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How Shall We Pay Our Taxes?

We have to pay taxes. We cannot escape. We have spent a lot of money on what we call permanent investments such as roads, bridges and public buildings and we have incurred debts in so doing. The interest on the debts is being paid and the principal will have to be returned. We must pay our way. Everyone but a Bolshevist will agree with that.

The question then arises as to how that money shall be collected. We experiment a great deal in regard to this matter and we often change. Just now we pay income taxes, we pay property taxes and if we die an inheritance tax is deducted from our estate before the legacy is turned over to the relatives. And there are other taxes.

Some of the Vancouver property owners have objected to the present plan of collecting income tax, they object to the inheritance tax and they do not like to pay the property tax.

Fair Method Raising Money.

The income tax seems to be the fairest method of taxing people. The rich pay more in proportion than do the poor. The very poor pay nothing. If a man has a family he gets an exemption that the single man does not get, thus the man is taxed for being a bachelor. The tax rate increases according to the income of the person taxed. If the tax is taken off the income it must be imposed elsewhere, but nobody wants it, yet it must be paid.

Succession Duty Not Excessive.

When a person dies he usually leaves his property to his wife and family. But before this is done the state steps in and takes a part known as the succession duty. If a man dies worth $100,000 the state asks four per cent. In Saskatchewan he takes five, in Ontario five, in Nova Scotia four and half. If he has three million dollars the state takes 36 per cent in B.C. a great deal more than they take in any other province of Canada. That means that the government of British Columbia is conducted on democratic principles. The very rich have to pay high whereas the people who are moderately rich are used much better.

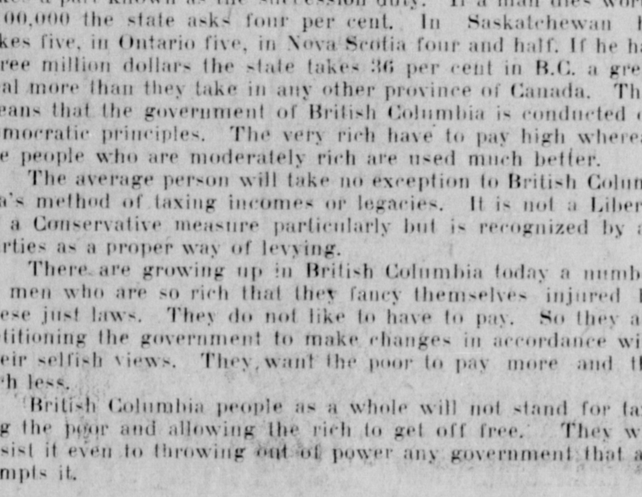
The average person will take no exception to British Columbia's method of taxing incomes or legacies. It is not a Liberal or a Conservative measure particularly but is recognized by all parties as a proper way of levying.

There are growing up in British Columbia today a number of men who are so rich that they fancy themselves injured by these just laws. They do not like to have to pay. So they are petitioning the government to make changes in accordance with their selfish views. They want the poor to pay more and the rich less.

British Columbia people as a whole will not stand for taxing the poor and allowing the rich to get off free. They will resist it even to throwing out of power any government that attempts it.

Spirit Of Times Dangerous.

It is the spirit of trying to get everything and leaving nothing for others that makes bolshevists, socialists, reds, communists. The selfishness of the rich has always bred strife and rebellion. It is absolutely opposed to the spirit of the times. It is the spirit that goads the workingman to take an active and sometimes an unwise part in strikes and in political life. Today we in British Columbia are well to the fore in social and governmental methods. We have many advanced laws which are rather costly. We have fairly equitable taxation and any attempt to turn backward should be resisted to the utmost.



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THANKSGIVING SERVICES HELD

Special Services Took Place at Most of Services in City Churches on Sunday

The Thanksgiving season and the anniversary of the signing of the Armistice which brought the World War to an end in 1918 were specially referred to at the services in all city churches on Sunday. There were large congregations in every instance and special attention was paid to seasonal decorations, the effect in most cases being pleasing indeed.

In the morning at the Baptist Church, Rev. E. G. Turner spoke on world history since the signing of the Armistice, referring particularly to the pact recently signed at Locarno. There was a chorus of girls of the Mission Band. In the evening, the pastor's subject was "Thanksgiving," and Miss Catherine Jones was soloist. W. Vaughan Davies was organist at both services.

Lutheran Church

The subject of Thanksgiving was dealt with by Rev. P. E. Baisler at both services of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in the Metropole Hall. In the evening the pastor took as his subject, "Christian Stewardship," and referred particularly to the "every member canvass" which takes place next week when all followers of the church will be interviewed for the purpose of obtaining subscriptions and enlisting new members. This is a regular campaign at this time of the year in the Lutheran Church. There was special music by the choir, the evening anthem being "Heaven For Me," with Edward Baisler as organist.

There were special Thanksgiving lessons and prayers at the morning service in the United Church and Rev. G. G. Hacker gave a partial report of the United Church Conference in Vancouver which he attended. In the evening there was special music by the choir with A. J. Lancaster as organist and Rev. W. H. Pierce of Port Essington gave the address.

Presbyterian Church

Rev. Dr. Charles J. Cameron, the relieving pastor, took both services at the first Presbyterian Church. In the morning there was an anthem by the children's choir under the leadership of John E. Davey, the organist.

Lieut. Kenny spoke in the morning at the Salvation Army citadel and Capt. Rea in the evening when there was also a vocal solo by Mr. Wilson and a piano solo by Mrs. Mastin.

EXTENSION WORK UNITED CHURCH

Rev. Dr. S. S. Osterhout of Vancouver to Visit Anyox and Prince Rupert Next Week

Rev. Dr. S. S. Osterhout of Vancouver, superintendent of Oriental Missions for the United Church, will tour the coast next week in the interest of extension work for the church. A week from tomorrow he will pass through the city enroute to Anyox later returning and stopping off here.

Rev. Richmond Craig of Vancouver will tour the interior on similar business and may also visit Prince Rupert.

SALE OF POPPIES

Total as Result of Saturday's Effort With Some Returns to be Made Yet is About $200

Street collections by the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, as a result of the Poppy Day tagging on Saturday, totalled $118.34. There were also receipts from the sale of poppies in the schools as follows: Borden Street, $20.75; Booth School, $17.50; Seal Cove, $2.35; High School, $7. The sum of $21.80 was turned in from Georgetown; $12.50 from the St. Regis Cafe; 50c from Bryant & Greer; 40c from the Prince Rupert Billiard Parlor, and $1.05 from Gil's Cigar Store, bringing the total, with some returns yet to be made, to about $200.

Leonard Bate of the local forestry office staff was a passenger for Vancouver on the Prince Charles Sunday night.

CHURCH PARADE AND UNVEILING

Features of Special Services at St. Andrew's Anglican Church on Sunday

The parade in the morning of members of the First North B.C. Regiment and the Great War Veterans' Association to attend special Armistice Day services and the unveiling in the evening of a handsome pulpit erected by the Daughters of England in memory of Englishmen from this city who lost their lives while on service in the Great War were features of special services at the St. Andrew's Anglican Church on Sunday.

Members of the regiment and the G.W.V.A. mustered for the parade some eighty in strength and were marshalled by Col. J. W. Nicholls, officer commanding of the regiment, and Joe Hutchinson, president of the Great War Veterans' Association. It was impossible for members of the regiment to be in uniform on account of the annual inspection of equipment. The parade was accompanied by the regimental band some eighteen in strength augmented by six members of the newly formed Boys' Band who showed splendid results of the intensive training they have recently been undergoing. The sermon for the occasion was delivered by Rev. Walter Allen and "The Last Post" in memory of comrades who lost their lives as a result of the War was sounded by Bandsman W. Rance.

Pulpit Unveiled

Archdeacon G. A. Rix officiated at the evening service when the beautiful new solid oak wax finished pulpit made by the Valley City Furniture Co. of Dundas, Ont., and erected by the Daughters of England in memory of Englishmen from this city who lost their lives in the War was unveiled by Willie Donald, son of the late Pte. Matthew Donald.

Another feature of both services at the Anglican Church was the presence of the boys' surpliced choir which assisted for the first time in the musical program which consisted of patriotic and national hymns. This innovation has been due to the energy and interest of the organist, Miss L. M. Ellett.

The church was beautifully decorated with patriotic and seasonal adornments.

CANADIAN COURTESY APPEALED TO HIM

J. A. Werner, Well Known Yakima Fruit Rancher, Was Visitor to City at End of Week

Among the visitors to the city over the week end was J. A. Werner, a well known fruit rancher of Yakima, Washington. Mr. Werner came north on the Prince Charles, made the round trip to Hyder, Alaska, and, debarking here Sunday night, proceeded east by train to Chicago and Minneapolis which cities he will visit before he returns to Yakima. Mr. Werner remarked on the courtesies that had been extended him by railway officials and business people in British Columbia. The people in the United States he said seemed so intent in their chase for the "Almighty Dollar" that the ordinary courtesies of life were often overlooked.

QUEEN CHARLOTTES BENEFIT LARGELY FROM THE SALMON FISHERIES

SKIDEGATE, Nov. 10.— It is estimated that the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Company has left $75,000 on the Queen Charlotte Islands this year in cash paid out for salmon caught at Hippo Island and other points. A considerable sum of this has gone to the merchants at Prince Rupert.

The money paid for fish on these island is one of the main sources of supply to the settlers, five hundred of whom benefit them it.

A proposal has been made that there should be an effort to prospect for herring in these waters as it is known they run here. The government may be asked to assist. If the herring were taken here for halibut bait it would head off much of the business that now goes to Alaska.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

The Mineral Province of Western Canada

TO END OF DECEMBER, 1924.

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THE MAN IN THE MOON says:

THERE will be guerrilla warfare at Ottawa but it is not mentioned on which side is the gorilla.

WHAT I like above everything else is what the other fellow is getting and I am not.

A CORKSCREW politician is one who is crooked and has a strong pull.

I WONDER how many people really expressed their thanks yesterday.

HE lost five dollars in a game
And went without his furkey
So thanksgiving was dull and tame
And all the skies were murkey.

"IT'S a hold-up game" whispered the garter to the stocking.

THE man who marries for money earns all he gets and more.

NOW that thanksgiving day is past the wild game will give thanks that they have not been unintentionally hit by some stray shot.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

The Trades and Labor Council at its regular meeting last night, decided to put candidates in the field for the forthcoming civic election.

At a joint meeting of the city council fishery committee, the Board of Trade fishery committee and persons interested in the industry, it was decided to petition the provincial government to make no charge to fishermen using the government wharf for mooring purposes.

Hill 60 Chapter, I.O.D.E., has decided to send plum puddings to Prince Rupert men serving in the trenches in the Great War.

WATER NOTICE.

Diversion and Use.

TAKE NOTICE that Henry C. Giegerich, agent for the Engineer Gold Mines Ltd., Inc., whose address is Engineer, B.C., will apply for a license to take and use 50 cu. ft. per second of water out of Wann River which flows westerly and drains into Tagish Lake about two and one half miles south of the Engineer Mine. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about two miles from the terminus of the said river into Tagish Lake and will be used for hydro-electric power purposes upon the Engineer Mine, whose holdings are described as eleven Crown Granted Mineral Claims, surveyed as Lots Nos. 19, 20, 106, 207, 209, 918, 967, 968, 970, 972, and 1264, Group 1, Cassiar District. This notice was posted on the ground on the 18th day of October, 1925. A copy of this notice and application pursuant thereto and to the Water Act, 1914, will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Atlin, B.C. Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., within thirty days after the appearance of this notice in a local newspaper. The date of the first publication of this notice is the 24th day of October, 1925.

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GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

Notice of Application for Beer License.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 15th day of October, 1925, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect to premises, being part of the building known as Skidegate Boarding House, situated at Skidegate, upon the lands described as Lot 10, Block 4, according to a registered map or plan deposited in the Land Registry Office at the City of Prince Rupert and numbered 948, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Dated at Skidegate, B.C., this 29th day of September, 1925.

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