

## REPORT OF EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE

**T**HREE significant events in the field of Visual Instruction have occurred since our last report:

1. At the request of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, the Will Hays organization, the National Educational Association appointed a committee of prominent educators to investigate the possibilities of the use of motion pictures in education.

Prof. Charles H. Judd of the University of Chicago, Dr. Ernest L. Crandall, Director of Visual Instruction of the New York Public Schools, Leonard P. Ayres, Vice-president of the Cleveland Trust Company, and others have served on this Committee. The Hays organization furnished a fund of \$5,000 for the committee to use. The Committee has made a preliminary report. No conclusive results have been obtained as yet.

2. At the Convention of the National Educational Association held in Oakland, California, July, 1923, the Visual Instruction Association of America massed all the Visual Instruction exhibits into a significant display. This was constructive work and called special attention of the educators who attended the Convention to the types of material and equipment that are available. This included charts, slides, stereographs, maps, and motion pictures.

3. At the same Oakland Convention, the National Educational Association recognized Visual Instruction by organizing a special Visual Instruction Association Section of the National Educational Association.

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