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Sir Arthur Currie, 5.

University, from 1911 to 1917. He has written a good book on the Mythology of Greece and Rome and various articles in classical periodicals. He is rated as a good scholar and is said also to be an excellent administrator. While he only has the title of Dean he is the chief executive of Western. He has not, however, the personal attractiveness that is one of Fairclough's chief claims to consideration. Hutton speaks of him in one of his letters but rates him below Fairclough, Auden and Sanders. He describes him as a good "drummer" and administrator, whatever he may mean by the former term.

Henry W. Auden. Educated at Shrewsbury School and Christ's College, Cambridge, where he took first class honours in Classics. 55 years old. Came out to Canada as Principal of Upper Canada College, where he was a most dismal failure. The College ran down under his administration and has only recently recovered under its new Principal. Hutton speaks of this in his letter but says that his lack of success at Upper Canada was due to the fact that he is no administrator. On the other hand, he states that his scholarship is first class and that as a college professor there is no doubt of his success. He says he is doing far more for the classical students at Western than Fox is. I met Auden a good many years ago and he did not strike me as having very much force. I doubt very much whether it would be wise to offer him the classical professorship here in view of his record at Upper Canada College. His failure there was quite a notorious case.