

Fenton - knew McAulay for years.

- isolated at Down 30-40 (1st year physics) → 30-4 (3rd year)
- <sup>students</sup> making optical components during war eg- prisms.
- sights for 28lb guns - request by Sir L. Harcourt.
- great precision required.
- Prof McAulay - practical aspects <sup>of course</sup> very important enthusiasm of students, drive of Prof.

Dir Physics Dept - fame in optical research.

Dr. Cruikshank - important figure

- links between uni + industry

Now: optical astronomy.

Optics: - start from scratch both theoretically + practically, during WWII.  
~~etc~~ developed techniques - now used in astronomy

Nuclear physics: - cosmic rays - Fenton  
x-ray astronomy

- again drive (inspiration of McAulay)

size + location of uni no handicap to physics research.

Reading = summarizing chapters 4-6  
Tuesday an hrs pm hrs  
Wed. 1hr 40min.  $\frac{1}{2}$   
Thursday 45min

2 hrs  
5 hrs  
3 hrs 10 min  
45 min  
11 hrs