

McGILL UNIVERSITY

QUESTIONS SUGGESTED FOR A CONFEDERATION ESSAY

- I. The British North America Act was subjected to considerable contemporary criticism. To what extent has this criticism been justified by subsequent events?
- II. The proximity and the example of the United States: how did these two influences contribute to the bringing about of Confederation?
- III. Discuss Canada's experience with the party system of government since Confederation.
- IV. To what extent has Confederation influenced the development of the West?
- V. Discuss Quebec as a special problem imposed upon the statesmen who shaped the British North America Act.