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Dear Mr. Sibbitt:-

Your letter of April 21st contains a most interesting suggestion and one which if it were carried out could not but result in a great deal of good.

There is no doubt that the flag drill and saluting in the United States has had a very great effect, and it is a pity that our own people have given but little thought to a subject of so much importance. In this province in particular we see the effect of years of neglect in the constant flying of flags which have no connection either with Britain or with Canada.

As regards your proposal that a suggestion should be made by me to the Diamond Jubilee Committee, I must say quite frankly that I am not sure whether that would accept it or to what extent suggestions from them would be welcomed by the school boards. I am passing your letter to them and expressing the hope that they will act in accordance with your proposal, and if an opportunity arises to do so, I shall be glad to give further support to the ~~suggestion~~ plan you have in mind.

Yours faithfully,