

eligible for examination in July next. *Candidates under age are not admitted to examination with a view of receiving diplomas when they attain the prescribed age.*

- (2) A certificate of moral character according to the following form must accompany the application:—"This is to certify that I, the undersigned, have personally known and had opportunity of observing.....(*Give name of candidate in full*).....for thelast past; that during all such time *his* life and conduct have been without reproach; and I affirm that I believe *him* to be an upright, conscientious and strictly sober man.

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of the.....congregation
at....., to which the
candidate belongs.

This certificate must be signed by the minister of the congregation to which the candidate belongs, and by two school commissioners, school trustees, or school visitors.

As unexpected difficulties and delays arise in the preparation of these certificates of age and moral character, intending candidates will do well to get these certificates at once, in order that they may be in a position to make application at the appointed time.

- (3) A fee of two dollars for elementary and model school diplomas, and three dollars for academy diplomas, is to be enclosed with the form of application.

Upon the receipt of the application with certificates and fees, a card of admission to the examination will be mailed to each candidate. This card must be presented to the deputy-examiner on the day of examination. Each card is numbered, and at the examination candidates will put their numbers on their papers instead of their names. Great care should be taken to write the numbers legibly and in a prominent position at the top of each sheet of paper used.

Candidates should notice that first-class diplomas are not granted upon examination; that the highest diploma that can be obtained upon examination is a second-class diploma.

In the examination for elementary diplomas, algebra, geometry and French are not compulsory; but in order to be eligible for a first-class diploma candidates must pass in these subjects. The same remark applies to Latin in the case of the model school diploma.

Candidates who obtained diplomas last year, but who failed to pass in these subjects, can come up for examination in these subjects this year by giving due notice. Teachers who are candidates for first-class diplomas under Regulation 37 are requested to use the foregoing form of application, omitting the formal certificate of age.

Candidates are also requested to observe that the *supplemental examinations* have been discontinued.