May 10th, 1923.

The Secretary, The War Office, London, S.W.l, England.

Sir:-

In reply to 43/Miscellaneous/4195 (S.D.3) of the Director of Staff Duties, dated 26th April, I have to state that the students in the course of Mechanical Engineering given at McGill University have practical instruction in the workshops during three years of their course. They also work in outside shops during the summer vacation, which extends just over four months.

I have no hesitation in giving it as my opinion that the amount of workshop practice which they get is the full equivalent to one year in a regular workshop.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Principal.