

Council, the Empire Marketing Board and the Quebec Government.

If these plans do not mature it is essential that other avenues be explored at once, as this offers one of the best means of furnishing vital fundamental assistance to the live-stock industry and in a field that is not at present preoccupied.

In undertaking work of this sort two types of assistance are involved, viz., (1) labour, and (2) scientific assistance. For entomological research plants are required, the same as for horticultural or agronomic investigations - a fact which seems usually to be overlooked, and this involves the arrangement for growing, harvesting and tending these crops. Even a small piece of land situated at the College, would involve seasonal labour to the extent of one man, occasional horse labour and probably some casual labour later on. This must be definitely provided for if worth while work is to be undertaken, since leaving such things to the good will of so-called "outside" departments never works out in practice.

In addition, provision must be made for scientific assistance and a graduate-assistant would be the best type of an assistant for this work, since it would provide someone with the interest required, would help to build up our graduate work and give to the man himself an opportunity to work on a suitable problem. In securing assistants of the right type we would have to be prepared to compete with similar institutions.

It may be pointed out that, at best, we could do nothing in a large way in such investigations at Macdonald College - and for obvious reasons. Furthermore, insects and disease have