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SIR CHARLES' OLD GRIEVANCE

Still After Lord Aberdeen for Rejecting His Advice

After the Conservative Party Had Been Defeated.

Lord Aberdeen Was Backed by Mr. Chamberlain—The Meagher Outrage—After the C. P. R.

Ottawa, May 9.—In the House of Commons yesterday Sir Charles Tupper made another unsuccessful effort to have laid on the table the correspondence with the Imperial Government in relation to the refusal of Lord Aberdeen to sanction the appointment by the late government of a number of officers after they had suffered defeat at the polls. Sir Charles alleged that Lord Aberdeen had acted unconstitutionally in his action in 1896, that he was bound to assent to the recommendations of the defeated government, and that this administration had no choice but to acquiesce in what Sir Charles sought to do, basing the latter contention on the charge that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had been deserted on the Manitoba school issue by many of his followers.

THE PREMIER'S REPLY.
Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied to Sir Charles, stating that if anybody acted unconstitutionally at the time referred to it was Sir Charles himself, who had sought to perpetrate a clear, manifest and violent invasion of the will of the people. The former went on to show that Sir Charles two days after the election had acknowledged his defeat, but that at time went on, and evidently acting under pressure, he had taken upon himself to tender advice to Lord Aberdeen. That nobleman had declined to accept advice on anything which did not pertain to the routine business of government, pointing out that Sir Charles had not the people at his back. Proceeding to narrate the subsequent occurrences, Sir Wilfrid told how the matter had been referred to the colonial office by Lord Aberdeen. Mr. Joseph Chamberlain had cabled to Lord Aberdeen on June 10, 1896: "Your telegram of June 8 received. Cannot agree to the publication of any part of my secret dispatch of August, 1896, but if necessary our government may state purport of third paragraph."

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S APPROVAL.
The paragraph referred to, Sir Wilfrid said, expressed Mr. Chamberlain's approval of Lord Aberdeen's attitude in respect of the illegal exercise of power by the Conservative administration. Thus it is seen that Lord Aberdeen, in taking the action which he did was acting under the authority and the approval of the colonial office when he refused to sanction Sir Charles Tupper's efforts to go beyond the principle of responsible government, and it is also to be seen that by the dispatch received in June last Sir Wilfrid Laurier had the best authority for maintaining that Lord Aberdeen had high indorsement for his action, and that the first minister was precluded by Mr. Chamberlain's inhibition from giving more than the purport of a section of the dispatch forwarded by the colonial secretary. Sir Charles, the prime minister showed, had contravened the fundamental principle of British constitutional usage, which provides that the prime minister cannot give advice to the governor-general unless he has the country behind him, and as Sir Charles acknowledged his defeat to the Conservative press he cannot but have been aware that his government no longer enjoyed the confidence of the people. Sir Wilfrid showed that this fact placed out of court Sir Charles' contention, that Lord Aberdeen could not have known that the Conservative administration had been rejected on June 23, 1896.

SIR CHARLES WILL APEAL.
Sir Charles was not satisfied. The premier, he asserted, must not only publish Mr. Chamberlain's dispatch to Lord Aberdeen, but should also make public Lord Aberdeen's dispatches to the colonial secretary, whom he accused of having put himself to blame for trampling down the constitution. Sir Charles concluded by angrily announcing that he would continue the agitation, if necessary, until it should reach the Imperial House of Commons.

AFTER THE C. P. R.
Mr. Richardson, of Lissgar, made a vigorous fight for the appointment of a commission to investigate the accounts of the C. P. R. with a view to arriving at the actual cost of construction, in order that the provisions giving the government control of the rates, when the profits reach 10 per cent, may be put into effect. The debate will be resumed on a future occasion. Mr. Richardson claimed that the C. P. R. was stocked for \$65,000,000, not one-quarter of which was raised.

THE PACIFIC CABLE.
Mr. Morrison (New Westminster) asked if the government had received any communication on the subject of the Pacific cable recently, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier having replied that British Columbia had offered to con-

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mittee consider the propriety of reducing the bulk of the volume. Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, agreed with much the premier had said, but would remind him that no opposition had ever been confronted with such a mass of broken pledges on the part of the government, and, he added, the subject was not yet exhausted. (Laughter.)

On the suggestion of the premier, Mr. Charlton withdrew his motion.

MULTUM IN PARVO

Preston will incorporate as a town. Crispi may have to resume the premiership in Italy.

Brussels, Ont., has a realty assessment of \$277,690 this year.

Knox Church, Listowel, has given a call to Rev. J. S. Hardy, of Ayr.

A case of small-pox is reported in North Plantagenet, near the Ottawa River.

The International Association of Machinists will meet next year at Toronto.

Germany has introduced a measure for the rigid inspection of American meats.

It is said Mr. Tarte suffers from stone in the bladder, which may require an operation.

Twelve of the officials of Kingston Penitentiary staff are listed for retirement at an early date.

Rev. Alex. Gilroy, of Toronto, was chosen moderator of the Toronto and Kingston Presbyterian Synod.

Boys and girls are on strike in the Merchants' Cotton Company's Works, Montreal, for 10 per cent advance.

Frank Grimm and Herbert G. Edwards were drowned by the capsizing of a boat at Belvidere Point, Cal., yesterday.

Daniel McGuire, who for nearly half a century conducted an extensive grocery business in St. Catharines, Ont., died Monday.

Montreal's branch of the National Council of Women has petitioned the mayor to look after the matter of street improvement.

G. Littlejohn, a member of the colonial firm of Scott, Henderson & Co., of Sydney, N. S. W., is in Toronto, looking after Canadian trade.

Gold in paying quantities has been found at Minnie, four miles from Skaguay, and a general stampede has taken place from the gateway cities.

The Protestant Ministerial Association of Montreal has decided to send a deputation to Ottawa to protest against opening the canals on Sundays.

Mr. Thomas Musson, postmaster at Islington, died Sunday evening somewhat suddenly. Deceased had been postmaster for about forty years.

The report that the peach trees in Essex were badly damaged by frost is now confirmed. It is estimated that the loss to fruit growers will exceed \$500,000.

The New Eve Success, the organ of the Flying Rollers, published by D. L. Mackay, the leader of the local cult, of Windsor, will probably be suppressed.

Nine of the Indians concerned in the recent disturbances at St. Regis reserve have voluntarily gone to Beauharnois and given themselves up to the authorities.

The demand for Ontario thoroughbred cattle in the Northwest continues. More of the high-class cattle are being bred in the province this year than ever before.

A four-foot vein of coal has been found in Pere Marquette (Mich.) Mine No. 2 on H. L. Benjamin's farm, at a depth of 200 feet. The fuel is said to be almost equal to canal coal.

Duluth, Minn., mobs did the street railway rolling stock greater damage Sunday night than during all last week, breaking more than 100 car windows. Three passengers received cuts.

It is rumored in Wall street, New York, that President Sir William C. Van Horne will retire from the office which he now holds in favor of Mr. T. G. Shaughnessy, now vice-president.

United States Rear-Admiral Watson, in command of the Mare Island navy-yard, is to report to Admiral Dewey at Manila to relieve that officer when he feels that he can be spared there.

Hon. G. W. Ross called on Premier Hardy on Monday. Mr. Ross, who returned on Saturday from Hot Springs, Ark., where he has spent the last four weeks, looks wonderfully strong and well.

The Ontario Gazette announces that the lieutenant-governor in council has granted a charter to the Hamilton Driving and Athletic Association (Limited), with a capital stock of \$10,000.

Don M. Dickinson says that President McKinley, unless he advocates an Anglo-American alliance, will gain reelection. Criticism of an administration which successfully concluded the war is vain, he declares.

After a lingering illness Mr. James Smith passed away the other evening at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. A. Dunlop, Watford, in his 70th year. Deceased was an old and respected resident of Watford, where he had resided over 50 years.

Capt. Corning, of the British bark Howard D. Troop, at Portland, Ore., will present a claim for \$50,000 damages against the United States Government for the detention of his vessel and the removal of sailors therefrom by force on Friday last.

The coroner's jury has decided that William Prudham, of Lowville, Ont., committed suicide on April 8 by taking strychnine. Prudham was the mail-carrier between Lowville and Milton, and Dr. Anderson, of Milton, was the coroner.

Mrs. Bell, wife of Mr. George Bell, baker, of Paris, met with a very serious accident last week. Mrs. Bell was burning sulphur to fumigate a room, when her clothing caught fire, and she was so badly burned that slight hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Essex tobacco growers decided to have nothing more to do with English experts and are forming a local company to handle the crop and prepare it for the foreign market. The concern will be known as the Essex Tobacco Corporation; capital stock \$50,000.

Mrs. Constant Van Egmond, of Egmondville, near Seaford, Ont., died on Monday, aged 78 years. Deceased was the first settler in that part of the country, and was a native of England. Her late husband built the Huron road from Stratford to Goderich.

The exports of petroleum from Philadelphia to foreign ports for the first three months of this year shows a falling off of 22,000,000 gallons in the shipments for a corresponding period of last year, and a total falling off of 30,000,000 in 1897. This is attributed to the development of Bornean oil.

Superintendent John Cotton, of the Northwest Mounted Police, died Sunday afternoon at Battleford, Saskatchewan. He served in the Dominion Ar-

tillery at Kingston and went to Fort Garry as a lieutenant, joining the permanent artillery there in 1872. In 1879 he became connected with the N. W. M. F., gradually rising to be superintendent.

Rev. Dr. Grant, of Orillia, better known as "Knockout," has undertaken to write a biography of the late Dr. Cochrane. Dr. Grant and Dr. Cochrane were fast friends for years. Mrs. Cochrane has placed much valuable manuscript in the hands of the author. Rev. Dr. Stewart, of Glasgow, will write a chapter dealing with the doctor's boyhood in Paisley, Scotland.

As Miss Minnie Goodland, of Port Dover, was getting off her bicycle at the G. T. R. station the other evening, she stepped on a spike, which went through her foot to the skin on the upper side. So firmly was the spike embedded that some of the railway employees were obliged to stand on the plank in which the spike was in order to set free her foot.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Did Not Cure Gangrene—A Dropsy Case Causes Trouble.

New York, May 9.—President Michael C. Murphy, of the board of health, ordered the arrest yesterday of Mrs. Maria, a faith cure healer who is accused of being responsible for the critical condition in which Lillie Kranz, a 12-year-old child, now is, as a result of gangrene in the foot. The child was first attended by a physician, who said the affected member would have to be amputated. The parents refused to consent to this, and called in Mrs. Miller, who, it is alleged, said she could cure the child by laying on of hands. The patient grew rapidly worse and a physician was again called in. He ordered the child to a hospital, where the left leg was amputated, but the case had gone too far, and it is feared death will ensue.

Mount Vernon, N. Y., May 9.—Mrs. Charlotte Barquet, who had been ill for several months, died in this city on Wednesday, after being attended during the entire period of her illness by Christian Scientists. She was 67 years old, and the disease with which she is said to have been afflicted was dropsy. Her husband and one of her sons, Lillian W. Barquet, are followers of Mrs. Eddy, the founder of the so-called school of Christian Science. A coroner's inquest into the death of Mrs. Barquet was begun.

LICKED UP BY FIRE

Machine Factory in Ashes at Massillon, Ohio—Loss Fully \$500,000—A Blaze in Montreal.

Montreal, May 9.—A serious fire took place yesterday at 1210 Demontigny street. The house is occupied by Mrs. J. B. Guilbeau and family. Mrs. Guilbeau's father was lighting a fire in the stove, when it fell over and he and his granddaughters, Mrs. Mallet, were injured. The fire spread to Dr. Fortier's place, next door. Much damage resulted. At Guilbeau's everything was lost. They carried about \$5,000 insurance. Dr. Fortier's insurance is said to be \$5,500, which will probably cover the loss.

Massillon, Ohio, May 9.—Fire in Russell & Co.'s extensive thrasher and engine plant last night destroyed property valued at fully \$500,000. In this structure 300 machines were consumed.

Milford, Ont., May 9.—Dr. Bredin's dwelling house was burned yesterday. Building insured for \$1,000; no insurance on contents. Loss about \$1,700.

THE JAILBREAKERS HAD OUTSIDE HELP.

Toronto, May 9.—After a thorough examination of Napanee jail, Detective Greer has concluded that Pare and Holden had outside assistance in effecting their escape. The wire found in the pocket of Pare's coat, the detective declares, is only a bluff.

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Mr. Borkedal, of Norway, announces that the sun is burning out more rapidly than is usually believed, and that unless something interferes our grandchildren will see its extinction. Mr. Mohr, also of Norway, has checked Mr. Borkedal's calculations, and finds them correct.

Electric and Turkish Baths
There were taking the electric baths last week, at 320 Dundas street, Mr. J. George Burr, of Manchester, England; Miss Leff, of Sycamore, Ill.; Mrs. Kruger, Odessa, Russia; Wm. Lyons, Channah, and Mr. J. Marshall, Hensall, each, which were cured or greatly benefited.

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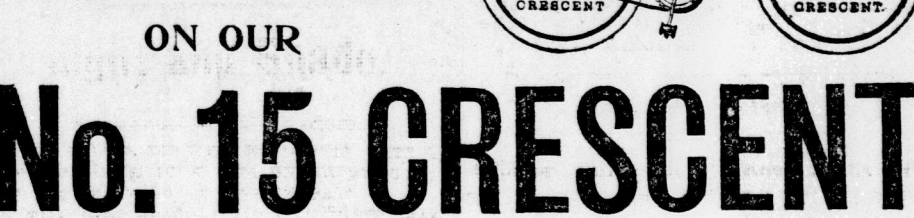
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