



DIGEST OF SOME OTHER LEGISLATION OF 1920.

In spite of our most strenuous efforts we have not been able to get the **Journal** out at the proper time; nor even to include in it the rather voluminous Amendments of the Education Act. The following summary of the more important points is therefore made for the information of school officials:—

1. The Provincial Aid next school year will be increased by one-sixth.
2. The Municipal School Fund next school year will be \$120 for each teacher employed by the school trustees—a little more where there are good rural school libraries and school gardens.
3. While the second schedule is abolished, all the school section taxation next school year will be levied as if the sections were on the second schedule of this year. In some places this may require prompt alteration of the boundaries of school sections to secure equitable conditions.
4. There have been changes affecting taxation procedure, etc., in the Education Act, the Assessment Act and the Towns Incorporation Act, to make them more consistent and simple, which cannot be summarized.
5. Hereafter no pupil can be legally admitted to the public schools without either (1) a certificate of vaccination within five years, or (2) a certificate of having had small pox, or (3) a medical certificate of temporary unfitness, or (4) the prescribed Conscientious Objectors' Declaration.
6. Where the Compulsory Attendance Law has been adopted, absence from school on account of non-compliance with the vaccination law is no justification of the absence. The double default is an aggravation of the single default.
7. There was no time to submit the proof of the Minimum Salary list to Inspectors for correction. Any errors can be promptly corrected by the C. P. I. on advice of the Inspector.

 If "separates" of the Education Act Amendments can be obtained from the printer before the Annual School meeting, 28th June, a copy will be mailed to each school section. No use writing for information.

 Teachers desirous of taking a *Cadet Instructors' Course* next July, should intimate the fact to the Superintendent of Education *before* the 20th of June. A good list is expected to help the Department of Militia to decide in favor of a *course*.