

Before I forget I must mention the other benefits extra-curricular activities offer in the realm of physical training. Most of you have heard and seen McGill men in action on football, hockey, and other teams. If you haven't, McGill will be playing Toronto here in the concluding home game of the football season on November 5th. The members of McGill teams are instilled with the realization that the players of the visiting team are guests of the university. Here the chief link is the Scarlet Key Society, which does everything possible to make the visitors feel at home. At McGill every student who is physically capable can try out for our teams. There are no imports whatever. We engage in seventeen intercollegiate sports, often with several teams in one of them, for example the senior, intermediate, and junior football and hockey teams, as well as three more inter-faculty sports. Those who participate in the more strenuous sports are also encouraged to take up easier ones in which they can find pleasure and relaxation in later years. Nor must the business end of athletics be disregarded - students handle the managerial and business ends of all sports, thus obtaining an excellent training in modern business methods. By the way, studies are not sacrificed on the altar of championship teams here at McGill. The one great necessity right now at McGill is a gymnasium. Ever since I first came to college, almost seven years ago, I have read the rules regarding the number of hours each week to be spent in physical training in the university's general announcement, only to find a footnote stating that these rules have been suspended for the current session. Nevertheless a gym. is still hoped for among the undergraduates. We regret there is not sufficient capital to build the complete plant necessary,