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### ANNUAL REPORT

(Continued from Page 1) employed in our schools 1924-25 are: First class, 13; Second class, 100; in private school one with American College Certificate. In the year 1918-19 there were 32 teachers teaching for their first year; this year we have TWELVE teachers teaching for their first year, two of these in have twelve male teachers and one bundred and one female teachers. In Continuation schools we have two male and one female teachers. The highest male salary was \$2000; female \$1600. The average salary was male, \$1325; female, \$1050.

em be overcome somewhat by en-rural schools. gaging a teacher whose home is near such school section.

#### Examinations

Cayuga, Dunnville, Hagersville. Jar- sponsibilities of their office. vis. Selkirk centres. Out of 336 candidates, 200 received certificates, or from trying the Departmental exam-school attendance officers perform a privilege was given alike to High, wise would.

of the new Court House. The vari- of these courses. ous addresses and discussions proved The total enrolment of pupils was very helpful to the teachers and will 3763 with an average daily attendno doubt aid in more general ef- ance of 2732 and with an average

# Accommodations and Equipment

Accommodations are classified under heading, closets, site. water. classroom seats, blackboards, heating, lighting and ventilation. Equipment includes maps, charts,

library and miscellaneous material The whole of the foregoing a classified from I to IV in determi ing the grant earned by each school Thus any improvement is largely r paid to the school in a few year through the grant earned. School should keep their equipment up stander! In regard to libaries now have fair libraries in all schoo The large number of supplementa books now being printed furnish sui able material for aiding young chi

THE JARVIS RECORD ren to become good readers. If a child learns to read well in early life he enjoys it and thus acquires power when his help to his parents will not be of great value

### Agriculture

In the year 1924 eighteen schools earned grants for teaching Agriculture and Horticulture. Fve had and the second section of the second school gardens while others maintained home gardens. School Fairs were held at Caledonia, Cayuga, Dunnville, Hagersville, Jarvis and Selkirk.

The exhibits were good. Competition was keen. In some llasses of exhibits there were as many as fiftyeight entries. Public speaking, singing, marching and athletic games fosmed part of the program. The urban and ten in rural schools. We attendance at these fairs compares favorably with that of the Fall Fairs.

#### Trustees' Ossociation

The County Trustees' Association held their annual meeting in Cayuga during the month of June for the election of officers. The chief speaker of the evening was W. M. Morris, School Boards show that they are Toronto, Secretary of the Provincial willing to pay good salaries if they Trustees' Association, who dealt with ler grant, \$392.30. know that they are securing efficient present educational problems. By resolution the meeting asked the Gov-There is still difficulty experienced ernment to consider the advisability keeping teachers in schools which of continuing the Government Grant are not near a town or railway. This to village schools as they apply to

I should like to make a plea for the more serious study of educational problems on the part of trustees. The High School Entrance Exam- Most trustees are intelligent, capable inations were held in June at Atter- men, but as a rule give little thought diffe Station, Caledonia, Canfield. or attention to the duties and re-

#### School Attendance

sminations set by the Principal or regularity of attendance at school of may also be given. staff during the year were exempted their children. In such cases the ination in June. Many were success-duty that is highly commendable in ful in securing this exemption. This enforcing the attendance at school work includes the work of the first of such children that may have a two years of High School work. This better chance in life than they other-

Cantinuation and Public Schools of | Some rural parents retain boys of two or more teachers. Pupils in one-fourteen years at home many times teacher Public Schools were required when they might be at school with to write the Departmental Examina- advantage. The change in the Adolescent Act was intended only for cases where the services of the child The Teachers' Institute for Haldi- were necessary for his own support mand was held in Cayuga on October or that of his parent. The winter All Public School courses provided by the Department teachers and Continuation teachers of Agriculture should be attended by were present also the Cayuga High many more of the rural boys and School teachers, making an attend-girls of adolescent age. Parents and ance of one hundred and twenty. The councillors would do well to urge teacheds enjoyed a visit of inspection these adolescents to take advantage

> daily possible attendance of 3233. being 86% for the year. The urban schools show an average enrolment of 30 per teacher.

1.	Schools for 1924 were:	
are	Schools for 1924 were: Canboro	1410.50
in-	N. Cayuga	2902.50
ol.	S. Cayuga	1132.50
re-	Dunn	1697.50
ars	Moulton	2612.00
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Jarvis ...... 1130.00 Dnnville, a town, received a smal-The special legislature grants were:

Libraries, \$105.66; Agriculture, \$596.-85; Accommodations and Equipment, The Continuation School Grants Jarvis ......\$453.50

tained from teachers a like amount experience. to balance the same.

The regulations require the County Generally speaking, the public Council to give the equivalent of the 80% of those writing. Department-opinion will secure regularity of Legislative Grant to Teachers' Instial Examinations were held at Lower school attendance. However, a few tute. Accommodations and Equip-School a tSelkirk. Pupils successful parents with poor education them- ment, and to Fifth classes and Conin securing 50% of the marks on ex- selves do not see the necessity of tinuation Schools, but special grants

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	Receipts		Exp.
Canboro\$	12978.47	\$	6825.49
N. Cayuga	26012.14	. 1	3522.02
S. Cayuga	11289.12		5162.19
Dunn	13935.64		6768.06
Moulton	24750,28		17062.55
Oneida	21376.65	1	10958.14
Rainham	20375.64		9462.23
Seneca	30946.07		16207.60
Sherbrooke	4382.34		2583.60
Walpole	59490.09	;	30196.37
,	225536.44	\$1	18748.2
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\$2	225536.44	\$1	18748.23	
Caledonia\$	9148.47	\$	8595.14	×
Cayuga	7438.09		7398.61	
Hagersville	13757.45		11152.03	1
Jarvis	7342.73		4907.47	
\$	37686.74	\$	32053.25	7
Dunnville\$	22849.59	\$	22323.14	,

Grand Total..\$286072.77 \$173124.62 \*

Monthly Reports

It is well that parents should be inif 43 per teacher and the rural scrool formed of the progress made by their children at school. In many schools the results of the month's work is The Legislative Grants to Rural published in teh newspaper. I be-

The object of these is to bring about and 1927 and appointing W. J. Grif-greater co-operation between teacher and parents and to make the parents Letter understand the work their children de at school. The Home and School ciules in our county are in ur-I hope to see these extend to the rural appointing Cornelius Sage a trustee

The average cost per pupil was: d. Cayoga. \$50.41; Dunn, \$42.30; a second time. Carried. eca, \$59.58; Caledonia, \$38.66; Cayu- appointing Cornelius Sage a trust

in urban schools, \$40.82. The general average cost per pupil original motion. Carried.

eleven to twenty.

### Experience of Teachers

The Government has retained the to 20 years' experience; 8 teachers questing the statutory grants on that Superannuation Fund from this a- have from 10 to 30 years experience; smount as provided by the Act to mount but the Secretaries have re- 4 teachers have from 30 to 40 years' aid in the Improvement of Public

### Visits of Inspection

During the year I made two hundred and thirty-four official visits to the schools o htfeconutl

ing Agricultural classes. I have alers' meetings and meetings for other accounts of 1925 and that the by-law purposes and made many special vis- be prepared and read a first time. its to schools. I wish to thank the Lost. County Council for the cordial sup- Clark-French-In amendment, that

O Council for a new office desk. o I have the honour to be, Sirs,

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lage of Hagersville a trus High School Board for the Village of Hagersville for the years 1985, 1985 fith of the foun of Dunnville a me ber of the Bourd of Education for the Town of Dunnville for the years 1925, 1926 and 1927. Carried.

Brown-Camelford-That the by-law of the High School Board for the Village of Hagersville and W. J. Grifft a member of the Board of Educa for the Town of Dunnville for the Canhoro, \$43.75; N. Cayuga, \$57.84; years 1925, 1926 and 1927, he read

Moulton, \$49.75; Oneida, \$54.25; Sen- Miller-McDonald-That the by-law ga, \$46.24; Hagersville, \$49.12; Sher- of the High School Board for the Vilbrooke, \$34.00; Walpole, \$45.07; Rain-lage of Hagersville and W. J. Grifium, \$14.21; Jarvis, \$64.57; Dunn-fith a member of the Hoard of Education for the Town of Dunnville for The general average cost per pupil the years 1925, 1926 and 1927 be read was \$26.00; in rural schools, \$3884; a third time, signed, sealed, numbered and entitled a by-law as in the

Glenny-Miller-In amendment, that se attended a large number of meet- Charles S. Brown and Charles Patings of Trustees Boards and ratepay-ton be appointed auditors of criminal

g next given to the work of making G. L. Miller, Reeve of Jarvis, and C. more efficient the schools of the coun- J. Smelser, be appointed to the criminal audit and that a fy-law be pre-I wish also to thank the County pared and read a first time. Carried. McQuillan-Dyons—That George Mil ler of the Town of Jarvis and John Bradford of the Town of Dunnville be the criminal auditors for the year

> appointinf criminal auditors be read second time. Carried.

Kern-Saunders - That the by-law accounts for the County of Haldimand for the year 1925 be read a tled a by-law as in the original mo-\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* tion. Carried.

in 1923 was higher, being \$47.62. and Clerk be authorized to sign and The increased cost in rural schools submit to the Minister of Public is due to the small attendance in Works and Highways of the Province many schools. Eight schools average of Ontagio, the petition of the Corpor-\$933.09; Teachers' Institute, \$50.00. ten or less; nineteen schools average atiin of the County of Haldimand; showing that during January 1, 1924 to December 31, 1924, there has been 96 teachers have less than 10 years' expended upon the County Highways Highways. Carried.

Scott-French-That a by-law be introduced and read a first time appointing W. G. Clark, Reeve of Walpole, nad C. J. Smelser, of the Township of Rainham, auditors of criminthe schools of the county. I made al justice accounts for the County of special visits in June to schools hav- Haldimand for the fear 1925. Lost.

Clark-Sherk-That a fee of \$15 be forwarded to the Treasurer of the Good Roads Association of Ontario

Camelford-Brown-That the by-law

appointing G. L. Miller and C. J. Smelser auditors of criminal justice Hagersville third time, signed, sealed and enti-

Saunders-Kern-That this Council Advertise in "The Record" adjourn to allow the striking commit-(Continued on Page 5)

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