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TORONTO, Feb. 22nd, 1901.

J. L. R. PARSONS, ESQ.,

*Chairman, School of Science Undergraduate Committee,
Toronto, Ont.*

DEAR SIR :—

Since the receipt of your letter of Feb'y 15th, in relation to the expansion of the School of Practical Science in the Province of Ontario, we have made a careful study of this matter, and take pleasure in expressing the view that the authorities of the University are justified by the facts, in making an effort to secure a broad enlargement of the present plant and staff.

Every indication points in the direction of the large expansion of manufactures and mining in this Province, and it is important, in our view, that such talent as is developed in this Province, should have the best educational facilities.

While there may be a question in the minds of some as to the desirability of a large expansion in relation to the Art's Course, there can be none as to the necessity of meeting the requirements of men, who are qualified by natural endowment for an education in practical science, as it is in every way desirable to retain in our midst men of this class, and it is obvious that if they are forced to leave the country to secure such an education as they require, they will, in all probability, be lost to Canada as citizens.

Yours respectfully,

THE GURNEY FOUNDRY CO., LT'D.

(Signed) EDWARD GURNEY,

President.