

The Committee appointed by the Protestant Committee to conduct the Senior Leaving Examinations would not be a joint committee in any way. If any members of the McGill staff served on that Senior Leaving Committee they would do so not as representatives of the University but simply because in the opinion of the Protestant Committee their service would be satisfactory. McGill would conduct its own Junior Matriculation examinations, it being necessary to do so because students in all parts of the world wish to write McGill's matriculation. For the conduct of this last examination the University would be entirely responsible. That is, henceforth, there will be two matriculation examinations - the McGill Matriculation conducted by the University entirely and the School Leaving Examination conducted entirely by the Protestant Committee. Previously there has been some confusion of thought. Many considered the School Leaving Committee as a joint committee because it had on it members appointed by the Protestant Committee and men nominated by the universities of McGill and Bishops. Yet it was not a joint committee because neither McGill nor Bishops had any responsibility for the conduct of the examinations. That responsibility was accepted and demanded by the Protestant Committee. To me it makes little difference which arrangement holds.

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As I understand it the action taken at the last meeting of the Protestant Committee of the Council of Public Instruction meant that henceforth the conduct of the examinations