**Intolerance in the 1920s and 1930s**

Using the “History Uncovered” textbook, respond to the following:

**The Right to Vote** (p. 48)

1. “No woman, idiot, lunatic, or criminal shall vote” was a quote from the *Election Act from the Dominion of Canada* in 1916. What does this reveal about the way the law regarded women at this time?

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1. Who was Nellie Mc Clung and what did she do to support the women’s rights movement?

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1. In what year did women gain the vote in Manitoba? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. In what year did women gain the vote in all of Canada? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**The Person’s Case (p. 49)**

1. Who was Emily Murphy, and why was her position challenged?

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1. Why could women not be appointed to the Senate prior to 1929 according to the Supreme Court of Canada?

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1. Lord Sankey, who delivered the judgment on behalf of the Privy Council, remarked that the “exclusion of women from all public offices is a relic of days more barbarous than ours […] and to those who ask why the word [persons] should include females, the obvious answer is why should it not.”

What do you believe this means?

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**Immigration Act 1919 (p. 50)**

1. Who was excluded from Canada under the immigration Act of 1919?

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**Anti-Greek Riots (p.50)**

1. Why were Greek Canadians not allowed into the Canadian forces during WWI?

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1. Why did 50 000 veterans and civilians riot in downtown Toronto in august of 1918? What was the result?

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**Indian Act** **(p. 51)**

1. What was the significance of the Indian Act of 1876?

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1. What did First Nations soldiers hope would happen in terms of voting rights and land settlements after WWI? What was the outcome?

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**Chinese Exclusion Act (p. 70-71)**

1. In 1923, the Canadian Government passed the Chinese Immigration Act. What were the terms of this Act?

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1. What was July 1st referred to by the Chinese Canadian community? What did the Chinese community do to the protest the immigration act?

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1. What was the long-term impact of this act on Chinese Canadians?

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**Immigration and racism in the 1930s (p. 94)**

1. Why did racism increase in the 1930s? What were some results of these increased feelings of intolerance?

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**Christie Pits Riots (p. 94)**

1. What triggered the Christie Pits riots of 1933?

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**Immigration Restrictions (p. 95)**

1. What happened to immigrants who could not support themselves during the Great Depression?

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1. What do you notice about the Canadian Government’s order from March 21st, 1931? (Figure 4)

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**Eugenics (p. 101)**

1. What was the purpose of eugenics?

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1. Between 1928-1933, what did the sexual sterilization acts of British Columbia and Alberta allow?

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