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The pages of the REVIEW have always been clear and well printed. If this issue is more neat than usual, it is because its publishers, Messrs. Barnes & Co., have printed it in new type. Our readers will agree with us, that no periodical that comes to them presents a more excellent appearance, typographically, than the REVIEW.

In the REVIEW of February, in answer to the inquiry of a subscriber where minerals suitable for illustrative lessons in schools could be purchased, the names of several houses in the United States were given. We have since been informed that a firm in Ottawa can furnish such collections. Our subscribers will be very glad to know this, and to give such houses the preference. It was only by accident that we obtained such information. If our home dealers were enterprising enough, they could easily obtain the patronage of our teachers, many of whom are anxious to obtain mineral and other specimens for illustrative lessons. Such dealers should advertise in the REVIEW.

We have received many assurances from our readers of the value to them of the premiums offered on another page. It is scarcely possible for our patrons to obtain, for almost nothing, so much valuable reading matter. The offers are still open. It should be remembered that advantage cannot be taken of these unless the subscription to the REVIEW is paid a year in advance from date of sending.

PERSONS proposing to attend the National Education Association of the United States at Denver, Colorado, in July next, would do well to intimate the same as soon as possible to the Chief Superintendent of Nova Scotia, who has consented to act as manager for these provinces.

The Second Dominion Educational Association meets in Toronto on the 16th, 17th and 18th of April next, under the presidency of the Hon. the Minister of Education for Ontario. A public reception will be given at the opening meeting on Tuesday, at 8 p. m., in which representative educationists will take part, from the Hon. the Minister of Education for British Columbia to the Chief Superintendent of Education, Nova Scotia.

The following sections of the Association are also organized for the occasion: 1, The College and High School Department; 2, The Modern Language Association; 3, The Science Department; 4, The Classical Association; 5, The Mathematical and Physical Association; 6, Public School Department; 7, Kindergarten Department; 8, Training Department; 9, Inspectors' Department; 10, Public and High School Trustees' Department; 11, Historical Association.

Reduced rates, as usual, are offered on the railroads.

The Summer School of Science for the Atlantic Provinces of Canada, will meet at Amherst, July 3rd, 1895, and will continue in session a fortnight. The calendar, which has just been published, contains full information of the courses to be taken up and the instructors in each. Copies may be obtained from the Secretary, Mr. J. D. Seaman, Charlottetown. The public spirit of the citizens of Amherst, the many industries of that enterprising town, and the splendid opportunities for natural history investigation in the vicinity, will undoubtedly attract a large number of students.

The N. B. Natural History Society will hold a summer camp, beginning about July 20th, at Lepreaux, N. B. Arrangements are being made to invite a number of scientists from abroad to visit the camp. The gathering is looked forward to with great interest by members of the society.

The Harvard Summer School, the advertisement of which appears in another column, presents an attractive course to the student.