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Discuss Alien Immigration-From New Angle

Plea Made for Better Treatment of Japanese Settlers

Quite a new and interesting light was thrown upon the much discussed Asiatic problem in a discussion which took place last Friday at the meet-ing of the Equal Franchise League. Mr. R. B. Kerr's review of the quest-

ion of the buestion of Asiatic immigration showed the pressure from old and thickly populated countries for access to new and sparsely populated reas.

The population of the world being 1,600 millions, Asia now holds more than half, 850 millions, China having 400 millions, and India, which is much smaller than Canada, 350 millions Europe has 400 millions, while Canada with about the same area, has only millions. Since 1885, when Froude visited Australia, and an increase of millions in a century was prophesied, the population has risen from three mislions to only four millions. The thinly-populated new countries are Europeans; Spanish and Portuguese in South America, French in the fine territory of the north of Africa, and British in many parts of world. Germany, however, has not had the access to Africa that she wanted, and has complained that she "has no place in the sun." Japan, with 70 millions, has no outlet to the

having to learn our language, and in addition to this, we do not give the showed. a respectful welcome. The intermarriage was a difficulty, but it was more imaginary than real. Even intermarriage with a really lower race, the negro, has not been proved to produce poor heredity. The famous novelist, Alexandre Dumas was a quarter negro, and his son was Baile also famous. It had been said that W. but the Chinaman would raise. his standard of living if he was encouragto join unions. Some complained of Orientals sending money out of the country, but if we allowed the wives and families of these people to come in they would not send their earnings

Mr. C. E. Weeks pointed out the difficulties of the farmer competing with Asiatic labor, and feared the lowering of the standard or living. He express the hope that the cooperative method would help us.

Mr. K. Iwashita, a well-known local Japanese merchant, being called upon to speak, replied first to the question of intermarriage, saying that those have proved satisfactory, especially as shown in about those hundred manbetween Japanese men and American women, and the offspring A gigantic scheme for the purchase was robust. He claimed that the Jap by the British government of 200 mil-

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Annual Meeting of Hospital Society

Local Institution Holds its Own in Spite of Difficulties

The annual meeting of the Hospital ociety was held last Friday afternoon in the Board of Trale 1001us. In the absence of the president, Mr. P. I. Willits, at the coast, Mr. G. S. Mc

In his report the secretary referred to the several changes which had taken place in the staff during the year. There had been no regular canvass for funds made. Owing to the many demands made for funds from ather organizations, it had been deemed sdvisable to endeavor to make a stronger effort to collect accounts, and in that way to make the Hospital pay 1's but had appointed a new man for the Mission. own way instead of calling uppa the Valley, who had done good work. Mr. Taylor went on to review public for funds.

The total number of patients treat 41 of them for operations, 68 for medin the maternity hospital. The total

During the year a refrigerator room had been built in, and storm windows and doors had been added.

In closing his report the secretary thanked all who had assisted in any manner during the past veac. year had been a very trying one, and if it had not been for the persistent attention of the president, as well as continued Mr. Kerr, are troubled with condition would not be in as nourish-

was proceeded with, resulting in the following board being appointed: Messrs. D. Leckie, G. R. Binger, N. D. McTavish, G. Meikle, H. Burtch, G. S. McKenzie, M. Hereron, W. Haug, E. R. Bailey, J. Leathley, J. W. Jones, E. W. Wilkinson, G. A. Fisher, D. W. Asiatics always work for low wages, Sutherland, and P. DuMoulin. Mr. R. E. Denison was elected auditor.

A hearty vots of thanks was passed to the retiring president, Mr. P. B. Willits, for the good work which he had done, not only last year, but dur ing all the time he had been on the Hospital board, and regrets were expressed that he should have found it necessary to drop the work for the

Thanks were also given to the various ladies' associations who had been directors and executive, and also to the matron and hospital staff.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors Mr. D. Leckie was elected president, with Mr. G. R. Binger vice-president, Mr. N. D. McTavish treasurer,

anese do not send much money away: iton acres of land in Alberta, Sark-only about \$20 per capita annually is atchewan, Manitoba, and British Colremitted to Japan, and probably the umbia, to be developed as a means of Chinese send about the same to their paying off the Empire's war debt, is families. It was, he said, because the being put before the publicaby a new farmers discriminate against them ly formed Empire Resources Committee ate in securing the services of Mr. R. and that they knew not what would of which Earl Grey, Lord Desborough, L. Dalglish as secretary, and it was onistic feeling was removed, Orientals Colonel Grant Morden, Moreton Frewwould make good citizens. The patrice en, M. P., and other leading men are members

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Local Farming Progress Reviewed at Farmers' Institute Annual Meeting

President L. E. Taylor Gives Interesting Survey of Farming Conditions in the District-New Officers Elected for Year

Farmers' Institute was held that had been made good use of urday afternoon, Mr. Lionel E. Taylor The government had purchas

year. Amongst other things they had was on its way here now. done all in their power to secure the Preliminary enquiries made by the appointment of a separate weed in secretary had resulted in obtaining

pointment at the last Central !nsti'ute district during the past year. Taken ed during the past year had been 150, convention of an advisory board to as a whole he thought the farmers had advise the government on all matters probably had the most successful year ical treatment, and the balance of 41 pertaining to the work of the Institute in the history of the district. Fruit Out of this had grown the formation prices had been good, and the total of "district Institutes," so that the output larger than in any previous number of days treatment was 2043, of "district Institutes," so that the output larger than in any previous 1428 in the general hospital, and 515 in the maternity branch.

Central convention would be relieved year. Some districts suffered consideration of a great deal of discussion of purely ably from the severe winter, in some

land, and Kelowna, with a total at- hand many hundreds of acres of young at Glenmore with an attendance cfl1. practically no loss.

ject of the marketing and proud ling fruit exported had helped to relieve fruit, and in February a banquet any over-supply on the prairies. had been held in conjunction with the ing condition as the balance sheet Women's Institute, which had proved coming every year more of a live issue, Following the adoption of the finan-cial statement the election of directors the latter had been \$21.50, which had evolved in the near future. been divided between the two Insti-

forming a District Institute. Hopkins, and others. Important reso lutions, were passed and forwarded to the government and other Institutes in Extension of school holidays, labor bureau, fruit packing, agricultural reading matter for schools, experiments in onion growing, and the appointment of an agricultural supervisor for the

Compelitions were held for orchards onions, and corn, but the potato competition was withdrawn.

Last June the directors decided to rent the Board of Trade room for permanent quarters, and arrangements were made to sublet the front office the District Horticulturist. new arrangements had proved eminently satisfactory, the rents obtained by hiring the room for other meetings, etc., having recouped the Institute for the rent paid to the Board of Trade. A library was maintained and a full stack of bulletins was always on hand.

The Institute had been most fortunwas of the greatest advantage to the farmers to be able to consult the secretary any afternoon they pleased

The annual meeting of the Kelowns the Institute rooms, and the privilege

the retiring president in the chair.

In his introductory remarks, the thresher during the year, and had chairman referred to some of the ac-placed it at the disposal of the farmtivities of the Institute during the past ers here. A seed cleaner and grader

spector for the Kelowna district. The Dominion government bulls being obgovernment had not found this feasible tained for Rutland and Okanagan

Reference was also made to the ap- progress of agriculture generally in the cases the orchards being practically During the year five Packing Schools wiped out, and in others the yield re-had been held at East Kelowna, Rut-duced to a minimum. On the other tendance of 62, and a Packing School orchard came through the winter with

In March Messrs. Abbott and Fleck The export markets had been strong, had addressed a meeting on the sub- and no doubt the large quantity of The export markets had been strong,

The question of cold storage was be very great success, being attended and there was no doubt in his mind

The vegetable market had been strong feature during the year. Union growers reaped a rich harvest, meeting had been held during the year, potatoes were above the average price. and on December 5th a special meet. The early frost in the fall caused coning had been held for the purpose of siderable damage to the tomato crops, That and the cannery supply fell ar short meeting was addressed by the deputy of requirements. Other truck crops minister of agriculture, Mr. W. E. Froved more profitable than usual, probably owing to the largely increased production.

The apple evaporator was able handle a large bulk of cull fruit, and the Valley on the following subjects: its value should be more appreciated by the growers than it is. In his opinion a good deal more fruit should go to the evaporator than does at present, instead of being shipped to other provinces. It is very detriental to any market to have a fluod of low-grade produce.

PROGRESS OF DAIRYING

Dairying had made rapid strides thanks to the firm establishment of a ly superior to seed from other locali-creamery during the year. The 74,2/1 ties. It is also a mistaken ide. 10 lbs. of butter were manufactured and suppose that seed requires constant sold by the creamery during the year, in addition to lee cream and cream. The average price paid to the farmers for butter fat, a high price for normal times, and one that will compare favorably with any other creamery Canada. A great deal, observed Mr. Taylor, might be said as to improved methods which should be adopted by dairy farmers both in the care of their come next day, that they could not put their hard-earned money into real estate or furniture here. If the antage kett, Rt. Hon. Sir Starr Jameson, on so successfully during the war. It and he was pleased to note that seven new silos had been exceeded during the year, bringing the total up to over Lwenty, twelve months. There were still very few farmers who weighed their milk. Without this it was impossible to tell which cows were profits ble and which boarders. The time had fully arrived for she establishment of a testing association in the district.

The hay crop was below the average but prices were higher. A consider able amount of hay was shipped out to the coast. There was a large fall-ing off of grain production partly owing to unfavorable weather conditions. More grain should be grown in the district, especially barley for pig feed. This year was most unfavorable for

on lighter lands.

There was a great demand for good vision. corn seed in Canada. Over 250,000

The orchards of the valley, he said, had now arrived at such an age when it became imperative to take stringent large propertion of the corn growing

Local Creamery Butter Wins Notable Success

Competition Open to Province

ery output has been strikingly sh wn by the success of the exhibit sent to the butter compatition nection with the convention of the provincial Dairymen's Association held last week in Nanaimo. In competition with many of the largest and oldes Kelowna Creamery carried off first prize for butter prints. The prize for butter solids was only missed by the loss of a few points on a question o preparation of the exhibit.

The Creamery company, and especially the manager, Mr. S. Thomas, are to be congratulated on this very satis-

The convention itself was full of in terest for all dairymenf and the farm ers of the district will no doubt look forward with interest ta the special convention which is to be held in Kelowna in September, when the competition will be repeated.

Mr. M. Hereron was elected a direct er of the Association for the coming year. There were also present from Kelowna Messrs. P. B. Willits, W. G. Benson, D. W. Sutherland, and J. L.

Amongst the resolutions passed by the convention was one asking the gov ernment to resume she systematic esting of dairy herds for tuberculosis at the earliest possible moment.

The public school at Salmon arm was destroyed by fire this week.

The local curlers have been have ing good times lately, the cold weather having given them a good sheet of ice at the rink. Visitors are up today from Penticton tak-ing part in a few friendly games with the local enthusiasts.

ducing good seed every year.

SEED GROWING

He believed there was no place Canada where seed of all kinds could be produced better than in this vallay, and he looked to a great fut ire for

It could not be too strongly ressed upon farmers to use only best seed. It was the utmost folly purchase second grade order to make a saving of a cents or dollars per acre, which was all it ever amounted to. It was no established fact that locally grown eed, properly acclimatizal, is infinitechanging; this is not the case if you

select your seed every year.

Every endeavor was being made increase production to supply war re quirements, and with the prevalent scarcity of labor this could best be done by sowing only the best seed, properly cleaned and graded.

LIVESTOCK

Cattle were slowly increasing in numbers and in quality by the use of numbers and in quality by the use of co and a good programme is being good sires, but prices had not adprovided free. The affair will farm products. Pigs had made a very large increase, partly attributable the dairy business. Several carlo the dairy business. Several carros is the dairy business. Several carros is being erected during the next at 94c to 104c live weight.

There had been a firm demand for horses from outside buyers at moderate prices, and there was every prospect for a considerable rice in prices with a greater demand. The poultry industry was making headway, especially as regards the quality of the birds kept, but the supply of eggs throughout the year was not equal to the demand.

LABOR SHORTAGE

Turning from his review of the farming industry during the past year, Mr. Taylor went on to cons of the difficulties ahead. There was maturing corn on bottom lands, but likely to be considerable shortage of at least two good crops were matured labor, both for ranch work and fruit picking. This matter had been dis There was no doubt in his mind that of the opinion that the most likely corn could be successfully grown here solution would be the formation of a on a large scale at a good profit. labor bureau under government super-

St. Michael's Church **Annual Vestry Meeting**

Kelowna Takes First Prize In In Spite of Difficulties Financial Conditions Were Encouraging

> The annual vestry meeting of tne parish of St. Michael and All Angels' was held on Wednesday evening, January 24th and was presided over by the rector, Archdeacon Greene.

In his yearly report he reviewed the work of the parish in its various branches, specially commend-ing the work of the choir, the jun-ior and senior W.A., and the Chancel Guild for their substan-tial aid given to the parish funds. Particular mention was made of the work of the juniors in defraying the expense of matting for the centre aisle of the church. He thanked the retiring wardens and church committee for their valuable help in the executive work of the parish. Mr. Beale and Mr. Whiffin were heartily commended, the former for his earnest work in the Sunday-school, the latter for his work in building the organ which is giving increased satisfac-

Mr. G. A. Fisher then read the wardens' financial report. He said that despite many difficulties the current expenses had been met, the Synod and M. S. C. C. assessments had been fully paid, and on the whole conditions were very encouraging.

The election of officers was then proceeded with Lay delegates, Messrs. F. A. Taylor, P. DuMoulin and L. E. Taylor. The rector re-gretted that Mr. Carruthers, owing to increased duties and residence about four miles out of town, was obliged to decline the office of Rector's Warden. He had, however, found an excellent successor in Mr. J. R. Beale, and Mr. G. A. Fisher was unanimously elected People's Warden, an onerous post which he has filled with entire satisfaction. The congregation is fortunate in having one who is so deeply interested in the work of

deeply interested in the work of the church.

The following were elected as sidesmen: Messrs. R. E. Denison, P. DuMoulin, L. E. Taylor, A. Whiffin, F. V. Royle, F. W. Groves, A. C. Poole, D. Lloyd-Jones, C. Johnson; Auditor, Mr. R. E. Deni-

Hearty votes of thanks were passed to the retiring wardens and church committee, to the honorary auditor, Mr. Denison, Mr. Beale, Mr. Whffin, the organist, Miss Edgell, the choir, the junior and senior W.A., and Chancel Guild. The rector then pronounced the blessing thus bringing a very successful meeting to a close.

The Rutland United Farmers have arranged a "smoker" for Monday next, February 5th, to be held in the schoolhouse. A hearty invitation is extended to members of kindred organizations throughout the district. Refreshments, tobac-

Mr. J. A. Bigger returned last week-end from a visit to Winni-

Bishop Du Pencier returns to New Westminster, B.C., in April. He has been serving as chaplain

The Hon. Ralph Smith, provincial minister of finance, recently told a delegation that he was considering the question of placing a tax on theatre tickets. It is possible that the government will levy a tax which will be divided with the municipalities; in the districts where the money is collected.

The Dresden arsenal has been blown up and one thousand wo-men and young girls killed, accordmen and young girls killed, according to a letter taken from a German soldier dated Decembes 30.

The letter was written from Dreaden, and the writer said that all the windows within a radius of twelve miles were broken by the explosion. He added that the authorities were keeping the news secret, and that no railroad tickets were being is-sued for Dresden except for urgent

NEXT WAR LOAN

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Wilson Landing and Westside Notes

Mr. Chesbro, of Kelowna, came over on Saturday's boat, and is a guest at the Lakeview hotel.

Among the visitors to Kelowna Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Joslyn, Mr. J. H. Campbell and daughter Geraldine, Messrs. Duncan, Lindstrom Steels, Ball, Dobbin and Nicol, snr., Pte. J. Tolhurst, and the Misses Davidson.

The Patriotic Fund collector, Mr. Ball, was on his usual monthly round last week. We can but keep the ball rolling, its bound to strike a prize sooner or later,

At the services on Sunday Pastor Rowland made an urgent ap-peal to his congregation for funds for the general liabilities of the Presbyterian church. After the return of the plate to the table you could see by the look on his face he felt like saying Gloria in Ex-

Before Pte. J. Tolhurst goes away it would be a good thing to have a basket social, say next Wednesday, with two objects in view First, to show our esteem for the returned wounded, second, to make a collection for a clock for the schoolhouse, a very much needed article, so come along and bring your basket, and either speak a piece or sing a song.

to be the craze among the young people. Bob sleighs, planks, lad-ders, anything that will slide, are

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Martin, who ave been staying here while Mr. Martin built a house on the Dun-day ranch, have once more shook the dust (or rather snow) of West-bank from their feet. We say come back, for we are the better for your visit by a nice little house, and would call to your mind the mystic number of a certain brolate the theory of a certain brolate the theory of the property of the district of ly we heard murmurs from the east to the effect that the war was maken the form their feet. We say come back, for we are the better ed at from \$3.000,000 to \$4,000, of scoutmasters. Now the cry is taken up in the west. The commissioner from Alberta, Mr. Justice W. L. Walsh, writing to the Honstein was maken up in the west. The commissioner from Alberta, Mr. Justice W. L. Walsh, writing to the Honstein was maken up in the west. The commissioner from Alberta, Mr. Justice W. L. Walsh, writing to the Honstein was maken up in the west. The commissioner from Alberta, Mr. Justice W. L. Walsh, writing to the Honstein was maken up in the west. The commissioner from Alberta, Mr. Justice W. L. Walsh, writing to the Honstein was maken up in the west. therhood—490.

Some people seem to think that Westbank is not on the map at all. This cannot be said of the several collectors who have been rounding us up this past week, for they sure found us. One gentleman, Mr. Estabrook, of Summerland, spent two days here collecting for the Y.M.C.A. overseas branch, which l am sure is worthy of all our sup-port, and it sure is a pity if we cannot supply the boys with a cup of cocoa and a bun when they are perhaps giving their all for us. It is said he went away with a good

We really wondered what Mr. Gellatly meant last fall by making such a large hole on his Bushrie ranch. We find that he lined it with lumber, laid a railway track into it, and has still two hundred tons of potatoes, and two cars of onions stored in it. Just add electric light and then it will be complete. He estimates it will pay for itself this season. He seems to have all kinds of orders for his produce, even Chicago asking him to send all the potatoes he can

Mr. Everett Hogan, of the Soil and Crop Department of Agriculture, was a visitor to Gellatly this week bringing with him the government seed cleaner we saw illustrated in the Agricultural Journal last month, which was to loaned to those having small seeds to clean. Mr. Gellatly, having a large quantity of onion parsnip and other seed to clean, had ap-plied to the government for the loan of it. It is to go to Kelowna afterwards, so if you have any seed to clean now is your time.

A special meeting of the directors of the Farmers' Institute was held at the home of the secretary, Mr. Russell, who had several matters of interest to bring before the board with resolutions which it was necessary to bring to their notice of the secretary to bring to their notice of the reasons for not having passed. necessary to bring to their notice having passed. There seem na Institute, and one dealing with understanding in connection with the unjust way the Agricultural entering the daily good turns in the Credit and Loan Commission Act diales with which each scout in n regard to applicants for loans, the Troop has been provided. If which must have more or less effect on members of every institute in the province. These are to be forwarded to the advisory board to be placed before the Minister of Activities. One other versus the result of the province of Activities of the province of the placed before the Minister of the placed before the Minister of Activities. of Agriculture. One other resolution was passed on to the general meeting of the Institute, viz.: "Shall the Japanese who are in our midst be allowed to become members of the Institute."

While the good turn performed on any particular day may seem a very small one, still enter it up in your diary. This is a Troop order and you know the seventh Scout Law We must be getting into our new quarters soon, and for that purpose shall shortly hold a working her to fix up the same. We

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A proposal to establish a protectorate in the Holy Land under the

ders, anything that will slide, are being brought into requisition, and by the peals of laughter that can be heard, they are certainly enjoying themselves. Go to!

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Martin, who

Artentminut on the taste of the public works by the peals of laughter that can department during the fiscal year posite. He was peeling an orange and generously distributing the peeling all over the pavement in front of the confectioner's store, which is a decrease of about ten millions as compared with the previous year.

> Fire which swept through a sec tion of the business district of to hospitals.

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Kelowna Troop Troop First; Self Last

Edited by Pioneer. Jan. 30th, '17

Orders by command for eek Each patrol will parade during the week at least once, at the call

of its leader.
The patrol leaders and seconds will parade at the clubroom on Wednesday the 7th instant at 7.15 p. m. All scouts formerly attach-

There seems to be some mis-

purpose shall shortly hold a work-ing bee, to fix up the same. We want some book shelves in the house, and this is a splendid op-portunity for some one in the Troop to do the Troop a good turn. The lumber will be supplied

by the Troop. Whilst speaking of good turns, a Now that the moon has returned once more to lighten our darkness tobogganing by lime light seems to be the craze among the young people. Bob sleighs, planks, ladders, anything that will slide, are House at Ottom than the table of the other day, however, we saw the craze among the young people. Bob sleighs, planks, ladders, anything that will slide, are House at Ottom than the table of the other day, however, we saw the content of the property of the most difficult problem in the tangled political situation in the near east.

A return laid on the table of the other day, however, we saw the property of the property o

Not Enough Scoutmasters

(Victoria Headquarters) Recently we heard murmurs from the east

We are doing what we can to further the movement in this Pro-vince but the war has made such demands upon the young men available for the position of scoutmster that we are finding it very difficult to keep the troops alive in the smaller places. The secretary placed before us yesterday a list of nearly a dozen villiages in which there are good troops but positively not a man in the place to take charge of them. A considerable number of new troops sidering everything we have no reason to be disatisfied with the progress we are making." In some parts of Canada there are so few Masters that three and four Troops are being run by one scoutmaster, This applies pretty much to almost every part of the Dominion.

Scouts

"Archibald had been called up in his group, and on his first parade watched with some anxiety the recruits being numbered.
"Ten, eleven, twelve," roared

the recruits.

"Ain't yer got a number?" inquired the sergeant fiercely of Archibald.

"Ethica" its annual the year.

"E-thirteen" stammered the raw

one.
"What!" bellowed the sergeant.
"E-thirteen indeed. D'you think I'm
drilling a bally lot of submarines?"

Women will not be permitted to practise law in England if the lawyers can prevent them. The gen-eral council of the bar overwhelmingly defeated a resolution asking the general council to "consider

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TOWN AND COUNTRY NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mitchell and family left for England Saturday.

Pte. Wm. Halliday was in town this week on a short furlough.

A mean trick was played at the post office last Friday by someone braden will sing. Tea

Mr. Alec. McQuarrie is the latest recruit to devote himself to the service of his country. He has this week joined up with the B.C. Horse at Vernon.

A dance is to be given by the Fire Brigade in Morrison's Hall next Thursday evening, February 1st. Come and spend a pleasant evening. Cards and light refreshments. Per couple 75c. 10-1

nave been making some alterations in their store this past week, and have occupied the upstairs of the building which is being fitted as a studio, whilst the ground floor will be used as showroom and office. When finished they expect to have the finished they expect the finished they expect the finished they expect the finished the finished they expect the finished they expect the finished they one of the best studios in the in-

The inhabitants of Woodlawn apparently have a hard time to A good time is assured all who raise their live stock. What with the come. Refreshments served. activities of sneak thieves and marauding dogs and cats, the poultry and rabbit fancier's life is not a happy one in that district. The latest one is a rabbit killing terrier and this pest has scored quite a bag lately, one man losing sixteen rabbits in a single night.

The sudden drop in the temperahave been kept busy thawing them out. The snowfall which has now succeeded the cold snap will be welcomed by a great many people who have hauling to do, particular-ly by those who have piles of logs ready cut and awaiting sleighing to get them to the lake.

Local Choir to Render Part of Handel's "Messiah

It is a long time since any efforts have been made by local societies to provide the people of the city with an evening's music and since the much deplored destruction of the Opera House nothing in the way of a concert either sacred or secular, has been thought of. After the most successful "Messiah" evening given some eighteen months ago by the combined Methodist and Baptist choirs, an at-tempt was made by the Philhar-monic Society to put the oratorio on in its entirety, which proved abortive and the practises were discontinued much to the regret of many who attended sheerly for the desire for good music.

Seeing that nothing further has been attempted by the local churches the Baptist choir have decided to renew practice and render part three of the "Messiah" on Good Friday. Mrs. F. A. Pedlar, L.R.A.M., has kindly consented to conduct and has called the first

the evening's proceeds will be do-nated to the special effort being made to entirely the church of debt, and that a cordial invitation is extended to all who may care to attend next Tuesday; it is absolutely non-sectarian and undenominational. Quite a number have already promised support.

Dr. Gaddes returned last Friday rom San Diego.

At the Women's Institute meeting to be held on Februrry 3rd, in the Oddfellows' Hall, Miss Moule will give a demonstration and Mrs. Braden will sing. Tea will be serv-

The Rev. A. Evans will conduct services at the Baptist church next Sunday. In the morning he will speak on 'The Upward Look," and in the evening or. "The Con-straining Love of the Gospel." The evening music will include a male

The name of W. Wilson, Kelowna, appears in yesterday's casualties This is Corporal Wilson, brother to "Billy," who has received a gun-Messrs. Hudson, Stocks & Co. shot wound in the right leg accord. ing to official advice sent to his parents. We are glad to hear it is

> Remember the dance in aid of the Red Cross Thursday, February 8th, in Morrison's Hall. This is to be an informal affair and a splen-did program of old-fashioned dances has been arranged which will begin promptly at nine o'clock.

A noticeable importation of selected stock poultry was made by Mr. A. W. Cooke, of Benvoulin, last week. It comprised four White Wyandotte cockerels related to last year's winning pen in the In-ternational Egg-Laying Contest, at Victoria, and two Buff Orpington cockerels testing 220 egg type unture this week caused havoc with der the Hogan system and one the water pipes and the plumbers Buff Orpington cock testing 242 under the same system.

> Lieut. R. H. Gilbert, of the 253rd Queens University Highlanders, was in town yesterday on a re-cruiting mission for his unit which is authorized to recruit throughout is authorized to recruit throughout the Dominion. Lieut. Gilbert is in charge of recruiting for the Queens Highlanders, for B.C. The latest unit authorized to the University in recognition of her services to the country, is a kilted battalion of unfantry under the command of Lieut.-Col. (Professor) P Campbell. The Queens Highlanders are equipped with a very smart uniform, wearing the Balmoral with feathers, regulation doublet, and the khaki regulation doublet, and the khaki kilt. Puttees and khaki bluchers will also be worn.

Rutland News

Everett and Elwood Fleming have enlisted in the medical corps and left for Victoria Monday.

Mr. J. M. Clever, who has been visiting his father, Mr. A. J. Clever, left on Tuesday for his home in Washtuena, Wash.

Mrs. Gordon Caspell returned from Portland, Oregon, last Thursday. Her friends are glad to know her health has greatly improved.

The Women's Institute will meet at the school on Thursday, Febpractice for Tuesday evening next, in the Baptist church, at 7.45 sharp.

The choir wish it to be distinctly understood that their effort is independent of the church, though

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FARMERS' INSTITUTE ANNUAL DISCUSS ALIEN IMMIGRATION MEETING

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neasures to combat insect pests. The number of spraying machines available was totally inadequate, and he had outlined a scheme for the cooperative purchase of machines on easy terms which he hoped shortly to lay before the government.

One of the most serious problems which fruit-growers and others were up against even now was the keeping up of the fertility of the soil. The system adopted by many growers of trying to get the most out of fruit and in addition out of truck crops without putting anything back into the soil was most unreasonable, and must lead to mpoverishment of the soil. It was all very well apparently for a few years, but when the trees began to bear really big crops the bad results would se seen in the smallness of the fruit. It was absolutely necessary for continuous production of good fruit either to dress the land heavily with danure or to turn under green crops. To produce the best results in dairy. ing it was necessary to grade up the There were too many scrub stock. ows in the district. These should be bred to registered bulls and the old stock weeded out as the growing stock came in. Dairying was a paying business only when carried on with good stock.

The financial report for the year was then read showing expenditures of \$495.28 with receipts of \$491.75, or a oss on the year of \$3.53. With a however, the books still showed a surplus of \$32.24.

The election of a board of directors resulted in the selection of the following: Messrs. L. E. Taylor, A. W. Cook, C. Rogerson, M. Hereron, G. Seon, P. A. Lewis, W. G. Schell, W. C. Spencer, W. D. Walker, and A. Day. Mr. E. Wilkinson was elected auditor

the District Institute of South Okana gan; Messrs. L. E. Taylor, A. W. Dal glish, M. Hereron, and A. W. Cook. communication from Mr. W. E. Scott announcing the decision of the government to discontinue the allowance formerly made to secretaries of Institutes, brought up the necessity of raising more funds, and it was decided to raise the annual sub scription to the Institute to one dollar this sum to include a rear's subscrip-

tion to the Agricultural Journal, pub-

agriculture. Mr. Taylor went into further detail regarding the proposal for the cooperative purchase of power aprayers. The plan was for the Institute to finance the purchase of the machines by borrowing money from the government. For full bearing orchards one machine would be needed for each fifty acres, and would cost about \$500. The loan would be repaid to the Institute by a charge, estimated at \$2 30 per acre per



SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS

Coal mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories, and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be, leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of \$1 an acre. Not more than 2,500 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Applications for the lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are

divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant

Each application must be a panied by a fee of \$5 which will be refunded if the right applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merch able output of the mine at the rate of

five cents per ton. The person operating the mine shall furnish the agent with sworm returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns shall be furnished at least comp

a year.
The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may permitted to purchase whatev available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of \$10 an sore.

For full information application should be made to the secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottows, or to the Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion lands.

Deputy Minister of the Interior.

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FROM NEW ANGLE

tic feeling of the Japanese need not be feared, continued Mr. Iwasuita. Japanese M. P. visiting Hawaii, and addressing the Japanese there lately, urged them to acquire citizenville there. They could be patriotic toward countries, but in case of war, would side with their adopted both The race question, he said, country. was certainly greater than any other question, except that of capital and abor, but the collisions becween ruces might be compared to two mighty rivers, which when they first met showed great upheavals in their strug

gles for confluence, but soo i flower

eacefully together in one course. Replying to questions, Mr. Iwashit remarked that settlers in a new coun try when meeting with good treatment soon rose to their improved condition. Even the poor Irish, who had been used to having the pig in the parker could make their homes into the lest. and have a piano where the pig had He referred to the disappoint been. ment felt by the Japanese when they came to America and found that Christians acted so differently from the teaching of Christian missionaries Japan. A friend of his, a bank in Los Angeles, had asked for admission to the Y.M.C.A. He was granted it on one condition-that would not use the swimming pool His friend was dumbfounded, said Mr. Iwashita, and no longer wished to join the Y.M.C.A., adding that the balance carried over from last year, Japanese were noted for their clean-

At this meeting a resolution unanimously passed that Hindus and naturalized Japanese ought to have the franchise.

Another point of interest discussed was regarding the mode of election for city offices. A man defeated candidate for the office of mayor was and the following as representatives to thereby excluded altogeth?r from the city council. There was no legal difficulty to prevent a candidate for mayor also offering as alderman.

> annum against the purchasers. The deputy minister of agriculture had expressed strong approval of the plan. but owing to an oversight the wording of the Act did not give the power to send money to an "Institute' but only to an " Association." The necessary amendment would probably be put through at the forthcoming session

hished monthly by the department of A protest was raised against the multiplicity of farmers' organizations. and a resolution was passed asking the government to make investigations looking to the amalgamation of some of these

A proposal was mooted for the formation of a "Junior Institute," and it was decided to see if the cooperation of the different school teachers of the district could be secured for such

PUBLIC WARNING

Fire Whistle Syren

It has been found necessary to make a test of the City's Fire Alarm and the public are warned to pay no attention to Syren which will be blown on Monday next, the 5th of February, immediately following the usual noon whistle, and every Monday noon thereafter.

The Public are also requested not to call up the Power House for information regarding Fires, as this habit works a hardship on the engineers on duty at the time as they are extremely busy then, all their attention being needed for the Pumps, Engines and Boilers.

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