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## The Metrical System.

Our readers will see in this number of the Journal an article republished from the Montreal Daily News and containing a report of the Select Committee of the Senate on Weights and Measures. Teachers especially should keep themselves well informed on the nature and advantages of the Metrical System, and we have on former occasions called their attention to it. They will find the historical account of it, given in the Report, very interesting and useful. The system should be taught in all Schools as a necessary part of instruction in Arithmetic, and its introduction into Canadian educational institutions, not merely with respect to Money, but also Weights and Measures generally, would of course hasten and facilitate the establishment of uniformity throughout the Dominion for commercial and other business purposes. Our teachers should also take care that the text books on Arithmetic used in their Schools contain the Metrical Tables and that their questions or exercises, prescribed to the Scholars, are not confined, as is commonly the case, to such as require reference only to the ordinary tables of Weights and Measures as furnished in the School books. We need not wonder at our business men, farmers and others continuing to be indifferent to the use and value of the Metrical System when they have never had their attention directed to it at School.

# History.

We commend to the notice of teachers an extract from the Ohio Educational Monthly on the teaching of History to the young. It furnishes some very useful hints and suggestions relative to the modes of dealing practically with that branch of school instruction.

We have also, in this number recommenced the giving of continuous articles which our readers may recollect used formerly to appear in the columns of the Journal of Education. The courses of modern History most advantageous for our youth to pursue are undoubtedly those which relate to their own country, England, France, and the United States. Our selections therefore appertain to these, beginning with Canada and England. Teachers will find short and interesting reading, given in simple and otherwise appropriate language, best adapted for the purposes we have in view-to foster a love of a branch of study at once delightful, useful and necessary in the proper education of youth. We shall not confine our selections to any particular authors, but while preserving continuity, have recourse to such as appear most suitable to our ends.

The conclusion of Dr. Baker Edward's article on the Modern Chemical Notation will appear in our next number.