

The Essay Competition should get under way this Fall.

Member! We have a question to put to you. The Canadian Forestry Associa-

tion is your organization. It is supposed to express your wishes. Will you say, by a mark of your pencil, whether you approve or disapprove of the project as

herein set forth? Please tear off the coupon and mail today:

TO THE MEMBERS FROM THE PRESIDENT

To the Members of the Canadian Forestry Association:

Judging by the expressions commending its work, there can be no doubt that the years of effort of the Canadian Forestry Association appeal strongly to all those interested in conservation of the forest.

The two lines of accomplishment mentioned are:—

- (1) Propaganda work against fire.
- (2) The tree planting work.

In considering carefully their future course, your directors have decided that something additional is needed now, viz:—

“The Re-forestation of the Country Wood Lot.”

By this, is meant, not the “timber limit,” but the small portions of standing forest on farms, etc., undergoing the ordinary process of depletion.

Various suggestions have been made of methods to accomplish this, and among them has appeared the interest of the rising generation in the conditions in which they will live in after years. A naturally following thought is: why should not the school girls and school boys, each locality with its peculiar needs in mind, be able to tell that Great National Institution, the Canadian Forestry Association, what ought to be done, in order to provide trees on their farms for the years to come.

Old and young throughout life compete for the various prizes that life affords, (call them what you wish), why then, should not the school children of Canada compete for reasonable prizes for the best essay on how to reach this result in his or her particular locality.

The Canadian Forestry Association gains its best results by the “Team work” of all its Directors and all its members.

If the scheme briefly outlined above, is good and appeals to the members, please tell the Secretary so. If you don't approve of it, please say so. The majority of the replies will decide.

Your advice is needed, kindly give it.

For the Directors,

C. E. E. USSHER,
President, Canadian Forestry Association.

(TEAR OFF HERE AND MAIL TO-DAY.)

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As a member of the Association I ☐ approve ☐ do not approve of the plan to stimulate an interest in farm forestry on the part of Canadian school children through an Essay Competition.

Remarks _____

Name _____

Address _____