

MCGILL UNIVERSITY

Memorandum re site of New Gymnasium and Dormitory Building

MACDONALD PARK: Purpose and Plans

Dormitories, Dining Halls, Stadium, Gymnasium, Bath, Arena.
Wisdom on unified plan. Subject to change. Cost 3/10 million.

STADIUM: Most spectacular, graduates keenly interested, guaranteed cost.

GYMNASIUM:

M.A.A. Building. Gift of J.K.T. Ross. Planned to include Track and Visiting teams and hockey dressing rooms, indoor playing field, Bath, Gymnasium, while preserving architectural effect and Stadium view.

DRILL HALL:

Strathcona's gift and negotiations with Government.

COMBINED BUILDING:

More than double funds - appropriation Campaign Funds.

NEW PROBLEM:

- (a) R.V.C. (b) Gym as single building. (c) Dept. Physical Education.
- (b) McGill's requirements. Dr. Douglas' gift.
 1. Provide for 150 students.
 2. Reduce cost of construction and administration
 3. Common requirements, lavatories, smoking and common rooms, administration offices, caretakers' quarters and laundry.
- (c) After war. Intensified problem of Physical Activities, many phases affected many interests and direct relation to all departments.
 1. Operation of Athletics mainly under Students' Council Comptroller.
 2. Graduates' Stadium Committees became active.
 3. Football coach permanent and to add hockey, boxing and wrestling, track.
 4. C.O.T.C. McGill, desired permanent instructor.
 5. Corporation's Standing Committee on Athletics.
 6. Compulsory physical training for 1,2,3, students, no credits or penalties.
 7. Governors re-appointing Physical and Medical Directors.
 8. School of Physical Education associated but not definitely identified.
 9. Physical requirements for R.V.C. students.
 10. Problem of efficient control of expenditures and requirements for extensions.

Ten problems related to each other, to University and affiliated Societies.

Department Physical Education formed, composed of representatives.
Dr. Lamb to give details of operation and requirements.