

which are made between schools in the same district and even between teachers on the same staff. When teachers are guilty of such unprofessional conduct they have only themselves to blame if trustees, bettering their instructions, dismiss them for failing to pass their pupils. As Mr. Harstone, of Lindsay, well said in the discussion, teachers ought to teach the subject and the examinations will take care of themselves. And it will be better for the pupils, too, who, after all, are the chief concern.

Ontario teachers have as yet stood aloof from the Dominion Educational Association. In so doing they are making a mistake, for they would not only gain by taking an interest in it, but they would have an opportunity of contributing something to the uplifting of education to a higher plane (and it needs it) as well as of advancing incalculably the best interests of the Dominion. The schoolmasters and its schoolmistress Dominion is in the hands of its tresses.

CURRENT EVENTS.

Lord Leven and Melville recently unveiled in St. Giles' Cathedral, Edinburgh, a memorial window to General Wauchope, who fell at the head of the Highland Brigade at Magersfontein. The new Commander-in-Chief in Scotland, Sir Archibald Hunter, was present.

The mind should be nourished as well as the body. Select a good book, and read so many pages each day. The habit once formed of using the odd moments for the purpose of increasing one's store of knowledge, will grow, and increased power and usefulness will result.

The inscription selected in the prize competition for the proposed medallion of Ruskin in Westminster reads as follows :

He Taught Us
To Hold
In Loving Reverence
Poor Men and Their Work
Great Men and Their Work
God and His Work.

Lord Roberts has a daughter, known to all her friends as "Pretty Aileen Roberts," who since the death of her only brother, heir of the newly-created viscount, has acted as her father's private secretary, and in that capacity has shown a remarkable understanding of the details of military business methods. Her work in this connection has been of such nature as to secure for her special recognition from Queen Victoria, who in the patent of her father's new title made a special "remainder" of his daughter since there is no male heir to this brave general.

Dalhousie University will lose one of the ablest members of her teaching staff. Dr. J. G. MacGregor, Professor of Physics, has been unanimously elected to the Chair of Natural Philosophy in the University of Edinburgh, Scotland. The announcement of Dr. MacGregor's election to one of the most important and desirable positions in the Scottish Univer-