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The University of Madison, like many other agricultural colleges in the United States, has recently appointed a Canadian to a position of responsibility in its agricultural department, in the person of Mr. A. G. Hopkins. Though Mr. Hopkins is not Canadian by birth, about all his agricultural training has been received here. He was with Messrs. J. Gardhouse & Sons, Highfield, Ont., for five years, after which time he attended the Ontario Veterinary College, standing third in his graduating class. After practising his profession in Manitoba for awhile he entered the Ontario Agricultural College. After spending two years at Guelph he went to the Iowa Agricultural College from which he received the degree of Bachelor of Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine. Since receiving this latter degree he has spent three months in post graduate work at McKillop Veterinary College, Chicago.

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