

would be asked to do similar work for the Committee at Quebec, after their University work was over. From the financial stand point the University would not lose. It might indeed be otherwise. As things are now there is a great deal spent in connection with this examination in the way of postage, paper etc., of which no account is taken, and the time of the office staff is used to a very great extent for two or three months every year in connection with the examination. For this the University is allowed only \$350.00

In every other province the Education Department controls the whole examination and the Universities are free to set what value they please on the Certificates they issue. In any case there would likely be little difference. The examination is now run by the Committee. There would really be no change, except perhaps that there might be some examiners employed who are not directly connected with the University.

It should be stated here that more than once proposals were made to the Committee to cut adrift from the University and they would doubtless have done so had it not been for the strong desire expressed by the University authorities to retain the connection, unsatisfactory though it was. Should we now decide to separate ~~the~~ would probably not object. Indeed the decision might be heartily approved.

The only proper solution of the present state of things is for either the University or the Committee to do the work. The compromise which has been made is far from satisfactory from the University point of view more particularly.