

claim assistance from the University Museum Laboratory (q.v.), and from funds at the disposal of the Public Museums Committee.

38. It should also be recognized that in the best interests of the University, it may be found desirable to transfer a Departmental Museum of Group (c) whether recognized or unrecognized, to the status of a University Public Museum. The Architectural collection for example, is likely to become an organized Museum suitable for the instruction of the Public. Provision for such transfer should be made, proposals to be initiated either by the Professor concerned, or by the Public Museums Committee.

39. Transfers and loans shall from time to time be made at the discretion of the authorities concerned between Public Museums and Groups (b) and (c) Museums.

Group (d): Macdonald College.

40. The Head of Macdonald College should be consulted as to the disposal of the duplicate zoological material in the Peter Redpath Museum. I understand that such material would be welcomed by members of the staff. The Director and the Museum Committee should consider after consultation with the Head and the biological staff of Macdonald College, and with zoologists on the staff of McGill, whether it would not be in the best interests of entomological studies in the University, to transfer the Peter Lyman Collection and its Curator to Macdonald College. Geographical considerations suggest that the Biological Museum should retain its independent status, but contact should be established by providing that the Director of Museums should sit on any Committee which controls that Museum.

41. The rapidity with which the change over to mechanized agriculture is taking place in eastern Canada emphasizes the importance of forming in the College an Agricultural Museum, in which the agricultural equipment of farms in the province of