

Inspector of Schools and others. Mr. R. J. Westgate was elected President and Mr. J. J. McCarthy, Regina, Secretary-Treasurer.

The Elementary and Secondary Section of the Association met at Yorkton on April 5, 6, 7 and 8. The principal speakers were the Hon. Walter Scott, Premier and Minister of Education; Dr. Murray, President of the University of Saskatchewan; Dr. R. A. Wilson, Principal of the Normal School, Regina, and Prof. John McNaughton of McGill University.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Hon. President, Honourable Walter Scott, Premier and Minister of Education; Hon. Vice-Presidents, D. P. McColl, B.A., Superintendent of Education, Regina; J. T. M. Anderson, B.A., LL.B., Inspector of Schools, Yorkton; President, Joseph A. Snell, B.A., Principal of the Normal School, Saskatoon; First Vice-President, Miss L. O'Connor, High School, North Battleford; Second Vice-President, G. A. Brown, B.A., Superintendent of Schools, Prince Albert; Third Vice-President, Miss C. McClain, Assistant to the Principal, Strathcona School, Regina, Sask.; Secretary-Treasurer, Chas. Nivins, B.A., Normal School, Regina.

The Agricultural Instruction Committee, which was recently appointed by Hon. Walter Scott, Minister of Education, held its second meeting on April 10th. This committee is composed of D. P. McColl, Superintendent of Education, chairman; A. H. Ball, Deputy Minister of Education; J. W. Rutherford, Dean of the Agricultural College; A. F. Mantle, Deputy Minister of Agriculture; F. W. Greenway, Director of extension work of the College of Agriculture; A. R. Greig, Professor of Agricultural Engineering in the College of Agriculture; J. A. Snell, Principal of Normal School, Saskatoon; Dr. Wilson, Principal of the Normal School, Regina.

At this meeting a number of matters of importance in connection with agricultural instruction in the schools of the Province were considered, and a forward policy decided upon. Particular attention will in future be paid to the subject of agricultural instruction in the schools, and two directors of this work were appointed in the persons of F. W. Bates and A. W. Cocks. Professor Bates has for several years been director of agriculture and physics in Regina College, and Mr. Cocks, who was formerly principal of Oxbow High School, is a graduate of an English agricultural college.

These gentlemen will be closely associated with the two Provincial Normal Schools, Professor Bates being assigned to the northern half of the province and Mr. Cocks to the southern half. They will follow up the work of the teachers in their respective districts both in Public and High Schools. They will also be *ex-officio* members of the above-named Agricultural Instruction Committee.