

16. The Biological Museum, Macdonald Agricultural College.

The only Museum in the College is in the Biological Building, and is controlled by Dr. Brittain, entomologist. The Museum room (of good size and well lighted) was furnished with steel-framed cases designed by the architect in 1907, when the College was built. But it has never been developed as a Museum. There is no Museum grant. The Museum, such as it is, is a teaching collection not open to the public. The room is only partly occupied. It contains:-

An American Herbarium in good cabinets. The material covers the whole Continent. In process of being organized. Number of sheets not known.

A Collection of Insects. All the Orders that occur in the Canadian Faunal Zone are represented, and properly set up in Cabinets. The majority is named.

A few (German) models of Fungi, Mosses, Ferns, Flowering Plants.

Dr. Brittain has important teaching collections in his laboratories which I do not regard as part of the Museum material.