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### Co-ops and Taxation . . .

There is no surprise at the recommendation of the royal commission on co-operatives, findings of which were announced in Ottawa yesterday after having been awaited with keen interest for some time, that the principle of exempting co-operatives from company income and excess profits taxes should be ended. Even the co-operatives themselves probably did not expect anything different. Pending the opportunity of perusal of the Commission's report in full being possible, it appears that some phases of co-operative activity, including the credit unions, are still going to be free from the application of such taxation.

Even if the co-operatives are not going to enjoy this taxation exemption any longer, they have already during the recent good years had a great opportunity to build up their financial resources and improve their assets. We do not have to go any further than Prince Rupert to see that. At the same time the private companies have had to sweat along, holding down their expenses and "working for the government." Even though it may be late in the day, there will still be some satisfaction that at least they are to have some sort of a break—even if it be in a negative sort of way—as compared with the co-operatives.

As for the co-operatives, many of them have astute and resourceful management and they will be smart enough to take full advantage of any privileges that may be left to them after the government gets done with legislation based upon the Commission's report which may be expected to be forthcoming ere long.

### YOUTH HERE ARE NORMAL

Are Thinking Along Serious Lines—Development of Teen-Age Club Idea Advocated

"Three Fundamental institutions—home, school and church—are essential in the proper development of youth along healthy lines and, if these institutions are not all that they should be, it is our own fault for not being on the inside of them enough and sufficiently interested and active in them," declared Aubrey Bate of the staff of Booth Memorial High School in speaking before the Prince Rupert Gyro Club at luncheon yesterday.

Mr. Bate, who spoke on the subject of "A Saskatchewan School Teacher Looks at Prince Rupert," said that he had found Prince Rupert boys and girls normal and well-meaning. Let no one think that all they were interested in were boogie-woogie and moving picture actors. To prove this he went on to give some illustrations of matters that local High School pupils were thinking of as indicated in questions and answers developed in discussions incidental to social studies. These included such topics as practicability of educational curricula, the disposition of taxes, national and international problems, salaries of Parliamentarians, the causes of depression and where the money went during such periods.

Here in Prince Rupert Mr. Bate recommended that provision be made for teen-age clubs such as were proving so effective all over the country. The youth should be provided with premises where they could conduct their own activities and organizations among themselves. Buildings were available here and the young folks themselves would do the work. The cost would be negligible.

"If you think the youth of Prince Rupert are roaming the streets too much, it is because they do not know what to do with their time," said the speaker who challenged the service clubs—if they really were service clubs—to do something about functioning as liaison between home, church and school. On behalf of the principal of the High School, he invited members of the club to visit and take more active interest in the schools.

In opening, Mr. Bate gave some personal impressions as gained by a stranger coming to Prince Rupert. He suggested some reasons for the turnover in teaching staffs here. He had found an excellent spirit among the teachers here.

Dr. J. J. Gibson, president, was in the chair and there was a good attendance at the luncheon.

**PYTHONS FOR ZOO**  
LONDON, (P)—Two Indian python crew, have been presented to the London Zoo by Commander M. C. Causland of H.M.S. Wayland. Their names are "Percy" and "Cynthia."

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA**  
**IN THE MATTER OF EDWIN CHRISTENSEN—OTHERWISE KNOWN AS EDWIN CHRISTIANSEN, DECEASED,** who was presumed to have died at Clifford Bay, B.C., on the 1st day of January, 1945.  
**TAKE NOTICE** that by Order of His Honor Judge Fisher, I was on the 23rd day of November, 1945, appointed Administrator of the Estate of Edwin Christensen, otherwise known as Edwin Christiansen, who by Order of His Honor Judge Fisher dated the 9th day of November, 1945, was presumed to have died on the 1st day of January, 1945. All persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith and all persons having claims against the said estate are required to file them with me properly verified on or before the 31st day of December, 1945, failing which distribution will be made having regard only to such claims of which I shall then have been notified.  
DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 26th day of November, A.D. 1945.  
**NORMAN A. WATT,**  
Official Administrator. (285)

### LETTERBOX

LET'S BE FAIR

I see that the police have made another round-up of gamblers in the city. I call gambling a clean game of chance and I believe it is impossible to stamp it out no matter how many police are used.

However, let me draw your attention to the manner in which the churches and service clubs are encouraging certain types of gambling in the form of bingo and raffles. I have some raffle tickets at my home, one on a yacht, to be raffled December 6, one, sponsored by the I.O.D.E., for a round-trip to Vancouver, and one for a memorial society.

I like to see the law enforced but the fact is that people will not respect the law if it is not enforced impartially. Men who sit down to a quiet game of poker are arrested. Yet race tracks are permitted to operate and clubs are permitted to carry on under the membership camouflage. Churches allow bingo games and service clubs are permitted to organize raffles.

Either let us stop all kinds of gambling, or let's be sensible about the whole thing.

F. MILLER.

### MAX ASEMISSON IS HONORED AT GYRO CLUB STAG

Max Asemisson, who is leaving the city shortly for Vancouver to take up future residence after having been manager of the Armour Salvage Co. here for several years, was farewelled by the Prince Rupert Gyro Club, of which he has been a poplar member, when a stag party was held in his honor last night at Reid's Cafe. About 50 persons were in attendance and the feature of the evening was the presentation to the guest of honor by Dr. J. J. Gibson, president of the club, of a handsome toilet case. Sentiments appropriate to the occasion were voiced. W. F. Stone was responsible for arrangements for the party.

END OF INCAS

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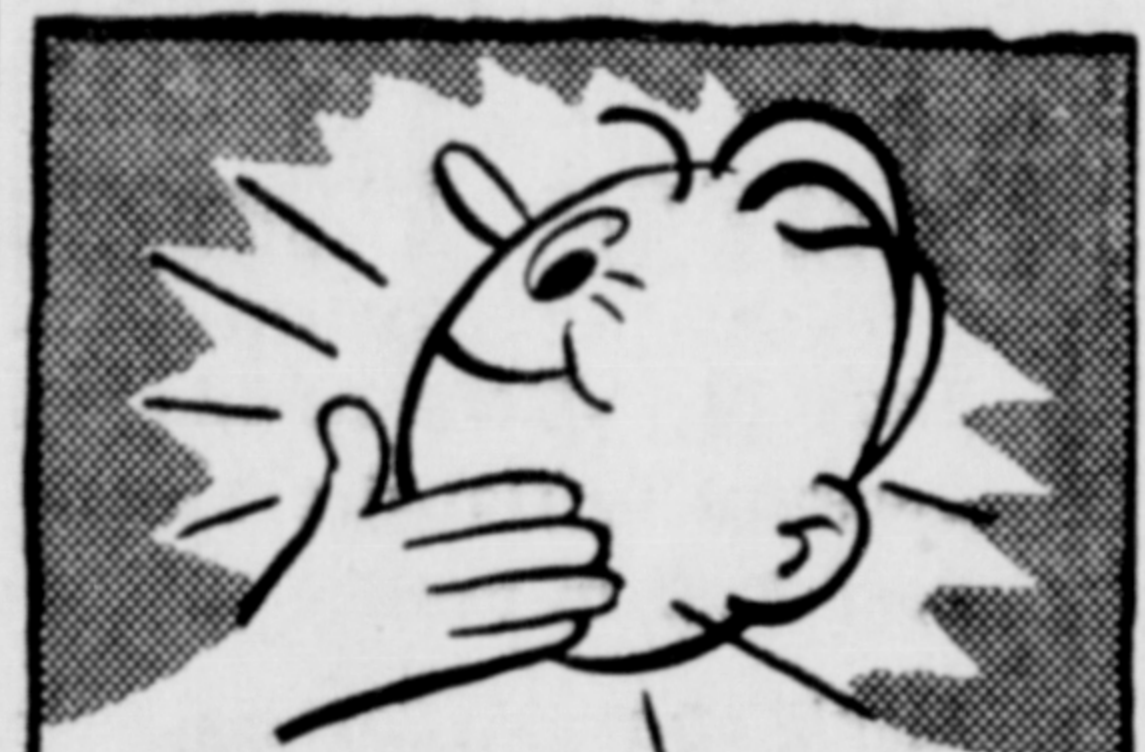
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### G. R. MUTRIE

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