

price also to be regarded as an assessable value for purposes of taxation.

8. Extension of co-operative agencies in agriculture to cover the whole field of marketing, including arrangements with consumers' societies for the supplying of foodstuffs at the lowest rates and with the minimum of middleman handling.

9. Public ownership and control of railway, water and aerial transportation, telephone, telegraph and express systems, all projects in the development of natural power, and of the coal mining industry.

10. To bring about a greater measure of democracy in government, we recommend:

(a) That the Dominion Election Act shall be based upon the principle of establishing the federal electorate on the provincial franchise.

(b) The reform of the federal senate.

(c) The complete abolition of the patronage system.

(d) The publication of contributions and expenditures both before and after election campaigns.

(e) The setting forth by daily newspapers and periodical publications, of the facts of their ownership and control.

(f) Proportional representation.

(g) The establishment of measures of direct legislation through the initiative, referendum and recall.

(h) Prohibition of the manufacture, importation and sale of intoxicating liquors as beverages in Canada.

(i) An immediate check upon the growth of government by order-in-council, and increased responsibility of individual members of parliament in all legislation.