## THE READER QUESTION!

## THE KEY NOTE SOUNDED!

THE

## ROYAL READERS

HAVE BEEN

ADOPTED EXCLUSIVELY

IN THE

## Provincial, Normal, and Model Schools

OF ONTARIO.

THE ROYALS—"First in order of literary excellence."—Central Committee

Copy of a Minute of the Department of Education, dated the 4th day of September, A.D. 1883.

PON consideration of a Report of the Honorable A. S. Hardy, acting Minister of Education, dated the 30th day of August, 1883, the Department of Education doth hereby order that the ROYAL READER series of Readers be adopted by the Department for the use in the Normal and Model Schools at Toronto and Ottawa, and in those of the Provincial Institutions in whole or in part educational in their character, in which School Readers are used.

Certified,

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