

she shall never lose the laurels gained for her by the work of great men now gone to their last reward. It is for the record and the future of our Alma Mater alone, that we are concerned; we are not concerned with individuals and their friends; we have no interest in the fraternal affairs or social life of Montreal. We say that when McGill's position is challenged, all petty strife must cease, all personal aspirations must be buried for the common good.

The members of a University staff, are the living sources of learning and enthusiasm. In them is vested the entire possibilities of instruction, and on their work only, can the graduates compare them with the men whose places they now occupy, as well as with men similarly placed in other Universities, and on their work, largely depends the influence and standing of the University.

We regret that the Governors have not seen fit to establish some measure of post graduate work. Many hundreds of McGill graduates go away each year for post graduate study, and all of that number would like to receive such instruction from their Alma Mater. Many graduates do visit McGill, where they expect to see a spirit of enterprise in keeping with that of other University centres, and are disappointed at having to leave for strange centres, where they find a more aggressive and enterprising spirit, with better co-ordination and harmony between the different teaching units.

Many who would like to visit McGill, are drawn to other centres by the brilliant research work being carried on in those places, and the vast amount of time devoted to free and generous teaching by brilliant members of the staff. In those centres they find men who keep in touch with the best work being done in other places and ask embarrassing questions about Universities where the same work is not in evidence.