

maturity and experience in the instructors. More over the Commerce students are sometimes an unruly lot and a green hand like Farthing might not be able to do anything with them at all. Part of the difficulty in connection with Sandwell's work was that he was not able to keep order. The Economics in the School of Commerce is as important as in the Faculty of Arts. Leacock's former plan by which he and Hemmeon and the other members of his teaching staff would all take some of the work with the Commerce students is a much better one. I wish we could get a really strong Economist for at least one of the vacancies in that department. It would help McGill in many ways. That was one of the things that attracted me to Skelton, but nothing can be done about him.

Do you think it would be possible to get the Alberta man, McGibbon? He has been described to me as one of the strongest men on Tory's Faculty. He is a Canadian with a Doctor's Degree from Chicago. He would not come, of course, unless he were offered a professorship. I spoke to Leacock about him when I was in Orillia. He did not make any objections to him as he did to Skelton.

I have an appointment with the Professor of Economics in Columbia for tomorrow. I am going to find out from him whether there are any Canadians in this part of the world who have specialized in Economics.

With kind regards,

Sincerely yours,

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