

It was also hoped that the dressing rooms might be placed convenient to and a portion available for the Hockey Arena. Here again it was found that they were of entirely different types and that the floors would be badly cut up by the skates. However, with the erection of the Hockey Arena there would be ample space under the bleachers for such accommodation.

A still more important consideration was the question of the use of the swimming tanks by visiting teams on account of hygienic reasons.

It was also found that the number of students using the Stadium and related to the senior football and hockey teams did not at present exceed two hundred, constituting less than ten percent of the student body. It was also found that the use of the Stadium was practically confined to some two months in the academic year; further that the probable erection of a large number of dormitories at Macdonald Park would not be undertaken for several years and that in any event the dormitory building as planned would cost of the neighbourhood of \$            and would only provide accommodation for            students.

It was also discovered that roughly 45% of the students were residents of Montreal, that another 20% (say 600) lived in accommodations close to the Campus such as the Strathcona Hall, Presbyterian, Diocesan, Wesleyan, Congregational and Royal Victoria Colleges, while those living in the Fraternities were situated about equal distance from either the Campus or Macdonald Park, and it was estimated the large proportion of the balance lived either west and south of Sherbrooke St or as close if not closer to the Campus than to Macdonald Park.

It was also discovered that 50% of the students were not engaged in any form of athletic competition or physical exercise, and the responsibility for their well being was quite a problem for the University. It further appeared that outside of class competitions and exhibitions and matches in which only a limited number of students took part and which were carried on in the evening, the indoor voluntary physical activities could best be carried on between 5 - 8 P.M. making a break between the lectures and the evening study of the students, and that therefore the Campus was much more central for this purpose. (Hart House Gym is closed in the evenings)

It had also been proposed that on account of the very poor accommodation for Sessional examinations which would be even more limited by the inclusion of the Molson Hall in the Arts Building reconstruction, the gymnasium might well be used for such purpose and its situation on the Campus would make it very accessible. Further if the building combined dormitories certain features occupying large spaces, such as reception, lounge, smoking and billiard rooms, as well as provision for a restaurant or cafeteria could be dispensed with if the building was erected on the Campus site, as the students would be well provided for in the Students' Union, which arrangement would, in turn, greatly benefit the Union. Further details of this matter I need not elaborate at the moment.

If used as a theatre, concert hall or convocation hall until proper facilities were erected, the accommodation would be much more accessible if built on Sherbrooke St.