

we are to fall far behind other institutions and schools, we must make provision for this very practical and national requirement.

The plan is briefly as follows:-

The large Chemical Building (in view of the great and rapid advances in Chemical Sciences) is at present quite inadequate for the needs of Chemistry alone. And yet it houses the Departments of Chemistry, Metallurgy, Mining and Geology. The Mining Department occupies the basement of the building and Geology occupies the uppermost floor.

It is proposed that the equipment of the Mining and Metallurgy and Geology Departments be removed from this building and be cared for, with all the additional space that will be required for the activities of these Departments, in an entirely new building specially erected for this purpose.

Two proposals are under consideration with respect to the site of such a building:-

- (1) The S.W. corner of Milton Street, where it intersects University Street and behind the present Engineering Building.
- (2) An extension northward of the present Administrative Offices of the Principal and his staff, which form the eastern wing of the old McGill College and former residence of Sir William Dawson, and to establish there this new group of Departments.

A committee of the heads of the departments concerned

*This is all very new stuff*

*Not true*

*original talk*

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