Financial Conditions.—Current expenditures of the universities and colleges have risen from \$15,000,000 in pre-war years to more than \$36,000,000 in 1948—an increase of about \$100 per student enrolled in the full-time session. Previous to 1940, government grants represented about 43 p.c. of the total income, fees from students 32 p.c., returns on investments 13 p.c. and other sources 12 p.c. In recent years the students have been required to meet a higher proportion of the income. In 1948 the proportions were as follows: Government grants 41 p.c., fees 41 p.c., investments 7 p.c. and other sources 11 p.c.

Since 1945, capital expenditures reported have increased about \$10,000,000, endowments have been augmented by \$5,000,000 and trust funds by some \$20,000,000.

10.—Statistics of Income and Capital Resources of Universities and Colleges, Specified School Years Ended 1921-48

Note.—The larger universities and many of the colleges in Canada are included and represent an enrolment of approximately 80 p.c. of the full-time students of university grade throughout the period. The institutions omitted are mainly those conducted by religious orders where teachers receive little or no salary and the financial returns consequently do not represent a comparable record.

Year	Current Income							Values of Capital Resources		
	From Endow- ment	Govern- ment Grants	Student Fees ¹	Miscel- laneous	Total	Deficit ²	Surplus ²	Land, Buildings and Equip- ment	Endow- ment	Trust Funds
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
1921 1926 1931 1941 1945 1946 1947 1948	1,497 2,148 2,258 2,046 2,323 2,469 2,420 2,364 2,387	4,522 5,471 6,925 6,804 7,712 8,305 9,721 13,677 14,863	1,826 2,380 3,323 5,143 5,488 5,701 9,733 13,605 14,903	1,244 1,236 1,455 2,054 2,730 2,677 3,718 3,630 4,689	9,089 11,235 13,961 16,047 18,253 19,152 25,592 33,276 36,842	80 192 600 224 48 114 77 735 169	194 132 126 116 163 192 447 376 347	48,124 65,708 82,403 95,680 97,006 97,454 102,627 112,409 123,248	28,328 42,157 48,459 55,082 58,478 60,403 60,384 60,017 63,724	17,422 22,661 24,163 28,993 38,888 42,302

¹ Board and lodging not included.

University Training Under the Veterans' Rehabilitation Act.*—Assistance to veterans in training is provided under the Veterans' Rehabilitation Act as outlined in the 1948-49 Year Book at pp. 321-322.

Veterans were expected to commence their university training within fifteen months after discharge. Therefore, the number entering training has dropped very sharply. During the academic year 1949-50 there were approximately 15,000 veterans in universities who were receiving assistance through the Department of Veterans Affairs compared with about 24,000 in the previous year. Since the commencement of the training program 9,000 veterans have had insufficient qualifying service to carry them through to graduation. Of these, 5,051 qualified for continued assistance by securing scholarship standing in their universities. For the year 1948-49, 92 p.c. of the student veterans passed their examinations and won a high proportion of the available scholarships.

The distribution of the 15,000 veterans enrolled in 1949-50, by academic years, was: first year 878; second year 1,375; third year 3,692; fourth or subsequent year 7,285; and post-graduate 1,956. Since the inception of the rehabilitation program in 1941, 54,000 veterans have received benefits by way of university training.

² Combined deficits or surpluses of schools reporting.