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Sir Arthur Currie,
Principal, McGill University,
McGill University,
Montreal, P.Q.

Dear Sir Arthur Currie:-

In accordance with your request I am submitting herein my views with regard to the organization of the work in Bacteriology.

At present the Department of Bacteriology is carrying the following staff members. One professor, one lecturer, one assistant and part time of Dr. Conklin, who teaches the specialised work to Animal Husbandry and Poultry students. There are therefore four instructors available for teaching and while all four have done some teaching this department ranks as one of the lowest in total teaching time. Only one course is given to all the students of any one year in the B.S.A. Course, this being General Bacteriology given to the third year. The other courses are specialised courses related to the option work mostly in the other departments. Some of the courses are seldom given. The total teaching time outlined for Agriculture, including an elementary course recently provided for the second year of the Winter Course is six lectures of approximately one hour and seven laboratory periods of one and a half hours each per week.

In Household Science the degree students combine with Agriculture. Other Household Science students receive courses involving one lecture and two laboratory periods per week for one term.