

N. B. EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

Departmental Examinations, 1896.

I.—LICENSE EXAMINATIONS.

Final examinations for Grammar, Superior and Common School Licenses, Classes I and II, will be held at the Normal School, Fredericton, at the Centennial School Building, St. John, and at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Chatham, beginning on Tuesday, June 9th, at 9 o'clock a. m. Candidates not in attendance at the Normal School should give notice to the Chief Superintendent on or before the first day of June. No candidate is eligible unless he has passed the preliminary examination for the class desired.

II.—NORMAL SCHOOL ENTRANCE AND PRELIMINARY EXAMINATIONS FOR ADVANCE OF CLASS.

All candidates for admission to the Normal School in September, 1896, and all holders of second or third class licenses who propose to enter the Normal School in January, 1897, or to become eligible for examination for advance of class in June, 1897, are required to pass the preliminary examinations, beginning on Tuesday, July 7th, at 9 o'clock a. m. (See School Manual, Reg. 31, 3, and Reg. 38, 6).

Candidates are required to give notice to the Inspector within whose inspectorial district they wish to be examined not later than the 24th day of May. A fee of one dollar must be sent to the Inspector with the application.

III.—MATRICULATION AND JUNIOR LEAVING EXAMINATIONS.

These examinations will be held, beginning on July 7th, at 9 a. m., at the same stations as the Normal School Entrance Examinations. Application, accompanied by a fee of two dollars, should be sent not later than the 24th of May to the Inspector within whose inspectorial district the candidate wishes to be examined.

The Junior Matriculation Examinations are based on the requirements for matriculation in the University of New Brunswick, as laid down in the University calendar (candidates will receive a calendar upon appli-

cation to the Chancellor of the University, or to the Education Office.) Any high or grammar school pupil who has completed Grade XI of the high school course should be prepared for matriculation.

NOTE: Elementary chemistry as in Williams' Introduction to Chemical Science (Chapters I to XXX, inclusive), is now required of all candidates for matriculation.

The Junior Leaving Examinations are based upon the requirements of the course of study for grammar and high schools as given in the syllabus for Grades IX and X, and will include the following subjects: English Grammar and Analysis, English Composition and Literature; Arithmetic and Book keeping, Algebra; Geometry; History and Geography; Botany and Physics, and either Latin or French, or Chemistry, or Physiology and Hygiene. (Eight papers in all.)

The pupils of any school in the province are eligible for admission to this examination. Diplomas are granted to successful candidates.

The stations at which the Entrance, Matriculation and Leaving Examinations will be held are the following: Fredericton, St. John, Moncton, St. Stephen, Woodstock, Chatham, Bathurst, Campbellton, Andover and Hillsboro; provided, however, that if less than twelve candidates ask to be examined at any of the stations named, no examination shall be held at such station or stations, and the candidates who have chosen to be examined at such station or stations will be instructed to present themselves at some of the other stations.

The Department will supply the necessary stationery to the candidates at the July examinations, and all answers must be written on the paper supplied by the Supervising Examiners.

In the June examinations the candidates will supply their own stationery.

Examinations for Superior School License will be held both at the June and July examinations—on the first day and evening. No fee required.

Forms of application for the July examinations will be sent to candidates upon application to the Inspectors or the Education Office.

J. R. INCH,

Education Office, May 1st, 1896.

Chief Sup't Education.

PROGRAMME.

NEW BRUNSWICK EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE.

NORMAL SCHOOL, FREDERICTON.

June 29th to July 2nd, 1896.

MONDAY, 3.00 P. M.	Meeting of Executive Committee.	WEDNESDAY, (Dominion Day).	An Excursion will be planned for members of the Institute.
" 8.00 "	Public Reception Committee.		
TUESDAY, 9.30 A. M.	Enrolment, Election of Secretaries and Nominating Committee.	THURSDAY, 9.00 A. M.	Elections (a) of Executive Committee; (b) of Representative to Senate of U. N. B.
" 10.30 "	Opening Address by the Chief Superintendent.	" 10.30 "	<i>Correlation of Studies</i> , by Eldon Mullin, M. A., Geo. U. Hay, M. A., Geo. J. Trueman, B. A., and E. W. Lewis, B. A.
" 11.30 "	<i>Secondary Education</i> , by A. B. Maggs, B. A., Principal of Queen's County Grammar School.	" 2.30 "	<i>The Mutual Relations of the University and the Public Schools</i> , by Prof. W. F. Stockley M. A., University of New Brunswick.
" 2.00 P. M.	<i>The Problems of the Country School</i> , by Miss Bessie Fraser, Grand Falls.	" 3.30 "	General Business.
" 3.00 "	<i>School Hygiene</i> , by Walter W. White, B. A., M. D., St. John.		The usual arrangements for reduced fares will be made with railways and steamboats lines.
" 8.00 "	<i>Ethical Culture</i> , by Professor W. C. Murray, M. A., Dalhousie College, Halifax, N. S.		

JOHN BRITAIN, *Secretary.*