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**CAMPAIGN GOING STRONGLY CONSERVATIVE**

**Liberals Flayed At Strong Conservative Meeting At Cardigan**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC**  
\*\*Announcements are inserted in this column at 2c per word, strictly payable in advance.  
\*\*Talkies—Morell Monday. L-8344-7-13-21.  
\*\*Talkies—St. Peter's Tuesday. L-8344-7-13-21.  
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\*\*Come to Rollo Bay Tea Wednesday, July 17th. L-8786-7-11-61.  
\*\*Ice Cream Social in Rose Valley Hall, July 16th. L-8336-7-13-11.  
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\*\*Reserve Saturday, July 20th for Cardigan Picnic. L-8303-7-13-21.  
\*\*Cavendish Tea Wednesday, August 7th. L-8361-7-13-20-27-8-6.  
\*\*Iona Tea Party, Monday, July 15th. Dance in the evening. L-8697-7-9-91.  
\*\*Kelly's Cross tea party, Wednesday, July 17th. Don't miss it. L-8317-7-13-21.  
\*\*Come to Zion Strawberry Festival at Victoria Park Monday afternoon and evening. L-8760-7-12-31.  
\*\*Reserve Thursday, July 18th for tea party at Morell in aid of Marie Curie. L-8332-7-13-16.  
\*\*Dance at Webster's Corner Hall, Monday evening, July 15th. Gaudet's Orchestra. L-8350-7-13-21.  
\*\*Supper and Dance Fairview School, Wednesday evening, July 17th. L-8351-7-13-16.  
\*\*United Church Tea Party at Pinnetts Bridge, July 8th. L-8333-7-13-11.  
\*\*Come to Rainbow Inn for Strawberries and Ice Cream, Sunday, July 14th. L-8341-7-13-11.  
\*\*Wiltshire W. M. S. Ice Cream Festival July 15th. Roland Easter's field. L-8332-7-13-11.  
\*\*See Shirley Temple special picture at Victoria Tuesday, July 15th. L-8304-7-13-21.  
\*\*Come to Women's Institute Ice Cream Social, Pleasant Valley school, Monday, July 15th. L-8300-7-13-11.  
\*\*Horse races at the Milligan & Morrison track Wednesday, July 31st. Classes announced later. L-8368.  
\*\*United Church W. M. S. rally at Dundas July 19. Session at 2:30 and 7:30. Special speaker and music. L-8367.  
\*\*Ice Cream Festival and Dance Corran Bann Monday, July 15, under auspices Holy Name Society. L-8297-7-12-21.  
\*\*Another big dance in "Inross Rink, Tuesday, July 16th. Refreshments. Adults 15 cents. L-8355-7-13-11.  
\*\*Comic Play, "The Private Tutor" Flat River Hall, Monday, July 15th. 8 o'clock. Murray Harbor Players. L-8335-7-13-11.  
\*\*Buying live hogs Hunter River Tuesday, July 16th. Kennington and Emerald Monday, 18th. Signed A. E. Wedlock. L-8310-7-12-21.  
\*\*Livestock Marketing Board loading hogs at Souris Tuesday afternoon, July 16. List with local secretary. L-8320-7-12-21.  
\*\*Everybody come to the lawn party at Green Bay, July 18th, refreshments, etc. Sid Elliot's Orchestra. If not fine, July 19th. L-8315-7-13-11.  
\*\*Tea Party Mt. Stewart Tuesday, July 16th. Varied amusements and best of meals served. Sponsored by Legion and Women's Institute. L-8308-7-12-31.  
\*\*Remember Strawberry and ice cream social, Tuesday July 16, 7 o'clock, Spring Park field, Elm Ave. Salvation Army Band will supply music. L-8751-7-10-41.  
\*\*Palmer Road Picnic Thursday, August 15th on Church Grounds. Hot Dinners served all day. Amusements, Refreshments, Relaxation. A hearty welcome and a happy time awaits you. L-8278-7-9-10-17-20-8-6-9-10.

**Liberal Balanced Budget Means Increased Debt Was Revelation By Hon. H.F. MacPhee And Mr. Leslie Hunter. Financial Fallacies Of Opposition Aired.**

Those phantoms of Liberal criticism, the Government financial record, the gasoline tax, and the national highway policy were forever laid by Hon. H. F. MacPhee last night at a strongly Conservative meeting in Cardigan Hall. Mr. MacPhee and his colleague, Mr. Leslie Hunter, were in splendid fighting form and crushed their opponents under the weight of logical argument. Both candidates took the offensive and literally tore Mr. Hessian's "little platform" to shreds. They revealed that Mr. Hessian and Mr. Mustard as well as other Liberal candidates misunderstood their platform with regard to a balanced budget, and showed that the statement that a Liberal balancing of a budget invariably meant an increase in debt. Mr. Hessian, the last Liberal speaker, spoke in majestic style, blissfully unaware that the whole basis of his reasoning had been previously blasted by Mr. MacPhee. Dr. Allen capably presided over a meeting which was a model of attentiveness. The candidates set a laudable precedent by each agreeing to speak thirty minutes. In opening his address Mr. MacPhee referred to substantial majorities he had received on previous occasions from Cardigan. First he refuted a number of points brought up by Mr. Mustard. Defects in the McIntyre Highway had been repaired by the present Government by the expenditure of several thousands of dollars. What Premier MacMillan had recommended to Ottawa was a hard surface highway like the MacIntyre Highway. The natural highway in this province was now under construction, and the Federal Government

**THE VITAL ISSUE**

Before the electors of this Province is an issue in the present election campaign of greater importance than any raised since Confederation. On the decision of this issue will depend the whole future of Prince Edward Island in its financial relations with the Dominion Government. We refer to the question of subsidy claims settlement on the basis of the minority report of the White Commission. The Liberal party record in the matter of subsidy claims is a total blank. It achieved nothing in the past. It has no policy for the future. Its platform of sixteen planks holds out no hope whatever to the people of this Province. What is the Conservative record? The door at Ottawa, declared by Laurier to be locked and bolted against further provincial pressure, was opened in 1912 by the Mathieson Government. This Province obtained as a result a subsidy increase, for all time, of \$100,000. Through presentation by the first Stewart Government before the Duncan Commission in 1926, jointly with the other Maritime Provinces, this Province obtained a further annual subsidy increase of \$125,000. Again through co-operation with the other Maritime Provinces, the MacMillan Government, last year obtained, through the White Commission, a further subsidy increase of \$150,000. Three subsidy increases, totalling \$375,000 annually, obtained by three successive Conservative administrations in this Province. Capitalized at 5 per cent, this represents recognition of our provincial subsidy claims at Ottawa to the extent of \$7,500,000. But this is not all. The Conservative appeal is not based wholly on its record of achievement. That speaks for itself. Its appeal to the electors today is to the future. The first plank in the MacMillan Government platform is: "Having further established our provincial claims against the Dominion Government to the extent of three million dollars, TO CONTINUE TO PRESS FOR A FULL REALIZATION OF OUR CLAIMS ON THE BASIS OF THE MINORITY REPORT OF THE WHITE COMMISSION." Which Party Government is best capable of achieving this result? That is the issue, the REAL ISSUE, before the electors today.

**Liberal Platform (Final Edition)**

- So many editions of the Liberal platform have appeared that the electors and the candidates are equally at sea as to what it means. In every district the Liberal spokesmen prefer to give their own version rather than the barren generalities contained in the text. From an analysis of Liberal criticisms and explanations as to how their chief plank—a balanced budget—is to be implemented under present conditions, the following definite policies emerge:
1. Abolition of Old Age Pensions.
  2. Discontinuance of all unemployment relief and undertakings of any importance in the Public Works Department.
  3. Abolition of the Department of Public Health, there being no Liberal candidate qualified to fill the portfolio.
  4. Charging of gravel and road machinery to capital instead of ordinary account.
  5. Reduction in all teachers' salaries of \$500 or over, in accord with the Liberal amendment to the Estimates in the Legislature in 1933.
  6. Abolition of 3rd and 4th year courses at Prince of Wales College, scrapping of all oilcloth, shower baths and toilet facilities, and rebuilding the institution on a meaner scale in accord with requirements prevailing fifty years ago.
  7. Provision of bicycles for Ministers, nurses, Women's Institute and departmental officials in keeping with pledge to abolish the present system of using motor cars.
  8. Reduction of grants to Hospitals and Sanatorium, which the Conservatives extravagantly increased when in office.
  9. Encouragement of initiative among the fishermen by abolishing the Conservative grant to the Fishermen's Union.
  10. Competition being the life of trade, to establish a Central Jail Farm so as to give our farmers the benefit of competition in their home market by cutting prices through the sale of Jail Farm vegetables.
  11. Continuation of the Liberal policy of RIGID NON-COOPERATION with the other Maritime Provinces, the Maritime Board of Trade and the Transportation Commission in every matter affecting the welfare of the Province.
  12. INCREASED TAXES ALL ALONG THE LINE.

**Most Rev. F. C. Kelley, LL., D.D.D.**  
Bishop of Tulsa and Oklahoma City, Okla., will speak on "MEXICO AND ITS PROBLEMS" Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, July 14th, in St. Dunstan's Basilica, Charlottetown. A cordial invitation is extended to all citizens to hear this noted authority on Mexican history.

**Hon. Mr. Sharp Unfolds Tale Of 2 Governments At Falconwood Hospital**

**Saving Of \$84.00 Per Patient Per Year Effected By Conservative Economy. Messrs. Wood & Farmer Warmly Received At York.**

Insincerity of Liberal office-seekers in criticizing as "extravagant" the Government's construction of a better grade hard-surface highway than the McIntyre highway and at less than one-half the cost per mile, was scored effectively last night at York by Hon. G. Shelton Sharp, Minister of Agriculture, who spoke in support of the Conservative candidates, Hon. Mr. Wood and Dr. Farmer, at the opening Third Queen's meeting at York. Mr. Sharp was in magnificent form, and received enthusiastic applause. He ridiculed the Opposition arguments with the same ease as he did in the Legislature last session, and the audience, intensely interested, followed his address with marked appreciation. Mr. Sharp's analysis of the economies effected by the Government in Falconwood Hospital maintenance was another high spot of the meeting—indicating as it did that \$84.00 per patient per year is being saved now as compared with the cost under the late Lea Government. In his address Mr. Sharp first dealt briefly with two planks in the Liberal platform. One promise is to make expenditure and revenue meet, and another promises to institute a prison farm, a procedure which would cost many thousands of dollars and could not be expected to be self-sustaining. How, asked the speaker, could the Liberals expect to make expenditure and revenue meet and make experiments of which that was an example. Comparing the record of the late Liberal administration with the record of the present Conservative Government he pointed out that there was a debt increase of \$1,700,000 under the Liberal administration when conditions were prosperous and times were normal. Compared with that was the record of the MacMillan Government which in three years went behind only \$939,000 when faced with extraordinary conditions. In those three years the MacMillan administration built Falconwood Hospital and Prince of Wales College, and paid over \$56,000 for old age pensions, \$61,500 for direct relief, and contributed for unemployment relief work \$258,000. Added to that, also, was the interest on the \$1,710,000 overdraft and unpaid bills left by the late Liberal Government. In other words, concluded Hon. Mr. Sharp, the present Government would have had a surplus of something like \$12,000 if it had not been faced with extraordinary expenditure. Dealing with the record of the administration of affairs at Falconwood under the two governments, Hon. Mr. Sharp brought out very striking facts. In the three years, 1921-31, it cost the Liberal Government \$336,412 to run the institution. Under Conservative administration in the three years 1932-34 it cost \$232,712. In other words the present Government saved in the three years \$103,699, or the Conservative Government saved \$84 per patient per year. That, said the speaker, is the record of this Government in the administration of controllable expenditure. Conditions at the Hospital have improved in every respect. There was a deplorable condition in respect to meat when the present government assumed office. Western beef was being used principally. Now nothing but the best Island beef is being used. Under the Liberal administration the meat was kept in a room at one end of the cow stable and a patient in the hospital cut off what was needed with a dull axe, was one of the revelations made by Hon. Mr. Sharp as to conditions at the hospital when the present government assumed office. Now a cold storage plant has been provided and the meat kept in proper condition. Comparing the record of the Government with that of the Lea Government in the Department of

**WAS CENTRAL FIGURE IN FAMOUS CASE**

**Lt.-Col. Dreyfus Passes Peacefully in Paris — Spent Four Years On Devil's Island.**  
(By Richard G. Massock, Associate Press Foreign Staff) (A. P. By Guardian's Special Wire) PARIS, July 12—Death tonight wrote the final chapter in the famed, fantastic "Dreyfus case." Though nightmares of the four tortured years he spent on Devil's Island for alleged treason to France harried him in his last month, Lieutenant Colonel Alfred Dreyfus died peacefully, members of his family about him. He was 75 years old. The bitter, world-wide controversy Dreyfus' imprisonment stirred at the turn of the century was in sharp contrast to the almost hermit-like seclusion of his latter years. He was convicted of selling France's military secrets to Germany and help captive on Devil's Island until the storm of protest moved the French President to pardon him. Dreyfus' family, Mme. Dreyfus, and his son and daughter, Pierre and Jeanne, did all it could to avoid reviving bitter memories of 40 years ago, but they remained indelible in his mind to the last. A young Jewish captain in the French army who served on the general staff, Dreyfus in 1894 was convicted in secret court martial of selling military secrets to Germany. Four years later, such was the commotion his alleged "framing" created, he was brought back from Devil's Island and tried again. Again he was convicted, to

**Conservatives Applauded At Tryon Meeting Messrs. Strong And Morrison Present Able Case For MacMillan Government.**

The people of Tryon turned out in large numbers to attend the joint political meeting last night, and Community Hall was filled to capacity with an intelligent audience who had come to hear the political issues of the day. Mr. John H. Thomas very capably presided in a most impartial manner. Mr. Thane A. Campbell, the first speaker, prefaced his remarks by expressing regret that Mr. W. M. Lea was not able to be present. After making some remarks about Hon. W. J. P. MacMillan, Mr. Campbell complained that the Guardian reported him daily as not telling the people about the Liberal platform at his various meetings. Evidently to save the Guardian from having to make the report again, Mr. Campbell described how his platform was formulated in Charlottetown and went on to say that he believed it to be a progressive platform. They had "stupidly avoided any rash or extravagant promises." The audience began to have some hope that they were going to hear about the platform, but, Mr. Campbell, after starting out with "Positively Final Notice. All rate-payers in arrears for taxes for Grandview School are requested to pay before July 25th. After that date books will be handed over for collection. Allan J. Finlayson, Secretary of Trustees. L-8354-7-13-11."  
\*\*What a Teal Chicken, Tongue, etc. Where? South Winsloe, opposite brick Church. When? Wednesday, July 17th, 5 P. M. If wet, day following. What price? Adults, 35c. Children 20c. Anything else? Yes! Bran Tub, Fish Pond, Ice Cream Games, etc. Come and enjoy a good time with us. Proceeds for Church purposes. L-8338-7-13-21.

**Liberals Have Hard Sledding At Hunter River Conservative Candidates Score Repeatedly At Largely Attended Meeting, And Receive Enthusiastic Applause.**

Irresponsibility for the refusal of the Liberal Government in 1929 to co-operate with the other Maritime Governments in pressing for subsidy settlement was the attitude adopted by Mr. B. W. LePage, a member of the then administration, when challenged to deny the truth of Ex-Premier Saunders' statement in the Saunders-Hobb correspondence that he had followed this course and had also refused to co-operate with the Maritime Board of Trade. That this vitally important matter—involving a loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars to the Maritimes—was "ancient history, and didn't matter in this campaign," was the only defense which the Liberal candidate had to offer. Mr. LePage was effectively challenged on this point at the Hunter River meeting last night by Mr. E. A. Currie, who followed Mr. LePage in the debate. The audience loudly applauded the Conservative candidate's exposure of glaring Liberal incompetence and neglect of the Province's interests at that time. The meeting was largely attended, and was noisy at times. Both the Liberal candidates were badly heckled, Mr. LePage at one time threatening to invoke "the law" against his interrupters, who refused to accept his statements as facts and booed and jeered at his angry retorts. MR. BETHUNE Mr. D. F. Bethune, who had ex-



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**FORECAST**  
Maritime Provinces: Fresh or strong southwest to west winds; mostly cloudy with scattered thundershowers. High tide this morning at 6:55 and tonight at 9:15. Sun sets this evening at 7:47 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:25. Full moon Tuesday, July 16, 12:04 a. m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. CAR FERRY Leave Bordas 9:45 A. M. (Extra) 1 P. M. 5:15 P. M. Leave Tormentine (Extra) 11 A. M. 3:45 P. M. and 7 P. M. daily except Sunday.