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REFORM IMPROVEMENTS cure other employment for them. This is surely a source of pride and joy to Mr. just now attracting attention in several Borden and his friends. parts of the Maritime Provinces. In St. John we have a complete re-organization of the police system recommended. In Fredericton there is a police scandal, and nearly all the members of the force have been dismissed, an investigation having shown that officers not only failed to enforce the Scott Act but themselves are

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shown that officers not only failed to enforce the Scott Act but themselves partook of liquor in the police station as well as in places where it was illegally sold. In Halifax at the present time there is a very strong agitation, backed by the city council itself, to suppress all houses of ill repute. In Sydney and in Antigonish County there has just been started an agitation against the prohibition law, and it is supported by a number of clergymen as well as other reputable citizens, who claim that the present law is not enforced and that the conditions are really worse than if they had a license law and proper restriction. Taking the city of Fredericton as an example, there are probably few who would argue that a license system would produce a more astonishing condition of affairs than has just been revealed. An attempt was made a few years ago to repeal the Scott Act in that city, but the people voted it down. They appear to have been content with that action, and have left the law to look after itself, with results which as the action and have left the law to look after itself, with results which as the action and makes the kindergarten a part of the street railway dompany is sharply criticised for its lack of enterprise in regard to needed extensions of its sharply criticised for its lack of enterprise in regard to needed extensions of its limit and to enterprise in regard to needed extensions of its limit and to enterprise in regard to needed extensions of its lack of enterprise in regard to needed extensions of its limit and to enterprise in regard to needed extensions of its lack of enterprise in regard to needed extensions of its lack of enterprise in regard to needed extensions of its lack of enterprise in regard to needed extensions of its lack of enterprise in regard to needed extensions of its lack of enterprise in regard to needed extensions of its lack of enterprise in regard to needed extensions of its lack of enterprise in regard to needed extensions of its lack of enterprise in regard to need been content with that action, and have left the law to look after itself, with results which no thoughtful citizen can contemplate with any degree of satisfaction.

The province catches up to other provinces and makes the kindergarten a part of the public school system, the people who can afford it should give generous aid to the afford it should give generous aid to the wouldn't like to call, and he said, Why,

FARM DEMONSTRATION

Farm demonstration work is to be cared today, is worthy of a careful perusal.

FARM demonstration work is to be carried on in four counties of the State of Maine, as a result of the action of the Rockefeller Foundation, which has voted the sum of \$5,000 to pay the salaries of the four men who will conduct the work. The tories calght the government napping in committee on the Home Rule bill. The Brogrammme to be carried out is thus stated by L. S. Merrill, Dean of the Maine College of Agriculture:

"Considering the diverse agricultural interests of the state, it was felt these interests should be recognized, and that the work should be directed along at least four different lines. As a result, the counties and lines of work are as follows. Fruit growing for Oxford county, truck farming and small fruits for Cumberland county; general farming (sepsecial reference to growing crops applementary to dairying) Kennebec county."

As to the manner in which the work is to be carried on Dean Merrill cays:

"Farm demonstration is not so much an attempt to teach the farmer who does the demonstration is not so much as a tetempt to teach the farmer who does the demonstration is not so much as a tetempt to teach the farmer who does the demonstration is not so much as a farmer can be secured who needs no assistance, then he is the best man for this work. We shall aim to get the very best farmers an each locality, men whose farms are located on main highways and a made commercially profitable. He would also utilize the school buildings as social work."

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work, but will give added means for extended work."

The beginning of this work is due to a visit to Maine by Dr. Wallace Butterick, business manager of the Rockefeller Foundation. He learned that many of the farmers were merely eixsting because they did not properly carry on their farming operations, and after a conference with Dr. Merrill a proposition was made to try demonstration work in four counties, adopting what are called the Knapp methods, which really means that the men sent into the counties will demonstrate on the farmers' own land what he can do in the production of those crops for which the farm is well suited.

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which the farm is well suited.

The Rockefeller Foundation has been doing his kind of work in the southern states for fully ten years. When it was begun file economic and social conditions of country life in the south were extremely poor, and the average annual earnings yery much less than in other states. Dr. Seaman A. Knapp was sent down there to deal with the situation, and he devoted himself to the task of teaching the farmers to raise cotton and corn, and turn these into money in a businessellike way. As a result of his work every college of agriculture in the southern states is duplicating what is done by the Rockefeller Foundation. Every country in Alabama Mississippi and South Carolina, three fourths of those an Georgia and North Carolina, two-thirds in Virginia, Team of the south to follow suit. The leading feature of the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the adult farmer, a corn club for the boys, and canning and poultry clube for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the adult farmer, a corn club for the boys, and canning and poultry clube for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the adult farmer, a corn club for the boys, and canning and poultry clube for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the adult farmer, a corn club for the boys, and canning and poultry clube for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the adult farmer, a corn club for the boys, and canning and poultry clube for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the plan is to have a demonstration plot for the pla

The municipal council of St. John should eclars itself in favor of a Child's Proection Act. That would help to secure

egislation at Fredericton. Under tory rule in the city of Montreal. a despatch says, a dismissed government employment aid association has been formed. So many government employes have been discharged by the tories that it has

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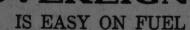
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