

Leeks
An Assistant to Dawson

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Dr. Gordon Laing,
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My dear Laing:-

In case you have not a calendar of McGill I am sending one by this mail and will ask you to turn to page 175.

Dawson has found the work very heavy in his department and is teaching about seventy students at the present time, ten of whom are taking honour work. About twenty-five of these are regular Arts undergraduates, while the other forty-five are Theologs. He has also twenty regular students in the diploma course in Social Science, while another seventy or eighty are taking Certificates or doing part time work. With his teaching, his honour work, his social service and his administration, Dr. Dawson is trying to do more than one should ask from him. Next year he will take courses 1, 2 and 4 on page 175, and wants to get a man to do 3, 5, 6, 8 and 9. No. 3 is a full course of three hours, while the others are half courses. No. 7, you will notice, will not be given until next year.

Dawson is very anxious to have time to do a little research work and complete a book that he has almost ready for publication. The department, generally, is going very well. We counted on a deficit of \$5,135., which involved charging the whole of his salary, \$3,600., against