

MEETING OF DEANS

March 24, 1931.

Professor Stanley called a Deans' Meeting, which met in the Principal's Room at twelve o'clock noon.

Present:

Dean Mackay
Dean Corbett
Dean Johnson
Dr. Simpson representing Dean Martin
Prof. E. Brown " Faculty Engineering
Prof. Stanley " The Principal

Professor Stanley said that on Saturday last, having heard many complaints of police brutality after the parade on Thursday night, he had decided that if a play-off game were to be held on Wednesday March 26th in Montreal, he would be obliged to ask the Deans to meet and consider ways and means to prevent further trouble. It was now settled that no more Montreal games were to be held, but in view of all that had happened, and especially in view of the two students, Rollit and Schnyder, now in hospital, the former of them very seriously hurt, a meeting of deans seemed expedient.

There was an hour's discussion. The general view seemed to be that the students, through interfering with traffic by pulling trolley ropes, had not been riotous, had not destroyed property, nor behaved in any very unseemly way. On strict points their action was illegal, but it was nothing that the university authorities could not view with indulgence. Moreover, the police had not made baton charges on the paraders, students and others, but had clubbed students and citizens moving along peaceably on the footwalks. There seemed to be good evidence that Rollit had been