

REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

FOR THE PRINCIPAL'S SPECIAL COMMITTEE IN THE FACULTY OF ARTS.

1.- What are the most pressing needs of your Department?

Funds for Scholarships, is one immediate need. The Department is in need of another staff member who has specialized in the subjects of Social Pathology, Criminology and Statistics as applied to sociological research. Such an addition to the staff would give each instructor more time, so essential in good teaching and effective research. The Department is handicapped by lack of office space.

2.- What, in your opinion, are the principal faults in the preparatory education and work of the students in your Department.

No opinion.

3.- Do you think that the better students in your classes are seriously retarded by the number of indifferent and poor students attending the same classes?

No.

4.- What suggestions have you to make for improving the honour courses in the College?

That the honour courses begin in the third year and that each Department make freer use of outside Departments in shaping its honour course.

5.- Should students be admitted to honour courses at the beginning of the third year instead of, as at present, at the beginning of the second year?

Students should be admitted to the honour courses at the beginning of the third year.

6.- Do you approve of students taking all their honour work, including the full work required in the third and fourth years, in the same department?

Answer to this question indicated above.

7.- Are you in favour of a larger fund for exhibitions and scholarships for capital students in the College? How do you think a fund of say \$20,000. per annum should be administered for this purpose?

I would be in favour of a larger fund for scholarships. Some of these scholarships might be given to students who have done the most effective work in given departments.

8.- Are you in favour of a loan fund for deserving creditable students?

Yes,