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While, however, the University receives no direct aid from the Government yet it benefits indirectly by the Government support of the School of Mining and Engineering. This School was established at Kingston in 1893 by a number of public-spirited men of Eastern Ontario, at an outlay of over \$30,000. It soon won its way to recognition by the excellent character of its work, and the Government, recognizing the great public service it was rendering, came to its assistance. It is a separate corporation, distinct from the University, with its own Board of Governors, intended to provide a thorough scientific education, theoretical and practical, in all departments of engineering. It has been placed in the same group of buildings as Queen's University so as to take advantage of the instruction therein provided and in this way it has been possible for the Government to equip and carry on a first-class technical school at much smaller cost than would be elsewhere required. It is affiliated to the University, and the students of Queen's are able in their Science course to take some advantage of the provision thus made by the Government in the School of Mining and Engineering.

Although the efficiency and work of a university are not necessarily measured by the number of students in attendance or by the cost of education, yet it is interesting in these respects to compare Queen's with the Universities of McGill and Toronto. Estimating only the Students in Arts and Science:—

Last Session (1902-'03) there were registered

IN MCGILL—

ARTS:—Undergraduates, 185; partial, 106; Total.....	291
APPLIED SCIENCE, .....	250

IN TORONTO, University College—

ARTS:—Unmatriculated, 128; Matriculated, 461; Total.....	589
SCHOOL OF PRACTICAL SCIENCE.....	340

IN QUEEN'S—

ARTS:—Unmatriculated, 28; Matriculated, 474; Total .....	502
SCHOOL OF MINING .....	132

The Average Fees are—

In McGill. ....	Arts, \$61.	Science, \$175.
" Toronto .....	" 52.	" 85.
" Queen's .....	" 45.	" 69

The comparison of revenue cannot be so completely made, but the returns given are as follows:—

In McGill:—For Arts and Science .. ... \$336,193.78

In Toronto University and University College:—

For Arts.....	\$151,309.01
For School of Practical Science . . .	42,925 00
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