

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON UNION.

The Committee on Union met according to appointment, and, after discussing the various points brought under their notice, decided upon the following report :

1st. That the Societies lately known under the names of the "Ontario Teachers' Association" and the "Ontario Grammar School Masters' Association" be united, under the name of the "Ontario Teachers' Association ;"

2nd. That the Association shall have three different sections, representing respectively, 1st, Teachers in High Schools ; 2ndly, Inspectors ; 3rdly, Public School Teachers ;

3rd. That, in all subjects pertaining to education generally, the Association shall act as one body, both in discussing and deciding upon such subjects ;

4th. That subjects pertaining specifically to any one or two of the sections mentioned in the second clause, shall be discussed by the members of all sections, but that the decision of the subject shall rest alone with the section or sections particularly interested ;

5th. In the event of any dispute regarding the clause in which any specified subject may be included, the decision shall be made by a majority of the Board of Directors present, and such decision shall be final ;

6th. That there shall be three Standing Committees, corresponding to the three sections mentioned in the second clause, and that the composition of the Committees shall be as follows :

(1.) High School Committee, consisting of four High School teachers and one member selected from either of the other two sections ;

(2.) Committee of Inspectors, consisting of four Inspectors and one member selected from either of the other two sections ;

(3.) Public School Committee, consisting of four masters of Public Schools and one member selected from either of the other two sections ;

7th. That, in case of any sudden emergency necessitating prompt action on the part of any of the sections mentioned in the second clause, the President of the Association, on the written application of at least two members of the Standing Committee for such section, shall call a special meeting of the Committee for the aforesaid section, and in the event of the President refusing or neglecting to call such meeting, the Committee, or a majority of the Committee, shall have full power to meet at the call of their chairman and to take action upon the subject so specified.

J. HOWARD HUNTER,  
*Chairman.*