

"Even though the proposed mill is to be located some four miles away and our prevailing wind is not towards us, it is conceivable that such a concentration would sometime reach Macdonald College and do much damage to our crops. Apart from this direct effect upon the crops it would have a disastrous effect on our work and function. This Department functions in large measure through investigations and breeding work with field crops. The alteration of the conditions under which plants grow, no matter how slight or no matter for how short a time, would make our results inapplicable and render our work useless."

(Signed) R. Summerby.

Professor of Agronomy.

Macdonald College,
April 14th, 1930.

"The sulphur dioxide from the combustion of one ton of sulphur would, if uniformly distributed through the air, covering an area of 8 square miles to the depth of 100 ft., amount to one part per million. With a wind blowing from the direction of the smelter it seems probable that the concentration of injurious gas might easily become dangerous to the College farm and that there would be still greater danger of damage to vegetation in the surrounding country, the beauty of which is a valuable asset to the College property."

(Signed) J. F. Snell.

Professor of Chemistry.