Note B .- The Candidates may select one or more, or all of the above options, and his proficiency in any one or more shall be counted in his favor.

## PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS.

- 23. The promotion examinations shall following the qualifying examinations of Candidates for first entrance into the Civil Service.
- 24. Such examinations shall be open to any person employed in the Department in which the vacancy to be filled by promotion exists in either Division of the Service, who holds a position below that to which the promotion is to be made.
- 25. The examination shall be made in such subjects as, after consultation with the Deputy Head of the Department in which the promotion is to be made, may be decided upon by the Board as best adapted to test the fitness of the Candidates to the vacant office.
- 26. After consultation with the Deputy Head relative to the questions to be put under sub-section f, the following shall be the subjects of examination for promotion:-
  - (a.) Penmanship.
  - (b.) Composition in English or French.
  - (c.) Arithmetic, based upon the nature of the work required by the Department.
  - (d.) Indexing and Precis Writing.
  - (e.) Constitution of Canada (British North America Act.)
  - (f.) Questions relating to the organization, practice and duties of the office in which the vacancy exists.
  - (q.) Efficiency (ascertained from Report of the Deputy Head of the Department in which the Candidate is serving.)

Note.—A Candidate to pass must obtain 50 per cent. of the total value assigned to the questions, and at least 30 per cent. of the value in each subject. (See Form G.)

27. Immediately after the close of the examinations, or from time To be taken in to time thereafter, as the examination papers are received at the connection Office of the Board in Ottawa, and valued, the Board shall make fying examinaout a list of the Candidates who have been found qualified, shall tions. certify the same, and transmit it to the Secretary of State; and the clause 21. list so made out shall distinguish, as far as possible, what branch of the Service each Candidate is best fitted for.

## SPECIAL EXAMINATIONS.

28. The Board shall also report to the Secretary of State the result of the examination of any person proposed to be appointed under Section 34 of the Civil Service Act, who shall have been gent to them for examination.