REGULATIONS FOR ACADEMY DIPLOMAS.

Adopted by the Protestant Committee, 26th May, 1886, and approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, 31st July, 1886.

"That all Academy Diplomas granted by the Protestant Normal Schools, and Boards of Examiners, after the first of July, 1886, be named and granted in accordance with the following regulations:

REG. I.—Each Academy Diploma, granted hereafter, shall clearly indicate the class of diploma and the particular provision of these regulations, under which the Candidate is entitled to the Diploma.

REG. II.—Academy Diplomas granted by Boards of Examiners, and the Academy Diplomas granted to the Students of the Academy Class of the McGill Normal School, shall be second class academy diplomas.

REG. III.—Graduates in Arts from any British or Canadian University, who have passed in Latin and Greek in the Degree Examinations, or who have taken a first class standing in Latin and Greek at their intermediate examination, shall be entitled to receive first class academy diplomas, provided that they have also taken either (a) the regular course in the Art of Teaching at the McGill Normal School, or (b) a first class standing in the special professional examination, provided for such graduates by the McGill Normal School, or (c) certificates from the Inspector of Academies that they have taught successfully for two years in an Academy or High School. Such aforesaid graduates as take only second class standing in the special professional examination of the foregoing sub-section, (b), shall be entitled to only second class academy diplomas.

REG. IV.—Teachers holding second class Academy Diplomas from the McGill Normal School, who have taken (a) the second year in Arts and a first class standing in Latin and Greek, in their intermediate examination, or (b) in the case of female candidates, the Examination for the Senior Associate in Arts, (taking both Latin and Greek) of the University of McGill or of Bishop's College, shall be entitled to receive first class academy diplomas.

REG. V.—Teachers who hold (a) academy diplomas granted before the first July, 1886, or (b) second class academy diplomas granted under these regulations, and who produce satisfactory proof to the Protestant Committee that they have taught successfully for at least ten years, shall, when recommended by the committee, be entitled to receive first class academy diplomas.

RFG. VI.—Any candidate who presents to the Principal of the McGill Normal School, (a) the requisite certificate of age and of good moral character, and (b) satisfactory certificates that he has complied with either of the foregoing regulations, III, IV, or V. shall be recommended by him to the Superintendent of Public Instruction, for an Academy Diploma of the class to which he is entitled under the regulations.

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