

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TEACHERS APPOINTMENT BUREAU

September 1, 1942 to August 31, 1943

### - FOREWORD -

Following the pattern set last year only a brief summary of the activities of the Teachers Appointment Bureau has been prepared for general distribution. Formerly an extensive report going into considerable detail was mimeographed. In view of the necessity for economy it has seemed unwise to prepare such a detailed statement this year. All the data essential for the complete account have been collected and are available in the secretary's office. Interested persons are cordially invited to consult the secretary at any time regarding any aspects of our work.

### REGISTRATION OF CANDIDATES

During the past year we had 572 registrants. This is a decrease of 172 or 23.5 per cent from the registration of 748 for last year. It is the smallest registration in the last ten year period. Of this number 84 were enrolled for the first time, 59 renewed previous registrations, and 429 were carried over from the previous year because the period for which they had paid their fee had not expired. Up to August 31 of the current year 261 of the 429 have been withdrawn for failure to renew registrations. We now have 321 persons on our list to be carried over to the coming appointment year. Of these 307 are experienced or will be getting experience this year, and 14 are without experience. Of the 307 our records show 246 regularly employed in teaching, 9 in defense work, 3 in the U. S. Army, 7 married and maintaining homes, 6 in business and professional work, 1 in graduate school, 1 deceased, 29 employed in miscellaneous jobs, and 5 unknown. Of the 14 inexperienced candidates 6 are married, 3 are in business, 1 is in graduate school, and 4 are unemployed. This means that only four of our present registrants are unemployed and that the status of five other is unknown.

Since there is no indication that the manpower demands of the war and defense program will be less it is apparent that we shall have fewer available candidates next year. Unless more students can be induced to enter teaching as a patriotic duty the outlook for schools is not bright.