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McGILL CENTENNIAL ENDOWMENT

WOMEN AND MCGILL

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"If you educate women to attend to dignified and important subjects you are multiplying beyond measure the chances of human improvement."

—Sydney Smith.

TO ALL who regard education as the basis of spiritual and material progress an appeal for the education of women needs no argument.

Some thirty-five years ago the late Lord Strathcona listened to the appeal of women who would be students of McGill. He gave the endowment so long known by his name, and the University was enabled to give what women then asked for—education in the Faculty of Arts. Later he did more. He built and endowed the Royal Victoria College. Every woman student of the Faculty of Arts was to become a registered student of this college. It was to be more than a residence, something more than a social and recreational centre. It was to be a place where student and staff could meet together, as teacher and taught, where undergraduate and graduate student and some members of the teaching

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