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We would recommend its use in all our schools as it will be found of incalculable benefit in preparing children for the "General Geography."—*Port Hope Messenger*.

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