

if their expenses can be covered in other ways than by the Board.

There are Canadian professors and their assistants (graduate students) who wish to avail themselves of the privilege of working at St. Andrews during the summer months and who also desire to have their travelling and boarding expenses defrayed.

The expenditure sanctioned by the Board is open to the criticism of members of parliament and the fishing industry. It would seem therefore that the time has arrived when a new understanding between the University and the Biological Board should be arranged, and it is submitted that this could be effected through the Graduate Faculty acting in conjunction with the new Faculty of Science.

In connection with the re-appointment of new Committees to carry on the work of the new Faculty, involving the resignation of existing Committees, I would suggest that these changes should react upon the representative of the University upon the Biological Board, bringing about his resignation automatically, in order that a new start may be made under changing conditions.

There is another matter, though of minor import, which deserves to be mentioned. The annual Somerville Lecture on Natural History which was revived at the University four years ago and carries with it an honorarium of \$100.00 for visiting lecturers has not yet been placed upon a sound footing as regards the nomination of the lecturer. Those who have come here to give it during the past four years have regarded it as an honour to receive the invitation, extended through the Department of Extra-