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The death occurred in Charlottetown quite suddenly on Tuesday morning May 12th, of Mr. Frank J. Bradley after several months of ill-health caused by throat trouble, which despite the best medical skill and tender nursing proved fatal. Mr. Bradley was widely known and greatly respected, having been upwards of twenty years in Myrick's Fish Market and more recently at Reaney's Meat Market, where his kind and courteous manner won him many friends.

He leaves to mourn the loss of a loving and devoted husband and father, his sorrowing widow, two sons and his daughters, Mrs. J. Strain, Florence, Bessie, Frank, Annie and Irene at home and Annie in Edmonton, Alta. Three brothers and one sister also survive, Peter in Cambridge, Mass.; Mrs. Bryenton, Cambridge, Mass.; Joseph in Millville and William in this city.

The funeral, which took place on Thursday morning, May 14th was largely attended by many neighbors and friends eager to pay their last respects to one whose death in the prime of manhood is so deeply regretted.

Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Maurice McDonald in St. Dunstan's Cathedral and at the grave by Rev. Father Sinnott. The pall bearers were Messrs. Dan. Carter, James Arbing, Edward Acorn, Edward Higgins, James Dalton and John Connors. Many lovely floral offerings and Spiritual songs were sent by sympathizing friends.

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**"DIVORCE MILL" LEADS TO ARRESTS**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 20.—A "divorce mill" in which more than 400 persons, including principals in divorce cases and their counsel are involved, has been uncovered in the arrest here of Leonard W. Burton, master of chancery in New York and Providence, and Dougherty, in law, Francis P. Dougherty, the attorney general announced today. Burton and Dougherty were held in \$50,000 bail each after they had pleaded not guilty in district court to two charges of forgery and conspiracy in obtaining fraudulent divorces.

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**MR. J. BLANCHARD ON THE BUDGET DEBATE**

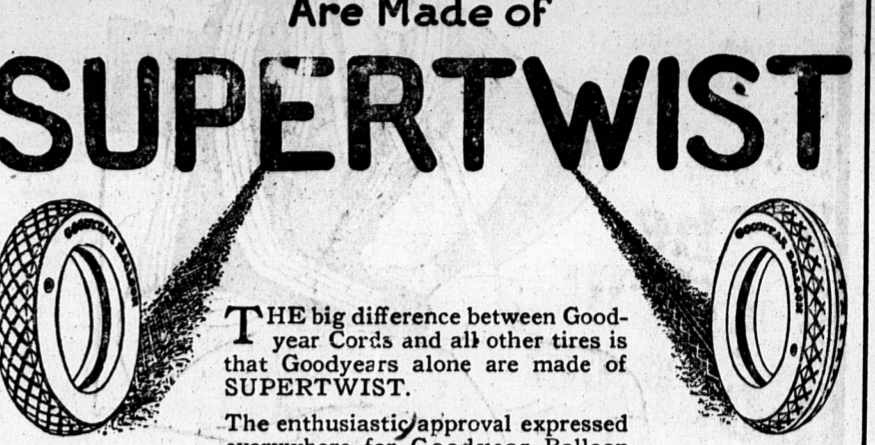
Mr. J. Blanchard, Liberal member for Fifth Prince, following Mr. J. Howard McMillan in the Budget debate in the Provincial Legislature on April 12nd called attention to the different statements that have been made about the increased liabilities of the Province. The Leader of the Opposition says \$354,000; the Leader of the Government admits \$200,000. Which was right? The hon. member from Charlottetown (Hon. Dr. McMillan) had called attention to the Audit of 1923. Mr. Blanchard had the Audit, which was made under the supervision of the present Government. It says the net debt at December 31, 1923, was \$1,575,154.80. He regretted that he had the External Audit, but he had the report of the Guardian, and as it is the mouthpiece of the Conservative party he presumed the statement there would be as nearly correct as possible. It gives the liabilities Dec. 31, 1924, as \$1,636,838.80, it credits tangible assets of \$25,223.72; leaving a liability of \$1,551,663.13, which would leave a deficit of \$376,508.63. If that was wrong, then it was the fault of the Guardian. This newspaper is read by pretty nearly the whole population of the Island, and this report is going to go before them. Is it correct? The next statement that will go before the people is that of the Leader of the Government, and he says that the increase in the debt is only \$200,000. As to the surplus which the Government claims, Mr. Blanchard could not see it. He found, on ordinary yearly revenue, a deficit of \$26,000.

The hon. member from Charlottetown had spoken at length on the budget, and as he is put down by the Conservatives as a Liberal, he turned to the Opposition. Mr. Blanchard would have to be very careful in quoting any statement he had made. One statement was in regard to the External Audit of 1923. He said that in one place they put the liability at \$1,600,000 and in another place \$1,575,000. It was his (Dr. McMillan's) duty to explain to the House how that happened. It was simply the sinking fund, subtracted from the other.

The Liberals have been charged with being pessimists. Mr. Blanchard would deal with that and make a comparison. During the term of the Arsenault Government they had made an attempt to take up the matter of highway improvement. The Liberals called that policy an "internal scheme," and they say so today. It is simply meant building up the approaches to the city and towns. Further than that, the regulations laid down by the Dominion Government did not now allow the work to be carried out on that system. The rules called for a "state road." Nobody knows this better than the present Premier. If that was a good policy under the Arsenault Government why does the present Government not follow it today? Why follow instead the policy which the Liberal Government carried out?

In order to make sure of his ground Mr. Blanchard had brought with him all the Public Accounts. The Public Accounts of 1919 were published under the authority of the Conservative Government. There were any back bills to be brought against the Liberal party, this was the very book it should be in. In 1912 the deficit was \$108,809.15; in 1915 it was \$97,122.59; in 1917, \$22,313.38; and in 1919 \$232,000. Those figures have been denied time and again and not corrected by the Conservative party and by the Guardian. Take the statement prepared in 1912, which gives the total liabilities of the Province at \$1,005,000. Here we are asked to add \$485,000, that, which would run up the debt to \$1,470,000. The explanation is that the Conservatives trumped up the debt of \$108,000 of 1912 to \$904,000 which ran it up to \$1,118,000. The Public Accounts of 1912 take in fifteen months; and for the deficit they should charge \$108,000; if there were any back bills they should have been charged to the year 1911, but not to 1912. The Conservatives for the eight years they were in power had a deficit of \$485,000, minus surpluses of \$30,000; or in other words they had deficits of \$435,000. They say they built steel bridges and paid for them out of ordinary revenue. That is possible, but they would not pay their deficits. In 1915 when the Liberals came in, they took over \$485,000. What builds up the whole appropriation voted by the Legislature for the year had been used up—that the Conservatives had spent, in round numbers, \$567,000 on that date. When the Leader of the former Conservative Government made his budget speech he had asked for a credit of \$569,000, and he promised a surplus of \$700 at the end of twelve months. The Liberals had found the teachers on a strike. They were leav-

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and the hon. member for Charlotte-Wales College amount to? How town went further and claimed that many boys of fourteen are in even a third class teacher would do just as good work in a small school as a first class teacher. Mr. Blanchard could not believe that the hon. gentlemen were serious in making these statements. If they attended an annual school meeting and said that, they might be shown the door. People in the small school districts have a right to have their children educated just as well as the people in Charlottetown. Think of the privileges that Charlottetown people enjoy as regards Education. They have first class schools, with from ten to fourteen departments; also Prince of Wales College where they can send their children on a payment of \$10, and board them at home. Was it fair for the member from Charlottetown to say that the people in the small school districts should be deprived of their rights and privileges of having first class teachers?

Mr. Blanchard said the hon. member from Charlottetown admitted that the Province profited by hundreds of dollars in interest by the Liberal bond deposit transaction. He had business Mr. Blanchard to know what he was talking about. He deserved the Leather Medal for that statement and that is why the members on the Opposition side of the House were under obligations to the member from Charlottetown.

The Premier had promised to investigate conditions in the Prince of Wales College. Where is that Commission's report? What does of the one, and if the statement is true that the doctor is almost forced to give prescriptions because he is afraid of losing his practice, and does it through self-interest, it was a bad state of affairs. The present Government, Mr. Blanchard said, are the Rum Sellers of the Province, and the Doctors are the Agents by whom it is distributed.

Referring to road work, Mr. Blanchard said that in 1915 there was a deficit of \$97,000. How many steel bridges could the Minister of Public Works build with that? When the Liberals went out of power, the liabilities, according to the External Audit, amounted to \$1,575,154. Subtract \$1,299,000 from that and you will find that the Liberal increase in four years was \$376,000, and that represents the amount of money that was spent on highways. The \$395,000 of Conservative deficit in eight years was solely on ordinary revenue, not prescriptions that you could curtail "the medical use of morphine or any other drug." Was this the reason the Government is now giving so many prescriptions? Are the doctors men of the stamp described by the member for Charlottetown? Mr. Blanchard believed it was true to a great extent. He well knew it was no trouble to get a "script" for liquor from a doctor. How many patients does a doctor treat in a twelve-month who really need liquor? He was creditably informed that the number would not amount to half a dozen. If there are any men who know the effect of liquor on humanity, the doctors are the ones, and if the statement

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