

They have now postponed starting indefinitely.

How long is this state of affairs to last? How long are we to be accused of lack of college spirit on the one hand, and prevented from showing it on the other? There are many of us, real lovers of Old McGill, who want to do anything we can for her. Twice we have offered our services, and twice we have been told that they are not wanted; that the authorities are working out some grand scheme which will do more for McGill than we can ever accomplish.

That may be so, we do not complain. But so far there has been no sign of Olympic activity; we have waited for two years and now we are informed that we shall have to wait indefinitely longer. We have not even the satisfaction of knowing what we are waiting for. In such circumstances is it to be wondered at that hope deferred maketh the heart sick?

Let me suggest, with all possible respect, that the governing Body tell us what they are going to do, and in what way we can prepare ourselves to help them. I am bold enough to think that they will need our help; or, failing that, that their campaign will not be nearly so successful as it otherwise would be. We have shown very lately—as witness the Arts Scholarship Fund Scheme—that we are eager to do something. Let them tell us how we may all cooperate for the glory of Old McGill.

I am, Sir, yours respectfully,

SEMPER SPERO.

THE JUNIOR TATTOO

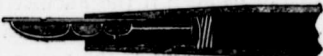
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