

**The Provincial Normal School.**

**FACULTY OF INSTRUCTORS.**

NORMAL COLLEGE.

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Instruction, Stationery, and the use of Text Books (except Classical) are provided for pupil teachers, free of charge.

*Extract from Regulations of Council of Public Instruction.*—"Candidates for admission to the Normal School shall attend one of the regular semi-annual examinations conducted by the District Examiners in October and April in each year, and if they pass a satisfactory examination on the third-class syllabus, they shall, if found worthy of the same, receive a certificate of character, ability, and scholarship." This certificate shall give the holder admission to the Normal School, and upon presenting said certificate to the Superintendent, the holder shall receive an allowance of five cents per mile, towards travelling expenses. In the case of those who hold licenses, granted since October, 1864, it shall be sufficient to make application to the Chairman of the District Examiners, who shall forward the requisite certificates to applicants. No person shall be admitted to this Institution as a pupil-teacher, without the above-named certificate.

Persons wishing to enrol as Candidates for High School or Academy certificates must, in addition to a good knowledge of English, be thoroughly familiar with the Latin and Greek Grammars, and be able to parse with ease any passage in some elementary work in each language. In mathematics, they must be competent to solve any example in the advanced Nova Scotia Arithmetic, to work quadratic equations in Algebra, and to demonstrate any proposition in the first four books of Euclid."

"\*If qualified, they may be examined on the second, or first-class syllabus, omitting the practical questions at the end."

**Superior Schools.**

All interested are notified that, in accordance with the Revised Regulations of the Council of Public Instruction, after the expiration of the present Term, (Oct. 31st), one-half of the grant to Superior Schools will be paid by the Superintendent of Education to the Trustees, to be applied by them in improving the apparatus of the school, or for general school purposes; and one-half to the Teacher of the school for his own use.

The conditions on which sections will be allowed to compete for this grant may be found on page 35 of the "Comments and Reg. of the Council of Public Instruction." A careful compliance with the requirements relating to the school house, furniture, apparatus, out-houses, &c., as well as those relating to the skill and thoroughness exhibited by the Teacher in his work, will hereafter be required of each section receiving the grant.

**Bond of Secretary to Trustees.**

"The Secretary of the Trustees shall give a bond to Her Majesty, with two sureties, in a sum at least equal to that to be raised by the section during the year, for the faithful performance of the duties of his office; and the same shall be lodged by the Trustees with the Clerk of the Peace for the county or district.—School Law of 1866, Sect. 42.

This bond is to be given annually, or whenever a Secretary is appointed, and Trustees should not fail to forward it by mail or otherwise, to the Clerk of the Peace, immediately after they have appointed their Secretary. The following is a proper form of bond:—

**PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA.**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT WE, (name of Secretary) as principal, and (names of sureties) as sureties, are held and firmly bound unto our Sovereign Lady VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, &c., in the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ of lawful money of Nova Scotia, to be

paid to our said Lady the Queen, her heirs and successors, for the true payment whereof, we bind ourselves, and each of us by himself, for the whole and every part thereof, and the heirs, executors and administrators of us and each of us, firmly by these presents, sealed with our Seals, and dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and \_\_\_\_\_ and in the \_\_\_\_\_ year of Her Majesty's reign.

WHEREAS the said \_\_\_\_\_ has this day been duly appointed to be Secretary to the Board of Trustees of \_\_\_\_\_ School Section, No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the District of \_\_\_\_\_

NOW THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, THAT if the said (name of Secretary) do and shall from time to time, and at all times hereafter, during his continuance in the said Office, well and faithfully perform all such acts and duties as do or may hereafter appertain to the said Office, by virtue of any Law of this Province, in relation to the said Office of Secretary to Trustees, and shall in all respects conform to and observe all such rules, orders and regulations as now are or may be from time to time established for or in respect of the said Office, and shall well and faithfully keep all such accounts, books, and papers, as are or may be required to be kept by him in his said Office, and shall in all respects well and faithfully perform and execute the duties of the said Office, and if on ceasing to hold the said Office, he shall forthwith, on demand, hand over to the Trustees of the said School Section, or to his successor in office, all books, papers, moneys, accounts, and other property in his possession by virtue of his said Office of Secretary—then the said obligation to be void—otherwise to be and continue in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, and delivered }  
in the presence of }  
[Name of Witness.] } [Name of Secretary.] (Seal)  
[Names of Sureties.] (Seals)

WE, THE SUBSCRIBERS, two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County of \_\_\_\_\_ do certify our approbation of \_\_\_\_\_

(names of Sureties,) within named, as Sureties for the within named (name of Secretary,) and that they are to the best of our knowledge and belief persons of estate and property within the said County of \_\_\_\_\_ and of good character and credit, and sufficiently able to pay, if required, the penalty of the within bond. Given under our hands this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 1866 [Names of Magistrates.]

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**NOTICE.**

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As the Council of Public Instruction has provided that the province and county grants shall be paid as usual to teachers and trustees, for the time spent in attendance on Teachers' Institutes,—See comments and reg. school act, xi. (b), page 49,—a full meeting of the teachers of the above district is expected.  
Jan. 2, 1867.

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