhe to-day referred to the political situation. He said that he was fully determined to dissolve the reichstag and that

Count von Waldersee would become the chancellor shortly. His Majesty has ordered Count von Waldersee to confer with Prince Bismarck regarding the line of policy to be followed.

The Vossische Zeitung, while regretting the decision of the reichstag with regard to Prince Bismarck, reminds its readers that the house only acted out his own measure to the ex-Chancellor. The paper recalls Bismarck's wistful refusal to allow the vote of confidence passed by the United States congress on the death of Herr Lakes to be laid on the table in the reichstag although there was no constitutional objection to such action, and says: "A man who carries personal animosity beyond the grave would not have consented to congratulate an opponent on the occasion of that opponent's 80th birthday."

The Vossische Zeitung recalls how Bismarck persecuted, boycotted and slandered his opponents, expelled officers from the army on account of their hostile views, withheld rewards and removed professors and judges merely because of their progressive policies. The Daily News Berlin correspondent says: "The probable consequences of the division in the reichstag are much discussed in the lobby of parliament. It cannot prevail that cheerful spirits prevail among the majority. Contrasts especially begin to see that a blunder has been made. The centre party was on the verge of attaining friendly terms with the government and of reaching all its desires. Now it is further than ever from the desired goal. The radicals admit the critical character of the situation, although they claim it is improved as far as they are concerned by the Emperor's telegram to Prince Bismarck, in which he condemned the action of the reichstag. The telegram will be used to alarm the electors, who will be told that their constitutional rights are being attacked."

## NEWS OF THE DOMINION.

Orange Grand Lodge of Manitoba to Meet at Winnipeg This Afternoon.

Desperate Attempt of Three Criminals to Escape From the Woodstock Jail.

Winnipeg, March 27.—The Orange grand lodge of Manitoba opens this afternoon. It is expected that important resolutions on the school question will be passed.

Quebec, March 27.—It is understood the writ for the by-election in Quebec West will be issued to-day or to-morrow. Either Dobell or McGreevy will be the government candidate.

Delta, Ont., March 27.—The Liberals of South Leeds have nominated W. H. Fredenburg for the commons.

Halifax, March 27.—J. A. Macdonald, M. P. Victoria, has been re-nominated for the commons by the Conservatives.

Owen Sound, March 27.—There is intense excitement at shallow Lake over the mysterious death of John Flynn, who was found in the wood shed at Cruikshanks' school house with several wounds on his head.

Woodstock, Ont., March 27.—David McGee, James Munroe and Thomas Perry, three prisoners confined in the jail here awaiting removal to the Central Prison at Toronto, made a determined attempt to escape yesterday. They made a savage attack on Governor Cameron, knocking him down and injuring him severely and then escaped to the yard when, the alarm having been given, they were captured as they were attempting to scale the wall with the aid of planks.

Toronto, March 27.—John Waldie has declined the Liberal nomination in Hamilton.

Charlottetown, March 27.—The provincial auditors' report was tabled in the legislature yesterday. The year's expenditure is \$302,932; receipts, \$282,468.

Montreal, March 27.—Sir Donald A. Smith has accepted the presidency of the committee of management of the international exhibition which it is proposed to hold in Montreal in 1896. An influential delegation has been appointed to ask the Dominion and provincial governments for assistance.

Quebec, March 27.—The arbitration court has rendered judgment in the matter of the city of Hamilton's coupons connected with the unsettled accounts between the provinces. The province of Ontario has been ordered to pay the sum of \$16,000.

Toronto, March 27.—In the legislature yesterday Hon. Mr. Bronson introduced a bill prohibiting Sunday traffic on any electric road extending more than one mile beyond the limit of any city, town or incorporated village. The bill will likely become law.

Ottawa, March 27.—In the specifications for the steam service between Canada, France and Belgium, which the department of trade and commerce is inviting, it is provided that the vessels must have cold storage accommodation.

Eleven tenders have been received for the Peterboro to Lakefield division of the Trent canal.

A recent customs ruling states that horse and hair clippers are dutiable as "tools N. E. S." at 35 per cent.

The exports from Canada to Great Britain of hay last month amounted to 450 tons as against 1136 in February of last year.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.—South American Rheumatic Cure, for Rheumatism and Neuralgia, radium in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 25 cents. Sold by Geo. Morrison, druggist.

## CUBANS STILL DETERMINED

The First Authentic News of the Rebellion That Has Been Received.

Many of the Inhabitants Ready to Join the Rebels—Some Skirmishes.

Tampa, Fla., March 26.—The steamer Olivette arrived Sunday night from Havana, bringing a number of passengers from the eastern end of the island. They were able to give more authentic accounts of the Cuban insurrection than any heretofore received. Among them was Colman who had been at Manzanillo from January 8 to March 17, excepting occasionally visiting the interior. He states the uprising occurred simultaneously throughout the province of Santiago February 24. The next day Gen. la Chaire arrived at Guantanamo from Santiago with 200 Spanish soldiers, returning to Santiago on the 26th with a part of the same troops. His reason is unknown, but it is supposed he feared a trap.

The chief of the rebels around Guanatanamo is Henry Brooks, nephew of R. Brooks of Santiago. Since the first outbreak he has been joined by Pesque Perez, a very good soldier. They have 600 men at Guanatanamo. In Santiago province there are 6000 men under arms. The opinion is that should Puerto Principe rise, as planned upon the Olivette's departure, this would bring a strong force of determined men, increasing the insurgents to about 10,000. Mirabel, a bandit, who held for ransom one Lopez, son of Strandi, returned the child to his parents on March 16. Mirabel claims to hold a commission of colonel from the Cubans. He commands a strong, dangerous band.

At Santiago some young men who were in sympathy with the cause did not join the movement, fearing that the negroes were the principal directors. This inference was drawn from Gillerman's statement that his chief was Gualanher to Gomez.

About thirty miles from Santiago, near El Cobre, 400 Spanish troops were on March 15th ambushed by an insurgent band under command of Palaco. The Spanish loss was exceedingly heavy. They were routed, and the Cubans notified the Spanish authorities to send for their dead and wounded. The number of the Cuban band is not known.

Guillermo, who has been in the vicinity of Oristo, was seen by the passenger interviewed. He is a leader of strength and the government forces fear and watch him. He hovers near Manzanillo, commanding 500 well drilled cavalry. About March 16 he sacked Champuega village, which consists of about seven hundred inhabitants, and which was being guarded by 50 Spanish soldiers.

The commanding lieutenant was captured while absent from the garrison, the fortification was surrounded, and upon the promise of life being spared the arms and the barracks were surrendered. This happened in midday. That night, after the insurgents had gone, the Spanish troops arrived. The surrendering lieutenant was arrested by them and sent to prison.

A great many ex-Spanish soldiers are with Guerrero and Masson, four miles from Manzanillo. Guerra captured the town from the plantations. As a rule the plantations are unmolested, but a Spanish plantation is not permitted to work. In Manzanillo the volunteers and citizens are constantly fearing capture. The entrances to the city are guarded, and no one is allowed to pass the gates at night. Those entering during the day are compelled to surrender their arms. The streets are constantly patrolled at night. Some of the richer stores have erected opposite their stands small turreted towers with their round bodies projecting in from the streets from the corners, so that loop holes command the four directions from the street. These towers are ten feet high and twelve feet in diameter. The latest reports are that the insurgent forces have withdrawn into the interior, to plan an attack, it is thought, upon Santiago.

Col. Santocida has arrived at Manzanillo from Santiago and is in command of the Manzanillo section of Spanish troops, of about one hundred soldiers, who, after a fight at Balre, started for the interior. When passing Bayano and about five miles distant he was ambushed by nearly 400 insurgents. The fire was so fierce that they were compelled to form a hollow square to protect themselves. The Spanish ranks were fearfully moved down, while the Cuban losses were not insignificant. Among the latter Rodriguez, an aide of Masson, was killed. Had it not been for the timely arrival of Spanish troops from Bayano the band of Spaniards would have been a total loss.

Around the Canto river section the whole country is in a state of rebellion. A strong band of insurgents are on the northern coast, daily expecting an expedition from the United States. The insurrection movement does not appear to be received with favor by the people, who are moving into the cities. All kinds of work is suspended. The cutting of high grade timber has stopped, from the fact that numbers of the cutters are with the insurgents and others are to be had to take their places. The insurgents do not allow of the movement of cattle, keeping them in their regular pastures. In the latter part of April the rainy season begins in that section. The roads will become impassable, making all kinds of movement difficult and expensive, especially with foreign troops, as horses with tender feet will have to be shod or abandoned. Everything then will be in favor of the insurgents.

The formation of the new Spanish ministry attracts much attention. If prudent they may hold the revolution in a partly passive state for several months, or if they are unwise, they may hurl a firebrand into the powder magazine and drive many into revolt who are now neutral.

A small gunboat was patrolling the coast near Cape Cruz, March 16, and noticed a ship's yawl heading for them. It proved to contain two German sailors, who wanted water. They claimed to be fishermen from San Domingo, being blown from the coast by heavy south-eastern gales. They were sent to Santiago and put in jail, where were also two Americans found in the same manner two weeks ago. The American and German consuls both have the matter before them.

The passenger mentioned is an American Cuban and gives a truthful account of the situation. Many incidents mentioned he is acquainted with by personal knowledge.

## CLAIM A VICTORY.

Rebels Defeated at Boyaca After a Hard Fight.

New York, March 26.—A special to the Herald from Panama says: "The Government has issued a bulletin claiming a victory over the rebels at Boyaca. It was a costly one, however, for out of the 3000 troops under General Reyes, which formed the expedition, 1500 dropped off through fatigue or disease during the march and of the remaining 1500, which gave battle to the rebels, 700 were killed before victory rested with the government."

## JAPAN EXPRESSES HER GRIEF

The Russian Who Shot Li Hung Chang Receives Severe Punishment.

Imperial Rescript Published in a Special Issue of the Official Gazette.

New York, March 27.—A special to the Herald from Shanghai says: "The following is a translation from an imperial rescript, published in a special issue of the Japanese official Gazette in connection with the attempt upon the life of Li Hung Chang. 'China is now in a state of war with our country, but she has, with a due observance of the forms of international etiquette, sent an ambassador for the conclusion of peace. We, on our part, named our plenipotentiaries, who were instructed to meet him and negotiate at Simonski, thus it was incumbent upon us, in pursuance with international usage, to afford the ambassador treatment consistent with the national honor and to accord him a suitable escort for his protection. We contrived to use the utmost diligence and it is therefore, with profound grief that we now have to express our regret, that a Russian should have dared to inflict personal injury upon the Chinese ambassador."

The culprit must receive the severest punishment provided by law. Our official subjects must respect our wishes to preserve the glory of this country untarnished, and must provide against the recurrence of such violence."

Simonski, March 27.—The condition of Li Hung Chang is very favorable. His physician has warned his attendants of the necessity of a free use of antiseptic applications. The far the envoy has been free from fever.

London, March 27.—A Yokohama dispatch says the Japanese Diet closed its session this morning. The Diet passed resolutions deploring the assault upon Li Hung Chang. The greatest care is being exercised in the treatment of the Chinese envoy's wound, lest blood poisoning should supervene.

## GREAT BIG STEAL.

Officers of the Whiskey Trust Charged With Pocketing Rebates.

Chicago, March 27.—To-day's disclosures of the extraordinary management of the whiskey trust under the Greenhut regime was quite as startling as anything that has heretofore been developed by the examination of the books and papers. The inspectors appointed by the reorganization committee have, it was said, discovered that nearly \$400,000 was paid by railroads, presumably for the benefit of the trust, but not one dollar of it appears among the credit items on the books. The money was paid on rebates on shipments, and the men who received it, it is alleged, were among the highest officials of the trust. Only the outlines of the story were allowed to leak out. In its entirety it was preserved to be presented to the reorganization committee at its meeting in New York, and by the committee to be used, as a basis for its future action in court against certain officers of the trust. The experts, it is said, accidentally hit on a clue, which, followed up, disclosed to

them that the trust had been a favorite of certain railroads. Extending over a considerable period, they found that each car load of spirits shipped was given a concession. The rebate amounted to from \$7 to \$11 a car.

## MINISTERS ON THE RUN.

Messrs. Tupper and Foster Fail to Appear at the Cabinet Meeting To-day.

Ottawa, March 28.—There was a meeting of the cabinet this afternoon, called to consider the action taken by Tupper. It is needless to say that Tupper was not present. It was given out that he had left for Montreal, but this is understood only to be an excuse for his not attending the council. He is said to be still hiding at his house, waiting to see what the government will do in his case. Foster was not at the cabinet meeting either. In his case it is said at the department that he has got a bad cold. He has not been there since Tuesday. Tupper left his departure at the same time as Foster left and neither has returned since. Some even go so far as saying that dissolution may yet come. The report is current here to-day that Clarke Wallace's resignation was before to-day's cabinet meeting. The story published that Lord Aberdeen has been recalled is fiction.

## NANAIMO NEWS.

Liberals Anxious That Mr. Marchant Should Contest the Constituency.

Nanaimo, March 27.—For several months past the New Vancouver Coal Company have been engaged in prospecting in the Protection main slope. At different times veins of coal were met with only to be lost again in a few days. Now the company have been rewarded by the recovery of an excellent seam of coal which cannot be surpassed in quality from any other pit on the island. The vein is from six to seven feet thick and has every appearance of being there in abundance. The discovery is of the greatest importance to the people of this city who depend solely upon these mines. The company are carrying on several other prospects which may turn out well in time.

There is a general wish among the Liberals of Nanaimo that Mr. W. Marchant should contest this constituency in the Liberal interest. Mr. Marchant has made himself deservedly popular by his addresses before the Liberal club and it is the opinion of many that wherever he addressed a meeting in the constituency his nomination would be readily secured. It is a well-known fact that the present member would rather face any man in the city on a public platform than Mr. Marchant.

The fire wardens have allowed the repairs to Patterson & Buckle's store to be proceeded with. The subject has called for much comment and the work for a time was stopped pending the decision of the fire wardens.

Ald. Davison has introduced a by-law having for its object the purchase of the present water works.

Ald. Planta has introduced a by-law for the purpose of erecting a new school on a more modern plan. There are several other loan by-laws to be introduced this year all of a progressive nature.

Nanaimo, March 28.—It is intimated that should the corporation persist in their endeavor to control the water works the company will decide to settle the matter by arbitration.

Frank Smith, charged before Judge Harrison yesterday, under the speedy trials act, with receiving stolen goods at the recent fire on Commercial street, was acquitted. Smith was ordered