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The McBride government has lived for years like one of the old-time profligate kings, who, when the royal purse got thin, collected by force from his subjects. In order to keep pace with an expenditure which has been criminal in its prodigality, this government has not only mortgaged and given away the resources of B. C. but has ground down the progressive man who endeavored to make the most of his holding. Every possible line of activity has been taxed to the uttermost, and, whenever an individual discovered some new means of using a natural product, a new line of taxation was established.

Seeing that everything possible had been taxed, and all that could be disposed of had been sold, the Tory organs recently started a production campaign. By some miraculous means, the Matsonian press discovered that the people of British Columbia import a huge quantity of produce every year, which could be quite easily produced in the province. In this connection, it is interesting to note how the McBride government has taken care of the producer in the past.

The small fruit grower each season finds difficulty in marketing his produce, and many of these men found that a small and inexpensive fruit canning plant could be installed, which could be operated by themselves without hired help, thus enabling them to save considerable quantities of fruit, which would otherwise go to waste, and at the same time tend to keep down the cost of living in the adjacent towns. The plan was highly successful, until the government scented a source of revenue in it, and promptly imposed a tax

of \$50 per annum on the small plant, this being the license paid by the largest canneries. The result has been that these progressive men have had to discontinue the use of their outfits, and the loss which they had taken steps to overcome still handicaps them in the development of their holdings. Although the injustice of this treatment was brought to the attention of the department months ago it has declined to remove the tax or do anything that would improve the condition of these small landholders.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

If ex-Premier Venizelos is allowed his freedom he is likely to stir up a bunch of trouble for King Constantine and his Hohenzollern consort.

It was too bad that September drive petered out. However, the German general staff will be keeping a keen eye on those cars yet as they are likely to need them before long.

A Zollverein is described as a closer customs union, with free trade between the states covered by it. Prussia arranged one in 1834 with the little German states and in a few years these became part of the German Empire. It looks rather ominous for Austria.

Von Bernstorff is very much concerned about getting safe conduct for his satellites who have been ordered out of America. He was not so much concerned about the safety of the workers in the munition factories which he had planned to send skywards.

Germany is likely to be too busy quelling disturbances in her own factories in the future to worry about raising them elsewhere.

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ALD. MONTGOMERY AND THE MAYOR HAVE WORDS

The city treasurer presented a report on the proposed new scheme of financing at the city council last night. It consisted of some thirty-two pages and went very fully into a comparison of the serial bond system with that of the sinking fund plan.

Ald. Dybhavn proposed that the matter be considered at an informal meeting. Ald. Montgomery objected to this method of discussing such an important matter. He proposed going right ahead.

Ald. Beveridge supported this view, and in doing so said that the city treasurer's department was one he had the greatest confidence in.

Ald. Dybhavn said that his idea was to have an informal discussion after which the details of the scheme would be made public.

Ald. Montgomery said he had had one experience of passing a financial measure in private and it had cost the city \$100,000. That was when the council issued the treasury certificates in 1912. On that occasion the members of the council were sworn to secrecy, he being the only one who refused to be bound. If the public had been taken into confidence they would never have endorsed the project.

The mayor denied emphatically that the council was pledged to secrecy. Speaking for himself, and he thought he could say the same for the others, there was no pledge of secrecy, and it was a most "damnable" thing for Ald. Montgomery to come there and make such statements. The 1912

council had just taken office when the bank demanded the money and the issuing of treasury certificates was the only way out.

Ald. Montgomery said that the bank had requested the mayor to pledge the council to secrecy until the deal was completed. At that time he did not understand treasury certificates, but he knew about them now.

Ald. Nicol said that this was 1915 and not 1912, and after a little more wrangling it was decided to proceed with the report.

The treasurer's report showed very plainly that the serial bond system would very materially reduce the cost of carrying the city's indebtedness, while it vastly improved the city's standing in the eyes of the American and Canadian financial world. The report was adopted.

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