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The Publishers frequently receive letters from their friends complaining of the non-receipt of the JOURNAL. In explanation they would state, as subscriptions are necessarily payable in advance, the mailing clerks have instructions to discontinue the paper when a subscription expires. The clerks are, of course, unable to make any distinction in a list containing names from all parts of the United States and Canada.

—The name of John Greenleaf Whittier stands deservedly in the foremost place among the Poets of America and of the world. In a letter addressed by him to the Rev. C. P. Mulvany, on the staff of this journal, and of whose poems, "Lyrics of History and Life," he speaks in high terms of approval, Mr. Whittier adds:—

I have also  
rec'd a no. of the  
"Canada School  
Journal," which  
seem to me the  
brightest & most  
readable of educa-  
tional magazines  
I am very truly  
yours  
John G. Whittier

We are pleased to inform our readers that our efforts to give them a first-class journal are appreciated abroad as well as at home. We clip the following from the *Central School Journal* as another specimen of the kindly things said about us:

"No one of the monthlies is more welcome than the *Canada School Journal*. We recognize at a glance that it is non-American, but this is no barrier to its hearty endorsement. It is unsurpassed in its clearness and brevity of pedagogic definitions and rules, and many of its articles, such as those from the pen of Hon. James Hughes, have become a standard to the educational profession."

—Subscribers will please notice that the date of expiration of subscription is shown on the address, thus. "John Smith, Hamilton, April, 81," indicates that the subscription expires with April No. As we discontinue the mailing of the JOURNAL on the expiration of subscription, our friends will please renew promptly.

### THE JOURNAL AND ASSOCIATIONS.

We are glad to acknowledge during the past month the receipt of a letter from the Secretary of the Stormont Teachers' Association, reporting the adoption of the JOURNAL by the Association. The Association in Mr. Switzer's district also decided that each member of the Association shall have a copy of the JOURNAL. From all parts of the Province we are in receipt of reports which go to show that the most practical way of providing a good library for teachers is to present each member with the CANADA SCHOOL JOURNAL on payment of a small fee. Inspector McKinnon, of Peel, informs us that the plan has produced good results in his county, by causing teachers to take an increased interest in the Association. Inspector McIntosh, of North Hastings, says: "The CANADA SCHOOL JOURNAL is making constant advancement."

As a means of increasing the interest in Teachers' Associations, and rendering the work done at them more useful to all who attend them, we hold that nothing can accomplish so much good as placing a well-conducted professional journal in the hands of every teacher. The subjects introduced at the semi-annual meetings should then be based on some of the articles which have appeared in the JOURNAL, and in this way every teacher will be able to understand and intelligently take part in the discussions. We will be glad to receive suggestions from our friends in the numerous counties in which the JOURNAL is sent to every member of the Association, as to subjects which they would like treated in its columns, with a view of making it of the greatest amount of practical use.

### THE EDUCATION DEPOSITORY.

For many years past the Government have maintained in the Departmental buildings, in the Normal School square, a