

3.
Need of
Technically
Trained
Professors.

With neither intent nor desire to criticize any particular member of the Faculty, may we urge the necessity of providing to a greater degree than in the past for each and every course offered a competent man specially trained in the technical and practical applications of his subject to commercial and industrial problems of the day.

4.
Extension
Courses.

Whatever may be the advantage to outsiders of extension courses held in the evenings at the University, we submit that such Courses should be conducted entirely apart from the regular under-graduate curriculum.

5.
Reference
Books.

The deplorable lack of reference books in the Library has been very keenly felt by all students. The collection at present numbers no more than nine volumes. We would most earnestly urge that immediate steps be taken to meet this need. We would recommend that a Committee be appointed from among our Professors to prepare a list of books required and that these be secured before next session.

6.
Reading
Room.

We note, with satisfaction, that some slight attempt has been made to fit out a commercial reading room. May we urge that further effort be made in this respect and that if at all possible ample accommodations of this kind be provided before the beginning of next session.

7.
Dictation
of Notes.

Several of our courses take the form of a continuous dictation of notes throughout the whole lecture period. While we recognize the fact that there are subjects which cannot be taught in any other fashion, we are of the opinion that several may be modified to a great extent. This is especially applicable to those subjects that require much explanation and blackboard demonstration. We submit that the instruction in such Courses might largely take the form of printed notes, and the valuable time thus saved be devoted to further explanation.