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G. R. K. ayp,

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BOARD OF EDUCATION.

IMPERIAL EDUCATION CONFERENCE, 1911.

Amended Agenda.

April 25th and 26th.

PROBLEMS* CONNECTED WITH—

- (a) Elementary Education, *i.e.*, General Education ceasing about 14 years of age.
- (b) Secondary Education, *i.e.*, General Education ceasing about 18 years of age.
- (c) The Training of Teachers for Elementary Schools or Departments.
- (d) The Training of Teachers for Secondary or High Schools or Departments.
- (e) Points already suggested for discussion by Overseas Governments—
 - (1) School curricula - - - - -
 - (2) Bi-lingualism in the case of white children
 - (3) The boy scout movement and its relation to nature study - - - - -
 - (4) Problems connected with the education of aborigines - - - - -
 - (5) Problems arising from the use of two languages as media of instruction - - - - -
 - (6) The organisation of educational facilities for sparsely populated districts - - - - -
 - (7) The attitude of Education Departments to the more important movements in favour of the simplification, improvement, and uniformity of English spelling - - - - -
 - (8) Special features of the educational problem as it presents itself on the West Coast of Africa, *e.g.*,
 - (a) the method of utilising local law, custom, and tradition in an educational system; and
 - (b) the psychology of the negro child - - - - -

Suggested by the Superintendent-General of Education for the Province of the Cape of Good Hope.

Suggested by the Director of Education for the Province of the Transvaal.

Suggested by the Superintendent of Education, Nova Scotia.

Suggested by the Director of Education, Sierra Leone.

April 26th and 27th.

I.—PROBLEMS* CONNECTED WITH—

- (a) Technical and Professional Education—
 - (i) given in Evening Classes.
 - (ii) given in Day Continuation Classes and in Technical and Trade Schools.
 - (iii) given in Technical Colleges and Technical Departments of Universities.
- (b) General Education beyond the school stage.
- (c) Points already suggested for discussion by Overseas Governments.
 - (i) The collection and dissemination of information regarding cost of instruction and cost of living in connection with advanced Technical Colleges and Post-graduate Departments of Universities - - - - -

Suggested by the Superintendent-General of Education for the Province of the Cape of Good Hope.

II.—QUESTIONS OF AN ADMINISTRATIVE KIND.

[*Note.*—This session of the Conference will be confined to Government representatives.]

- (a) Points already suggested by the Home Government.
 - (i) General Interchange of Information. See S.I.R. Memo. No. 3, § 9. Discussion of a scheme for a periodical survey of the position and progress of education throughout His Majesty's Dominions. Methods for supplying and collecting information. Improvement and standardisation of statistical methods. Difficulties arising out of nomenclature.

* It is hoped that members of the Congress who have not already made suggestions for the discussion of particular problems will come prepared to discuss and explain points of particular interest to themselves under one or more of these heads.

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- Distribution by the Office of Special Inquiries and Reports in Whitehall of the educational publications of the Board of Education and the Scotch Education Department.

The question of the Office of Special Inquiries and Reports in Whitehall acting as clearing house for the exchange of publications between some of the Education Departments of the smaller and remoter Colonies.

- The obtaining and furnishing by the Office of Special Inquiries and Reports, when asked, of advice on educational questions in various parts of His Majesty's Dominions, and the supplying by the Overseas Education Departments of such information when asked for.

- Suggestions for the improvement of this service.

Interchange of confidential reports on teachers seeking employment.

- The temporary recognition of Teachers and Officials. See S.I.R. Memo. No. 3, § 17.

- Improvement of the existing arrangements for Teachers from the Dominions Overseas desiring to visit schools in the British Isles or on the Continent of Europe.
Reciprocal arrangements for British Teachers visiting the Dominions Overseas.

- Exhibitions of British school work in the Dominions, and of Colonial school work from the Dominions Overseas in this country.

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| (i) The question of the desirability of the formation of an Imperial Education Bureau | - - - - - | } Suggested by the Superintendent - General of Education for the Province of the Cape of Good Hope. |
| (ii) Arrangements for the mutual recognition of teachers' certificates | - - - - - | |

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