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### 3. Details and budget of research projects.

Dr. Hemmeon and Dr. Dawson having been due to leave Montreal before the date of the Council meeting, memoranda for the Economics and Sociology departments, prepared by the Director in consultation with them, were submitted. Similar memoranda stating the individual projects, and assistants and funds required, were added for the Psychology and Education departments. In the case of the Mental Hygiene and Medical Departments, the Director reported that the latter had decided not to undertake any specific projects in the ensuing year, although the opportunity would be taken to consider the form which participation by these departments could take in the year following.

The individual projects of each Department (attached) were dealt with in turn. The following matters arose out of their consideration:

(a) Period of time for each project if done by students proceeding to M.A.

It was noted, in answer to queries on this matter, that each department had indicated, in all the cases where the assistants secured desired to proceed to the degree of M.A., that where the project called for more than one year's work, the degree could not be awarded until the end of the second year. In discussion of this point, however, it was also agreed (i) that the second year's grant was dependent on satisfactory progress and ability being demonstrated by the student in the first year; and (ii) that the general ruling was not to be interpreted rigidly if a particular piece of work capable of being done satisfactorily in such a period was completed by a good assistant within one year. Such cases were not likely to be frequent, however.

(b) Research assistants other than those wishing to proceed to an M.A. degree.

It was agreed that it was entirely consistent with the object of the grants that research might also be promoted in a Department by means of (i) a Research Assistant not proceeding to a further degree (whether in virtue of his already holding the degree of M.A., or not); or (ii) a Research Assistant holding the degree of M.A. who desired that his research work should contribute towards the requirements for the degree of Ph.D.