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DISCUSSION ON ESTIMATES CONTINUED IN LEGISLATURE

Provincial Legislature, April 27th Afternoon Session Continued Discussion on the estimates continued, Mr. D. C. McDonald in the chair.

Provincial Secretary-Treasurer's Department (\$10,300.)

MR. STEWART: I wish to remind my hon. friends of their promise that they were going to reduce expenditure in this department. Instead, they have doubled it. Their excuse is that they are getting better service. That remains to be shown.

HON. MR. LEA: They are working better.

MR. STEWART: You are collecting more taxes, yes; but you are collecting from a smaller population. As far as the land tax is concerned you are collecting from the same people, I presume. The increased amount does not mean more work. It is true that you are collecting a poll tax but apparently you are not doing it very effectively. If you propose to collect a tax, collect it or else leave it. People are not paying proportionately or evenly. The returns from the different districts will show that. I want to say that I was surprised at the reply I got to my questions on this subject. "How many people were sued, and what disposition was made?" It was answered that the cases were settled. That is not a correct statement. If a man is sued in court and judgment is given against him, that is not a settlement. It is never looked at in that sense. It would be well to answer questions correctly or else refuse them. Three of those people who were sued had receipts, that I know of. We don't know how many more there might have been. One man produced his receipt and the case was withdrawn. That is not a settlement. In the other two cases judgment was given for the defendant. How can the Government call that a settlement? (Laughter.)

MR. DEWAR said he always thought that the poll tax was an unfortunate tax. There was an opinion that it was never legal. They failed to notify those who were liable. Some have paid and some have not. Lower it to \$1 or do away with it altogether. It is only a farce.

MR. BRODIE said he knew some districts where the tax is not paid and he could prove it. It should never have been over \$1.

HON. MR. LEA said people often paid at the office after they had been notified.

MR. STEWART: Where would those be credited? Would they be credited to Charlottetown?

HON. MR. LEA: They would be credited as arrears.

MR. STEWART referred to one case in Supreme Court where the Government lost its suit for taxes. Unless they could win an appeal they will have to pay some \$100,000. \$2,100 is down in the Accounts for Land Valuation, printing and stationery. How did the Government expend this amount?

THE CHAIRMAN asked if the House was ready for the question.

MR. STEWART: I want an explanation to this. The country is entitled to it.

HON. MR. LEA said the expenses were for 25,000 tax notices, rolls, tax collectors' books, etc.

MR. STEWART: How does that come under Land Valuation? Did you value the land last year?

HON. MR. LEA: Every year under our Act the land is re-valued. We have to make out our rolls.

MR. STEWART: And you have to make out that much? It is about time this printing matter was looked into more fully.

HON. MR. CROSBY reported the Secretary-Treasurer's report on the whole printing bill is set down at \$1,930. This land valuation alone is \$2,100—that one item.

PREMIER BELL: Land valuation is only one of the parts.

MR. STEWART: Then the part is greater than the whole. (Laughter.)

PREMIER BELL: The actual expenditure is in connection with the thousands of forms that must be made and sent out.

MR. STEWART: My hon. friend is about as clear as mud, to use a not very elegant expression of his own. He has here printing, advertising and stationery, \$2,160. In the secretary's report, page 112, printing, advertising and stationery, \$1,913. How does this difference come in? In one place it is nearly \$200 more than the other, which shows how much we can depend on these Public Accounts.

HON. MR. LEA: Land Valuation should be opposite Assessors.

MR. STEWART: Then why was it not put there?

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men had been employed on this boat all winter. The appropriation was \$1,200, the same as last year.

MR. KENNEDY asked why the York Point ferry appropriation of \$150 four years ago had now been increased to \$500.

HON. MR. CROSBY said prices had gone up since then.

HON. MR. COX said in 1921 the appropriation expenditure was \$500 and what Mr. Kennedy said was true, but (Cries of "Order!" and "Take it back!")

MR. KENNEDY: I did not speak about 1921 at all. I was referring to 1919.

Ferries, Prince County (\$4,100.) MR. ARSENAULT referred to the Ellis River ferry (\$2,500). Last year the appropriation was \$2,000. Will the increased amount cover the purchase of a new cable? The Commissioner, in replying to a question on the subject, said there was no probability of a new boat for the service this season, but that they would endeavor to have the ferry in good condition. Mr. Arsenault believed there had been a great neglect of this service last summer.

A cable was purchased from a certain firm in Summerside for \$45 which was found to be too large. Had provisions been made to avoid a similar mistake this season?

HON. MR. CROSBY said the new cable purchased last year lasted the average length of time that cables last up to the which was one year. The estimate includes the expenditure for a new cable.

Ferries, King's County, (\$9,025)

MR. STEWART: Last year there was a small amount of \$75 granted to the Boughton Island ferry service. It is omitted here.

HON. MR. CROSBY: It did not run last year at all.

MR. STEWART: It is in last year's expenditures.

HON. MR. CROSBY: That covered the work of the previous year. The item carried.

Wharves, (\$5,000)

MR. H. D. McLEAN: Have you provided for the wharf at the north side of Fortune Harbor?

HON. MR. CROSBY: It is under consideration. Just how much will be spent or when it will be spent I can't say.

The item carried.

MR. KENNEDY: The packet operation from Charlottetown to Bonshaw, who is running that now? HON. MR. CROSBY: Mr. Beaton was last year.

MR. KENNEDY: Who is running it this year?

HON. MR. CROSBY: We have called for tenders. A Mr. McLean's tender has been accepted. I don't remember his first name.

MR. KENNEDY: Was there a difference in the tenders?

HON. MR. CROSBY: Mr. McLean's was \$100 less, if my memory serves me.

MR. KENNEDY: Has this man a boat or is it a basket? You say there was a difference of \$100. The old contract was \$500 and you only spent \$400. Now you have \$100 difference and the appropriation is still the same.

MR. J. D. STEWART: Are there any specifications as to the kind of boat. Is he under contract to supply any particular kind?

HON. MR. CROSBY: He is under contract to supply a freight boat of no specified size. I understand it is larger than last year.

MR. STEWART: Did you get that information from the tenderer?

HON. MR. CROSBY: No, he just tendered for a freight boat.

MR. STEWART: A row boat might be a freight boat. What was his figure?

HON. MR. CROSBY: \$490.

MR. KENNEDY: That is not \$100 less than last year.

HON. MR. CROSBY: It is that much less than the other tender this year.

The item carried.

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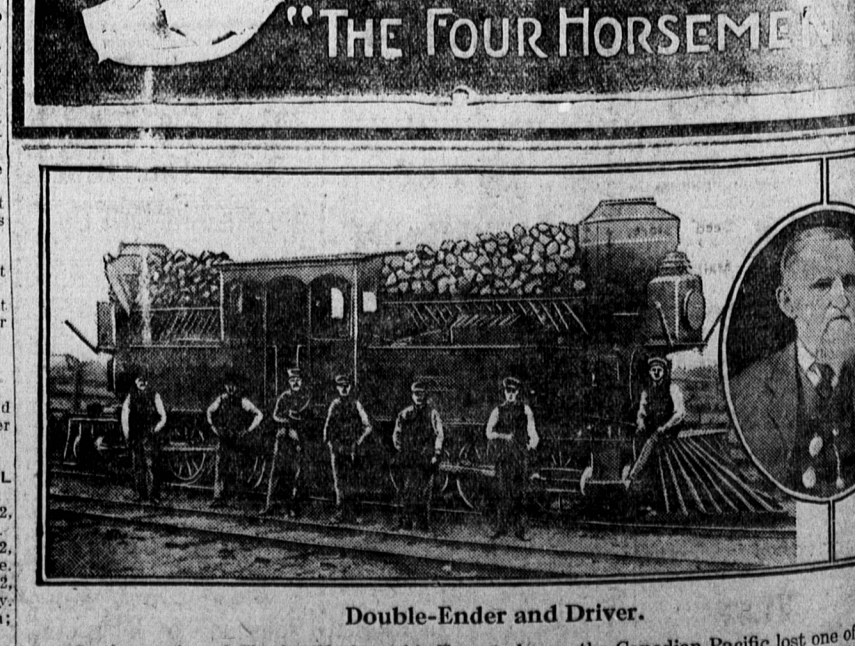
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