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Memo. 7. Department of Chemistry. When I accepted the Acting Deanship I found it necessary to ask Drs. McCarthy and McKibbin to undertake some of the work I had previously done myself. Dr. McKibbin, with Mr. Atkinson's assistance, gave the course in the Chemistry of Insecticides and Fungicides and Dr. McCarthy fulfilled my duties as Chairman of the Chemistry Building Committee (practically Superintendent of the Building) and is now engaged in making up the annual order of chemicals and apparatus. Had I realized how much extra work would be thrown upon these two Professors, I should have asked for some extra remuneration for them. Although without notable record in the extension of knowledge, Dr. McCarthy is one of the most skilful teachers on our staff and one of the most faithful in the performance of all duties. In accepting appointment as Assistant Professor in 1920, he surrendered the rank of full Professor, which he then held in the University of King's College. I am sure he would appreciate advancement to the rank of Associate Professor.

Dr. McKibbin is, as you know, distinguished for his energy and enthusiasm and is doing excellent work in research on soils, as well as carrying a heavy load of teaching.

J. H. Shell