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vocational training of immigrants, their supervision after settlement especially from point of view of technical agriculture, local tutors, etc. etc.

- Prizes. Say 15 First three very substantial say \$25,000., \$20,000. and \$15,000. Scale the other 12 down considerably.
- Judges. Prime Minister, the President C.N.R., the President C.P.R., one representative of the Canadian Bankers' Association, and one representative of the West (This representative might be a nominee of the three presidents of the universities of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.)
- ARGUMENT. Note that this suggested competition is not to force on the Government any particular plan or scheme of immigration; it is an effort to draw to one focus all the possible and pertinent information on the subject. It is in effect the retaining in a consulting capacity without any waste, the finest brains and minds in the world. No errors in selecting consultants, and yet best brains are obtained because magnitude of reward such effort well worth while. The resulting essays will give a coordinated discussion of fundamental conditions, and a suggested escape from present dilemma prepared by thoroughly competent minds.
- DEVELOPMENT.

Subsequent to award of prizes the Government might appoint a small Board or Commission composed perhaps in the main of those who had been successful in the competition in order that for final plan there might be a coordination and condensation of all the best