

sires which have five or more daughters with records of production. The Plant Industry Division includes: plant disease and pest control, pathology and entomology, field crops and horticultural activities.

An Extension Service has representatives located in fifteen agricultural districts. These representatives are under the divisions of either animal industry or plant industry, depending upon the predominating feature of agriculture in the several districts. Particular attention is given to the development of a live-stock policy, by which the favourable climatic conditions of the coast districts of British Columbia enable farmers to finish live stock ready for the market at seasons when weather conditions are not favourable in other parts of Canada. This policy has been devised with the aim of enabling the farmers of British Columbia to supplement the work of the prairie live-stock men in maintaining a continuous supply of well-finished animals for the market.

Details of the work of the Feed Standards Board, appointed by the provincial Minister of Agriculture, and of the Pasture Committee were given at p. 226 of the 1936 Year Book and no change is reported since then.

The detailed survey of orchard soils in the Okanagan valley, started in 1931 as a joint undertaking between the Dominion Experimental Farms Branch and the provincial Department of Agriculture, has been conducted under the supervision of provincial Soils Branch officials. During 1936 the work has been extended to cover approximately 500,000 acres of arable land in the Lower Fraser valley.

Subsection 3.—Provincial Agricultural Colleges and Experimental Stations.

Under the above heading, outlines of the work done at provincial agricultural colleges and experimental stations were given by provinces at pp. 198–203 inclusive of the 1930 Year Book. The interested reader is referred to that volume, and to the following provincial publications, for information concerning courses and programs of work at these institutions:—

Nova Scotia.—Annual Report of the Department of Natural Resources for Nova Scotia; College Prospectus of the College of Agriculture, Truro, N.S.

Quebec.—Annual Report of Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Que., and the prospectuses and annual announcements of the School of Agriculture, Ste. Anne de la Pocatière, and the Oka Agricultural Institute, Lake of Two Mountains, Que.

Ontario.—Annual Report of the Ontario Agricultural College and Experimental Farm, Guelph, Ont.

Manitoba.—Annual Report of the Manitoba Agricultural College, Winnipeg, Man.

Saskatchewan.—Annual Report of the College of Agriculture, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Sask.

Alberta.—Annual Report of the College of Agriculture, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alta.

British Columbia.—Annual Report of the Faculty of Agriculture, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, B.C.