

not, but it off with Coulter, & I believe the latter takes some  
classes in Bacteriology. A number of other things I have been  
told, which leads me to believe that Prof Gray, has taught  
very little bacteriology. I note too, that his former position is  
advertised, & a man required who has a good knowledge of chemistry  
& a slight knowledge of bacteriology. Of course the requirements may  
have changed since he left Rothamstead. but these things  
make me doubt, taken in conjunction with what I have heard.

The changing of labs. with each new man appointed  
seems to run the College into unnecessary expenses. Gilbert's  
foolish changes for example.

I should not like to hazard opinions on construction of labs.  
had I not had a great deal of experience & many opportunities  
of seeing labs. in 7 different countries. & although the lab. at  
Macdonald was constructed 25 years ago, it is still an improvement  
on the one here in the Pathological Institute. True, some new  
apparatus needs adding, a refrigerator for ex. There were not  
know ten years ago, but provision was made for a cool room.  
& so arranged that in winter a cold air duct from outside  
produced the necessary lowering of temperature. I heard <sup>that</sup> Prof.  
Gray had not sense enough to find out how it operated, &  
wanted alterations.

If you think I should not have told you of these things,  
please destroy this letter, & accept my apologies

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