

(4) The unemployment and dependency problems of women workers in Montreal. (Profs. Dawson and Marsh : Miss M.E. Aikman).

(5) The occupational aptitudes and mental abilities of employed and unemployed women workers in Montreal. (Prof. Kellogg : Miss B. Robertson).

(6) The selective function of the educational system : a study of promotion and retardation in Montreal schools. (Prof. Clarke : H.F. Hall).

(7) The character and incidence of bankruptcy in Montreal : a study of commercial failure and insolvency in selected industries. (Profs. Scott and Marsh : H.B. Lande).

#### Continued Projects

Satisfactory progress has been made in the studies (ten in number) which were commenced in the session 1932-3, and were described in the report for last year. Three or four of these will be in reasonably complete form by the end of the session. But work will be continued on the others during the summer and fall, and a few will probably carry over into next year. A further year's work (i.e., in 1934-5) has definitely been provided for in three cases : (a) the vocational guidance studies in Montreal schools (started in 1930-31), (b) the study of unskilled workers' employments in the building trades, and (c) the survey of the growth and technical character of Montreal industries. A summary of all the projects now covered by the program is given in Appendix A.

#### Publication

The preparation of material for publication has been an important part of the work in this session. It will call for a larger share of the total activity next year, and new projects