

same building means a waste of space, in as much as the mining department requires vertical space, while he requires nothing but horizontal space. He believes it would be much cheaper to increase the elevation of the rear of the present engineering building than to have space provided in a new building. It is possible, therefore, that the work suggested by him might be done much more cheaply in that way and so the cost of the new Geological and Mining Building might be considerably reduced. He also pointed out that Sir Herbert Holt is personally interested in this development.