

MOST INTERESTING MEETING OF THE O.B.K.A., 1906.

(Letter From the President)

The poor season just passed and consequent slender incomes will tend persuade beekeepers that they cannot afford to attend this year's convention. When really they cannot afford to miss it, and should more than ever keep enthusiastic and up to date ready for the great big season of 1907. The program is full of practical subjects with bright successful beekeepers to introduce them.

The new Foul Brood Act, the outcome of last year's meeting, is ripe to bear fruit, only waiting the further endorsement and pressure of the body of beekeepers.

Amendments to by-laws are rendered necessary by the new act respecting agricultural societies. This act gives societies power to fix by by-law the number of directors and districts they are to represent. Makes provision that the president and vice-president shall be appointed from and by the directors instead of by annual meeting. Some changes may be made affecting the affiliated societies.

The directors will be called to meet the day before the convention to consider these matters and get them in concise form for the consideration of the meeting. So that the meeting this year will be the most important and interesting for years and it is the wish of the executive committee that it be largely attended. Splendid railway rates have been obtained as follows:

People attending the exhibition from points in Ontario outside of Toronto will be able to do so at lowest one way, first class fare as follows:—

On Wednesday and Thursday, November 7th and 8th, special excursions will be run by the railways to Toronto from all points in Ontario, at lowest one way, first class fare. Railway

tickets bought on these dates will be good for return up to and including November 10th. People desiring to attend the exhibition on other dates will be able to do so at the same rate, but



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it will be necessary for them to obtain standard certificates from their station agent when they purchase their ticket to Toronto. One way tickets to Toronto, with standard convention certificates, can be purchased from November 2nd to 10th inclusive, and will be honored for the return journey free, regardless of the number in attendance, up to and including November 14th, 1906. These certificates must be endorsed by the Secretary at the Exhibition in Massey Hall before they will be honored by the railways for the return trip. A fee of 25 cents will be charged for each certificate used.

Meeting to be held at the York County Hall, 57 Adelaide street, East, 7th, 8th and 9th November.

H. G. SIBBALD, President.
Toronto, Ont., Oct. 24, 1906.

"Yesterday for you—to-day for me."
—Sancho Panza's Favorite Proverb.

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