

John Boyd Thompson
Parriss,
Parriss,
Feb 5 1915.

My dear Sir,
I have just
received your letter
of Jan 28th and am very
glad to learn that you
have been entrusted with
the responsibility of
work of writing the
Life of the Hon. Sir
G. E. Cartier Bt. you
will find much of
which I am giving
you on that subject
I am
Yours
Sincerely
Charles Tupper

whereby which that con-
federation could not
have been achieved
- but his powerful aid
It was strongly opposed
by the entire Party
Party led by the able
Hon. Mr. Dorian and
by the influential Irish
Dorian in Dublin and
nothing but the almost
- less courage and great
influence of over come
could have overcome
that hostility.
After
the conference at the Island
and Dublin, I came to
the conclusion that the

success of that grand
measure required the
heartly cooperation of
John E. Macdonald and
Cartier and for which
that the Imperial Govern-
ment had given great
assistance by conferring
H.C.B. upon the former
and the position
to the Duke of Buckingham
who agreed with me that
he told me that no im-
- ment could be made
until a date the necessary
occurred on that order I
suggested that for the
my line of work that

case Mr. Dorian may
consider it as being
by a person whom the
Government was for
need for George to be
fortunate by the posi-
on of the Minister of
- liter & told me that
he said so because
it was the most sig-
ficant of all & thus ren-
dered great service
in reply to your question
I can assure you that
there is no truth in the
statement that Sir John
ever suggested anything
the conference in any thing
but of the order of the
Yours faithfully
Charles Tupper