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THE TEACHERS CONVENTION Successful Session.

Thursday and Friday last were red-letter days in the calendar of S. Grey teachers. The Annual Convention came around and 87 of the over 100 teachers in the riding availed themselves of its privileges, and left their young charges rejoicing with two extra holidays. Wednesday evening, fortunately, the weather looked attractive, and school was dismissed till Monday, but Thursday was wintry, it brought our first snow, and during the two days the same conditions prevailed, and it has been balmy ever since. The teachers and the weather man were at variance evidently, though Mr. Graham insists the teachers had nothing to do with it.

A pathetic interest was aroused to find that their President Mr. Don Currie was unable to be present, he being in Muskoka in search of health. At a later stage a warm resolution of sympathy was passed and breathing wishes for his recovery and usefulness.

Insp. Campbell at the request of Vice-Pres. Miss McKenzie took the chair, and his experience and executive ability made the work go on smoothly. The meeting was opened in the usual way with a fair attendance for a first forenoon. Messrs Firth and John A. Graham were appointed Auditors. Insp. Campbell and the Principals of graded schools were to handle the question drawer. Messrs Thomson, Sharp, McDonald and Misses McKenzie and McCannel were voted a nominating committee, while "Resolutions" were sent to Messrs Brown, Allan, Firth and Misses Daye and Lick. Mr. McEachern, on "History" wanted better text books, (an old-fashioned cry), more oral teaching, biography, cause and effect, etc. The paper elicited a profitable discussion.

Thursday, p. m. Mr. Firth discussed "Lesson Helps" and pointed out a tendency they had to make teachers and pupils lazy, and parents grumblers at the extra burden. He admitted their usefulness in Arithmetic, Grammar and Composition, but voted them a hindrance in history, physiology and geography. The prevailing note in the discussion was against their use.

Miss Kerr had an excellent paper on "Comtesy in the School Room." She made a plea for sympathy with the children, treat them as our best friends, see things through their eyes, and the plastic minds would the more readily be open to good impressions.

"Reading" was Miss Robson's subject, and as it was followed by a free discussion, Miss R. had evidently aroused thought. General results showed defective teaching of the subject, and she instanced certain points to attend to, quality not quantity should be the object. Seldom right for the teacher to read for imitation, by judicious questioning the pupil or class can be led to see where stress, emphasis, etc., should be placed.

Miss B. Profit pointed out the importance of Geography. In teaching it we should aim to show how man is affected by his geographical position, and how that in turn affected his commercial surroundings. Its adaptability for developing the mind, memory and imagination were well brought out, and the analytic method, in short lessons, was Miss P.'s method of teaching. An interesting discussion followed.

Miss Mary Gordon had an able, carefully prepared paper on "Composition, delivered fluently and with characteristic animation. Languages prepared the way for composition, select the best pupil to give example. Pictures, followed by simple scientific talks, were useful in developing language. In written work the appropriately pointed out the necessity of a clear view of "the Paragraph." The correction of mistakes of all kinds should be thoroughly done, and should be always on the margin, never on the body of the paper. Miss G. answered several questions very clearly in the discussion which followed.

Friday A. M. The day was opened by Mr. Niven on "Morals in Public Schools." Different views of morals were held according to environment, and the school had often to supply the lack of morals which should have been taught at home. He showed his method of dealing with school vices, swearing, lying, stealing, etc., and in general he pointed out there must be high ideals not simply ideas placed before pupils.

Rev. Wray B. Smith made some very pertinent remarks, and Mr. H. H. Burgess brought the facts to light that the 10 Commandments are no longer taught in our schools, a defect which the Association tried to remedy by passing a resolution urging the authorities to have suitable tablets placed in all schools.

Mr. Morrison, the assistant here during the Model term, took an active part in the discussions and had a thoughtful paper on "Cultivation of the Imagination in Literature." The creative faculty should be developed by stories, fairytales, etc. It dealt with beautiful things, a trained imagination was a lifelong joy. He quoted appropriate

passages from Keats and Wordsworth, and we felt that we would like to study Literature with or under Mr. Morrison. Mr. Brown, Hanover, had an elaborate paper on Chemistry, which was thoroughly enjoyed by those who had taken the subject up. He gave a price list of mate reals necessary to conduct experiments showing that the amount about \$11.00, was within the reach of most students. He outlined several chemical laws and theories and gave a lucid order for taking up the non-metallic elements, discussed equations, weight and volume and cognate subjects.

Friday, p. m. Mr. Rowe, Markdale, dealt with the "Metric System." Before taking up the teaching of it with a class he explained its advantages, and showed the growth of opinion in its favor by the number of countries using it. It was only a question of time before it would take the place of our intricate compound rules. With the class he then showed the simplicity of teaching it and its utility when taught.

Mr. Burgess, B. A. of Owen Sound, Coll. Inst., has again put the association in his debt by a most interesting paper on the "Municipal system of Ontario." It has been deemed so excellent that the Association has ordered it to be printed in pamphlet form. Beginning with the settlement of Ontario after the American Revolution he traced the crude beginning of political divisions up to our present elaborate and convenient system. The first councils were appointed by Governors, Justices of the Peace, and even by the Anglican clergy. These powers were afterwards transferred to a Board of Police but it was not till 1842 that a council was elected by the people. From that time dates our present Municipal system. He had a great deal of interesting information as to the origin of names, etc., that bespeak laborious research on his part. For instance the townships of Tiny, Tay and Flos, were the names of pet dogs owned by the wife of one of the early dignitaries. The paper is worth preserving.

Notes.

The Question Drawer was fairly used and the Inspector shed light on several knotty points.

The Min. of Education was requested to raise the proportion of marks given for memorization and the prescribed work for Entrance.

It was decided that English History subsequent to 1763 was enough for the Entrance Exam.

The Districts of the Province having travelling libraries, it was asked that this boon be extended to the Counties.

The salary of Secy Allan was increased from \$10 to \$15.

Next meeting to be held in Flesher-ton decided after a very close vote with Hanover.

Officers for next year are: Pres.—Jas. S. Rowe, Markdale, Vice Pres.—Miss McLeod, Picton, Secy Treas.—Thos. Allan, Durham, Managing Committee.—Messrs Graham, Firth, Thompson and Misses Davey and Lick.

Amongst visitors present were Revs Farquharson and Smith, who took part in the discussions and Messrs Kerr, Dixon, McArthur, Mills, Irwin and Baughey, old teachers, who had their say. Trustees Grant and Wolf and possibly others.

Interest in the proceedings never flagged till the close of the session. Several of the teachers viewed the progress being made at the Cement Works.

THE CONCERT.

This was very successful. The star performer was undoubtedly Donald McGregor whose fine unassuming manner, splendid voice and good taste in selections and rendering has made him very highly thought of. Miss Whelpley, it need not be said was excellent in her instrumental and accompanying. Will White the comedian, was evidently not at his best, though some of his pieces were loudly encored. Receipts \$51.00.

SALE REGISTER.

Mr. D. McCormick, Auctioneer, will sell by public auction on Wednesday Oct. 30th inst, the stock and implements of Mrs. N. McDonald, lot 19, con 4, S. D. R., Glenelg. Sale at 1 o'clock. 14 mos. credit on approved joint notes, 6 per cent off for cash.

Mr. Lewis C. Smith, lot 3 of 4, Con. 1, E G R, Glenelg, near Dornoch, is selling Farm Stock and Implements, 12 mos. credit on approved joint notes, 7 per cent discount for cash off face of Note, Sums of \$5 and under, cash. Sale at one o'clock sharp, Friday, Nov. 1. HUGH MACKAY, Auctioneer.



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ARTHUR LINDSAY, Superintendent, POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, MAIL CONTRACT BRANCH, Ottawa, 11th October, 1901.



Montreal Butter & Cheese Association.

MONTREAL, Oct. 15, 1901. To Dairymen of Canada, GENTLEMEN,

At a general meeting of this association held on the 10th inst. it was resolved to issue a circular to the Dairymen of Canada, strongly advising them to turn their attention to butter more generally, and to discontinue the manufacture of cheese entirely after 1st November, for the following reasons:—

1st. That fodder cheese hurts the consumption, thus diminishing the grass goods and lowering its price.

2nd. That the outlet for cheese is limited, and everything depends on the quality to induce a large consumption.

3rd. That the consumption of cheese is not increasing, but diminishing, while the consumption of finest creamery butter is rapidly growing.

4th. That the price of butter is higher on an average all the year round than cheese, for the finest qualities.

5th. That the manufacture of butter is more profitable than cheese, not only in comparative price, but in that the farm stock and the land are better sustained.

6th. That in order to maintain high prices, there must be continuous supplies of finest butter, and as the flow of milk is lessening now, it is most urgent that the quantity should be kept up as much as possible, and to divert the milk from the cheese to this article is the only way to keep up the supply.

Butter should be shipped fresh week to command the best price.

I am, Gentlemen, Yours truly, J. STANLEY COOK Secretary.

GENERAL NOTES

It is recommended that all factories should be fitted up so as to make either cheese or butter.

Cheese should be held three weeks at a temperature of 60 to ensure proper curing. Serious complaints continue to come of cheese being shipped much too green.

Packages both of cheese and butter are still made of much too thin wood.

Live Stock Market Toronto.

Trade at the Toronto Cattle Market today was very dull, being unable to pick up after the poor business of the earlier part of the week. The demand in many classes was weak, and there was a preponderance of poor grade cattle, which served to depress the market. Export cattle suffered mostly, the demand being extremely weak. Prices accordingly fell off about 25c per cwt on all grades. Butchers' cattle were an exception. Sheep and lambs were steady and unchanged. Everything was sold, and the prospect are for continued steady trade. Hogs again declined. The run was heavy and the best selections now bring only \$6 per cwt. Lights sell at \$5.75.

There were 75 loads received, which included 898 cattle, 1,527 sheep, 1,937 hogs and 20 calves.

Export Cattle—Were in little demand, and the offerings were largely only medium. The highest sales were around \$4.50 per cwt, while the choicest animals would have found difficulty in selling at \$4.75.

Butchers' Cattle—The demand for good cattle was strong, and odd picked lots were higher, selling up to \$4.60; choice animals sold at \$3.50 to \$4.

Feeding Cattle—Trade is improving in this class as the weight of the offerings increases. Good feeders were selling strongly to-day, about average bringing \$4 1/2 per cwt. Steers sold at \$3.40 to \$3.75, with \$3.70 for some inferior animals.

Stocks—There was a fair demand only for good animals, but the offerings were largely of lighter grades, selling at \$2.50 to \$3 per cwt. A few heavier ones sold around \$3.25 to \$3.50 per cwt.

Sheep—Were steady selling at \$3 to \$3.15 per cwt for export ewes. \$2 to \$2.50 per cwt for bucks and \$2 to \$3 each for culls. Everything was sold early.

Lambs—Were steady and everything was cleaned up at prices ranging from \$3.25 to \$3.65 per cwt.

Hogs—Were again easier. The run was heavy. The best selections now sell at \$6 per cwt, while lights bring \$5.75 per cwt.

BORN.

ROCKS—At Howland Avenue, Toronto, on Oct. 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Jno. H. Rocks, a son.

DIED.

GUN—In Durham, on Oct. 23rd, James Gun, M. D., aged 67 years, 7 mos. LEESON.—In Normanby, on Oct. 22nd, Albs M. Leeson, aged 17 1/2 years.

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Hogs, Live weight.....	6 00	6 00
Butter, fresh roll per lb	14	14
Butter, Tub.....	14	14
Eggs.....	18	18
Hides, per cwt.....	5 00	5 00
Calveskins, per lb.....	7	8
Sheepskins.....	35	50
Tallow rendered per lb	4	5
Lard, per lb.....	12	12
Hay.....	8 00	9 00
Beef, per cwt.....	5 00	6 00
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