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SOME SCHOOL ACT AMENDMENTS
Sir:—As the Legislature at its last session made some amendments to the School Act, and as these affect both teachers and ratepayers, I wish to draw attention to a few matters in regard thereto. Section 39, Page 25, of the Act, has been amended by striking out the word "twenty" and substituting the word "fifteen." This section, in part, as amended, reads: "In every case in which the average daily attendance of scholars of such schools is found to be less than fifteen, the salary allowed by this Act shall be reduced," etc. Now as this section stood before, it was never enforced, as far as I know. Section 15, Page 12, always ruled in regard to average daily attendance. Regulation 70 also ruled, the two being identical. Section 15, in part, reads: "No teacher shall receive from the Provincial Treasury, the salary herein provided according to his respective class or grade unless the average daily attendance for the term during which he claims his salary shall be at least fifty per cent. of the children of school age within the School District," etc. This section has not been repealed or amended. The question is: Can these two sections be enforced and at the same time agree? It will not need much consideration to see that they must conflict. One or the other must be dropped.
Now it is rumored that the Department of Education intends to enforce Section 39, as amended. Then it must be the intention to drop Section 15 and Regulation 70.
Suppose that Section 39 is enforced, what would be the result? Let

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us take a school where the enrolment of pupils is fifty. By section 15, this school is required to make an average daily attendance of twenty-five. That is fair. By Section 39, as amended, it is necessary to make an average of only fifteen. Percentage thirty. Ridiculous! Again, take a school where the enrolment is but fifteen. In this case the percentage of attendance must be 100 in order to fulfil the requirements of Section 39. Utterly impossible! Should the percentage not come up to this the teacher's salary would be reduced proportionately. No teacher would labor in such a school. Even should an attempt be made to collect the deficiency from the district, according to the Act, it is very doubtful if it could be done. These schools then would always go begging a teacher. In fact they would be closed. Affairs had far better be left as they were before. This may sound somewhat like dictation. Certainly the Department can make what regulations they please, but it must be said, that if Section 39 is enforced, it will certainly make an absurd situation, as I have illustrated.
Therefore, I am sure, teachers and ratepayers would like to have soon a definite announcement through the press or otherwise, from the Department in regard to any proposed changes in respect of the matters I have mentioned.
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