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THE EASTERN GUARDIAN

AGENTS:—MONTAGUE: Harold F. Landry, Mrs. Byron Stewart, Mrs. Bruce MacPhee, Miss Joyce Wigginton, Miss Joan Johnston.
AGENT GEORGETOWN: Walden Lavers.

The Guardian may be bought at the following places in Montague: Blue Dome Restaurant, and Guardian Office; in Georgetown: The Post Office; in Souris: The Snack Bar and E. Richards & Son.

"CAR BATTERIES \$11.50 to \$25.00 with an old battery. Bud's Auto Accessories, Montague.

Mr. John McKearney, engineer on the "Brant", spent the week-end at his home in Lower Montague.

Miss Bernice Coyle, R.N., Charlottetown, spent the week-end at her home in Montague.

"WELL BABY conference will be held in the Town Building, Montague, Friday, April 27th, from 2 to 4 p.m. by the Public Health Nurse. All infants and pre-school children welcome.

"RESERVE May 24 for variety concert, Vernon River Hall. Auspices of Children of Mary.

"IN STOCK—Forano medium size horse manure spreaders, \$240.00; medium tractor spreaders, \$230.00; Judson fertilizer spreaders. McGowan's Ltd., Killnuir.

Miss Tena Martin, Montague, spent Sunday in Caledonia, guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur MacLellan, Wood Islands, were visitors to Montague on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Currie and two children of Charlottetown spent Sunday in Montague, guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. MacLure.

Mr. Ray Griffin, Souris, was a recent visitor to his home in Montague.

Miss Joyce Crozier, Charlottetown, spent the week-end in Montague, guest of Miss Wanda Nicholson.

Mrs. Garfield Johnston of Peter's Road is at present spending a few days in Montague where she is the guest of Mrs. Lorne Johnston.

Martin J. McCarthy St. Mary's Road

Pfc. Urban F. Publicover, who recently completed his training at Camp Cooke, California, has rejoined his outfit, after enjoying a ten day furlough at his home. The popular young G.I. is a member of the 140th tank Bn. 40th Div., which has been assigned to duty in Japan.

Denies Report He Supported MacArthur's Plan

TOKYO, April 19 — (Thursday) — (Reuters) — Lt.-Gen. Sir Horace Robertson, British Commonwealth commander in Korea, denied today that he had ever supported a proposal to bomb Manchuria or expand the Korean war. (An informant who demanded anonymity today reported the top Commonwealth military officer in Japan voiced support for Gen. Douglas MacArthur's proposal to bomb Red Chinese bases in Manchuria.)

WANTED

Maid for general housework
T. B. Convalescent Home
Montague

Election Campaign

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over the Royalty and the school taxes there. Our Government has nothing to do with Royalty school taxes. But I do know that at least one candidate was in East Royalty doing what he could to stir up dissension and at a subsequent school meeting got a sound beating for his pains, which does not auger well for his standing there on election day. Dr. McMillan says taxes are up 850 per cent—the people will know if that is the truth. They will also know what kind of public schools they would now have if the doctor had his way.

Turnover Tax

"Then he raises the Turnover Tax bogie. We have already stated a turnover tax is not contemplated. It would require legislation first and no move towards this has been made by anyone. The Turnover Tax proposal requires an amendment to the constitution of Canada which certain provinces want. Five provinces of Canada now have direct sales tax. We have such a tax here for Liquor and Tobacco only and Dr. McMillan, himself, if you please, was chairman of the committee who advised it. I guess probably the best way to silence this talk is to quote Premier Frost of Ontario, the only Conservative — excuse me — Progressive Conservative — premier in Canada.

He stated according to the Conservative Globe and Mail issue April 18 1951 that "although Ontario does not want the right to levy an indirect sales tax it will not stand in the way of its being made possible. To oppose this amendment, which some Provinces have requested might be to jeopardize the chances of getting agreement on a formula for handling constitutional changes generally. In the case of the proposed amendment, which would permit the provinces to use an indirect sales tax, unanimous consent has been required in the absence of any other formula. Suppose one of the provinces vetoed the proposal. That is the position we are in at the moment."

"I suppose if Mr. Bell and Dr. McMillan got in and went to Ottawa they would veto the other provinces like Drew and Duplessis did in 1945! This bold talk of making the Dominion Government do this and do that is sheer nonsense. They have never, in the local House, shown any of the skill and power they boast they would exert at Ottawa.

Cost Plus Contracts

"They say the lie they stated in the House last March that fifteen percent is allowed on a cost plus contract was not denied. Well, I'll deny it now. One cannot keep up denying all their misstatements. Where is the basis for the false statement that Beech Grove Inn cost \$500,000? Where is the basis for the \$10,000,000 cost of the "Trans-Canada road"—which we estimated at 1-4 millions exclusive of bridges. Why, the Trans-Canada is actually cheaper by far for us than a road we



EARLE MacDONALD
for
ASSEMBLYMAN



DR. DOUGAN
For
COUNCILLOR

Charlottetown and Royalty

"THE WINNING TEAM" MacDonald & Dougan

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would have to build anyway. "So they are going to make Ottawa erect a marine slip. When that is built it will be the Liberals that will build it and we need it badly."

"Also the Eskimo which is servicing the Island faithfully until the new company takes over. She will have her third trip to Newfoundland before the last of April and she will continue to serve Prince Edward Island even though lawyers hired by private concerns continue to argue as they are paid."

"Has anyone noted a constructive idea in the speeches of Bell, McMillan and Mathieson? What they say is mostly what they would do at Ottawa, if elected."

"Take Dr. McMillan's statement of what he got in subsidies. He capitalized them at 5 per cent and says it amounts to five and a half millions from Ottawa. Well let us capitalize what we got and it amounts to sixty millions. Those are foolish figures we wouldn't talk about. It looks to me as if the Doctor is at his wits end and Doctor Dougan has him punch drunk and on the ropes."

Conservative Platform

"One might now examine the

Tory platform. We note it has changed considerably since the first announcement. The money they will loan without credit or advances is now stated to be one million dollars only. Farmers borrowed last year over \$600,000 from the Farm Loan Improvement sponsored by the Federal Government for the same purpose. I don't see how loans such as proposed can be stopped at one million. It will more likely go to five or ten millions under the terms proposed and then the province's debt would mount seriously.

"Also \$150,000 a year for school books. That system of free books is not practical. Pupils use up twice as many books."

"Also Grants-in-Aid for electricity—a million a year more will not go far here."

"Also pensions at age 65 without a means test. This would be considerably over a million more yearly."

"Only irresponsible politicians who do not expect to be elected could write such a program. If electors want to save Prince Edward Island's credit they must vote Liberal."

"In clause 5 of the Tory platform there is the expression "de-

mand recognition of Prince Edward Island's claims." From whom? and when? and how and where? It is to laugh and one would think to read the clause they were in earnest.

"Our claims are better presented than ever before at the Dominion Provincial Conference, before the Royal Commission on Freight Rates and in other ways. We got the subsidy adjusted to eight times as much as the sum of all the subsidies mentioned in clause 5 of the Tory platform. To summarize our position we have secured already eight times as much as all other governments since Confederation and more is coming."

"We plan a reform of the Election Act and thus we are agreed on that. We plan to change districts if the people wish it; they plan to do it hokus bolus by legislation."

"The election deposits is \$200, which is returned if the candidate polls half as many votes as his opponent. They would change that to \$50—a small matter. It might be changed; no one would argue the point. Only, too small a deposit induces weak candidates to

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PRINCE EDWARD COMING THURSDAY

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PIPER LAURIE · JOYCE HOLDEN

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Shows Mat. 3:30; Eve. 7-8:45



What a
Happy
Holiday!
Irving Berlin's
HOLIDAY
INN
with
VARIOUS REYNOLDS
VIRGINIA DALE
WALTER ABEL
MRS. SANDERSON
A PARAGRAPHS
CHAMPION
Brought Back by
Popular Demand!



Also: Universal News -
Cartoon, "Mice Meeting You"

NO SALES TAX UNDER LIBERALS

Provincial Treasurer Darby

Brands False Tory Propaganda

His Speech In This Issue

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