

any other comparable institution in Canada.

The time has come when graduate work is a logical further development. The department is fairly well equipped to make a satisfactory start in graduate work; the staff are competent to undertake the instruction and can do so with the necessary assistance. The work being done has attracted wide attention and favorable comment. A large group of men are at work in Animal Husbandry throughout Canada and both the need and demand for graduate work in this branch are rapidly becoming evident.

Courses have been outlined and submitted for inclusion in the report of the Faculty of Graduate Studies.

To place graduate work in Animal Husbandry in the position which the importance of the work justifies, will call for an additional expenditure of from \$10,000 to \$15,000 annually. Little or nothing is being done elsewhere in Canada. The Federal Department is stressing live stock work and recognizes the importance of advanced training for their men. It is hoped, therefore, that as the work becomes established it will command the necessary support and it would seem reasonable to expect some measure of financial aid from the Dominion Government.

In so far as department appropriations are concerned, the only important expenditures anticipated at present are for land drainage and land clearing. The farm drainage presents a special problem because of difficulty in outlet and owing to the settling of the land in the central part of the farm. The whole system will have to be lowered and while some progress is being made with this from year to year, some substantial provision will have to be made for it as soon as the necessary outlet can be effected through the adjoining municipalities. There are some sixty acres of land on the college farm not servicing any useful purpose at present which should be cleared. The