

Mathematical Physics, it would go far towards making the department complete.

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES - (Zoology, Botany).-

The subjects of Biology, which are fundamental and basic sciences, touch upon the Faculties of Agriculture, of Applied Science, of Medicine and of Arts.

Twenty-five years ago, this Department of our University was the national leader and sent its men to take charge of the various biological stations in the country. It was the centre of consultation and reference from the Atlantic to the Pacific Coast. The agricultural institutions, the department of Marine and Fisheries, the Botanical and Forestry Departments in the country, relied upon McGill to help them in their requirements.

During the last quarter of a century, the progress of knowledge in these subjects has been immense, and yet not a single advance has been made in McGill University to keep pace with the times. As a result of this, we have fallen far behind. Practically all the biological stations which were formerly controlled by this University have now been given over to leadership from other universities. We have neither equipment nor staff to cope with the work. The Department has become inactive; little graduate work is done, and still

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