

SIR CHARLES SAYS MISTAKE HAS BEEN MADE

Canadian Navy As Constructed By Laurier Of Little Assistance To The Motherland.

WOULD HELP IF HE WERE YOUNGER

Montreal, Jan. 6.—In an interview today Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, who has just returned from the old country, recited the views expressed by his father, Sir Charles Tupper, with regard to the construction of the Canadian Navy.

AFTER HUDSON BAY CONTRACT

Builder Of Winnipeg-Superior Junction Section Of W. T. R. At Ottawa For Purpose Of Learning Situation.

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—Others besides Mackenzie and Mann are after the contract to build the Hudson Bay Railway for the government.

ENGINEER CLAIMS HE OWNED RAILWAYS

Henry Roy Brinas Suit To Recover \$25,000 From Company Organizer—Was To Receive \$100,000.

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—Henry Roy, a railway engineer is suing the Northern Empire Railway Company, the British Columbia and Alberta Railway Company, C. V. Price, J. H. McKinnon, C. G. Brown, C. W. Patton and D. L. McKinnon for \$25,000.

TORONTO STARTS CHINA FAMINE FUND

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 6.—At a meeting here today, an organization was formed for the purpose of raising a fund to relieve the famine sufferers of China, where three million people are in danger of starvation.

CANADIAN GAZETTE.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 6.—Tomorrow's Gazette will announce the incorporation of the Canadian Coal and Coke Company of Montreal with a capital of \$15,000,000, and the King's Park Realty Company of Ottawa, with a capital of \$500,000.

LIQUIDATORS ARE APPOINTED

W. B. Snowball And A. H. Hanington To Wind Up Miramichi Pulp Company—Liabilities Over \$700,000.

GUNTER HAD "MAIL" ORDERS ON BRAIN.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 6.—Judge Barry in chambers this afternoon issued an order appointing W. B. Snowball, of Chatham, and A. H. Hanington, K.C., of St. John, as permanent liquidators in the winding up of the Miramichi Pulp Company of Chatham.

REPORTS OF DISASTER IN FAR WEST

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6.—An explosion and fire which almost destroyed the main plant of the General Electric Company early today injuring three men, caused an estimated loss of \$750,000 and seriously interfered with business throughout the city during the day and tonight left the city in almost total darkness.

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE MEETS JANUARY 24

Minor Amendments To Liquor License Act Proposed—Report On Bi-Lingual Schools Expected To Be Interesting.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 6.—Ontario Legislature will assemble on Tuesday Jan. 24, this being the third session of the twelfth parliament of the province.

KAMLOOPS MAN RHODES SCHOLAR FROM M'GILL

Walter J. Pearse Chosen By Faculty Committee—Henry F. Angus Of Montreal Named As Second Choice.

Montreal, Jan. 6.—At the final meeting of the committee appointed by the Faculty of Arts to make the award to the Rhodes Scholarship offered to McGill University, Walter J. Pearse, of Kamloops, B. C., was elected.

ONTARIO SMALL POX VERY MILD TYPE

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 6.—The outbreak of a mild type of smallpox is reported from the village of Lacan, many persons being affected. The provincial officials have taken measures to prevent its spread.

FATAL COUGH MIXTURE

Toronto, Jan. 6.—Peter Fox, a shoemaker, aged 65 years, of 597 King street west, died at the general hospital from the effects of a cough medicine prepared by himself, into which he had put too large a portion of opium.

PRESS FOR ADMISSION OF AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS



Reciprocity in Agricultural Products to be Offered Canada in Return for Admittance of Farm Machinery

Washington, Jan. 6.—Reciprocity negotiations between the United States and Canada, which were adjourned with a three-day conference at Ottawa last November, will be resumed here tomorrow.

London, Jan. 7.—The doubts whether King George will become a patron of the turf are set at rest by the official publication today of numerous entries in His Majesty's name in races to be run after the expiration of the year of mourning for King Edward.

RAILWAY DISPUTE HELD BOOTH'S TEAMS

C. P. R. Refused To Allow Grand Trunk To Use Section Of Track, And Tied Up Lumber Company.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 6.—A tie-up of the Booth lumber business for two days resulted from a delay on the part of the C. P. R. in allowing the G. T. P. to use a quarter mile of track at the Chaudiere terminal.

FORMER NOVA SCOTIAN HAS DISAPPEARED

New York, Jan. 6.—The Merritt joint legislative commission of inquiry adjourned sine die this afternoon, still with no word from the missing city chamberlain, Charles H. Hyde, who is a Nova Scotian.

AUTO ACCIDENT.

Calgary, Alta., Jan. 6.—J. L. Sayre of the Sayre Automobile Company, poorly blind to death by a cut from broken glass when his automobile collided with a street car at the subway. His condition is precarious and he will lose a leg.

TRAVERS REMANDED.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—The Crown not being ready to proceed today with the preliminary hearing of W. R. Travers former general manager of the Farmers Bank, charged with making false returns to the government and with the theft of \$40,000 from the bank, the accused was further remanded for one week, and his bail of \$40,000 renewed.

SIX CHINESE DEAD IN FIRE

Bodies Of Two Relatives Of Mayor Of Chinatown Taken From Ruins Of House Of Five Entrances.

PROPERTY LOSS PROBABLY \$150,000

New York, N. Y., Jan. 6.—Two Chinese, said to be relatives of Tom Lee, the mayor of Chinatown, perished today in a fire which destroyed "The house of five entrances," a five story lodging house in Chinatown.

FIRE LOSSES IN ONTARIO

Homewood Sanatorium, Which Cost \$50,000, Destroyed At Guelph—Methodist Church Burned At Odessa.

LONDON EXTENDS TWO RADIAL LINES

Branch To Go Through Beaver Valley To Collington And Another Line West To Lake Huron.

ILLEGAL LIQUOR SELLING IN COBALT

Cobalt, Ont., Jan. 6.—Following visits by government spotters, thirteen hotel keepers in the Cobalt district have been summoned for infractions of the license laws.

SCHOONER SAFE.

Portland, Me., Jan. 6.—Anxiety regarding the safety of the little sailing schooner M. J. Sewall, which sailed from here three weeks ago for Millbridge, was relieved tonight when marine underwriters received word of her arrival at her destination after a stormy passage.

DEATH OF FIRE CHIEF.

London, Ont., Jan. 6.—Captain Thomas Wastie, first chief of the London fire brigade, as a paid organization, died today at San Jose, Cal.

RABIES IN COWS.

Flesherton, Ont., Jan. 6.—Samuel Sheardson and P. W. Nicholson, farmers, have lost half a dozen cows from a disease closely resembling rabies. The head of one animal has been sent to Toronto for analysis.

HONDURAS MAY BECOME U. S. PROTECTORATE

Financial Difficulties Of Unstable Government May Result In Americans Gaining Control.

REVOLUTION NOT YET BROKEN OUT

New York, N. Y., Jan. 6.—A protectorate by the United States over Honduras is regarded by New York circles here, as a probability should negotiations now under way for a loan to that country be carried out as now intended.

ROYAL MAIL CO. ROSE CONTRACT

British Steamship Company Discontinues Service To West Indies And Azores—Was Offered \$275,000.

EARL GREY ON VISIT

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—His Excellency Earl Grey, with a party consisting of Arthur Sladen, A. D. C., military secretary, and Lord St. Albans, will arrive here today for New York. The trip is to be one of pleasure only.

SIR JOHN AIRD.

London, Jan. 6.—Sir John Aird, builder of the famous Assouan Dam across the Nile, is dead. He was born in 1823 and was a member of the contracting firm of John Aird & Sons. He was created a peer in 1901.