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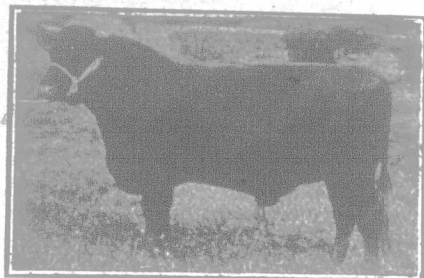
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Educational Conference in Winnipeg.

Education in Canada is placed under the control of the provinces. We have no commanding Education Association for Canada. Canada has a large number of enterprising, capable, enthusiastic teachers whose new ideas have little or no outlet. The result is, they evaporate, they go whistling down the wind, and do not get a chance to have themselves tried out. They should be mediated to the Canadian people so that public opinion can express itself with regard to them, and so that the good grain may be separated from the chaff. The fact that there was a forum for ideas would encourage teachers to formulate their ideas.

This is one of the objects of the Educational Conference which is to be held in Winnipeg this month, Oct. 20-22. The plan is to advocate the establishment of an unofficial bureau of the ablest experts that could be secured. The idea of the promoters of this project is that the bureau should be unofficial, without executive powers. It would simply guide and assist the educational thought of the country. The results of its labors would simply be available for the regularly constituted educational authorities. The result would be that provincial systems, instead of operating in more or less watertight compartments, would represent a friendly emulation in the best educational methods and ideals in the interests of the whole people.

Though this is the idea of the promoters of the Winnipeg Conference, the field will be open for the discussion of the merits of this proposition from the ground up. Any alternative proposition can be discussed freely. What is desired is an examination of the educational problem in the light of the nation's needs and our children's possibilities.

Why should Canada not have an agency for giving publicity in the Dominion to the best educational practice of the world?

The date—Oct. 20-22, with an extra day, Thursday, Oct. 23, for additional discussion of resolutions.

The place—The Convention Hall, Board of Trade Building, Winnipeg, Man. The conference is being called by a Convening Committee, composed of Winnipeg citizens, under the chairmanship of Sir James Aikins, Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba.

The speakers—Twelve addresses are already assured; having been chosen from among the best known public men and women of Canada, the United States and England.

Discussion—Two speakers have been provided to open the discussion after each address.

The aim—The aim of the Conference: (a) To direct public attention to the fundamental problems in our educational systems in Canada;

(b) To consider education in its relation to Canadian citizenship;

(c) To undertake the establishment of a permanent bureau to guide and assist the educational thought of the country. Representation is being asked from every organization and public body in Canada. If any organization is being overlooked, let us know. In addition, ample provision is being made for individuals who will attend the Conference in their own capacity.

Rates—The railways have given us a one and three-fifths rate for delegates to the Conference.

Expenses of delegates will be borne by the organizations they represent.

Information may be secured from the general secretary, 505 Electric Railway Chambers, Winnipeg.

Johnny paid his first visit to a farm the other day. All his life he had lived in the heart of a great city, and when he suddenly came in sight of a haystack he stopped and gazed earnestly at what appealed to him as a new brand of architecture.

"Say, Mr. Smith," he remarked to the farmer, pointing to the haystack, "why don't they have doors and windows in it?"

"Doors and windows?" smiled the farmer. "That ain't a house, Johnny, that's hay."

"Don't try to josh me, Mr. Smith!" was the scornful rejoinder. "Don't you suppose I know that hay don't grow in lumps like that?"

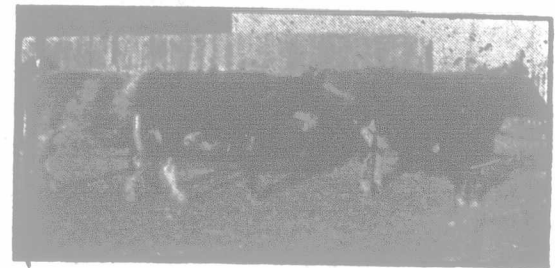
LAST CALL

Southview Shorthorn Dispersal

Tavistock, Ont., Wednesday, October 15th

One mile south of town. Sale at 1.30 p.m., old time.

35
Head



31
Females

A group of heifers sired by Secret Champion, all well forward in calf to the service of Victor Bruce, and selling with a dozen others on Oct. 15th.

Comprising young cows with calves at foot, two-year-old heifers in calf, yearling heifers and heifer calves, and three bull calves, as well as the great two-year-old herd sire

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