

FEWER WRITING EXAMINATIONS FOR TEACHERS

Decrease From Total of 1925 But More Write For Higher Licenses—Start Tuesday.

The number of candidates for examination for teaching licenses in the Province of New Brunswick is considerably fewer this year than last the total announced by the Department of Education being 441 compared with 467 and 468 for the year before that for 1925 for the year before that.

The chief reason for the decrease is the reduced number attending the Provincial Normal School the maximum number of students having been reduced further last year. This brings about a reduction in the number of students writing for Class I and Class II. For Superior Class there is a slight increase and for Grammar School Class a marked increase, 73 writing this year compared with 47 last year.

Five Examining Stations.

There are five examining stations in the Province, Fredericton, St. John, Moncton, Chatham, St. Basil. Of these Fredericton is the largest on account of the Provincial Normal School and the University of New Brunswick being located here. The totals for the various examining stations are as follows: Fredericton 361, Saint John 33, Moncton 25, Chatham 12, St. Basil 10. Last year the totals for the five stations were: Fredericton 405, Saint John 22, Chatham 11, St. Basil 6, Moncton 23.

Many University Students.

The total of candidates for Grammar School Licenses the highest grade given is the largest on record. Several of the Maritime Universities are represented in this division the University of New Brunswick furnishing the largest group. This is an indication that increasing attention is being paid in the universities to teaching as a profession. Examinations begin next Tuesday morning.

The list as prepared by the Department showing classification and examining station is as follows:—

	Grammar		School Sup.		Class	
	I.	II.	I.	II.	I.	II.
Fredericton	45	1	153	162		
Saint John	16	4	13	0		
Moncton	5	4	10	6		
Chatham	4	0	2	6		
St. Basil	3	0	4	3		
Totals	73	9	182	177		

CITY AFFAIRS

Protectionist in Cells. One protectionist was given the shelter of the police cells Friday night.

One Drunk Fined. One drunk arrested Friday night appeared in the police court this morning and was fined eight dollars.

Held Formal Opening. The formal opening of the Golf Club took place on the 3rd. Tea was served.

The More the Merrier. There are now seven buses running between Fredericton and the other side of the river.

Motored From Minto. A. D. Taylor, M. P. P., of Minto and party are at the Queen today. They motored from Minto.

Making Into Apartment House. Robert Fitz Randolph is converting his residence corner Church and Brunswick Streets into an apartment house. There will be four apartments.

A Young Son. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wade of Penniac are being congratulated on the birth of a son which occurred at Victoria Hospital in this city, May 30th.

Some Real Salmon. Mr. Charles Payne of Springhill had some real fresh run salmon in the market this morning and disposed of them at 35 cents. Two of the fish weighed twenty-three pounds each and were of the type known to disciples of Isaak Walton as "lackle smashers". Mr. Payne caught the fish in a net at Springhill.

Leslie A. Sprague of St. John is registered at the Windsor.

FOUR PROVINCIAL CONVENTIONS TO BE HERE AT ONCE

June 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th to be Busy—Three are Women's Organizations.

Fredericton, week after next, will have its full of conventions, as four will be held here. All the Provincial conventions of the various organizations meeting. Three of the four are women's organizations. The solitary men's organization is the Provincial Command of the Great War Veterans' Association.

The Graduate Nurses' Association of New Brunswick will meet Tuesday and Wednesday the 15th and 16th.

The Advisory Council of the New Brunswick Women's Institute will be in session on Tuesday the 15th in preparation for the annual convention of the N. B. W. I. which will hold its sessions on the three days following.

The Provincial Red Cross Association will be in session on Wednesday the 16th and that night will be tendered a dinner by the Fredericton Branch G. W. V. A.

In all several hundred delegates will visit Fredericton from outside places for the conventions.

FIVE THOUSAND FEET CONCRETE WALK PLANNED

Street Committee With City Engineer Looked Over Work—Vandalism on New Work.

The Street Committee has completed tentative plans for the laying of five thousand feet of concrete sidewalk in Fredericton during the summer. The plans are not absolutely definite and there may be some slight addition to the footage laid.

The Street Committee with City Engineer McKay has been engaged in consideration of the problem for some time and gave particular attention to the matter Friday and this morning going over the ground by motor.

The Streets to be Paved.


The concrete sidewalks are to be laid as follows:—Aberdeen street, north side, from Church street to the C. N. R. tracks; north side, from Regent street to Saint John street; King street, north side, from Camperdown Alley to Church street; Charlotte street, north side, from Carleton street to Regent street; Carleton street, west side, from Charlotte street to George street; Westmorland street west side, Brunswick street to Queen (Continued on page five.)

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