

did time permit to continue the work and analyse results. In the field of investigational work where so much appears necessary the department has reached the stage where activities undertaken cannot be even continued let alone expanded or new and apparently necessary work undertaken.

### Service to Agriculture

Extension work has expanded until some limit has been necessary to this activity in order to prevent the interference with lectures in the class room to assume too great proportions. This extension work is chiefly local but by no means limited to the province. In this connection, attention might be called to the active part taken in the organization of the economics group within the C.S.T.A., designed partly to secure greater unanimity of effort in this comparatively new field of work.

### Potentialities

Obviously the stage has been reached where two alternatives present themselves. One of these alternatives is the expansion of the department, involving some addition to the staff. The other alternative is the elimination of the work which may be considered the least necessary. The latter alternative is the one necessarily being followed at the present time. This involves the practical elimination of any consecutive research work, the limitation of extension service and the impossibility of expanding instructional work including project work.

The expansion of the work in economics and particularly the establishment and expansion of the branch in the Department