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READING COURSE FOR STUDENTS WISHING TO ENTER NORMAL SCHOOL

Students will be expected to read one of the following books and to show familiarity with it on entering the Normal School. They will be given an examination by the Principal of the Normal School on the book read at the opening of the session which they at-

tend. The books are:

- (1) Jean Mitchell's School—Wray.
- (2) The Evolution of Dodd—Smith.
- (3) The Vitalized School—Pearson.

Teachers are asked to bring this to the attention of all students in Grade XI.

RE MUSIC OPTION

We are just advised by the University that they will accept the Music option in the matriculation course. The subject will be included in group (6), as shown on page 32 of the Program of Studies. This means that it may be taken in lieu of one Science, but in order to secure this option, Music must

be taken both in Grade X. and in Grade XI.

We would suggest that the subject be offered in lieu of Botany or Physical Geography in the case of a student taking four Sciences, as these students should have both Physics and Chemistry for their future progress in the University.

SCIENCE

In order to adjust the various classes to the new program for matriculation, it has been arranged with the University that students in Grade X. may take either Botany or Physics for the present school year, and students in Grade VI. may take either Physics or Physical

Geography. This will meet the situation for students taking two foreign languages.

Students taking one foreign language must complete the four Sciences, namely, Physics, Chemistry, Botany and Physical Geography for Matriculation.

CONDITIONS

Teachers are hereby advised that in future candidates in Grade X. will be promoted to Grade XI. on condition that they have failed in but one subject. It has been found that the average candidate carrying two conditions

from Grade X. is not able to remove these conditions and to cover successfully the Grade XI. course in one year. This regulation will apply to the examinations of 1920.