

two scholarships to Rhode Island with half a million of inhabitants, and two to New York with seven millions.—*Rejected.*

(c) To give one scholarship to each of the seven Canadian Provinces and one to the North West Territories.—*Adopted.*

As to the second question—by whom the scholarships were to be awarded—the decision was, by the universities in rotation, according to the number of matriculated male students in actual attendance.

However, the Oxford claims and requirements are to be clearly laid down and specially published.

The Ontario resolutions, with others, are to be presented to the trustees in London, with Dr. Parkin's report and recommendations thereon. Canada certainly will not fail to have every good thing said for her sons who may hope to strike out in this new way opened to their excellence. For their spokesman, Dr. Parkin, is, as is well known, a Canadian and an enthusiastic one, if also an imperialist—witness his books, *Round the Empire, Imperial Federation, The Great Dominion.* Born in New Brunswick, he went to the state university of his native province, and thence to Oxford. He became an intimate friend of Thring, the famous head master of Uppingham school, whose life has been written by the present 'Rhodes manager,' himself for years at the head of the collegiate school in Fredericton. Thring, too, was an enthusiast, with never failing efforts to stir up others to reality in work and life. His Canadian confrère succeeded certainly, with many, in making them, what Lowell thanked heaven Emerson made him and other young Harvard men, that is, *fools*: so people called them, because they admired and hoped and had youthful scorn for "miserable aims that end in self." Not long since, by the way, in M. Martin's *conférence*, we have heard how that many Frenchmen, young and old, are ready—and cheerful—to bear their reproach as *des fous*. "O dreamer of the nations": about whom none may despair.

As to the third—to whom?—the scholars from Ontario must be between 21 and 25; they must have reached at least third year standing from matriculation in their Canadian college: and that must mean something equal to the standard of responsions at Oxford.