

# ECONOMY HELPS IN REDUCING DEFICIT

Total of \$53,773 Saved by  
University of Montreal, Dr.  
Montpetit States

The \$200,000 approximate deficit in the administration of the University of Montreal has been reduced by \$53,773 by means of the cut in salaries and other expenses, it was announced yesterday by Dr. Edouard Montpetit, general secretary.

The 10 per cent. reduction in the salaries of professors and members of the staff, accepted by the schools and councils of the university, explained Dr. Montpetit, amounts to \$25,991. Besides there are the demands for increases in salaries for the sum of \$6,135, making a total of \$32,126. There was also a reduction in general expenses, or overhead charges for the sum of \$21,647, or a total of \$53,773.

The professors and staff had been thanked by the rector of the university for their co-operation in the plan of readjusting the finances, and the executive of the university is of the opinion that this will be of material aid in reaching the desired goal. The figures, he said, had been furnished by the treasurer of the university to the executive board at its sitting this week.

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