

auspices. It has not been possible to meet all the requests for these courses, a fact we have regretted as we consider it a valuable part of the Extension work.

4. The Staff consists of:-

Miss McCain

Miss Nish

Both work under the direction of the Head of the School.

Typewriting is done by the School of Household Science.

II. POINTS OF IMPORTANCE:

1. This extension work is an important contact with the women and girls of the province. If Macdonald College is to develop as we hope it will (and as Sir William Macdonald apparently intended), into an educational centre which will raise the whole cultural level of the country population, we must reach the women and girls as well as the men.

The men will come to the College without much urging, but it will take some time before the country girl thinks of going to Macdonald as the city girl goes to "McGill College". Yet all the leaders of women's life in the country ought to do so, and for those who cannot we should provide as well as we can. It is advisable, therefore, that we should maintain our contacts with these women and girls, and recognize that for some considerable period, so far as women are concerned, Macdonald College must do its main work through the Extension Department.

2. Of late years there has been evidence of a wish among the women for more work of what might be called a cultural type. They are asking for more lectures on general subjects rather than wholly on domestic science subjects. The School of Household Science has been observing this need and endeavouring to fill it.
3. The original effort made by the Institutes toward improving homemaking methods has, since their inception, greatly improved the general standard of rural life.

III. PROPOSALS:

1. The tendency above noted toward general adult educational effort might well be recognized and thus by degrees receive increased emphasis in the work with the Institutes, even in the short courses for girls some lectures of a general type should be included.