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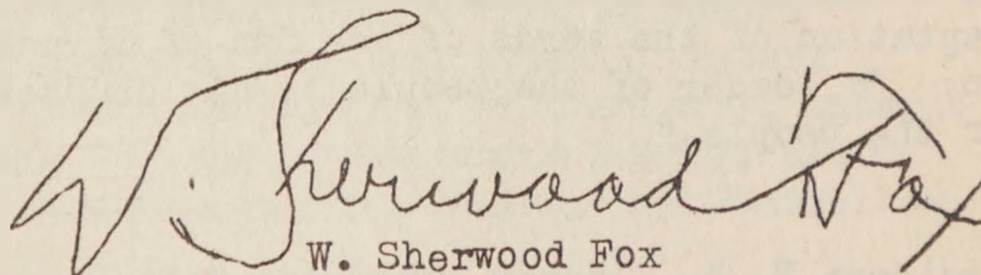
The Board of Governors,  
The University of Western Ontario,  
London, Ontario.

Gentlemen:

It is my privilege to present to you my report upon the condition and activities of the University for the academic year of 1942-1943. While the chief purpose of such a report is to supply a permanent record of the University's achievements during the period under review, nevertheless one cannot but hope the registration of the facts will foreshadow in some degree the trend of the University's development in policy and action in the years that lie ahead.

I desire to convey to the Board the deep appreciation of the Faculties of the whole-hearted devotion of the members of the Board to the interests of the University and to their indefatigable co-operation with the Faculties in endeavoring to solve the numerous problems of instruction, staffing, and enlarged contribution of service that are constantly arising during the period of the war and because of the war. Without the counsel and active collaboration of the Board it would be impossible for the Administration and Faculties to meet the situations confronting them.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "W. Sherwood Fox". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

W. Sherwood Fox  
President and Vice-Chancellor



OBITUARY

Professor Melvin Eugene Bassett

One can do no better than quote the tribute paid to the memory of the late Professor Bassett by the Faculty of University College of Arts on October 5, 1942, since it expresses most felicitously the sentiments of all members of the University.

"Since the Arts Faculty of the University of Western Ontario last met in session, our hearts have been saddened by the death of our colleague, Melvin Eugene Bassett, Head of the Department of Romance Languages. Actually this is the first occasion in the history of the University that such an event has occurred amongst the ranks of the active teaching staff. Our late brother began his connection as a teacher of French in a summer school when the Arts Department was housed at Huron College. As a result he became Head of the Department of Romance Languages in 1927. He was a native of Michigan and graduated with a B.A. there in 1903. He took his M.A. at Princeton in 1922 and in the following year obtained the Diplôme d'études universitaires at Bordeaux. His final illness occurred about the time of the opening of the University Summer School in July of this year and the end came rather suddenly on July 25. The funeral services were held at St. Paul's Cathedral on the following Monday. He was the author of La Carte de France, 1927. He was a painter both in water colors and oils, and exhibitions of his work have appeared in the University Library display cabinet on several occasions. He was also President of the Western Art League and took a deep interest in the McIntosh Memorial Art Gallery. He was a member of the Board of the Art Museum of the London Public Library. He helped to design the decoration of Christ Church, London. The large attendance at the funeral service indicated the esteem and affection in which he was held and justifies the adaptation of the words of the Son of Sirach in Praise of famous men: "a leader of the people by his counsel and a man of learning for the people."

President F. B. Clausen, Waterloo College

The entire University shares with its honored affiliate, Waterloo College, the latter's great loss in the untimely passing of President Clausen. After receiving his divinity training in Wagner College and Mt. Airy Seminary in



Philadelphia, President Clausen entered the active ministry of the Lutheran Church, successfully serving a number of congregations in the United States for a period of thirty years. In January 1931 he was appointed to the joint presidency of the Evangelical Lutheran Seminary and Waterloo College. With remarkable insight he quickly grasped the outstanding points of difference between the Canadian and the United States organizations of higher education and readily adapted himself to his new academic environment. With unflagging zeal he devoted himself to the twofold task of interpreting the College and its needs to the numerous churches of the Canada Synod and to the general public in the College's constituency. His success is recorded in the words of the students' paper, The College Cord: "Under his guidance Waterloo has maintained a high scholastic standard, and has been kept before the eyes of the public as an institution offering excellent educational advantages." He was a most acceptable colleague among his fellow officers in the University. He passed away on August 5, 1942. To his family and to the College the University extends assurances of sincere sympathy.

The Most Reverend Arthur Carlisle, Bishop of Montreal

The late Bishop Carlisle occupied a high place among the Alumni of the University. He was a graduate in Arts and also, in Divinity, of Huron College. In 1922 he was admitted to the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity, conferred jointly by the University and the College, and at the celebration of the University's diamond jubilee to the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws. His loss is deeply felt by all his fellow members of the University and College alike. He died early in January 1943.

Honorary Alumni

It is with great sorrow that we record the passing of two distinguished honorary alumni: Robert Harcourt, LL.D., 1928, Professor Emeritus of Chemistry, Ontario Agricultural College, and Sir Edward Wentworth Beatty, LL.D., 1935, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway and Chancellor of McGill University.



## THE UNIVERSITY YEAR

### The University in Wartime

Circumstances make it inevitable that this report is largely an account of the University's contributions to the war effort. With regret one must face the stern fact that the exigencies of war have compelled all universities of the Allied Nations temporarily to relegate many basic principles of education to second place. Obviously, certain war services and the training that leads to fitness for them come first. But such reads worse than the facts warrant. A review of the actual results shows that, thanks to the fidelity and vision of Faculty and students alike, the educational sacrifice has not been as great as many feared and some predicted. The honest recognition of dangers inherent in certain obligatory departures from sound educational practice, has made it possible to escape many of them and to abate the evil of others. This determined vigilance must not be relaxed. If it is maintained during the uncertain remainder of the war, the very effort to maintain it will in itself prove to be an educational result that will go far towards offsetting some of the sad lapses which the war has forced upon the universities. That this is the spirit with which our Faculties and students confront the future I feel every confidence.

### Revision of Senate Functions

At the meeting of the Senate held on December 12, 1942, the most important item of business was a survey of the present functions of the Senate. This was undertaken in the hope that the members might see a way to enlarge the number and range of such functions and so to define them that their revision would add to the usefulness of the Senate. Behind the undertaking was a long-standing feeling of the members that although the special academic composition of the University, with its several constituent faculties and affiliated colleges, made the Senate of necessity a ratifying and co-ordinating body, there was always a danger of so emphasizing this phase of its character as to make the Senate appear to be little more than a "rubber stamp." A study of other Senates and of the purpose prompting the composition of our Senate seemed to offer the prospect of new avenues for constructive contributions to the University's educational development.

The organizations of two Canadian university senates in particular were chosen for special study, those of the Universities of Toronto and Manitoba, on the ground that the composition of these universities themselves is comparable to that of Western. All three are alike federations whose colleges are



co-ordinate in function and are on a four year academic basis. The nature of the programmes of meetings held by these other senates was also scrutinized. Out of this review emerged the suggestion that if a Senate is to be a force in a university's life its members must be kept fully informed as to the details of the University's educational activities, should study the University's needs, should from time to time lay before the Administration and the Faculties the educational requirements of the University's constituency, and ought to be afforded the opportunity of discussing fully all the facts thus brought out.

The feasibility of this suggestion was practically illustrated at a Senate meeting by the presentation of a full statement of the University's summer school activities, both in London and at Trois-Pistoles, Quebec. Besides, at the same meeting, a member of the Senate from the floor drew attention to the possibility that the University could give some leadership in endeavors to solve some of the problems confronting agriculture and rural life in Western Ontario. As a result a Committee was set up to report at a later meeting upon the type of programme for Senate meetings that would enable the Senate best to discharge its duty. Another committee was constituted to co-operate with agencies seeking solutions to certain grave problems of Western Ontario's chief industry, Agriculture. The first of these two committees has not yet reported. There is reason to hope that its ultimate findings will prove to be constructive.

#### "Western" Looks at Life

Under the auspices of the University Christian Mission committee—an interdenominational organization with the Rev. Charles G. Stone of Toronto as Chairman and the Rev. Hugh MacMillan as Secretary—a mission was held at the University during the week-end of November 26 to 29 inclusive, under the name of "Western Looks at Life."

Altogether some thirty-three different meetings were held by the six visiting members of the "mission team", with a minimum of interference with the normal university schedule of work. On Thursday morning, however, all classes were suspended in favour of a general meeting of students and faculty in Convocation Hall when the visitors were introduced and the purpose of the mission explained.

During the first three days of the mission a chapel service was held every morning at 8:30 in the Museum Gallery, at which the average attendance was around 60. On Sunday morning visiting members of the mission acceptably occupied the pulpits of five city churches, ie. First St. Andrews, New St. James, St. John the Evangelist, Metropolitan and Cronyn Memorial, thereby



establishing a useful contact between the religious life of the University and the wider church community.

While similar projects have been held at two Canadian universities during the previous year, this was an entirely new venture for Western. In the opinion of both students and faculty who participated in the project, it was very worthwhile. A strong recommendation has been made that it be repeated at least every two or three years, so that each student generation might have the opportunity of facing at sometime in his university career the claims of the Christian faith to his allegiance.

#### The Students Review their Social Activities

That the cultivation of social life is a necessary factor in the education of young people no one will deny. On the other hand, one of the risks involved in modern democratic student government is that students, if guided only by instincts and preferences, are apt to allot a disproportionately large place to social activities. As Woodrow Wilson used to say, they will permit the side-shows to divert interest from the main tent. Whenever students on their own initiative manifest an appreciation of this danger and take steps to guard against it, college administrators have great reason to be gratified. In the course of the past academic year the students, through their legislative bodies, initiated action of this nature. They reviewed the distribution and the costs of social functions and in the light of the facts ascertained reduced the number of the functions and fixed the ceiling for the expenses to be incurred for each one. It is obvious that legislation of this kind is in keeping with the spirit of wartime. The students deserve to be commended for what they have done, but should be encouraged to make their review an annual procedure and apply the principle of reduction even more drastically in the future.

#### Students on Western Harvest Fields

In response to the appeal made by the Minister of Labor, Ottawa, for hands to assist in harvesting the western grain fields the Administration of the University promised co-operation. Before a mass meeting of the male students in Arts the President called for volunteers from all classes except the Freshmen. It was deemed wise, for many obvious reasons, to exempt the latter group from the call. Some eighty students were enrolled in Western's contingent and joined the students of other eastern universities on the journey west. We are gratified to learn from the Minister that from his point of view the undertaking was in general successful. It gives us satisfaction also to know that in a national crisis our students manifested a spontaneous loyalty and a disregard for their own selfish convenience and ease. Nevertheless, we cannot but note that the disruption of academic



courses and military training caused by the month's migration of the students had a bad effect upon their educational development. It is to be hoped that another year students be exempted from the call to the western harvest, at least until all other possible means of meeting the crisis have been explored and found deficient.

#### Visit of Rabbi Louis Binstock

Rabbi Louis Binstock, of Temple Sholom, Chicago, visited the University at London on Thursday, March 18th, giving three addresses to members of the student body. At a large student gathering in Convocation Hall in the morning his topic was "The Moral Obligation to be Intelligent." In the afternoon he met with the senior philosophy classes, with whom many other students joined, and spoke on "The Contribution of Moses Maimonides to Philosophy." In the evening he was the guest of honor at the annual dinner of the Clio Club, the organization of history students in the University. Here his subject was "The Jewish Contribution to Civilization." At noon Rabbi Binstock was the guest of President W. Sherwood Fox at a luncheon where he met a group of the Faculty of the University. The visit of Rabbi Binstock was looked forward to with marked interest by the students and he left behind him a most favorable impression as a man of culture and scholarship and broad tolerance.

#### Baccalaureate Service

On Sunday, May 16, 1943, the annual Baccalaureate Service of the University was held in New St. James Presbyterian Church. The Baccalaureate Sermon was preached by the Reverend R. J. McCracken, M.A., B.D., Professor of Christian Theology, McMaster University, Hamilton. His subject was "The Difference Christ Makes." The University was delighted to have Professor McCracken associated with the most important religious service of the academic year, both for the sake of his message and personality and in his capacity as a representative of a sister university. The University is also grateful to New St. James Presbyterian Church and its pastor, Reverend T. J. Watson, for the privilege of worshipping with them.

#### Convocations

Three Convocations were held in the course of the academic year. The special Convocation for conferring degrees in Medicine was occasioned by the acceleration of medical courses as necessitated by the war. In the absence of the Chancellor the President presided at all three ceremonies.



(a) The regular Autumn Convocation took place in the evening of Friday, October 30, 1942. Dr. J. G. Althouse, a native of London, Dean of the Ontario College of Education, was admitted to the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws, and delivered an inspiring and timely address, "Making Education Work."

(b) A Medical Convocation was held in the evening of January 15, 1943. Thirty students were admitted to the degree of Doctor of Medicine. The address to the graduating class was given by Dr. George C. Hale, Professor of Medicine. Dr. A. E. Mowry, Instructor in Obstetrics and Gynaecology administered the Hippocratic Oath. The President also gave a brief address.

(c) The ceremonies of Spring Convocation were conducted in the afternoon of Wednesday, May 19, 1943, in Convocation Hall. Two hundred and four degrees, both Masters and Bachelors, were conferred upon members of the graduating classes of the Faculty of Public Health and the several colleges of Arts. Eighteen diplomas and certificates were awarded to candidates in Public Health and Home Economics. The address to the graduating classes was delivered by the President.

In addition to the foregoing a Convocation was held on October 24, 1942 in Convocation Hall in the name of the Western Ontario Conservatory of Music, which is affiliated to the University. A number of appropriate addresses were given by Mr. H. W. Strudley, President of the Conservatory; Mr. Max Pirani, (Hon. R.A.M. of London, England) Vancouver; and Reverend Father Feeney of London. Diplomas and certificates were awarded to successful candidates. The ceremonies were concluded by the presentation of a musical programme of vocal and instrumental numbers. The artists taking part were selected from the group of Conservatory students who had received the highest marks in their respective grades at the Midsummer Examinations of 1942.

#### Waterloo College

As is noted elsewhere in this report Waterloo College suffered early in the new academic year the loss by death of its esteemed and able president, Dr. F. B. Clausen. This was a severe blow. But one cannot refrain from commending the courage and good judgment with which the College Board of Governors dealt with the difficult situation. With wisdom they decided to deliberate carefully and patiently before appointing a successor to the joint presidency of the Seminary and the College. In the meantime, they posted their successful Professor of English, Dr. Carl F. Klinck, to the Acting Deanship of the College. Under him has been continued a thorough survey of the College's constituency and also an effort to keep this constituency, both of financial supporters and of prospective students, informed as to the facilities and needs of the College. The scholarly standards of the College have never stood at a higher level than they stand at the present time.



Carnegie Corporation Scholarships for Trois-Pistoles

In November 1942 the President received the appended letter from the Secretary of the Carnegie Corporation of New York:

"I am glad to be able to tell you that, at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Corporation held November 5, the following resolution was adopted:

"RESOLVED, That, from the balance available for appropriation in the British Dominions and Colonies Fund, the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500), payable \$2,500 annually for three years beginning 1942-43, be, and it hereby is, appropriated to the UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN ONTARIO, for scholarships for the summer session of the language school at Trois-Pistoles."

The report of the Director of the Summer School at Trois-Pistoles contains a full statement of the disposition made of this year's grant of \$2500.00 at the last session of the School.

McIntosh Scholarships, Prizes and Aid for Music

During the year the following arrangements were made for the awards of scholarships and prizes and for the allotment of aid to music in the University made possible by the will of the late Mrs. Wilhelmina McIntosh:

I. Business Administration:

- (a) Two McIntosh scholarships of \$60.00 each, one for second year Honour Business Administration, the other for third year Honour Business Administration.
- (b) One \$180.00 Junior Undergraduate Fellowship which would assist the most promising student to do a piece of original research during the final year of his course.

II. Geography:

- (a) Two McIntosh scholarships of \$60.00 each, one for second year Honour Geography and Geology, the other for third year Honour Geography and Geology.
- (b) One \$180.00 Junior Undergraduate Fellowship which, as in the case of Business Administration, would assist the most promising student to do a piece of original research during the final year of his course.



III. Public Speaking:

- (a) That in each of the ten sections in Public Speaking (each section being 25-30 students) two McIntosh prizes be awarded on the basis of the whole term's work, one of ten dollars and one of five dollars.
- (b) That there be two competitions held annually, open to the whole university, one for men and one for women and that in each group two McIntosh prizes be awarded, one of fifty dollars and one of twenty-five dollars, the conditions of the awards to be such as will arouse the keenest competition in each group and ensure also the originality of the competitors' efforts.

IV. Music:

It is recommended that under the general terms of the will relating to this share of the income, namely "the advancement of music within the University," the following activities be approved:

- (a) A definite program of lecture-recitals by members of the staff of the Conservatory of Music and in due time by visiting musicians as well.
- (b) Additions to the collection of records, particularly of the works of important contemporary composers not commonly heard under ordinary conditions.
- (c) Occasional special aid to choral and orchestral groups for the promotion of their work.

These may be regarded as illustrative of the types of activities to which support might properly be given.

Swift Canadian Company Fellowship in Nutrition

As a contribution to Canada's programme for improved standards of nutrition, the Swift Canadian Company has placed a Fellowship with the University of Western Ontario. This is the third of a series of such Fellowships which this organization is supporting in Canadian universities for the promotion of scientific research relating to foods and their purpose in the national dietary especially under wartime conditions.

The research, which will be conducted by Mr. H. L. Williams and Professor E. M. Watson of the Department of Pathological Chemistry in the new Hamilton King Meek Memorial Laboratory, is concerned with an investigation of the significance of some essential amino acids in adequate nutrition with special reference to the role of arginine and the possible relationship of the amino acids to certain



hormones, vitamins and hitherto undetermined factors of known clinical as well as biological importance.

The granting of this Fellowship is further evidence of the ever increasing confidence of industry in the research facilities of universities.

University Committee on Rehabilitation of Ex-Service Personnel

This committee is composed of the representatives appointed by our university to the several committees set up by the universities of Ontario at a conference held in Toronto, on December 19th last, with the Honourable George Weir.

President of the University (Chairman)...	Ex-officio
Dean K. P. R. Neville .....	Education and Law
Dean F. J. H. Campbell .....	Medicine and Laboratory and X ray technicians
Dr. R. C. Dearle .....	Engineering and allied pure sciences
Dr. A. J. Slack with Misses Penhale and Walker .....	Nursing
Miss Mabel Sanderson .....	Home Economics
Mr. Harvey Robb .....	Music
Reverend Father J. A. Cook .....	Social Studies
Professors H. R. Kingston R. B. Willis H. L'Ecuyer .....	Accounting, Actuarial Science, Business and Industry, Personnel
Dr. R. B. Liddy .....	Psychology
Professor M. K. Inman .....	Civil Service, Public Administration
Professor S. F. Maine .....	Adult Education
Professor E. M. Watson ) Professor Helen Battle ) Professor A. G. Dorland).....	Research and Graduate Studies

Department of Business Administration

In this report an innovation has been introduced in the form of a summary of the year's activities of a single department, Business Administration. This will be found immediately following the report of the Dean of University College of Arts. This summary prepared by the Acting Head of the Department, Associate Professor R. B. Willis, reveals the remarkable expansion achieved by the Department during the two decades of its existence.



### Quarterly Journal of Commerce

Once more the President desires to stress the high quality and growing importance of the Quarterly Journal of Commerce. Inaugurated a number of years ago by students in the Department of Business Administration it is still in large measure an undergraduate enterprise. However, as its size and circulation increase it becomes clear that without further support from the Faculty and Board than it has received in the past its management may involve labor and expense beyond the capacity of a body of undergraduates no matter how loyal they may be. For the Journal to disappear would be a calamity for the University. Already it has reached a stage at which the possibility of its evolution, under capable guidance, into a periodical of national worth in the field of commerce, is far from being a dream. The President pleads for generous support, both financial and in the form of valuable contributed articles, from all members and friends of the University.

### Armouries - Field House

It is with gratification that the President reports that at length his oft reiterated declaration of the urgent need of an Armouries-Field House is receiving serious, systematic study. The effort now being put forth to make the erection of such a building possible at the close of the war is outlined by the Director of Physical Education in his report which appears elsewhere in this publication. The purpose of this brief paragraph is to draw the attention of readers to this outline. The Alumni will be particularly interested in it and will be greatly encouraged to learn of a definite plan of adding to the University's equipment to which they can make substantial contributions.

### Canadian Association for Adult Education

From May 19 to 22, 1943, London was honored as the place at which the Canadian Association for Adult Education held its annual meetings. The sessions were divided between the Elsie Williams Memorial Public Library and University College of Arts. Because of the University's long and active connection with organized adult education in Canada and also because of the prominent part taken by the Department of Extension in the progressive development of the work of the Association, the University welcomed with especial warmth the privilege of being host to the Association. The sessions left with the University numerous inspiring suggestions for the enlargement of its programme in the field of adult education which in due time will be transformed into new activities. One must not neglect to note that at certain of the sessions there were present representatives of the public librarians of Western Ontario part of whose interests are vitally linked with the purposes of adult education.



### Huron College Building Plans

Principal O'Neil's report upon Huron College contains the good news that the College is laying plans to erect buildings, as soon as possible after the close of the war, on the new property situated close to the Campus of University College of Arts. The reader who desires to learn more about these plans is referred to the Principal's own description of them. Suffice it to say in this note that the University cordially commends this project. The addition of modern buildings to the equipment of the College would, while enhancing the service of the College itself, at the same time be tantamount to an augmentation of the University's facilities. The proposed buildings would supply no small measure of the dormitory accommodation for men students which the University now lacks. Furthermore, on general grounds any increase in the usefulness and influence of any affiliated college multiplies the usefulness and influence of the University.

### NEEDS OF THE UNIVERSITY

As long as the University exists its needs will be listed in every annual report. True, the list will change as each need is met, but it will never be reduced to zero since new needs will constantly arise. At the present time the most urgent needs are those that are set forth below.

- (i) Greatly augmented income to make possible:
  - (a) The raising of the whole scale of salaries;
  - (b) The institution of numerous new bursaries, scholarships and fellowships for the maintenance of talented students of limited means;
  - (c) The establishment of a progressively enlarging programme of research;
  - (d) The expansion of the general library and of the faculty libraries, and for a corresponding increase in their services;
  - (e) The establishment of a fund to enable the University to bring each year to London a certain number of special lecturers who are competent to discuss the leading topics of the day before both public and student audiences.
  
- (ii) The need for student residences becomes more urgent and obvious each year. The Dean of Women in her report (which follows) discloses in detail the nature and increasing extent of the housing problems which confront women students. Even a superficial study of the rooming accommodation for men students reveals its inadequacy. The fact that Huron College has undertaken



plans to erect new buildings on its new site near the Campus of University College of Arts encourages the University Administration to hope that this regrettable lack will be removed or at least abated in the near future.

- (iii) A building unit to serve as a centre of social life for both the students and members of the Faculty is sorely required. Such a unit could most readily and economically be incorporated in a large comprehensive building to include ample facilities for physical education and for the activities of the University's contingent of the C.O.T.C. as well as of the Naval and Air Force units. A building of this kind could be appropriately called an "Armouries-Field House." In a previous paragraph of this report the President has expressed his gratification that serious efforts leading to the erection of such a structure are now being put forth.
- (iv) An addition to the building of the Faculty and Institute of Public Health, or, preferably, an entirely new building. The increase in student registration and in the volume of services rendered by the laboratories make this need more pressing than ever.
- (v) Additional buildings for the University College of Arts. In both winter and summer sessions the present buildings are so crowded that there is insufficient space to carry on the ordinary academic work with satisfactory efficiency. Certain possible new activities for which there is a pressing need and an unusual opportunity must, to the regret of all, be deferred for no other reason than lack of room.



MEMBERS OF THE FACULTIES ON ACTIVE SERVICE

University College of Arts:

Lieut.-Col. H. M. Thomas  
A/ Capt. Gordon McKee  
Sqdn. /L. MacKenzie Dobson  
F.O. Lewis H. Davies  
Capt. Francis Montgomery

Capt. Mary Ross Barker  
Major S. F. Maine  
Sub. Lieut. R. B. Taylor  
F.O. Douglas James Wilson

Institute of Public Health:

Dr. H. T. McAlpine  
Dr. B. C. Brown

Mr. S. G. Trevor

Medical School:  
Professors:

Dr. W. W. Bryan

Dr. J. H. Fisher

Associate Professors:

Dr. G. L. Jepson

Dr. J. C. Wilson

Assistant Professors:

Dr. W. L. Denney  
Dr. J. H. Geddes

Dr. R. A. Johnston

Instructors:

Dr. G. W. A. Aitken  
Dr. M. L. Barr  
Dr. F. S. Babb  
Dr. J. G. Dewan  
Dr. J. L. Duffy  
Dr. D. J. Ferguson  
Dr. G. E. Hobbs  
Dr. J. A. Lewis

Dr. S. A. MacDonald  
Dr. L. B. McKenna  
Dr. A. E. Mowry  
Dr. C. C. Ross  
Dr. H. W. Smith  
Dr. W. G. Sumner  
Dr. J. R. Wilkey

Technicians:

Peter Gaskell  
Bruce Avey  
Fred Coates  
Thomas Stewart

Earl Ziller  
William Morris  
Edward McCoy



VISITORS

Amongst the visitors whom the University had the privilege of welcoming during the year are the following:

Dr. Herbert E. Robinson, Assistant Chief  
Chemist, Swift and Company, Chicago: September 23, 1942

Major-General Jean Knox, Director and Controller-  
General of the Women's Auxiliary Territorial Service of Britain:  
September 29, 1942

Reverend Father Courteau, S.J., Rector, Sacred  
Heart College, Sudbury, Ontario: October 9, 1942

Laurence Vail Coleman, Director, The American  
Association of Museums, whose headquarters are at The Smithsonian  
Institution, Washington, D.C.: October 9, 1942

Chang Shu-Chi, Professor of Painting, University  
of Nanking, China: November 18, 1942

John Marshall, of the Humanities Branch, Rockefeller  
Foundation, New York, N.Y.: November 23, 1942

Honorable George M. Weir, sometime Minister of  
Education of British Columbia, now engaged in making a survey for  
the Dominion Government leading to the educational rehabilitation  
of men returning from the armed services: December 2, 1942; March  
31, 1943

Edgar G. Burton, representing the Wartime Prices  
and Trade Board, who addressed the Commerce Club: December 9, 1942

Kenneth E. Kidd, Assistant Keeper of the Ethnological  
Collection, Royal Ontario Museum. On January 19, 1943, Mr. Kidd de-  
livered a lecture on his excavations at Fort Ste. Marie, near Midland.  
The lecture was given under the joint auspices of the Public Library,  
the London and Middlesex Historical Society and the University De-  
partment of Extension.

H. W. Lea and Colonel Beecroft, representing the  
National Selective Service Board, both of whom addressed assemblies  
of students: February 18, 1943

Professor T. F. McIlwraith, Head of the Department  
of Anthropology, University of Toronto, and of the Royal Ontario  
Museum, who made a survey of the University's Museum of Indian  
Archaeology: February 24, 1943



Reverend Arnold Nash, of the University of Toronto, who addressed the Clio Club on the characteristics of British political parties: March 8, 1943

Rabbi Louis Binstock, Temple Sholom, Chicago, who addressed a general assembly of students, a joint history-political science seminar, and the Clio Club: March 18, 1943

Everett C. Hughes, Professor of Sociology, University of Chicago, just returned from a year as Special Lecturer in Sociology, Laval University, Quebec: March 22, 1943

Dr. John R. Mott, outstanding international statesman and religious leader: April 7, 1943

Honorable Angus L. Macdonald, Minister of Defence for Naval Services and former Prime Minister of Nova Scotia: May 7, 1943

Mr. W. H. Coverdale, President, Canada Steamship Company, who visited the Museum of Indian Archaeology and inspected the collection of his Company's Marine paintings on display in the McIntosh Memorial Gallery: May 27 and 28, 1943



TABLE 1  
REGISTRATION SUMMARY  
1942-43  
Whole University

College		Full-time	Part-time	Extra-mural	Extension	Summer School	GROSS TOTALS	Duplicates	NET TOTALS 1942-43	Gain	Loss	
ARTS	Alma	Men	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
		Women	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	
	Assumption	Men	235	22	-	-	-	257	-	257	10	-
		Women	37	30	-	-	-	67	-	67	-	-
	Huron	Men	14	1	-	-	-	15	-	15	2	-
	St. Peter's	Men	57	-	-	-	-	57	-	57	10	-
	University	Men	408	16	81	121	83	709	94	615	-	-
		Women	241	11	157	206	169	784	156	628	-	260
	Ursuline	Women	45	10	-	-	-	55	-	55	-	21
	Waterloo	Men	29	4	-	-	-	33	-	33	-	-
		Women	23	-	-	-	-	23	-	23	10	-
	FACULTY OF ARTS	Men	<u>743</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>81</u>	<u>121</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>1071</u>	<u>94</u>	<u>977</u>	<u>56</u>	<u>10</u>
TOTAL	Women	<u>346</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>157</u>	<u>206</u>	<u>169</u>	<u>929</u>	<u>156</u>	<u>773</u>	<u>1750</u>	<u>258</u>	
MEDICINE	Men	203	8	-	-	-	211	-	211	-	-	
	Women	19	2	-	-	-	21	-	21	5	-	
PUBLIC HEALTH	Women	<u>30</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>6</u>	
	TOTALS	Men	<u>946</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>81</u>	<u>121</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>1282</u>	<u>94</u>	<u>1188</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>247</u>
	Women	<u>395</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>157</u>	<u>206</u>	<u>169</u>	<u>981</u>	<u>156</u>	<u>825</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>247</u>	
		<u>1341</u>	<u>105</u>	<u>238</u>	<u>327</u>	<u>252</u>	<u>2263</u>	<u>250</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>247</u>	

- (1) The total of 2013, as contrasted with 1998 shown in other tables, includes 15 students who registered late.
- (2) It is interesting to note that this year's net registration is 247 less than last year's, and 429 less than that of 1940-41.
- (3) There is an increase of 22 students in full-time registration in the whole university; this is a gain of 46 over a similar total for 1940-41.
- (4) The decrease in full-time students in the University (exclusive of affiliates) is 3.

Registrar: K.P.R. Neville, M.A., Ph.D.  
 Associate Registrar: Helen M. Allison, M.A.  
 Assistant Registrar: Olga A. Miller, B.A.

REGISTRAR'S DEPARTMENT



Table No. 2

GEOGRAPHICAL SOURCES OF STUDENTS

	<u>Home Addresses</u>		<u>Schools Attended</u>		
	<u>Students</u>		<u>Students</u>	<u>Schools</u>	
<b>CANADA</b>					
Ontario					
14 Charter Counties:					
Brant	30		26	4	
Bruce	32		21	8	
Elgin	109		86	6	
Essex	296		218	17	
Grey	31		9	5	
Huron	48		19	5	
Kent	94		61	8	
Lambton	83		60	5	
Middlesex - City of London	412		572	13	
- rest of county	114		36	6	
Norfolk	30		13	3	
Oxford	40		18	6	
Perth	86		149	8	
Waterloo	100		69	7	
Wellington	<u>20</u>	1525	<u>22</u>	1379	<u>9</u> 110
Ontario outside the 14 Counties:		281		395	104
Alberta	12		12	7	
British Columbia	3		3	3	
Manitoba	3		3	2	
New Brunswick	4		6	4	
Nova Scotia	2		3	3	
Quebec	14		10	7	
Saskatchewan	<u>13</u>	51	<u>21</u>	58	<u>10</u> 36
<b>BRITISH EMPIRE</b>					
England			3	3	
Newfoundland	<u>2</u>	2	<u>1</u>	4	<u>1</u> 4
<b>FOREIGN</b>					
United States	138		154	90	
Other foreign	<u>1</u>	139	<u>3</u>	157	<u>3</u> 93
<b>UNREPORTED</b>					
		-		5	-
<b>TOTALS</b>					
		1998		1998	347
		====		====	====



Table No. 3

REGISTRATION OF UNITED STATES STUDENTS

Distribution by Colleges

	Old	New	
ARTS			
University College			
Intramural	3	4	
Summer School	-	-	
Extramural	1	-	
Extension	-	-	
Alma College	-	-	
Assumption College	28	85	
Huron College	-	-	
St. Peter's College	2	4	
Ursuline College	3	1	
Waterloo College	1	-	
MEDICINE	5	1	
	<u>43</u>	<u>95</u>	138
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Distribution by Faculties

FACULTY OF ARTS			
Affiliated Colleges	124		
University College - part-time	1		
- full-time	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	132
FACULTY OF MEDICINE	6	6	
FACULTY OF PUBLIC HEALTH	-	-	<u>138</u>



Table No. 4

OCCUPATION OF STUDENTS' PARENTS<sup>1</sup>

<u>Occupations</u>		<u>Number of Students</u>	<u>Percentage of Students</u>
Agriculture		430	21.53%
Construction		108	5.41
Finance		131	6.56
Fishing and Logging		15	.75
Labour (unspecified)		31	1.55
Manufacturing		317	15.86
Mining		6	.30
Service			
	Personal	35	
	Professional	270	
	Public	157	
	Recreational	4	
	Repair	<u>24</u>	
		490	24.52
Trade		267	13.36
Transportation		157	7.86
Unemployed		-	-
Retired		18	.90
Not Reported		28	1.40
		—	—
TOTALS		1998	100.00%
		==	==

<sup>1</sup> Note: The occupational divisions which have been followed are those which appear in the census issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.



RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS OF STUDENTS

Table No. 5

<u>Denominations</u>	<u>Alma</u>	<u>Assump-</u> <u>tion</u>	<u>Huron</u>	<u>St.</u> <u>Peter's</u>	<u>Univer-</u> <u>sity</u>	<u>Ursu-</u> <u>line</u>	<u>Water-</u> <u>100</u>	<u>Medi-</u> <u>cine</u>	<u>Public</u> <u>Health</u>	<u>TOTALS</u>	<u>%</u>
Anglican	-	18	14	-	236	1	5	40	7	321	16.0
Baptist	-	4	-	-	57	1	-	9	3	74	3.71
Brethren	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	3	0.14
Christian Science	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	4	0.20
Church of Christ (Disciples)	-	2	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	5	0.25
Congregational	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	2	0.10
Friends	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	0.05
Greek Catholic	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	0.05
Greek Orthodox	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	3	0.15
Hebrew	-	6	-	-	15	-	-	12	-	33	1.65
Latter Day Saints	-	-	-	-	12	-	-	1	-	13	0.65
Lutheran	-	1	-	-	25	-	33	7	1	67	3.35
Mennonite	-	-	-	-	18	-	2	-	1	21	1.05
Methodist	-	2	-	-	8	-	-	1	-	11	0.55
Pentecostal	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	0.10
Presbyterian	-	9	-	-	141	1	3	13	3	170	8.50
Roman Catholic	-	261	-	57	76	45	6	23	2	470	23.52
Salvation Army	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	2	-	6	0.30
Swedenborgian	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	0.05
United	-	19	-	-	610	5	4	114	13	765	38.28
Unreported	-	2	-	-	18	1	1	3	-	25	1.25
<b>TOTALS</b>	-	<b>324</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>1236</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>100.00%</b>







NEW STUDENTS IN THE UNIVERSITY

Table No. 9

Distribution by Colleges

<u>College</u>	<u>Men</u>	<u>Women</u>	<u>T o t a l s</u>			
			<u>1942-43</u>	<u>1941-42</u>	<u>1940-41</u>	<u>1939-40</u>
ARTS						
Alma	-	--	-	4	7	3
Assumption	170	28	198	158	146	168
Huron	6	-	6	6	6	6
St. Peter's	27	-	27	25	14	12
University	195	222	417	496	566	491
Ursuline	-	11	11	29	37	12
Waterloo	19	9	28	12	24	22
MEDICINE	40	4	44	44	38	53
PUBLIC HEALTH	-	15	15	15	6	10
TOTALS	457	289	746	789	844	797

These totals do not include students registered during the year in more than one of the above divisions. All duplicates have been eliminated and only net totals appear.

Net totals of new students for the last nine years

<u>1934-5</u>	<u>1935-6</u>	<u>1936-7</u>	<u>1937-8</u>	<u>1938-9</u>	<u>1939-40</u>	<u>1940-41</u>	<u>1941-42</u>	<u>1942-43</u>
669	1121	857	682	784	797	844	789	746



NEW STUDENTS IN THE UNIVERSITY

Table No. 10

Distribution by geographical sources

	<u>Home Addresses</u>		<u>Schools Attended</u>	
	<u>Students</u>		<u>Students</u>	<u>Schools</u>
CANADA				
Ontario				
The fourteen counties of Western Ontario:				
Brant	10		6	3
Bruce	9		7	4
Elgin	30		18	4
Essex	124		106	15
Grey	7		1	1
Huron	12		2	1
Kent	33		15	6
Lambton	16		8	4
Middlesex	157		190	14
Norfolk	11		1	1
Oxford	12		6	4
Perth	31		47	7
Waterloo	39		30	6
Wellington	<u>5</u>	496	<u>5</u>	442
			<u>3</u>	73
Outside the fourteen counties:		123		160
				54
Alberta	4		5	4
British Columbia	1		2	2
Manitoba	3		3	2
New Brunswick	3		3	2
Nova Scotia	1		1	1
Quebec	8		7	5
Saskatchewan	<u>8</u>	28	<u>9</u>	30
			<u>7</u>	23
BRITISH EMPIRE		2		3
				3
UNITED STATES		95		105
				64
OTHER FOREIGN		1		1
				1
UNKNOWN#		<u>1</u>		<u>5</u>
				-
		746		746
				218
		<u><u>      </u></u>		<u><u>      </u></u>

#Some of the teachers who were part-time students in the Extension Department registered so late that it was impossible to obtain information about their schools and permanent addresses



DETAIL OF EXTENSION DEPARTMENT REGISTRATION

Table No. 11

1942 - 43

<u>Centres at which classes are held</u>	<u>Subjects offered</u>	<u>No. of Credit Students</u>		
		<u>Men</u>	<u>Women</u>	<u>Total</u>
Brantford	History 31 (Canadian)	4	3	7
	History 44 (United States)	5	2	7
Chatham	English 21 (Composition and Rhetoric)	1	11	12
	Psychology 36 (Chatham) (Genetic)	6	14	20
	Psychology 39 (Clinical Problems in Mental Hygiene)	6	9	15
Leamington	Geography 20 (Introductory)	5	9	14
London	Business 20 (Business Organization)	10	2	12
	Geography 20 (Introductory)	20	10	30
	History 31 (Canadian)	2	13	15
Owen Sound	Economics 20 (Introductory)	6	8	14
	Economics 30b (Civics)	6	2	8
	Economics 42b (Municipal Affairs)	7	2	9
Petrolia	French 20 (Advanced Literature and Comp.)	3	2	5
St. Thomas	Economics 20 (Introductory)	4	7	11
	Economics 32a (Political Science)	5	-	5
	Economics 32b (Dictatorships)	4	2	6
	Economics 42b (Municipal Affairs)	-	-	-
	English 20 (General Literature)	1	9	10
	English 21 (Composition and Rhetoric)	-	5	5
Sarnia	History 31 (Canadian)	4	6	10
	History 36 (Modern European)	7	7	14
Simcoe	History 20 (Mediaeval)	3	6	9
	History 31 (Canadian)	4	1	5
Stratford	Economics 20 (Introductory)	2	8	10
Strathroy	Psychology 20 (Introductory)	1	7	8
Waterloo	Philosophy 30 (Survey)	9	4	13
	Psychology 20 (Introductory)	7	8	15
Welland	English 20 (General Literature)	4	14	18
	English 21 (Composition and Rhetoric)	1	9	10
	English 40 (Recent English Literature)	5	3	8



DETAIL OF EXTENSION DEPARTMENT REGISTRATION

1942 - 43

<u>Centres at which classes were held</u>	<u>Subjects Offered</u>	<u>No. of Credit Students</u>		
		<u>Men</u>	<u>Women</u>	<u>Total</u>
Windsor	English 40 (Recent English Literature)	6	5	11
	English 48 (American and Canadian Literature)	7	5	12
	Psychology 20 (Introductory)	5	20	25
Wingham	Psychology 36 (Genetic)	3	9	12
	Psychology 39 (Clinical Problems in Mental Hygiene)	3	8	11
Woodstock	Geography 20 (Introductory)	9	8	17
	Psychology 48a (Abnormal)	7	2	9
	Psychology 49b (Social)	7	-	7
		—	—	—
		186	243	429
	Duplicates	65	37	102
		—	—	—
		121	206	327
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Table No. 12

DEGREES CONFERRED, 1942-43

October 30, 1942

<u>Degrees</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Men</u>	<u>Women</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
LL. D.#		1	-	1
M. Sc.	Medical School	1	-	1
M. A.	University College	1	-	1
	Assumption College	2	-	2
B. A.	University College	17	6	23
	Waterloo College	-	2	2
	Assumption College	<u>2</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2</u>
		24	8	32

January 15, 1943 (Medical Convocation)

M. D.	Medical School	27	3	30
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May 19, 1943

M. A.	University College	8	-	8
B. A.	University College	78	47	125
	Assumption College	21	9	30
	Ursuline College	-	8	8
	Waterloo College	-	7	7
	St. Peter's College	8	-	8
B. Sc.	Public Health	-	14	14
B. D.	Waterloo College	<u>1</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1</u>
		116	85	201

Certificates

May 19, 1943

C. P. H. N.	Public Health	-	13	13
C. I. N.	Public Health	-	4	4
Diploma in Home Economics	Ursuline College	-	1	1
Diploma in Business Administration	University College	<u>3</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3</u>
		3	18	21
		<u>   </u>	<u>   </u>	<u>   </u>
TOTALS		170	114	284
		<u>   </u>	<u>   </u>	<u>   </u>

#An LL. D. degree was conferred on:

John George Althouse

October 30, 1942

GRADUATES IN ALL DEPARTMENTS - 1928 to 1943

<u>1928</u>	<u>1929</u>	<u>1930</u>	<u>1931</u>	<u>1932</u>	<u>1933</u>	<u>1934</u>	<u>1935</u>	<u>1936</u>	<u>1937</u>	<u>1938</u>	<u>1939</u>	<u>1940</u>	<u>1941</u>	<u>1942</u>	<u>1942-43</u>
166	154	194	210	245	300	281	303	276	331	358	334	257	307	286	284



EXAMINATION RESULTS, 1942-43

Table No. 13

		No. who wrote	No. who cleared all work	Percentage who cleared all work	No. with one supp. exam.
FACULTY OF ARTS (including the first year of Medicine)					
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE					
Intramural	Men	380	243	63.95%	39
	Women	<u>246</u>	<u>173</u>	<u>70.32%</u>	<u>28</u>
	<u>Total</u>	626	416	66.45%	67
Extramural and Extension	Men	140	122	87.14%	13
	Women	<u>252</u>	<u>218</u>	<u>86.51%</u>	<u>30</u>
	<u>Total</u>	392	340	86.73%	43
Summer School	Men	81	66	81.48%	7
	Women	<u>159</u>	<u>138</u>	<u>86.79%</u>	<u>14</u>
	<u>Total</u>	240	204	85.00%	21
First Year of Medicine	Men	43	31	72.09%	8
	Women	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>66.66%</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>Total</u>	46	33	71.74%	8
ALL DEPTS. IN UNIVERSITY COLLEGE	Men	644	462	71.74%	67
	Women	<u>660</u>	<u>531</u>	<u>80.45%</u>	<u>72</u>
	<u>Total</u>	<u>1304</u>	<u>993</u>	<u>76.15%</u>	<u>139</u>
ASSUMPTION COLLEGE	Men	204	131	64.22%	24
	Women	<u>65</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>89.23%</u>	<u>3</u>
	<u>Total</u>	269	189	70.26%	27
HURON COLLEGE	Men	<u>13</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>38.46%</u>	<u>1</u>
ST. PETER'S SEMINARY COLLEGE OF ARTS	Men	<u>51</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>72.55%</u>	<u>4</u>
	Women	<u>52</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>67.30%</u>	<u>7</u>
URSULINE COLLEGE	Women	<u>52</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>67.30%</u>	<u>7</u>
WATERLOO COLLEGE	Men	36	22	61.11%	4
	Women	<u>18</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>61.11%</u>	<u>5</u>
	<u>Total</u>	54	33	61.11%	9
FACULTY OF ARTS - TOTALS					
	Men	948	657	69.30%	100
	Women	<u>795</u>	<u>635</u>	<u>79.87%</u>	<u>87</u>
	<u>Total</u>	<u>1743</u>	<u>1292</u>	<u>74.12%</u>	<u>187</u>

(See next page for Faculties of Medicine and Public Health)



Table No. 13 (continued) EDAMINATION RESULTS, 1942-43

	No. who wrote	No. who cleared all work	Percentage who cleared all work	No. with one supp. exam.
FACULTY OF ARTS TOTALS (Brought forward)				
Men	948	657	69.30%	100
Women	<u>795</u>	<u>635</u>	<u>79.87%</u>	<u>87</u>
<u>Total</u>	<u>1743</u>	<u>1292</u>	<u>74.12%</u>	<u>187</u>
FACULTY OF MEDICINE (final five years only)				
Men	165	149	90.30%	6
Women	<u>16</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>75.00%</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Total</u>	<u>181</u>	<u>161</u>	<u>88.95%</u>	<u>7</u>
FACULTY OF PUBLIC HEALTH				
Women	<u>31</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>100.00%</u>	-
<u>WHOLE UNIVERSITY</u>				
Men	1113	806	72.42%	106
Women	<u>842</u>	<u>678</u>	<u>80.52%</u>	<u>88</u>
	<u>1955</u>	<u>1484</u>	<u>75.91%</u>	<u>194</u>

NOTE:

- I. The difference between the 1955 students who wrote final examinations and the 2013 students registered may be explained by the following facts:
  - (1) Some students wrote Summer Session examinations as well as January and May papers.
  - (2) Some were ill and had their examinations deferred.
  - (3) Some failed to write, although they did not formally withdraw.
  - (4) Some were released early for work in war-industries and on farms.
  - (5) Some enlisted at the end of the first term.
  
- II. The extreme right-hand column indicates those students who are likely to clear their records at the end of the supplemental-period. Actually, many students with more than one supplemental manage to clear their records.



Table No. 14

COMPARATIVE PERCENTAGES  
(For the last seven years)  
OF STUDENTS WHO CLEARED ALL  
THEIR WORK AT THE FINAL EXAMINATIONS  
WITHOUT BENEFIT OF SUPPLEMENTALS

	<u>1936-7</u>	<u>1937-8</u>	<u>1938-9</u>	<u>1939-40</u>	<u>1940-1</u>	<u>1941-2</u>	<u>1942-43</u>
Faculty of Arts	75.78%	75.36%	72.10%	73.93%	76.59%	72.80%	74.12%
Faculty of Medicine	79.25%	82.74%	83.63%	85.28%	84.09%	79.33%	88.95%
Faculty of Public Health	95.83%	93.33%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
WHOLE UNIVERSITY	76.19%	76.09%	73.18%	74.97%	77.39%	73.63%	75.91%

NOTE: These percentages are improved each year by the students who clear their records at the supplemental examinations, after these statistics are compiled.



Table No. 15

WOMEN WHO ENTERED THE MEDICAL COURSE IN THE LAST TEN YEARS

<u>Year</u>	<u>Entered</u>	<u>Failed in 1st year</u>	<u>Failed in 2nd year</u>	<u>Graduated or still in the course</u>	<u>Percentage of survival</u>
1932-33	3	1	-	2	66%
1933-34	3	1 (same one as above)	-	2	66%
1934-35	1	-	-	1	100%
1935-36	1	-	-	1	100%
1936-37	1	-	-	1	100%
1937-38	6	1	1	5	83%
1938-39	3	1	-	2	66%
1939-40	4	1	1	2	50%
1940-41	3	-	1	2	66%
1941-42	6	2	-	4	66%
1942-43	3	1	-	2	66%



Table No. 16

FULL-TIME STUDENTS IN PASS COURSES

Faculty of Arts

(All Colleges)

67.23% of Full-time Undergraduate Registration

COURSE		<u>1st year</u>	<u>2nd year</u>	<u>3rd year</u>	<u>4th year</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	
<u>I. General</u>							
Junior Group 1	Men	103	81	-	-	184	
	Women	5	11	-	-	16	200
Junior Group 2	Men	37	80	-	-	117	
	Women	11	13	-	-	24	141
Junior Group 3	Men	23	13	-	-	36	
	Women	11	20	-	-	31	67
Junior Group 4	Men	9	4	-	-	13	
	Women	1	7	-	-	8	21
Senior Group	Men	-	-	51	35	86	
	Women	-	-	25	33	58	144
<u>II. Secretarial Science</u>							
	Women	3	15	11	18	47	47
<u>III. Theological</u>							
	Men	6	4	4	1	15	15
<u>IV. Nursing</u>							
	Women	24	21	-	-	45	45
<u>V. Home Economics</u>							
	Women	7	13	16	6	42	42
TOTAL :						722	==

(For Honor Courses see next page)



FULL-TIME STUDENTS IN HONOR COURSES

Table No. 17

Faculty of Arts  
(All Colleges)

32.77% of Full-Time Undergraduate Registration

COURSE		<u>1st year</u>	<u>2nd year</u>	<u>3rd year</u>	<u>4th year</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Business Administration	Men	-	24	20	20	64
	Women	-	-	1	-	1
						65
Business Admin. and Secretarial Science	Men	-	-	1	1	2
	Women	-	3	5	1	9
						11
Economic and Political Science	Men	-	6	5	2	13
	Women	-	-	2	-	2
						15
English Language and Literature	Men	-	2	3	3	8
	Women	-	7	12	4	23
						31
History	Men	-	2	3	3	8
	Women	-	1	2	2	5
						13
Languages (Ancient)	Men	-	-	-	-	-
	Women	-	2	4	2	8
						8
Languages (Modern)	Men	-	2	5	5	12
	Women	-	10	14	6	30
						42
Mathematics and Physics	Men	-	8	7	7	22
	Women	-	-	-	-	-
						22
Philosophy and Psychology	Men	18	29	24	14	85
	Women	-	4	2	-	6
						91
Science - including B. A., M. D.	Men	-	22	22	25	69
	Women	-	6	3	2	11
						80
Social Sciences	Men	-	-	-	1	1
	Women	-	-	1	-	1
						2
GROSS TOTAL:						380
Honor Duplicates:						28
NET TOTAL:						352



UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF ARTS

Dean: K.P.R. Neville, M.A., Ph.D.

The same distractions that drew comment in my previous reports continue during the session under review. Some order did begin to emerge as a result of the action of the three branches of the active service in agreeing not to appeal to undergraduates to enlist during the academic year. Against this gain, however, was the loss that was the end-product of the plan to ask university students to go west to "save the harvest" in the Prairie provinces. This kept the volunteers in most cases out of their classes until well on in November. The courses in Business were so depleted that the professors in that Department gave very few lectures before November 15th.

Several changes in our military organization appeared in the course of the year. (a) The C.O.T.C. staff was so re-arranged that from the O.C. down it consisted of men from the academic staff of the University, past or present. (b) A U.A.T.C. (Air Force) unit was established. (c) A U.N.T.D. unit (Navy) was organized. The addition of (b) and (c) to our previous establishment makes it possible for each male student to declare his immediate preference. If the men who apply for admission to these two units do not meet the medical requirements of the Air or the Navy, they automatically will revert to the C.O.T.C. which has medical non-combat categories not provided in the other two services. During 1942-3 not much progress beyond the organization stage was noted.

The program of war work for women got under way at the beginning of the year but because the regulations governing participation had "no teeth in them" some of the results did not indicate the degree of enthusiasm to the cause that prompted the inauguration of the scheme. Senate action in the May meeting should remedy this defect for future years.

Negotiations were begun with the Department of National Defence looking to the introduction of an army university course parallel to the course with which the University of Toronto is experimenting this current year. The major items of the agreement had been concluded about Convocation time but instructional details have yet to be worked out. Expansion of staff in Mathematics, Physics and Geology appears inevitable. To offset this to a degree the course offered by the Department of Physics for R.C.A.F. radio technicians has been discontinued. But the experimental course for Chemistry laboratory technicians proved so successful that the Chemistry Department has been asked by government authorities to repeat. This means a program of about 44 hours a week for six months for 25 students added to the usual teaching and organizing



load of the staff in Chemistry, no small burden without an adequate financial recompense.

The staff in some Departments was upset, through causes, however, that trace back to the war in the main. Professor Thompson is giving full time to OPA in Washington; Professors Woods, Thomas, Montgomery, Miss Mary Barker, Messrs. McKee and Taylor are in active service in some unit of the Canadian combat forces; and Dr. Wilson is giving professional psychological service in the uniform of the R.C.A.F. The several Departments affected made what adjustments were possible by securing part-time lecturers, dropping courses temporarily, alternating courses, reducing numbers of sections. Only one addition, full-time, was made to the staff---Dr. Edmund Whittaker, who functioned in Business and Economics as visiting professor (on leave from the University of Illinois). The most serious and distressing blow to the Faculty was the sudden and unanticipated death of Professor M. E. Bassett, since 1927 Head of the Department of Romance Languages. A worthy successor did not emerge before the opening of the session, so it was agreed that Professor Turville should be responsible for the Honour courses in French and Professor Jenkin for the General courses and Professor Collin for the Spanish. Assistance was secured from Ursuline College (Mme Baird-Brown) and from outside lecturers (Mrs. R. A. Allen). Two classes instead of one were taken by Dr. Doherty of the Department of English. A full-time addition must be made to the roster of instructors in Romance Languages.

For the first time Music was allowed to count in the program of regularly registered University College students. It was an ad hominem arrangement. Nothing that looks like even semi-organized courses seems available and, until there is, it will be impossible to incorporate the Music work into the published Announcement of University College. That means that parents and prospective students cannot know except by hearsay the opportunities open at this institution to those who would carry on work in Music in which they may have a decided interest and to which they have already devoted in many cases no inconsiderable time. Of course the University will have to safeguard itself against the offering of snap courses in Music.

In view of what is happening in universities elsewhere, it appealed to some members of our staff, especially in Business and Economics, that courses in Public Administration should be provided. To that end a proposal was made that several courses relating present practices to public administration should be announced and that a one-year Diploma course in Public Administration similar to the Diploma course in Business Administration be offered to graduates. The Senate on the recommendation of University College authorized the inclusion of both in the Announcement



of 1943-4, though the Diploma course was not to be available for registrations until the college staff has returned to standard dimensions.

The Departments of National Defence as a quid pro quo asked the universities to apply with more than average strictness their rules relative to inadequate students especially in those Departments where deferment had been granted because the courses were labelled essential. The universities all agreed to the "ruthless elimination of the unfit." Ruthlessness with us has been tempered with justifiable mercy and while our rules were applied with more than usual stringency, our Committee on Academic Standing reserved for its deliberations the privilege of stopping short of Himmler's best. The net result was the dropping of 30 men and 4 women at the midyear with 30 men and 12 women put on probation. In May 12 men and 2 women were dropped, all in the group that had been on probation from the midyear. This list will undoubtedly be augmented by further failures in the supplemental examinations in August. The rules of the Academic Standing Committee were revised and stiffened, noticeably in the following provision: "A student who has not by the regular examinations, supplementals and/or specials cleared two-thirds of the credits of his final approved registration for any academic year, must withdraw from the University." The old rule was "half," not "two-thirds."

In the session of 1941-2, in order to enable students to give more time to work in plants engaged on war contracts, we allowed them to leave before the final examinations provided their standing seemed so to warrant. The results were very unsatisfactory from the standpoints of both the University and the students themselves. In order that the advantage of early release from the University might be retained but the disadvantages of loss of final review might be offset as far as possible, the student body proposed and the Faculty passed a by-law that the year be shortened by eliminating all holidays except one week at Christmas. Examinations could still be written and the work of the year finished in good order by May 1st. This made it seem reasonable to move Arts Convocation forward to follow as soon as possible the conclusion of the C.O.T.C. camp. It is understood that this scheme will be, like the acceleration of the Medical course, purely a wartime measure.

The distribution of the staff for the session is as follows:

Professors emeriti	2	Lecturers	11
Professors active	27	Demonstrators	12
Associate professors	16	Graduate assistants	4
Assistant professors	15	Student assistants	5
Instructors	12		

Total - 104



The numbers in the affiliated colleges are:

Professors	30	
Associate professors	5	
Assistant professors	1	
Instructors	24	
Lecturers	30	
Student assistants	2	Total - 92

Grand total - 196

A comparison of numbers grade for grade between the affiliates and University College would scarcely be fair because the same definitions do not apply across our whole Arts Faculty. It seems in order to raise with the affiliated colleges the question of uniform titles for uniform rank, Faculty standing, teaching load.

The crying needs of the Faculty of University College continue to be floor space and money for salaries. It is of course none of my immediate business but I cannot avoid the impression that now is an "accepted time" to tap some excess-profit money in our immediate constituency. Surely nothing is to be lost by an effort.

Again my gratitude, this time in more than usual measure, for the co-operation of the staff, academic and administrative, in the regular program and for their cheerful assumption of any burdens that may have been incident upon my prolonged absence from duty in the middle of the session.



DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Acting Head: R. B. Willis, B. A. in Business Administration

General

The year 1942-1943 has been one of the most disturbing in the history of the Department. Mr. Thompson's absence in Washington, the "harvesting excursion," the departure of the Seniors on Active Service in instalments from February 1, and the general uncertainties have rendered maintenance of normal routine and the usual research standards extremely difficult.

Student Enrolment

The approximate enrolment for the year under review has been as follows:-

Seniors .. .. .	21
Juniors .. .. .	23
Sophomores .. .. .	32

In addition, approximately eighty students have been enrolled in Business 20.

Although the Senior year is almost a third smaller than that for 1941-1942, this situation was due to a small class from the outset, rather than to enlistments during the past summer.

Three Intensives registered last Fall, one from Assumption, one from Waterloo and one from the City of London. The Department also was fortunate in having three students who had spent two years at Assumption enter the course to complete their honour degree.

This year has been marked by one notable event--- the existence for the first time of a full-time female student.

Staff

The departure of Professor Thompson to the Office of Price Administration in Washington on leave of absence and Mr. Taylor on Active Service with the Royal Canadian Navy left two gaps in the faculty extremely difficult to fill.

Dr. Whittaker, taken on by the Department of Economics and the Department of Business Administration jointly, assumed the responsibility for the marketing course and Mr. Lester Davis, Comptroller of John Labatt, Ltd., has undertaken the 3rd year accounting course.



Through the rearrangement of certain courses and the dropping of others for the time being, the instruction has been carried on by the above-mentioned, along with Professors L'Ecuyer, Willis and Mr. Carrothers.

The student assistants for the year, Fred Norwood and Eric Jones, have been invaluable in marking, supervising laboratory periods, and carrying out occasional administrative details in connection with the work of the Department.

### Curriculum

In order to carry on the work of the Department in a reasonably satisfactory manner with the reduced teaching staff available, Business 36 (Mathematics of Finance) was transferred to the Department of Mathematics. Business 453 (Advance Finance), 451 (Sales Management), 461 (Retailing), 471 (Advertising), and 481 (Foreign Trade) were temporarily dropped.

With the co-operation of the Department of Economics, arrangements were made to outline an intensive course in Public Administration for possible offering by the University later on. Serious consideration also has been given to the possible changes in courses and their content which may be necessary to meet the demands imposed by the post-war world.

To prove at least some of the flavour of the courses which were dropped and to reflect the increasing significance of government controls, the composition of the 4th year subjects generally has been altered, especially Business 458.

### Commerce Club

This club, operated by the students of the Department, had a reasonably successful year, marked particularly by the high caliber of speakers who were obtained. Among those who addressed the Club were the following:

Mr. E. G. Burton, Retail Administrator, Wartime Prices and Trade Board

Mr. George Hougham, Secretary, Canadian Retail Federation

Dr. George Davidson, Canadian Welfare Council  
(A Beveridge Plan for Canada)

Mr. Arthur Ford, Managing Editor, London Free Press

Mr. H. C. Barry, Marine Manager for Canada Insurance Company of North America (War Risk Insurance and Canada's Foreign Trade After the War)



Several meetings of a social character were held by the students as a means of acquainting the Freshmen with the work of the Department and the objectives of the Club. The senior members also provided tutorial service to the members of the Business 20 class in connection with the accounting section of the course---a service which has proved increasingly popular since it was inaugurated last year.

### Field Trip

The departmental field trip for the Seniors was held January 28 to 30 inclusive in Toronto. Plans had been made for a trip to the Hamilton area, but this had to be suspended because of labour difficulties at two of the plants to which visits had been arranged.

The following organizations were visited:

Exide Battery  
Tip Top Tailors  
Simpson's  
John Inglis

The limitations placed upon travel have made much more difficult the provision of weekly field trips for the manufacturing class as well as the arrangements for the annual "junket." On the other hand, the values to be gained from such trips cannot be over-estimated and it is recommended that every effort be put forth to continue them despite the problems encountered.

### Quarterly Review of Commerce

This year has been one of the most successful in the history of the Quarterly, from the point of view both of its financial position and of its editorial content. The issue dealing with price control found sufficient favour that the Information Branch of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board purchased two thousand copies for selective distribution.

The authority granted by the Arts Committee for the hiring of Mr. Burns as a student assistant to work on the Quarterly throughout the Summer and the year amply justified the expense involved. Some eighteen library subscriptions, some seventy-five general subscriptions, and over \$200 in annual advertising revenue were secured by this means.

The London Life Insurance Company generously provided a grant of \$200 for circulation efforts and a considerable portion of this grant remains for disbursement in the succeeding months. A circulation drive under the direction of Wm. Pollard is now under way, which, it is hoped, will increase the number of subscriptions materially.



The Quarterly has no outstanding obligations at the present time and possesses over \$300 in the bank. The success which has been achieved by this publication in advancing the name of the Department and in assisting Seniors in placement warrants aggressive efforts to maintain and improve the publication.

### Placement

Placement activities of the Department on an aggressive basis were allowed to lapse last year as a consequence of the Selective Service regulations which, in effect, required all graduates of the Department to proceed immediately on Active Service. Business men too were very reluctant to discuss post-war opportunities, having regard to the uncertainties of their existing position.

Recently there has been a noticeable change in attitude on the part of business towards post-war placement. Several organizations are prepared to interview, on an informal basis, members of our classes now with the idea in mind of making at least a mental note of prospective candidates for employment when they return from Active Service. It is felt that efforts in organizing this activity would be amply repaid.

During the year the preparation of much more comprehensive and up-to-date records of the status, location, etc., of all graduates of the Department was undertaken. It is hoped that this project will be completed within the next few weeks.

### Research

Several major research projects were carried out during the year. The Seniors have completed comprehensive industry, cost and functional reports for a number of leading industries in Western Ontario and it is planned to continue this work next year. The complete file will provide a background of information on industries in this part of the country available nowhere else and useful as collateral information case study.

The Sophomores completed an exhaustive compilation of mortality in retail trade in the City of London over a ten-year period—the first study of its type attempted in Canada. It is planned to publish this in the Quarterly and to make it available for more widespread distribution in the near future.

A number of smaller projects were undertaken this year for the use of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, including checks on deliveries, consumer credit, consumption of tea and coffee, etc.



Plans and Needs

The increasing interest of business men in labour relations has caused the Department to consider, with the assistance of Mr. J. J. McHale, a conference on this subject for the business men of Western Ontario this year.

Consideration also is being given to a series of wartime retailing conferences which, it is felt, would have admirable public relations value among the merchants of this area.

Study has been given to the place of the Department in the post-war period and it is hoped to submit memoranda on this subject by early Fall at the latest. It is felt that the Intensive Course will enjoy a very expanded demand after the War and that as a consequence provision may have to be made for additional staff to meet such a situation.

The continuation of the arrangement whereby a student assistant in charge of the Quarterly is maintained is strongly recommended. It is hoped as well, through the McIntosh Scholarships, to secure additional student assistance which will be of value.

The provision of a full-time secretary for the Department is submitted for consideration as well as the establishment of a business section in the University library, with particular reference to government documents and current publications. Some preliminary conversations have been held with the Chief Librarian on this point and it is felt that arrangements could be made to provide such a section at very small cost.



FACULTY OF MEDICINE

Dean: F. J. H. Campbell, B.A., M.D., M.R.C.P., F.R.C.P. (C)

During the session 1942-1943 two hundred and twenty-four students were enrolled, including the first year.

Thirty students finished their lectures on December 19th, 1942, and graduated on January 15th, 1943. Thirty-one students finished their lectures on June 29th, 1943, and received their M.D. degrees at a special Convocation held on July 23rd, 1943. The next class to graduate will receive their degrees in April, 1944.

The class graduating in April, 1944, will be the last class to graduate on the old course of six sessions of eight months each.

In October, 1942, Horace Ward Smith, B.A., having fulfilled the requirements, was granted the degree of M. Sc.

The medical curriculum has been revised in order to complete the course in five sessions of ten months' instruction each rather than in six sessions of eight months. It is a debatable question whether the acceleration of the course has been a complete blessing. There does seem to be a time factor which is vital to sound education; a continuous effort in a heavy professional course such as Medicine seems to cause some loss of scholarship. The students acquire the facts but some of them find it difficult to correlate them. The strain of giving ten months of uninterrupted instruction in a single year has greatly taxed the strength of a much reduced faculty. Research also has suffered though the Faculty have responded in every way in order to facilitate and carry on research in essential war problems, as requested by the Armed Forces and the National Research Council.

The question of whether to continue the accelerated course is being studied by the Faculty. With our present curriculum we could revert to our former course of six years of instruction at the opening of any session in September. The other Canadian medical schools are considering this possibility. The suggestion has been made that the reversion take place in September, 1944.

Once again the question of the standards of entrance to the course in Medicine is being considered by the Faculty Council and the Committee on Admissions. Academic standing does not seem to be the only essential prerequisite for



admission to the course. Academic success in primary and secondary schools does not of itself predict success in a heavy University course, and it may be necessary to institute additional tests to determine the qualifications of candidates for the study of Medicine.

During the past year the amount of clinical material available for teaching purposes, both in the Out-patient Department and in the Hospital Wards, has been appreciably reduced. Many patients formerly unable to pay for hospital accommodation now have the means to pay.

The effect that a National Health Insurance scheme might have on medical schools, hospital wards, and out-patient departments, must be foreseen and provision made to meet it. The problem of securing adequate clinical material for teaching purposes is being studied by all the medical colleges of Canada.

One further observation should be made regarding the staff. During the past year we have again lost several key men to the armed forces. We are now operating with a minimum organization and no further withdrawals can be permitted without sacrificing a major degree of efficiency in instruction and without lowering our academic standards.

#### Appointments 1942-1943

- William Walker Ollerhead, B.A., M.D.; M.Ch.Orth. (Liverpool) -  
Instructor of Anatomy
- Josephine Bittner, A.B. (Drake), M.D. (State University of Iowa)-  
Instructor of Bacteriology
- Arnold Bernstein, M.D. (Koenigsburg, Germany) - Instructor of  
Radiology
- Harold St. Clair Wismer, M.D. - Assistant Professor and Acting  
Chief of the Department of Radiology
- Edison Lloyd Russell Schram, B.A., M.D. - Instructor of Anatomy
- James E. Barnard, M.D. (McGill) - Instructor of Pathology and  
Bacteriology
- John Albert Blezard, M.D. (Queen's); M.D.C.M. - Acting Chief  
of the Department of Anesthesia
- Eugene Percy Johns, M.D. - Acting Chief of the Department of  
Pathology



FACULTY AND INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Dean: A. J. Slack, Ph.C.. M.D., D.P.H.

While there have been no further changes in the professional staff there have been several changes in the technical staff which have necessitated the training of new technical assistants in every department of the Institute.

Our attempt to use basement rooms to accommodate an increased enrolment in the University Nursing courses resulted in complete failure through inability to heat these rooms sufficiently to make them habitable.

The W. K. Kellogg Student Loan Fund was available for student loans and proved of great value in assisting several worthy students to complete their courses during the year.

It is impossible to obtain trained professional public health assistants and is becoming increasingly difficult to obtain untrained assistants for technical work because of the high wages paid by certain of the war industries.

During the year ending June 30, 1942 the Institute received specimens from 199 different municipalities and reported upon 126,797 laboratory examinations, an increase of 8.8 percent or 10,253 more examinations than were made during the preceding year. During the calendar year (January 1st to December 31st 1942) 23,261 free examinations were made for the Army, Navy and Air Force; 5,037 examinations for essential War Industries and 412 examinations for the Red Cross.

The elimination of certain serological tests in the routine examinations of blood for syphilis was possibly the most important change in the laboratory routine during the year. Whereas previously the Presumptive Kahn and Standard Kahn tests were done on every specimen the present method of procedure is to submit all specimens to the Presumptive Kahn test and to report all negative Presumptive Kahn tests as negative without further test. Doubtful or positive Presumptive Kahn's are further checked by both precipitation and complement fixation tests before reporting. This has resulted in a marked decrease in the number of serological tests which otherwise would have been made; the same staff can handle a greater number of specimens, the cost for materials and apparatus is reduced, and apparently the diagnostic value of the test is not adversely affected. There is nothing especially remarkable amongst the other types of laboratory examinations, the decreases in some items being offset by increases in others.



Under special contracts the Institute has continued to conduct pathological, bacteriological and chemical work for the Ontario Hospital, London, and the laboratory work for the Board of Health of the City of London.

The Institute serves as a distribution centre from which antitoxins, toxins, toxoids, vaccines, serums, insulin, silver nitrate, outfits for the collection of specimens, etc., provided by the Ontario Department of Health, are supplied to Medical Officers of Health, Physicians and hospitals of Western Ontario. Exclusive of free insulin, 23,209 packages of free biological products were distributed from this centre during the year ending June 30, 1942. This is an increase of 1,257 packages over the preceding year. Free insulin, provided by the Ontario Department of Health and distributed by the Institute amongst patients in this district who were unable to pay for the insulin they required, amounted to 3,624,000 units which is 235,000 units less than the preceding year. The amount of pay insulin sold during the year was 307,600 units as compared with 323,400 units for 1941. The total number of outfits for the collection of specimens distributed during the year amounted to 64,106 as compared with 57,899 for the preceding year. During the year ending June 30, 1942 a total of 63,648 outfits were reclaimed and prepared for redistribution.

Educational work by the Institute staff includes the degree and certificate courses given to graduate nurses who are students in the Faculty of Public Health, lecture courses to undergraduate students in the Faculty of Medicine, and lecture and laboratory courses to the undergraduate nurses of Victoria, St. Joseph's and the Ontario Hospitals. During the academic session of 1942-1943 regular lecture courses were given to 30 full-time and 2 special students in the Faculty of Public Health, 127 students registered in the Faculty of Medicine, and 217 individual undergraduate nurses in the Training Schools of the three local hospitals. Thus a total of 376 individual students received one or more regular courses of instruction by professional members of the Institute staff.

Thirty-one nurses received degrees and certificates at the Spring Convocation in 1943 for courses taken in the Faculty of Public Health. Fourteen of these graduates received the degree of Bachelor of Science in Nursing, thirteen the Certificate of Public Health Nurse and four the Certificate of Instructor in Nursing.

Miss Mildred I. Walker, Chief of the Division of Study for Graduate Nurses was honoured by being elected President of the Registered Nurses Association of Ontario.

At the request of Dr. G. M. Weir, Director of Training for the Federal Rehabilitation Programme, various committees were appointed by the Conference of the Universities of Ontario to



conduct surveys of probable professional opportunities after the war. Both Miss Walker and Miss Penhale were appointed to the Universities Rehabilitation Committee on Nursing in Ontario and Miss Walker served as Chairman of this Committee.

In January 1943, in co-operation with the Extension Department of the University a four day Refresher Course was arranged by the Division of Study for Graduate Nurses for nurses throughout the district who are serving as volunteer teachers in the Canadian Red Cross Society courses in Health, Home-Nursing and Emergencies. This course was sponsored by the Red Cross Society and was well attended.

At the end of April, 1943, the Institute Library contained 1493 bound volumes, 1381 of which have been catalogued in the Library of Congress classification. During the year 753 books and 590 journals were loaned and 470 books were used for reference. Forty-four books were catalogued during the year.

I have on many previous occasions called attention to the overcrowded condition of the Institute. This is a matter which is worthy of the immediate and serious consideration of the Board of Governors, since lack of sufficient space for the increased volume of laboratory work and for the teaching of a greater number of students in the various nursing courses is retarding the normal growth and development of these important functions. This year, through the courtesy of the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, we have been provided with an office for Miss Penhale in the Medical School but this is at best a temporary and unsatisfactory solution of only one of our problems so far as lack of space is concerned.

With the appointment of Miss Helen E. Penhale, R.N., M.A., in charge of the Hospital Administration and Instructor in Nursing Courses and with the assistance of a grant of \$1500.00 from the Nursing Education Fund provided by the Dominion Government through the Registered Nurses Association of Ontario it has been possible adequately to supervise a greatly enlarged field-work programme for students in these courses. New contacts thus made have already stimulated an increased interest in the courses offered to graduate nurses by this university.

We gratefully acknowledge the co-operation of Miss Edna L. Moore, Chief Public Health Nurse, Ontario Department of Health, and Miss A. M. Mann and Miss H. Bennett of the Division of Nurse Registration in opening new fields for the practical training of our students. Appreciation is also due to the various hospitals and nursing organizations which have assisted in our post-graduate training programme, to the Ontario Department of Health, and to every member of the Institute staff for their co-operation throughout the year.



DEPARTMENT OF SUMMER SCHOOL AND EXTRAMURAL STUDIES

Director: H.R. Kingston, M.A., Ph.D., F.R.A.S.

When compared with the sessions preceding 1942, the present Summer School seems very small. The Department of Education's policy of not holding special courses in Music and Education for the duration, along with the demand for personnel in military service, in industry, and on the farms, made the prospects of reduced registration this summer almost a certainty. In view of this we were greatly surprised and pleased when 217 appeared for summer courses at the University. All of these took the courses for credit. The following figures for the past two summers may be of interest:

SUMMER SCHOOL	<u>1943</u>	<u>1942</u>
Number registered in University credit courses:		
London	217	241
Trois-Pistoles (French)	<u>40</u>	<u>7</u>
	257	248
Number registered in non-credit courses:		
Trois-Pistoles (French Associate)	8	5
Trois-Pistoles (English)	68	59
St. John Ambulance First Aid		
(9 credit plus 5 non-credit = 14)	<u>5</u>	<u>9</u>
	<u>81</u>	<u>73</u>
	338	321
Duplicates	<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>
NET SUMMER SCHOOL ATTENDANCE	333	321

Eighteen courses were offered in the Summer School at London, all of which counted for credit on the B.A. degree. It is a matter of regret that it is not feasible to offer the Master Classes in Music while the Department of Education classes in music are in abeyance. We look forward to the resumption of the work in music as soon as the war is over.

The St. John Ambulance First Aid Course was given again this summer with excellent results. This course, together with the course in Military Drill, gave a credit in Physical Training. This work was taken by both men and women.

The students present this year appreciated more than ever the opportunity of attending the summer session and several members of the staff commented on the good quality of the work done.



The students were responsible for a very enthusiastic and satisfactory program of social and athletic events, which mean so much to the members of the School, especially to those who have been teaching in places where adequate social and recreational facilities are lacking. The student executive committee merits high praise for the intelligent and industrious manner in which it planned and carried through this very important phase of the Summer School's activities.

The Summer School camp, though small in size this year, continued to perform a very worthwhile service and the students continued to express their enthusiastic appreciation of the value of the camp. This year the campers organized themselves in a very definite and practical way and carried on most effectively without the help of a regular University supervisor. In this way the camp entailed no appreciable expense to the University, in spite of the small amount received in Camp Fees.

A report on the Summer School at Trois-Pistoles is being presented by the director, Professor H. E. Jenkin.

During the past year 238 students enrolled in the Extramural Department and at the present date (October 28th) 253 are registered for correspondence work this year. Of this latter number 38 are persons on Active Service.

At Convocation last May, 15 extramural and summer school students graduated with the B.A. degree, and at the recent Autumn Convocation 17 more completed their courses. This brings to 407 the number who have graduated after taking part or all of their work through the Summer School and Extramural Department. Also a goodly number have completed the academic requirements for the Permanent First Class Teaching Certificate through correspondence and summer school courses.

The extramural classes have added a heavy load to the program of many members of the University Staff and the fine spirit of co-operation in which this burden has been carried deserves the highest commendation.



DIVISION OF SUMMER SCHOOL FOR FRENCH AND ENGLISH

AT TROIS-PISTOLES, QUEBEC

Director: H. E. Jenkin, B.A.

The 1943 session of the Summer School at Trois-Pistoles was the largest and the most successful in the School's history. This record is undoubtedly due in no small measure to the renewed interest aroused in the enterprise by the generous action of the Carnegie Corporation of New York in making a grant. It is also in part the normal result of ten years devoted to the laying of sound foundations.

The total enrolment was 116 students---48 studying French and 68 English. These came from all nine provinces of the Dominion. Prince Edward Island, while not represented by a scholarship holder, nevertheless sent a student. Of the students registered in the French courses 15 held Carnegie Scholarships and of the Quebec students in the English courses 9 held Carnegie Scholarships. In this session as in that of 1942 the Department of Public Instruction of the Province of Quebec sent a large number of teachers to study English. In the elementary section Basic English was employed, with strikingly successful results, as the method of instruction. This augurs well for the future. Six students taking French are missionaries-in-training under the Sudan United Missions who are planning to work in French Equatorial Africa. Prior to the fall of France missionaries preparing for this service acquired their command of French in Paris.

For several years the Director has been conscious of the need of a social and recreational centre for the students. This year he was fortunate in being able to rent suitable quarters the constant availability of which added much to the social life of the Faculty and student body alike. The success of this venture was observed by certain citizens of Trois-Pistoles who have assured the University that a permanent centre will be provided beginning with the next session. These new quarters will be made available at no cost to the School. For such practical and generous co-operation the Director has expressed the thanks of the University to the leaders in this undertaking.

A conspectus of the distribution of Carnegie Scholarships is illuminating.

UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA:

Miss Norma Erickson, Aldergrove  
Miss Helga Jarvi, Vancouver

UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA:

Miss Erma McCoy, Edmonton  
Mrs. Doris Stevens, Rocky Mountain House



UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN:

Miss Helen Newell, North Battleford

Miss Amy Downey, Saskatoon

UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA:

Miss Margaret Howe, Dauphin

Miss Nellie Sawchuk, Winnipeg

ONTARIO:

McMASTER UNIVERSITY:

Miss Marjorie Fox, Hamilton

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY:

Miss Margaret Miller, Ottawa

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO:

Miss Mary Manning, Toronto

UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN ONTARIO:

Miss Helen Gilmour, London

NEW BRUNSWICK:

MT. ALLISON UNIVERSITY:

Miss Elizabeth Taylor, Fredericton

NOVA SCOTIA:

ACADIA UNIVERSITY:

Miss Grace Hibbard, Lawrencetown

DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY:

Mr. John Hibbitts, Halifax

QUEBEC:

LAVAL UNIVERSITY:

Mr. Albéric Labelle, Roxton Pond, Shefford County

TEACHERS:

Mr. C. A. Poirier, Sayabec

Miss Germaine Garon, Chicoutimi

Miss Marcelle Britten, Trois-Rivières

Miss Thérèse Dionne, Ste-Anne-de-la-Pocatière

Miss Ida Deschênes, Trois-Pistoles

Miss Hermance Côté, Causapsca

Miss Béatrice Roy, Bic. Comté Rimouski

Miss Rosa Otis, Ste. Félicité, Matane

Five other scholarships were awarded: two given by the Hon. Jacob Nicol of Sherbrooke for Quebec students in English; one by the Board of Governors of the University for one of its own undergraduates studying French; two by the President of the University, one for English and one for French.



The closing exercises were held in the afternoon of Wednesday, August 25. The Chairman was M. Epiphane Litalien of Trois-Pistoles. Addresses were given by the Hon. Hector Perrier, Provincial Secretary, the Hon. Léon Casgrain, Attorney-General, the Honorable Jules Brillant of Rimouski, Dr. W. P. Percival, Secretary of the Department of Protestant Education, President Fox and the Director.

The presence at Trois-Pistoles of students from all parts of the Dominion directed attention particularly to the East-West axis of inter-Provincial relationships. The Canadian Broadcasting Corporation saw the significance of this and we were able, on the occasion of the closing exercises, to present over the national network, at no expense to the School, a program lasting half an hour. The main item was that in which the Carnegie Scholarship holders were heard. The representatives of each province spoke in dialogue form wherever possible, giving their impressions of some aspects of their experiences during the eight weeks. The program was recorded and rebroadcast the following evening over the national network. An appreciative article appeared in Radiomonde, September 4th, 1943.

The foregoing statements make it manifest that the Carnegie Corporation has through its generous grant enabled the School to widen its sphere of action and to make another contribution to the cause of inter-Provincial unity in Canada.

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DEPARTMENT OF UNIVERSITY EXTENSION

Director: Professor S. F. Maine, M.A., B.D., Ph. D.

Credit and Non-Credit Classes

The greatest single activity of the Extension Department continues to be the operation of classes open to both credit and non-credit students in courses of study outlined in the University Announcement. The credit students were proceeding to university degrees or were seeking to fulfill the requirements of the Department of Education for a Permanent First Class Certificate. These classes were conducted in Brantford, Chatham, Leamington, London, Owen Sound, St. Thomas, Sarnia, Stratford, Strathroy, Petrolia, Simcoe, Waterloo-Kitchener, Welland, Wingham, Woodstock and Windsor. A total of 35 classes were conducted in sixteen centres. There were 327 students enrolled and their examination results were satisfactory. Many non-credit students were also registered in these classes. As in previous years, it was found necessary to utilize the services of instructors from affiliated colleges. Without the co-operation of these our work would have been seriously curtailed.



An interesting experiment was carried on in Dauphin, Manitoba, where Mrs. Clara Thomas, formerly an assistant in the English and History Departments and for a time stationed in Dauphin with her husband (in the meteorological service), coached a small class in English 20. The members of the class were drawn from the armed forces. The experiment suggested interesting possibilities in the development of extension work with the army and air force.

#### Occasional Lectures

The Extension Department distributes a bulletin listing approximately 200 lecture subjects offered by various staff members. These bulletins are widely distributed and, under normal circumstances, as many as 100 lectures per year are given in response to requests made by all sorts of groups throughout the constituency. With the preoccupation of many groups with wartime activities there has been a steady decline in such lectures. During the second year of the war occasional lectures decreased to 59, last year to 50 and during the current year to 39. Even this record, however, is creditable in view of the circumstances.

#### Special Lectures

On January 19, in co-operation with the London Public Library, the Extension Department brought to the city Mr. Kenneth E. Kidd of the Royal Ontario Museum who lectured on the excavation of Fort Ste. Marie. In spite of one of the worst storms of the season 125 people were present, indicating a lively interest in the subject. On March 5 the University and the Public Library also brought to the city Professor Wright of the Chicago Presbyterian Seminary who discussed "Archaeology and Israel's Religion." On this occasion there was an audience of 200.

#### School for Firemen

In co-operation with the Office of the Fire Marshal of Ontario the Extension Department organized the fourth school for Firemen to be held in this area. The program was designed to be of use to both volunteer and salaried brigades. The response on the part of the fire departments of Western Ontario was eminently satisfactory, as there were 25 brigades represented and, in addition, one unit from the army and three from the air force. There were also 20 individual registrations representing various firms, boards, etc. This year's school was probably the most satisfactory up to the present.

#### Nurses' Training School

On the last three days of January a refresher course for nurses was presented at the request of the Red Cross authorities.



This work has been carried on for a number of years by the staff of the Institute of Public Health, but it was felt that during the current year it would be well to regularize the course by putting it under the control of the Extension Department. Actually all preliminary arrangements had been made and the Extension Department feels that credit should be given to the officers of the Institute, particularly to Miss Walker, for an excellent course that was attended by 52 nurses.

#### School for Industrial Accident Prevention

Because of the alarming increase in industrial accidents, the Industrial Accident Prevention Associations requested the co-operation of the Extension Department in organizing schools in Western Ontario. Two such were held, one in London and the other in Sarnia. Six lectures dealing with pertinent subjects were arranged in each centre. Twenty-five firms took out memberships for 105 members of their staffs in London and twelve firms in Sarnia for 85 members of their staffs. These schools constitute an experiment that might well be continued in other industrial centres in Western Ontario.

#### The Society of Industrial and Cost Accountants of Ontario

This body requested the co-operation of various Ontario universities in organizing its educational course leading to the R.I.A. degree. It was agreed that for correspondence purposes the various courses should be distributed among Queen's, Toronto and Western Universities, the latter accepting the responsibility for the course in Industrial Organization and Management. Each university in its own area, however, where the organization of classes was possible, was to offer all subjects. Although this work was instituted late in the season one class was organized in Windsor and its course was successfully completed under the direction of Professor Gilbert Horne of Assumption College.

#### National Service

The Director of the Extension Department continued during the year in his office as Chairman of the Committee administering Canadian Legion Educational Services in Western Ontario. The committee promoted classes in correspondence courses for enlisted men in this area. This work has expanded, and library services, visual educational facilities, classes, etc. have multiplied rapidly. The Director has also acted as Chairman of the Executive of the Canadian Association for Adult Education, the annual meetings of which were held in London on May 20, 21 and 22.



MUSIC IN THE UNIVERSITY

Director: Mr. Harvey Robb

In certain respects the general tightening up of the war effort detracted from the musical movement on the part of students. The telescoping of the timetable and additional lectures after the regular schedule made it practically impossible for the students to find time to meet in groups.

However, the Choral Society did flourish during the fall season and gave a good account of itself at a concert in December. The fact that there were a number of young men in the air training course, with good voices and musically inclined, made it possible to provide male parts to the singing. This air school closed the middle of January and, from then on, we were unable to continue.

Several successful Sunday night "Nine O'Clocks" attracted large audiences. Performers included the Hart House String Quartet, Oscar Natzke, a basso of repute, Max Pirani, the pianist, and other well-known performers.

Some of the students, who were permitted to take music as a credit subject, did very well. Beatrice Van Diepen, Carey Joint, and Marion McLellan were particularly good. The venture seemed to be so satisfactory that further development along this line is expected. An experiment was made with a series of half a dozen Tuesday afternoon recitals in which music of a more intimate and highly specialized type than that of the Sunday Nine O'Clocks was played. The audiences on each occasion were broadly representative.

The value of the new McIntosh Memorial Building, as a home for all musical endeavours, cannot be too highly rated. A large part of the students come in daily in their spare moments to listen to the recordings available.



LIBRARIES

Chief Librarian: Fred Landon, M.A.  
Assistant Librarian: James J. Talman, M.A. Ph.D.

The effects of the war upon the work of the libraries has been particularly marked during the past year. Speeded up courses in the Faculty of Medicine and research under way there and in the pure science departments generally have brought new and heavier demands upon both staff and library resources. This is a condition which may be expected to continue and increase during the war period. It has been gratifying to note the extent to which the medical war services concentrated in the Western Ontario area have made use of the Medical Library. Every facility has been afforded officers in charge of hospitals and at training centres, and many words of appreciation of such co-operation have been received.

A decreased circulation of books loaned from the General Library of the University, as compared with pre-war years, reflects the lessened number of upper year students through enlistments, the increased time demanded for military duties, and the smaller registration in such departments as business administration and economics where ordinarily a wide variety of books are in use. This condition may also be expected to continue during the war period.

In a very direct and personal way the library has been affected by the war, two members of its staff having joined the active services. Miss Kathleen Armstrong is with the women's division of the Air Force and Miss Margaret Hughes with the women's division of the Naval Service. In addition Dr. J. J. Talman, assistant librarian, has during the past year been second in command of the Canadian Officers' Training Course in University College and has given a large amount of time to his military duties.

The resources of the library continue to grow, not alone by the addition of new books but also by the acquisition of older works and files of journals secured through exchange of duplicates with other libraries. Several highly important additions of this character were made during the year. It is upon its holdings of journals and rarer books that the reputation of a library as a centre for research must rest.

The libraries of the University's constituent faculties in London contained, 161,862 volumes at April 30. This was a net addition during the year, after taking count of withdrawals, of 3,502 volumes. The General Library contains 131,749 volumes, the Medical School Library, 28,620 and the Institute of Public Health 1,493. During the year two interesting portions of the Barnett gift were catalogued for the first time, a collection of plays numbering about 600 in all and the collection of early school text-books, readers, grammars, arithmetics, numbering over 600 volumes. In both cases a simplified form of cataloguing was



used, the plays being arranged alphabetically by title and the text-books by subject. The University's collection of text-books has supplied considerable data for the Karpinski catalogue of mathematical texts published by the University of Michigan, particularly with respect to the Canadian items.

The re-classification of the General Library which was begun some years ago, changing from the Dewey to the Library of Congress system, is nearing completion. All that remains to be done are some sections of classics, miscellaneous biography, folklore and political science. For the latter the Library of Congress has not yet completed its schedules.

A project long considered was undertaken during the year in the organization of a Collection of Regional History of Western Ontario. This will reflect and illustrate the various phases of settlement, development of industries, progress of transportation and the crystallizing of social, religious and cultural forces, more particularly throughout the western section of the province. The University Library has long been gathering in manuscripts, newspaper files, broadsides, maps, and books and pamphlets of early imprint in this section of the province. These are now in process of organization. Special attention is being given to the histories of churches, schools and municipalities. A picture collection is being assembled of early buildings, bridges, roadways, etc. A particularly interesting file is that of business letter-heads of the past century, many of which bear illustrations of processes long out of use or tell something of banks and financial concerns now passed almost out of memory.

To stimulate interest in the history of this section of the province and to develop a feeling of responsibility towards its records the Library has begun the issue of two small mimeographed publications, both of which have received favorable notice. "Western Ontario Historical Notes," of which two issues have appeared, contains short original articles, genealogical notes and a summary of historical activities in this part of the province. The second publication, "Western Ontario History Nuggets," is designed to present in each issue one original study. The first number contained "A History of the Organization of the Stratford Agricultural Society in 1843" by Mr. R. Thomas Orr, of Stratford. The second number will be a survey of the early newspaper press in Oxford County prepared by Miss Elsie Sumner of the library staff at the Medical School.

Gifts of books to the library have been so numerous that it is difficult to particularize, but special mention should be made of the presentations of the libraries of the late Major Hume Cronyn and of Dr. N. C. James, former president of the University, each collection being the gift of the family. Dr. Edwin Seaborn has continued to provide the University with copies of the numerous manuscript diaries which he has been assiduously collecting, and from



Canon T. G. Wallace was received a copy (no. 320) of the limited edition of the Book of Armagh. From many sources additions have come for the University's collection of early Western Ontario newspapers, which is becoming of considerable magnitude. All gifts have been suitably acknowledged.

Dr. Sigmund Samuel, of Toronto, who had previously given to the library a fine copy of the Whitefield View of London in 1855, has further enriched our walls by presenting six framed prints of old Quebec, copies of paintings made by Major-General J. P. Cockburn. Dr. Samuel requested that his gift might be regarded as a tribute to Mr. Ray Lawson, through whose generosity the erection of the Lawson Memorial Library was made possible.

#### AFFILIATED COLLEGES

##### Assumption College

President and Superior: Father V. J. Guinan, M.A.

The attendance for the year 1942-43 was 324 students, but close to 60 were to join the Canadian and American Armed Forces before the end of the Scholastic year.

The following additions were made to the staff: Mr. M. Laframboise, B.A., to the Mathematics Department; Rev. Leonard Quinlan, M.A. to the Political Science Department; Rev. D. J. Mulvihill, B.A., to the History Department; Mr. R. J. F. O'Donnell, Ph.D., to the Philosophy Department; and Mr. Wyndham Lewis to the English and Philosophy Departments.

The "Christian Culture Series" presented twenty-six internationally-known guest-lecturers, such as Fulton Sheen, H. Rauschnig, Jacques Maritain, Sir Robert Falconer, Prince Loewenstein, Dr. Eileen Macfarlane, Dr. C. T. Currelly, M. J. Adler, Grattan O'Leary, E. J. Pratt, Oscar Halecki, and Abbé A. Maheux. Not only many students but great numbers of citizens of Detroit and Windsor enjoyed them.

The "Christian Culture Press" published several pamphlets and have others ready for early presentation.

Prince Hubertus zu Loewenstein was assigned to Assumption College by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace for half of one term. This is the first time the Carnegie Endowment has sent Prince Loewenstein to a Canadian college.

The Assumption College Radio Drama Guild presented weekly programs throughout the whole year over C.K.L.W.



The Alumni Association, through "Alumni Chatter" has brought a monthly message to thousands of alumni all over the globe in the armed forces. Further donations from the Alumni have greatly aided the work of the college department.

The Assumption Historical Research Society promoted a two weeks' Exhibit which drew students from all the neighbouring schools and interested spectators from Michigan and Ontario. Lectures were given by several authorities on local history; certain gifts were received and others were promised for a permanent museum,

A necessary addition to the college buildings was the new kitchen rooms which will allow for greater efficiency in the culinary department.

Extra courses were given at night during the past year to aid many who were compelled to carry on other duties in connection with Canada's war effort during the day.

Publications and dramatics, on account of the abbreviated year, were forced to work under a handicap but managed to survive.

The C.O.T.C. became established on a firm basis during its third year. Through the efforts of the Commanding Officer, Major F. Stiling, the Assumption corps was given for the first time an establishment of its own. 2/Lt. G. R. Horne became officer in command of Assumption personnel, with 2/Lt. W. A. Morrison, second in command. A complement of n.c.o's was given the Assumption Company.

#### Huron College

Principal Emeritus: The Reverend C. C. Waller, M.A., D.D.  
Principal: The Reverend A. H. O'Neil, M.A., B.D.

During the 1942-43 session Huron College completed its agreement with the R.C.A.F., and returned to normal college life. It was, however, one of the most successful sessions in the history of the Institution. There were 54 men in residence, 8 Anglican Theological students residing at their homes in the city, and 8 United and Presbyterian Church Divinity men who took occasional lectures in Huron College. The Huron family consisted of 70 men, 22 of whom were Anglican Theological students. Unfortunately a considerable number of applications from non-Divinity students desiring to share in the privileges of community life within the University had to be refused because of lack of accommodation.

For years Huron College has planned to erect new buildings on its property on Western Road directly across from the



Lawson Memorial Library. The increased interest in residence life, and the fact that Huron could not meet the demands, brought the matter of the new buildings to the forefront, and in January 1943 definite plans were made to erect the new buildings immediately after the war, and a financial campaign was inaugurated to raise the necessary funds. Considerable progress has been made to date.

During the year the Theological Discussion Group met on Thursday evenings after Chapel. Several prominent speakers attended the meetings and delivered lectures and conducted discussions on such subjects as "Philosophy and Religion," "Science and Religion," and "Medicine and Pastoral Theology."

All medically fit Huron College students were registered in the C.O.T.C., and the others were in the St. John Ambulance course.

Considerable interest was displayed in dramatics, and Huron won the award in the Inter-Faculty Drama Festival at the University with the play "Scruples."

Steady progress has been made in recataloguing the Library under the Library of Congress system, and many new books have been added.

The Alumni held a successful session in September, 1942, when Reverend Lester Patterson was elected president.

A "College for Clergy," being a refresher course for clergy, was held at Huron College from Monday, May 31st to Friday, June 4th. The following assisted with the program: the Right Reverend C. A. Seager, M.A., D.D., Lord Bishop of Huron; the Reverend Professor C. R. Feilding, B.D., Trinity College, Toronto; the Reverend Canon L. A. Dixon, M.A., D.D., O.B.E., General Secretary, M.S.C.C., Toronto; Dr. G. H. Stevenson, Professor of Psychiatry, University of Western Ontario Medical School; the Reverend George Luxton, B.A., B.D., Rector, Grace Church on-the-hill, Toronto; and the Reverend Dr. R. P. D. Hurford, Rector of Seaforth. Twenty-five clergy attended. It is hoped to give every clergyman in the Diocese of Huron the opportunity of attending once every six years.

At present 17 graduates of the College are serving full-time with the active Forces of the British Empire, or of the United States, 14 as Chaplains and 3 in other capacities.



St. Peter's Seminary College of Arts

Rector: Right Reverend A. P. Mahoney, D.P., V.G.

Student-Body

The Seminary opened with 72 students in Theology and 79 in Philosophy.

Staff

Two former graduates, Rev. T. L. McManus, B.A. '37, and Rev. J. J. Carrigan, B.A. '39, were sent to the University of Washington and the University of Montreal respectively for post-graduate study in preparation for membership on the Staff.

Library

Two considerable bequests of books were received, one from a donor who wishes to remain anonymous, and the other consisting of the library of the late Bishop O'Connor of Peterborough. The first collection consisted mainly of books on English Literature and General History; the second bequest was principally Theology, Ecclesiastical History and a group of books on Cardinal Newman together with a complete edition of his works.

During the year the Library inaugurated a series of concerts of recorded music at which short lectures on music-appreciation were given by the Librarian, Rev. A. J. Durand. The attendance at these concerts was unexpectedly large and constant, and has justified the purchase of better sound equipment, and the re-organization of the enterprise into a permanent feature of our institutional life.

Ursuline College

Dean: Mother M. St. James

The academic year of 1942-43 was marked at the College by a growing registration in Home Economics and by the awarding of six B.A. degrees from that department. Some of these graduates will teach; some will do student dietetic work; most have gone into war laboratory services. Two new lecturers were added to the staff, Miss Georgina Green, B.H.E., as specialist in Textiles, and Mrs. Norene Tomlinson, B.A., as an assistant with Foods.



The Red Cross gave at Brescia Hall two fine courses in which all students were registered -- Home Nursing and First Aid. There was evident interest and certificates were awarded in April.

Ursuline College suffered much during the Winter on account of the heavy and continued snow and the practical impossibility, at times, of getting a snow-plough; however, that problem has been solved by the purchase of a tractor which will handle future snowbanks. Another difficulty was happily met when Brescia Hall was put on a direct and regular mail route from London.

A Drama Festival with entries from each of the four college years roused enthusiasm for expressive speaking as a means of personal development and as a wartime entertainment.

Staff and students enjoyed several visiting speakers this year, among them being Prince Hubertus von Loewenstein exiled by Hitler, Oscar Braniff of Mexico City, and Sister Lilia of Maryknoll, N.Y., who was returned from internment in Manchuria on the "Gripsholm." Each had a fascinating story to tell, and together they made their listeners grow more conscious of Canada's wide responsibilities.

#### Waterloo College

Acting Dean: Carl F. Klinck, Ph.D.

Fifty-eight students registered in Waterloo College. All but two of these took full-time work. A decrease in part-time attendance was accompanied by a substantial increase in enrolment of full-time students. The entering class was large and of the highest quality.

No successor was appointed to the late Dr. F. B. Clausen as President and Dean. Acting Deans were appointed, Dr. C. H. Little for the Evangelical Lutheran Seminary, and Dr. Carl F. Klinck for Waterloo College. The position of Dean of Women was restored, with Miss A. Margaret MacLaren, M.A., holding that office.

Mrs. Betty Jefferis was added to the staff as office secretary. Miss Ruthmarie Schmieder was student assistant in Physical Training for the year 1942-1943. By careful planning, teaching hours for instructors were reduced to a satisfactory minimum; few lectures were given after 4 p.m. and none on Saturday. All staff members carried extra-curricular responsibilities.

Cordial relations with the University were maintained and strengthened. President Fox made an official visit to the College



on March 3rd and 4th, accompanied by Professor Fred Landon, the Librarian of the University. Dr. Fox addressed a general assembly on "French Canada." The College was also honoured by Dr. Fox's presence at the Baccalaureate Service, held in St. Matthew's Church, Kitchener, on April 11th; he brought the greetings of the University to the College community and spoke on the subject of the sound principles on which our present Christian civilization rests. The College is also indebted to him for making copies of his address available in mimeographed form. The Rev. A. G. Jacobi of Kitchener preached the Baccalaureate sermon.

Other visitors of note were: Dr. Gould Wickey, Secretary of the Board of Education of the United Lutheran Church; Mr. J. Albert Smith, M.L.A. and Hydro Commissioner, who gave a talk, illustrated by sound films, on the development of Hydro Electric Power in Ontario; Dr. S. F. Maine of the University, who spoke on "The Background of Our Universities;" the J. M. Schneider Male Chorus and the K-W Collegiate Orchestra under the direction of Mr. Paul Berg. The speakers and musicians were sponsored by the Athenaeum Society, which this year distinguished itself also by reviving the Public Speaking Contest for the Rotary Gold and Silver Medals.

Seven graduates -- all young women -- received degrees at Convocation. Miss Jean Shantz won the University's Gold Medal for French and Latin. The Rev. Earl J. Treusch, Arts '37, received the degree of Bachelor of Divinity.

The Honour Roll of the College now holds ninety names.

The prescribed Military training was given by the C.O.T.C., functioning as a detachment of the U. of W.O. Contingent. Early in the academic year Captain G. R. Brock, who had been largely instrumental in organizing C.O.T.C. at Waterloo and Officer Commanding since establishment, resigned his appointment. He was succeeded by Lieut. J. D. Jefferis. All instruction during the course of the year was given by personnel of the unit, either faculty members or students. Owing to transfers to Active Service, the number on strength has reached a new low of 30. The two week camp period was spent with the Contingent on the University Campus, an arrangement which proved more satisfactory in many ways than the previous camps at Thames Valley.

Miss MacLaren, assisted by Lieut. J. D. Jefferis, Sgt. R. C. McIvor, and Mrs. C. F. Klinck, R.N., conducted a series of special war classes for women students.

It is hoped that the revival of discussion about a Girls' Residence will have a practical outcome in 1944.



Saturday afternoon Extension classes were given for the University at Waterloo College; Professor J. A. Rikard of the College lectured in Psychology 20 and Philosophy 30.

During the month of October seven young men answered the Government's call for workers in the Western harvest fields. Many students held jobs during the school term, and almost all, men and women, are employed during the summer months.

The work of renovating the administration building has gone on steadily with further interior and exterior painting and extensive improvements in the kitchen of the Boarding Club.

The College Library was placed under the supervision of a committee consisting of the Librarian and two members of the Faculty. A feature of the year has been the purchase of an unusual number of books required to support certain academic departments. Valuable contributions from the University Library have been made in the usual generous way. Accessions totalled 324 volumes in addition to many unbound periodicals. The recorded circulation was 1127.

The College Cord, an undergraduate paper issued at least monthly during the College term, completed its eighteenth year of continuous publication. The bound volumes, now to be found in the Library, constitute an interesting social document, a reflection of the varying tastes and interests of several college generations.

The College now has a total of 173 graduates. A recent survey has shown that their chief peace-time occupations are: teaching 36%, ministry 23%, business and industry 18%.

The Alumni Association under the able direction of Mr. Walter Koerber, '30, of Toronto, and his Executive, ended a year of renewed activity at a well-attended meeting and dinner. The growing strength of the Association is reflected in support for the Endowment Fund and in the appointment to the College Board of Governors of a Waterloo College graduate who is a layman. The first to hold this office is Mr. Carl J. Seltzer, '32.



WESTERN ONTARIO CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC

Principal: Mr. Harvey Robb

The culmination of the season's work in the Conservatory, as evinced by the examination activity in February, at Easter, and in midsummer, was most encouraging. It was hard to gauge during the season the effect of the opportunities in various kinds of war work on the musical habits of senior students. It did limit and reduce the senior departments of study, but the fact that money was easily obtained made it possible for parents to sponsor the education in music of the younger children, who were not eligible for war work. The consequence was an increase of about twenty-five per cent over any previous year.

Approximately 1,050 students tried their examinations with the Conservatory. We have not been in a position as yet to add to our staff but the interest and enthusiasm of the teachers throughout our territory seems to be well maintained, and a certain amount of new blood is being added in spite of the fact that the Principal has not been able to carry on any systematic promotion scheme. Travelling expenses are very high and, in addition, his work increases year by year and time is a scarce commodity.

The financial status of the Conservatory is steadily improving and less outside help was required during the past year than in any previous year. Prospects for the future are bright and there is every evidence that a foundation of permanence has been laid.

DEPARTMENT OF DEAN OF WOMEN

Dean: Dorothy Turville, M.A., Ph.D.

The work of the Dean of Women is chiefly the supervision of all matters pertaining to women students and this is accomplished by attendance at many executive meetings and at social functions. In addition, private interviews with all Freshman women, and with upper-class students on any or all of the subjects discussed below, as well as others of a personal and individual nature, are time-consuming but interesting and frequently helpful.

Undergraduate Women's Organization

The chief student executive body to control matters of concern solely to women students is the Council of the Undergraduate Women's Organization of which the Dean of Women is ex officio Honorary President. The functions of the Women's Council have been drastically



restricted in scope owing to national exigencies, and this year the main routine duty was that of assisting the eighty-one incoming women students through the medium of the Big-and-Little-Sister system, although the welcoming tea-party was regretfully omitted because of war restrictions.

Another matter dealing specifically with the comfort and welfare of the women students was the complete redecoration and renovation of the women's sitting-room, the expense being borne by the Treasury of the Organization.

To compensate for this grievous drain on the funds, a brisk sale of university Christmas cards was sponsored by the Council, at a satisfactory profit; and as usual the rental of gowns brought in a small sum. A time-honoured source of revenue, the formal Co-ed Prom, was this year eliminated from the social programme.

Services rendered by the women students, under the aegis of the Council of the Organization, have been the donation of a radio to Alumnae House, providing assistants for four Tag Days in the city, registration of volunteers for emergency services in the city, donation of proceeds from a rummage sale to Russian Relief, and volunteer blood donations.

#### Housing

With the number of regular students remaining approximately stationary and an addition of twenty-five women taking the Emergency War Training Course in Chemistry, the housing situation was a major problem. At the beginning of the year it was not quite as serious as it might have been, for thirteen new boarding houses were inspected and approved, and to the great satisfaction of all the Alumnae Association of the University very generously established a residence for fourteen Freshman women. Accommodation in the sorority houses was slightly increased also because of the good fortune of one group in being able to have occupancy of a spacious home. In spite of these factors, in January there were no available rooms on the list for students who might need, from force of circumstances, to move from their first location. An appeal through the public press brought an encouraging response and the problem was temporarily solved, but the ensuing year may bring some insuperable difficulties.

#### War Service Courses

For the second time the policy of a compulsory two-hour-a-week course for all undergraduate women was followed, for which the mechanical details were arranged by the Dean of Women. The courses met with only a modicum of success. Owing to timetable difficulties the students had not as much liberty of choice in the matter as had been hoped, although the courses offered were:



Army training, Emergencies in War (sponsored by the Canadian Red Cross), First Aid (sponsored by the St. John Ambulance Association), and War Chemistry. The unpopularity of these courses was due in part to the necessity of holding the classes from four to six o'clock which is particularly inconvenient for out-of-town students, to the fact that much of the material was already familiar from previous experience, and to the lack of proper space for drill. Compulsory courses of a non-credit nature need to be made as useful and interesting as possible.

Two Senior students enlisted before the end of the year, one in the W.R.C.N.S. and one in the R.C.A.F. (W.D.). Others left to take positions in vital war industries.

### Employment

Fewer demands were made for opportunities for self-help, and more numerous were the requests for part-time domestic assistance on the part of citizens. This situation has completely reversed itself in the past ten years, since the time when plaintive and frequently futile appeals were made to housewives to give some students a chance to gain an education the hard way.

A survey of summer employment revealed the fact that many women students took positions in war industries and with industrial companies. Exact statistics cannot be recorded in this regard because the questionnaires intended to elicit this information were not returned with sufficient punctiliousness.

The summer of 1943 will find university women students again putting their youthful energy at the service of the nation.

The Rev. Lydia E. Gruchy, of the United Church, paid a fleeting visit to the University for the purpose of speaking to women particularly interested in religious education or in preparation for the ministry. A luncheon was arranged for her.

### Conference attended

The Dean of Women represented the University at a meeting of the Canadian Committee of the International Student Service held in Toronto at Hert House. The purpose of the gathering was to hear reports of work now being undertaken among European student internees and prisoners of war, and to consider what problems the post-war period will present. The emphasis was laid on the necessity of training workers on this continent now for exportation to Europe and Asia to aid in rehabilitation of students; and also on the requirement of large sums of money for the reconstruction and re-establishment of universities destroyed by vandalism.



DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Director: J. Howard Crocker, M.P.E.  
Director of Women's Activities: Mary R. Barker  
(on leave for the duration of the war)  
Acting Director of Women's Activities:  
Mrs. F. G. Baldwin, D.P.E.

Owing to war conditions organized intercollegiate games have now been suspended for four years and this has greatly reduced the interest in competition. Students are taking much more seriously their training in the C.O.T.C., the U.A.T.C. and the U.N.T.D., and are securing a certain amount of physical activity under the direction of these units.

Intramural sport, however, has been more active than usual---324 men playing in 83 different teams---showing great interest with keen competition.

Representative teams were organized in rugby, soccer, hockey and basketball. Local army and air force leagues were organized. Nine teams engaged in this type of play with 144 men participating. The soccer team, particularly, enjoyed home and home competition with several R.C.A.F. and R.A.F. stations in the vicinity of London.

Only 30 men of the total enrolment of 611 men in the Arts College and the Medical School did not participate in some form of physical activity.

First Aid

Under the supervision of the St. John Ambulance Association First Aid Classes were organized for all "category" men.

T.B. X-Ray Clinic

Through the courtesy of the Provincial Department of Health it was possible to arrange for a complete X-ray Clinic to cover all the students and faculty of the University resident in London. In this survey, 1281 persons were X-rayed and only three were found to require hospitalization. (Note: In six months from the time of the X-ray Clinic all three were found to be cured and discharged from the hospital). Through the co-operation of the Ontario Department of Health this T.B. X-ray Clinic is now to be a required part of the physical examination of each student at the time of his admission to the University each year.



#### Howard Ferguson Award

The special committee on the Howard Ferguson Award selected William George Scott of Windsor as the worthy candidate for this award. The recipient had made a very fine contribution to the student life during his sojourn here at the University.

#### Women's Department

The total enrolment of women students in the Arts College and Medical School was 260 and the number participating in physical activities 206.

First Aid classes were organized for women. Ninety wrote their examinations and all but one succeeded in securing their St. John Ambulance Association award.

The fencing class of 31 women students had a very successful season, closing it with a tournament under the direction of their very competent instructor, Mrs. C. Tritten.

#### Western Ontario Secondary Schools' Association

The secretary of the Department of Physical Education has from time to time conferred with the members of the Executive of the Western Ontario Secondary Schools' Association and has rendered assistance when called upon by an individual teacher or a school.

Very little competition is carried on by most secondary schools and none under the direction of the Western Ontario Secondary Schools' Association which suspended operation for the duration of the war.

#### Instruction in Air Raid Precautions

Under instructions from the late Honourable R. J. Manion, M.C., M.D., Director of Civil Air Raid Precautions, the President, W. Sherwood Fox, accepted the responsibility of the University conducting a course in Air Raid Precautions.

Inspector L. H. Hessel of the London Fire Department was secured and gave a course of five lectures to men and five to women, completing each with an examination.

Inspector Hessel's lectures were illustrated with samples of fire-prevention apparatus. The course was considered to be highly successful.



Campaign for Armouries-Field House

The immediate need of the Department of Physical Education for the means of accommodating the C.O.T.C. and the Naval and Air Force training units and also of developing an adequate programme of physical fitness among faculty and students has become more urgent than ever. As a result a special building committee of the Board of Governors has been revived and enlarged for the purpose of drawing up plans for a building that will rectify the present situation. Under the chairmanship of Mr. W. L. Duffield this committee was authorized to secure priorities and proceed to the erection of the building as soon as possible. A statement prepared by the Chairman is quoted herewith:

Proposed University of Western Ontario Armouries-Field House

"The University Student attendance has increased to such an extent that the present class room accommodation is not sufficient for normal daily requirements.

"In spite of this limited accommodation, the three military units of the University are using space in all buildings at times when this space is urgently needed for regular academic work.

"Therefore, some immediate and outside additional accommodation must be provided for the military units so as not to interfere with the Arts College and Science Faculty requirements.

"The Cafeteria occupies the entire third floor of the Natural Science building. Even this amount of accommodation is entirely inadequate. The Science Department is desperately in need of this space for their own use.

"At the present time there are no facilities for indoor athletics nor for the teaching of theory and the practice of physical training.

"The University is compelled to rent space from the Technical School, the Y.M.C.A. and Labatt Park at great inconvenience to the student body who must travel long distances to these centres.

"During inclement weather, the entire C.O.T.C. contingent is compelled to march to a building on Talbot Street, over two miles from the University, in order to complete their requisite number of parades and training.



"The Department of National Defence, Military District Headquarters No. 1, have for a number of years recognized the need for adequate training quarters and equipment for the C.O.T.C. The Department of National Defence, Ottawa, authorized in July, 1943, that suitable accommodation should be provided but the necessary permit for priorities for a building for this purpose could not be granted by the Controller of Construction.

Space at present used by the C.O.T.C.

"Office space and orderly room space has been provided for the C.O.T.C., U.A.T.C. and the U.N.T.D. in the Arts and Science Buildings.

"Quartermaster store space is provided in the Power House which takes over the entire section previously used by the Athletic Association.

"A temporary frame building was erected as a Gun Shed on the Lower Campus which has been used as a lecture room for map reading, etc.

"The Cafeteria on the third floor of the Natural Science building served meals to all divisions.

"Lecture rooms and laboratory provision for the Women's and Men's special war groups.

The Advantages of Proposed Building

"This proposed portion of the Field House will contain a gymnasium-drill hall, auditorium stage, cafeteria, rifle range, complete quarters and stores for the Canadian Officers' Training Corps units, lockers and showers and accommodation for the Physical Education Department Executive offices.

"The cafeteria in the north wing will have the most modern equipment and will afford facilities for serving meals for the entire University student body.

"The general space that this building will provide would release and make available lecture and class room space so seriously needed.

"Locker room space with showers and sanitary accommodation will be amply provided for both men and women students.

"At the close of the student year, it is necessary for the C.O.T.C. units to hold their summer camp almost immediately so that the students will be free for work during the summer months.



The Building would provide ample accommodation each year for the summer Military camps of all University units. It is not possible to have this training under canvas so early in the season. Last spring (1943) space was provided in the Arts Building for administration and sleeping, which required a great deal of outlay and caused some harm to the building. The proposed building would provide sleeping accommodation for approximately 150 men. One of the great needs in the district of Western Ontario is for quarters for secondary school students who meet in annual athletic competitions. It is intended to encourage the secondary schools to hold these competitions at the University for football, basketball, track and hockey, etc. Their students would be quartered and have all their meals in the building.

#### Field House Complete

"The plans herewith submitted are part of the permanent Armouries-Field House complete, which will eventually contain, in addition, a swimming pool and administrative offices, and will be the centre of all physical education activities, physical fitness programme, health course, physical training for students who are qualifying for teachers for high schools and colleges, as well as providing accommodation for all military activities of the University post-war programme. No facilities are provided for any of these activities at the present time.

#### Financial

"Through University sources approximately \$25,000.00 has been donated over a period of years for this proposed building. O. Roy Moore and Company, Architects, estimate the cost for this section of the Field House to be \$200,000.00.

"It is not intended to use any elaborate cut stone on the exterior of this portion but rather to have the building a strictly utilitarian structure.

"The eventual cost of completed project will amount to approximately \$400,000.00."



CANADIAN OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS

University of Western Ontario Contingent

Officer Commanding: Major F. Stiling

Strength

The Contingent began the academic year of 1942-43 with 485 officers and other ranks and the Reserve Company with 181, the total military strength being 666. This number was distributed among the various colleges as follows:

Assumption College	105
Medical School	97
St. Peter's Seminary	0
University College	432
Waterloo College	<u>32</u>
	666

The members of the Reserve Company were transferred to the C.O.T.C. Contingent as establishment and strength permitted and this transfer was completed by 30 April, 1943. During the year 63 members of the Contingent and Reserve Company were transferred to the University Air Training Corps and 28 to the University Naval Training Division.

On 30 June, 1943, the strength of the Contingent stood at 411, that is, 24 Officers and 387 Other Ranks.

Active Service

On 31 July, 1943, the number of former members of the Contingent known to be on Active Service was 702:

R.C.N.V.R.	82
Active Army	469
R.C.A.F.	151

Additional details about the services and units to which this Contingent has contributed will be found in the Appendix to this report.

Between 1 August, 1942 and 31 July, 1943, 173 members of the Contingent proceeded on Active Service:

To the R.C.N.V.R.	33
" " Active Army	105*
" " R.C.A.F.	35

\* Of this number 24 were Medical Students enlisted in the R.C.A.M.C. during their academic course.



Officers

(a) New Appointments:

During the year under review, 21 officers were appointed to the commissioned strength of the Contingent. This group consisted of 10 students, 7 Members of the University Faculty, 3 Graduates and 1 Other.

(b) Losses:

During the same period, 23 Officers were struck off strength:

- 15 Students (14 to the Active Army)
- 4 Faculty Members (1 to R.C.A.F. and 2 to the Active Army)
- 1 Graduate
- 3 Others (1 retired and 2 to the Active Army)

(c) Changes in Contingent Headquarters:

The following changes in Contingent Headquarters occurred during the year.

Commanding Officer: Col. Ibbotson Leonard, D.S.O. V.D. retired, succeeded by Major Frank Stiling.

Second-in-Command: Major N. B. Emory, to Active Army, succeeded by Major J. J. Talman.

Adjutant: Lieut. H. T. Peevers, to Active Army, succeeded by Lt. R. Crichton, MM.

- Medical Officers:
1. Captain R. A. Y. Johnston, to Active Army, succeeded by Captain H. O. Foucar.
  2. Lieut. D. M. Sharpe, to Active Army, succeeded by Lt. F. S. Kennedy.

(d) Analysis of Present Commissioned Strength:

There are now 26 Officers, including those who are attached:

College	Faculty	Students	Graduates	Others
Assumption	2	-	-	-
Medical	3	-	-	-
University	10	5	4	1
Waterloo	1	-	-	-

This strength includes 2 Majors, 8 Captains, and 16 Lieutenants, of whom 16 are qualified for the ranks they hold.



### Finances

The Finance Committee of the Contingent at a meeting on 29 October, 1942, adopted the policy of waiving to the Regimental Fund, twenty-five per cent. of the regular pay for the training year. All the members of the Contingent signed a waiver of pay. At a meeting held on 29 April, 1943, however, the Committee decided to deduct from Camp pay only the amount necessary to operate the Camp and not twenty-five per cent. This decision was communicated to the Commanding Officers of the U.N.T.D. and U.A.T.C.

Because of internal problems, the sum of \$923.52 was paid to the personnel of the Contingent from Regimental Funds. Consequently, the Committee was unable to place any money in a Reserve Fund during the past training year.

### Training

Training has been carried out regularly according to the syllabus. The conferences of Dean K. P. R. Neville and the Training Officer, Captain Raymond, resulted in the hours from four to six p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, being cleared of academic lectures and laboratories. This fine co-operation made it possible to hold parades regularly on these days and on certain Saturday afternoons. Some slight difficulty arose about finding time to give special training to officers and N.C.O's.; conferences of Mr. Crocker, the Training Officer, and the other people concerned soon swept away this difficulty.

Generally speaking, the training has been carried out satisfactorily, but it has been impossible to achieve that smartness and precision in foot drill which is expected of a C.O.T.C. unit, because there is no drill shed on the campus. It is expected, however, that this defect will be overcome by making use of the Talbot Street Armouries during the ensuing year.

There are two other comments about training that should be made. First, members of the Contingent at the Medical School now receive R.C.A.M.C. Training, instead of Infantry Training as formerly. This work has been under the supervision of Captain (now Major) Alan Skinner. Second, because of administrative difficulties during the past year, the group at Assumption College has trained with the 2nd Battalion (Res) of the Essex Scottish under the command of Lt. Col. McCorkell. As two members of the Faculty at Assumption College have now been commissioned, it is no longer necessary to impose upon the kindness of Lt.-Col. McCorkell.

### Enemy Aliens at University

Four German refugees in attendance at Waterloo College were, for a time, trained with the Reserve Company. On instructions from District Headquarters, they were struck off strength.



Camp. 2 May - 16 May. 1943

Immediately on the conclusion of the May examinations, the Contingent moved into Camp at the University, having 403 Officers and other ranks on the Camp strength. Because the Medical students were still engaged in academic work, they were excused attendance. Leave was granted to only twelve other members: 5 for farm work, 4 for academic reasons, 3 for compassionate reasons. Three cadets of the University of Toronto Contingent attended camp with this Contingent.

For the period 2 May to 16 May inclusive, the Main Building was taken over as barracks and the campus was designated a "Military Area." The Main building provided accommodation for administration and sleeping; the Cafeteria, facilities for cooking and messing; and the Campus, space for training. In addition, part of the valley of the Medway Creek was used for field engineering and tactical operations. This arrangement was made possible by the kindness of several landowners, namely: The London Hunt and Country Club, Reverend Principal O'Neil of Huron College, Squadron Leader V. Cronyn, the Mother Superior of Brescia Hall, Miss Corbett, Lt. Col. J. E. Smallman, and Mr. Ray Lawson, O. M.

Shortly before the beginning of camp, an obstacle course was erected on the Campus under the supervision of Sergeant John Metras. This course provided a splendid means of conditioning the men physically and in spite of its apparent difficulty there were no accidents.

Training was carried out satisfactorily with very little time lost, although there were only five days without rain during the period. The only loss attributable to inclement weather occurred at the Ranges at Cedar Springs when "A" Company had to cease firing at noon instead of continuing until evening. The spirit of the men was good and there was very little grumbling, largely because they were well fed and housed.

Extra messing for the cadets was paid for out of the Regimental Canteen Fund; extra messing for the sergeants and officers was paid for out of the respective Mess Funds. General camp expense was met by a levy of 85 cents on every member of the Contingent in camp.

The holding of the camp at the University immediately after the Spring Examinations had the following advantages:

1. There were few requests for leave; only 12 were granted;
2. Very little time was lost from training because of inclement weather;
3. Time lost through illness was less than .9% of the total number of training days;



4. Cooking in the Cafeteria kitchens resulted in the cutting down of waste and in the drawing of 686 meals below the allowance;
5. Ground suitable for field engineering and tactical training was close at hand. Very little time was spent in moving to training areas.

Holding the camp at the University was made possible by interested co-operation of a large number of people. The Commanding Officer appreciates the kindness and interest revealed in action of Brigadier Macdonald and his Staff, by President Fox, the members of the Board of Governors, Dean K. P. R. Neville, Col. Walter Brown, and the staff of the University. This kindness not only made it possible to have the camp at the University, but contributed greatly to the happiness and comfort of the troops and the successful operation of the camp.

#### Historical Record

During this summer, the staff of the Orderly Room has prepared a card file of former members of the Contingent who are in any branch of the Armed Services. This work has been carried on in co-operation with the University Committee on War Records. Over 700 cards have been completed and nearly 300 letters have been sent to relatives in order to supplement the information. This record will have historical importance for both the Contingent and the University.

#### Summer School

During the Summer School, 1943, a group of 16 students, 8 men and 8 women, were trained by Captain Inman and members of the A and T Staff. This group paraded for 20 hours during the period. The work was carried out enthusiastically by the students and satisfactory progress was made.

#### Military Future of Members of the Contingent

Members of the Contingent may no longer proceed directly to an Officers' Training Centre or even to an Officers' Selection and Appraisal Centre. Cadets and N.C.Os., hoping to secure commissions in the Active Army, will enlist in the Active Army and carry out training at a Corps Training Centre before being recommended for attendance at an Officers' Selection and Appraisal Centre. Qualified officers of proper age and category, who wish to secure an Active Service commission, will attend a Special Officers' Course at a Corps Training Centre. If they obtain satisfactory standing, they will proceed to an Officers' Selection and Appraisal Centre.

This new method of dealing with the personnel of C.O.T.C. Contingents changes the function of the C.O.T.C.



HONOR ROLL OF SERVICE

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By Services

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By Branches of Services

( General Duties ..... 76  
R.C.N.V.R. ( Medical Officers ..... 6

Active Army

Chaplain Service 7  
Medical Officers 109  
Senior Medical Students not yet appointed 42  
Auxiliary Services 4  
Personnel Selection 2  
N.D.H.Q. 5  
R.C.O.C. 13  
R.C.A.P.C. 4  
R.C.A.S.C. 31  
R.C.C.S. 7  
C.A.C. 24  
R.C.A. 62  
R.C.E. 7  
R.C.R. 7  
Canadian Fusiliers 5  
Elgin Regiment 3  
Perth Regiment 13  
Scots Fusiliers of Canada 14  
Highland Light Infantry 8  
Essex Scottish Regiment 17  
Kent Regiment 1  
Lorne Scots Regiment 1  
Irish Regiment of Canada 1  
Brockville Rifles Regiment 2  
Prince of Wales Own Rangers 1  
Governor General's Foot Guards of Canada 1  
Canadian Parachute Battalion 2  
United States Marine Corps 1  
United States Army 2  
Royal Netherlands Army 1  
Corps Training Centres, unplaced, etc. 72

(Combatant Duties 128  
R.C.A.F. (Chaplain Services 2  
(Medical Services 21



NO. 2 (UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN ONTARIO) SQUADRON,  
UNIVERSITY AIR TRAINING CORPS

Commanding Officer: Squadron Leader K. W. Hunten

No. 2 (University of Western Ontario) Squadron, U.A.T.C., was organized in October, 1942, superseding the older "University Air Training Squadron." It is meant to "provide a basic training which will be of benefit to personnel of the U.A.T.C. when they enter the Royal Canadian Air Force (Special Reserve). It is to be completed in two university years.....Advanced courses will be made available to those who have completed basic training."

The Squadron finally consisted of the Commanding Officer, from the University staff, sixty-two trainees from the student body, and in addition, one officer and two non-commissioned officers who were posted to the Unit by the R.C.A.F. to serve as administrators and instructors.

Of the original sixty-two trainees, two have been discharged on leaving the University, and fifteen have transferred to Special Reserve, or "gone active," leaving forty-six now on strength. Of these last, nearly all have been re-classified from AC2 to AC1 on successful completion of the first year's work. The figure fifteen above includes one who is now in process of transferring.

The year's work divides naturally into two parts --119 hours intramural and two weeks of camp. The intramural work consisted mainly of lectures in Mathematics, Navigation, Administration, Hygiene, Airmanship, and Aircraft Recognition, with practice in Signals and Drill.

The instruction in Mathematics and Navigation was given by the Department of Mathematics of this university; that in the other subjects by members of the Squadron staff and by instructors from neighboring R.C.A.F. stations.

One Church parade was held by the Squadron together with No. 24 Radio Detachment and the R.C.N.V.R. Bugle Band.

The Squadron was inspected in March by Wing Commander G. F. O'Farrell, from No. 1 Training Command Headquarters, and received an excellent report from him.

Camp was held on the station of No. 9 S.F.T.S., Centralia, Ont., commanded by Group Captain G. C. Fullerton. All the people on the station, from the Commanding Officer down, were cordial and friendly in their treatment of the Squadron, and as a result the boys had every opportunity to live and learn.



The lecture work at camp was largely a repetition of what had been done during the year, with some additions. A fair amount of time was spent on drill, physical training and organized games.

As the boys had almost the entire freedom of the station, they were able to do a good deal of investigating not called for by the syllabus. They were welcomed in such places as the Meteorological Office and the Control Tower. Most of their spare attention, however, was devoted to the hangars, and as the pilots were very good-natured, the boys were able to average about five hours in the air.

While on the station the Squadron took part in a C.O.'s Inspection, a Church parade, a Wings parade and a route march behind the one and only R.C.A.F. pipe band.

As individuals the boys took part in the social life of the station, attending unit dances and other activities. Three members of the Squadron played in the station orchestra.

One of the boys, with a perfect score, won the prize in the station's weekly competition in aircraft recognition.

For the period of the camp, 9 men from the Guelph Squadron and 10 men from the Toronto Squadron were attached to No. 2, which made the number of trainees in the group 68.

#### UNIVERSITY NAVAL TRAINING DIVISION

Officer Commanding: Lt.-Commander N. C. Hart

The proposal to establish a University Naval Training Division under the scheme suggested by the Department of Defence for Naval Services was presented to the Military Education Committee of the University of Western Ontario on February 5, 1943, by Lieutenant-Commander (now Commander) J. Baker and Lieutenant-Commander J. R. Hunter.

It was pointed out that there existed in the various universities units of the Canadian Officers' Training Corps and the University Air Training Corps, and it was felt that students in the universities who preferred to serve in the Navy should have the opportunity of training for this service while taking their undergraduate courses.

After a discussion of the various problems involved, the Military Education Committee recommended to the Board of Governors the formation of a U.N.T.D. in the University of Western Ontario, on the basis of a memorandum submitted by Commander Baker.



It might be noted that the U.N.T.D. is a part of the R.C.N.V.R. and is directly attached to H.M.C.S. "Prevost" under the command of Lieutenant-Commander J. R. Hunter. The University appreciates this association with Lieutenant-Commander Hunter who has long been a friend and ardent supporter of this institution.

The University recommended Professor N. C. Hart as Commanding Officer of the U.N.T.D. This recommendation was approved by the Department of National Defence, Naval Service, on April 22, 1943, the appointment to date from March 23, 1943. Professor Hart's rank is Lieutenant-Commander (Special Branch), R.C.N.V.R. (Temporary).

When enlistment was completed, the U.N.T.D. numbered 23 Ordinary Seamen, 5 Ordinary Coders and two stokers. The latter were enlisted for prolonged training during the summer and will return to the University in September. Of the 28 Ord/Smn. and Ord/Cod., one was granted compassionate leave to work on a farm, and 27 took one week's training on H.M.C.S. "Prevost" and then proceeded to the coast for two weeks' additional training at the Naval Training Establishment, Cornwallis, N.S.

Previous to their departure for Nova Scotia the members of the U.N.T.D. appeared before a Preliminary Selection Board on H.M.C.S. "Prevost" and 19 were designated as of "Officer" calibre. The other eight have the opportunity of appearing before a Board during the academic year 1943-44. Two Ordinary Seamen---W.J. Ransom and R. V. Eby, and Ordinary Coder---J. R. Evans decided to remain on Active Service.

The work of the members of the U.N.T.D. on H.M.C.S. "Prevost" and at Cornwallis, N.S., was highly satisfactory. As the establishment in Nova Scotia is under construction, conditions were not ideal, but the general report is that the boys were pleased with their treatment.

The Commanding Officers of the University Naval Training Divisions along with other members of Special Branches were required to take a four-weeks' disciplinary course at Cornwallis, N.S. Commanding Officers were permitted to attend at their own convenience. Lt.-Commanders McRosty, O.A.C.; McLay, McMaster; and Laidlaw, Manitoba, attended with me during the June period. We had the opportunity of discussing many problems with which we may be confronted. This training was duly appreciated and without it the Officers would have had a very inadequate appreciation of their duties and responsibilities.

I feel that the University of Western Ontario may be justly proud of the response to the establishment of the U.N.T.C. and of the record of the recruits. I am hoping that the Unit may be greatly enlarged during 1943-44, and I feel sure the members of the U.N.T.C. will maintain the high reputation achieved by members of the University and graduates who are contributing to Canada's war effort.

In conclusion I wish to express, on behalf of Lieutenant-Commander Hunter and myself, our sincere appreciation of the co-operation of Major F. Stiling, C.O., C.O.T.C., and his staff in facilitating the transfer of members of the C.O.T.C. to the U.N.T.D.



THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Director: J. W. Crane, M.D.

The Alumni Gazette carrying news items of the graduates in Arts, Medicine and Public Health, has been received so enthusiastically, especially by those in uniform, that it has become a monthly publication and twenty-eight hundred copies are being mailed to graduates and undergraduates of Arts, Medicine and Public Health, members of the faculties, newspapers of Western Ontario and others interested in Western. This is, in itself, a full-time job.

It is impossible to keep the mailing list up-to-date. The telephone directories of cities in Canada and the United States, municipal clerks and principals of high schools and collegiate institutes have been helpful in locating the graduates.

During the year a new branch of the Alumni Association was formed at Ottawa, due largely to the initiative and enthusiasm of Mr. Donald Herron, Arts '38. During the year Essex County, Kent County and Toronto Alumni branches have held meetings which were attended by your Alumni Director.

The Alumni Office at the Medical School sold about \$200 of second hand books for the students, a service that was much appreciated.

Private loans were arranged for a number of needy students who were not eligible for loans from other sources.

MUSEUM OF INDIAN ARCHAEOLOGY

Honorary Curators: A. H. Jury and Wilfrid Jury

From the standpoint both of valuable acquisitions and of the interest shown in the Museum the past year has been an encouraging one. Scholars of Indian Archaeology and pioneer history as well as the general public have visited the collection throughout the year.

The relics are arranged as far as possible in such a way as to tell their own story. The model Indian village has proved so successful, both in the Museum and at public fairs for the past ten years, that a new display has been made of a model pioneer homestead, with the tools, implements, and buildings typical of the period. As in the case of the Indian village, a part of this only can be displayed



in the Museum at one time. The model pioneer home has been of particular interest to the Summer School students who drew aid from it for school projects of a similar nature.

Because of lack of space, the original, full-sized relics of this type cannot be housed in the Museum, but valuable lessons can be learned from these authentic models. They have been used in effective displays with material from the University Library to illustrate the development of agriculture in Western Ontario. The originals are in the possession of the Curator and are now housed in Komoka. These should be placed in fire-proof buildings, as many of them are the only known specimens existing in this part of Canada. At the present time, relics of pioneer farms and industries are being discovered on all sides and may be easily procured. Recently it has been necessary to refuse a fully-equipped pump factory that will, in a few years, be completely destroyed. Some provision should be made for preserving large and cumbersome objects such as this.

The pioneer farm display in miniature was shown at the Stratford Agriculture Society's Fair in September. A keen interest was taken by the general public. Because of the educational nature of the display arrangements were made for the students of high schools and of the Normal School to visit the display in groups of eighty-five. The use of the various implements was explained to them and living conditions of the time were described, with special reference to the Stratford area and the Huron Tract.

The excavation of Indian relics has been suspended for the duration of the war. Nevertheless, building activity in certain places in Western Ontario has disturbed some Indian remains where gravel has been dug, and, as a result, during the past year, the Museum has been enriched by eighteen feet of wampum beads, two perfect Indian earthen pots, and several other objects of scientific interest.

At the request of the Fairfield Trust, extensive excavation has been made by one of the Honorary Curators on the site of the Moravian village of Fairfield, just east of Thamesville. Two rows of houses have been located, the foundations of some of which were rich with relics. This work is being financed by the Fairfield Trust, but will bring to the University the original photographic records and field-notes. With these aids the historian can bring to light much information concerning the lives of the early Protestant missionaries and their Indian followers of this pioneer mission.

The nucleus of a gun collection is steadily growing, twelve interesting pieces having been added during the past year.

Showcases are badly needed for the adequate display of the Indian collections.



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