

REG. 5. Each Inspector shall forward, *not later than June 1st*, to the Superintendent of Education, a list of the applications received for each grade of examination at each station within his district, on a form to be supplied from the Education Office, transmitting therewith all moneys, having duly classified and checked the same in the form aforesaid.

REG. 6. The Deputy Examiner, when authorized by the Superintendent of Education, shall have power to employ an assistant or assistants, who shall receive two dollars per day for the time so employed.

REG. 7. The Superintendent of Education shall have prepared and printed suitable examination questions for each Grade at each examination, in accordance with the prescribed course of study, and shall also forward to each Deputy Examiner a sufficient supply of the printed questions, together with copies of such rules and instructions as may be necessary for the due conduct of the examination.

REG. 8. The maximum value of each paper shall be 100; and the numbered questions composing it shall be constructed with the intention of making each equal in value though not necessarily of equal difficulty. Thus, when 5 questions constitute one paper, the value of each when answered accurately with reasonable fullness and in good form will be 20, no matter whether it should be easier or more difficult than its fellow-questions.

REG. 9. Each examiner shall mark distinctly by colored pencil or ink at the left hand margin of each question on the candidate's paper its value on the foregoing assumption; and shall sum up the total, placing it on the back of the sheet; and underneath, the number of misspelled or obscurely written words, which number is to be deducted from the total for the true value of the paper. Thus, should the sum of the marks of a paper be 54, and the misspelled or obscurely written words be 6, the marks on the back would stand as follows: English Grammar [54-6]=48.

REG. 10. To make a "pass" in the grade of examination applied for, the candidate must make at least the minimum aggregate of the grade and at least a minimum of 25 on each imperative subject or paper of the grade, but this minimum of 25 may be lowered one unit for every 50 the candidate's aggregate may be above the "minimum aggregate" in the case of Grade A, and for every 25 in the cases of Grades B, C, and D. A mark below 25 on any optional subject will not be counted in the aggregate.

REG. 11. Candidates failing to make a pass in the grade applied for may be ranked as making a pass in the next grade below, provided 75 per cent. of the *minima* be made; and as making a pass on the grade second below, provided 50 per cent. of the *minima* be made.

REG. 12. Each candidate shall receive from the Superintendent of Education a certificate containing the marks given in each subject by the examiners, and the High School Grade which the candidate may have successfully "passed." If the candidate has not "passed," the certificate will not bear the head title "HIGH SCHOOL CERTIFICATE" with the arms of the Education Department.

REG. 13. Candidates for High School Certificates will be expected to pass the various grades in order. Candidates will not be admitted to the examinations of the higher grades without evidence of their proficiency in the subjects of the preceding grades.

REG. 14. The subjects, number, and values of the papers for the different examinations, and the general scope of examination questions, are indicated by the prescribed High School curriculum. Examination may demand description by drawing as well as by writing in all grades.

PROVINCIAL EXAMINATION RULES.

COMMENT.

No envelopes shall be used to enclose papers. One hour is the maximum time allowed for writing each. One sheet of foolscap will therefore hold all that will be necessary to be written on any paper, if it is properly put down.

1. Candidates shall present themselves at the examination room punctually half an hour before the time set for the first paper of the Grade for which they are to write, at which time the deputy examiner shall assign each a seat, and a number which shall represent the candidate's name, and must therefore be neither forgotten nor changed. The candidates who *present* themselves shall be numbered from 1 onwards in consecutive order (without a hiatus for absent applicants, who cannot be admitted after the numbering) beginning with the A's, then coming to the B's, C's, and D's in order.

2. Candidates shall be seated before the instant at which the examination is fixed to begin. No candidate late by the fraction of a minute has the right to claim admission to the examination room, and any candidate leaving the room during the progress of any examination must first send his or her paper to the deputy examiner, and not return until the beginning of the next paper.

3. Candidates shall provide themselves with (for their own exclusive use) pens, pencils, mathematical instruments, rulers, ink, blotting paper, and a supply of good heavy foolscap paper of the size thirteen inches by eight.

4. Each candidate's paper must consist of one sheet of such foolscap, which may be written on both sides, and must contain no separate sheets or portions of sheets unless ly attached so as to form one paper. Neat writing, and clear, concise answers are