

# McGILL UNIVERSITY'S CHAMPIONSHIP RUGBY TEAM



This is the team which defeated the Toronto 'Varsity' on last Saturday, and secured the Intercollegiate Championship of Canada, after the latter team had lost to the McGill team on the previous day. The players are: Poirer, Messer, Lee, Barnall, Ross, Matheson, Hillington, Draper, Wilson, Montgomery, Macdonald, D. Williamson, Laing, Crookshanks, Lewis, Wilkes, McEwen, Rankin, Tilling, N. Williamson and Timmins. The man in the white sweater is the team's captain and mascot.

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## NO BREAK FROM SIR JAMES ON MATTER OF FRENCH TEACHING

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—That he would never support any government which would enact laws to wipe out French teaching from the schools, was the statement made by Sir James Macdonald, Conservative leader in the House of Commons, at a banquet in the Chateau Laurier to celebrate the sixtieth anniversary of L'Institut Canadien, a French educational society.

His Honor, the Right Hon. Sir James Macdonald, Premier of the Dominion, in his recent trip through the Dominion from coast to coast, and commented upon the signs of continued and growing loyalty of the people of every province to the imperial tie. The visit of Premier Macdonald and his colleagues to England and France last summer was noticed in general terms.

There is also reference in the speech to the bill to increase western representation in the Senate, giving each of the provinces two additional senators.

Special reference was made to legislation regarding the ratification of the West India Reciprocity Treaty, a measure for the encouragement of agriculture and the cooperation of the Dominion and the provinces; to the reintroduction of the bill of last session for the appointment of a permanent tariff commission, and federal aid towards the improvement of highways.

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The question of the government operation of the National Transcontinental Railway and of giving running rights to the C. N. R. or the Intercolonial Railway, as already forecasted, will also be one of the big matters of debate this session.

It is not expected that a redistribution bill will be passed this session. A measure for redistribution may be introduced but the government has no intention of passing it this session, preferring to leave it over until next year, thus avoiding any danger of being forced to go to the country without running their full lease of office.

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## OPENING OF PARLIAMENT

Naval Policy Does Not Find Place in Speech From Throne

LIBERALS ARE READY

Promise of a Fighting Session—Navy Matter Not Coming Until After Debate on Address—Little Apparently Ready For House

Ottawa, Nov. 21.—The Duke of Connaught opened the twelfth parliament of Canada at three o'clock this afternoon. There is promise of an interesting session.

The main subjects of debate will centre around Canada's relations to the empire with special reference to naval defence, the tariff problem, involving the whole question of wider markets and reciprocal trade relations within the empire and with other countries, and provision on a large scale for the enlargement of the transportation needs of the growing Dominion.

The permanent question at the opening of the session will, of course, be the government's proposals for an emergency contribution to the imperial navy. It is understood that a cash grant of \$30,000,000 is contemplated with subsidiary proposals for imperial defence council, the strengthening of the naval bases at Halifax and Esquimaux, and provision for the maintenance of the fleet.

The government's announcement of its policy is not likely to be brought down for a week or so, pending the conclusion of the debate on the address which will probably last for some days, and which will deal with questions other than naval defence.

The preliminary debate will, however, serve to emphasize the continued covert alliance between the Nationalists and the Conservatives, despite the apparent break through the retirement of Hon. F. D. Borden and the statement made by Sir James Macdonald, Conservative leader, noting that Dr. Paquet, Nationalist member for L'Islet, notified Premier Borden that he was still willing to accept chief ministerial whip for Quebec.

The speech from the throne did not foretell the signs of continued and growing loyalty of the people of every province to the imperial tie. The visit of Premier Macdonald and his colleagues to England and France last summer was noticed in general terms.

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This recipe makes 16 ounces of better cough syrup than you could buy ready made for \$2.40. A few doses usually conquer the most obstinate cough—stops even whooping cough quickly. Simple as it is, no better remedy can be had at any price.

Mix two cups of granulated sugar with one cup of warm water, and stir for 2 minutes. Put 2 ounces of Pinex (10¢ cents) worth in a 16-ounce bottle; then add the Sugar Syrup. It has a pleasant taste and lasts a family a long time. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three times.

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ected from the two civil service commissions so far appointed.

It is worthy of note that the government has already dispensed with the services of Sir George Murray who was brought out from England a few weeks ago to investigate the civil service conditions, and who had expected to make his investigation a thorough one by staying all winter. The cabinet meets the house with practically nothing ready except the bank note, the total sum exceeding by half the bill left over from last session. The estimates are not yet revised and the cabinet meets the house with practically nothing ready except the bank note, the total sum exceeding by half the bill left over from last session.

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## LOOK INTO THE MATTER OF THE HIGHER PRICES

Conclusions Reached by Commission Investigating In Ontario

SOME OF THE REASONS

Pleatous Production of Gold, E. E. From Farm to City, Enormous Expenditure on Non-productive Armies and Navies, The Tariff

(Halifax Recorder).

A most important report concerning the high cost of living and the causes thereof has been issued by a committee appointed by the Toronto Board of Trade to examine into the matter. The report is absolutely without bias, political or otherwise, and goes over the whole question pretty thoroughly. Though special attention was given to the city of Toronto, the facts and conclusions are almost equally applicable in any part of Canada.

Since the year 1900, there has been an increase in the cost of living the world over, and that increase has been greater in Canada and the United States than in Europe. Of course, the prices of 1900 were not the same in different countries, but using the prices obtaining at that time as a unit, we find that English food prices have risen as a whole 7 per cent, German prices 7 per cent, United States 17 per cent, and Canada 18 per cent. In regard to actual prices, this country is but slightly, if any, below the American figures, and considerably in advance of those of Europe, especially the United Kingdom.

The reason for all this is the fact that leading articles of food which are especially the products of Canada are being sold at higher prices than in any of the English cities. Among such articles are found butter, bacon, cheese, ham, beef, mutton, and poultry. The retail price of bread is 10 to 12 cents in Toronto, while London is 8 cents a quart for their milk, to 9 to 12 cents in Toronto, and 9 cents in Halifax. During the last twelve months alone, the cost of 225 articles entering into the question of living has gone up ten or twelve points, as shown by the Labor Gazette report.

The causes of this rise in the cost of living—a rise which is causing much suffering among the poorer classes—are dealt with very fully by the commission's report.

One of the first reasons given for the universal rise in prices is the immensely increased production of gold during the last twenty years, and the very great extension of the volume of paper in proportion to the gold basis on which it rests. To put it in the plainest terms, the world's money supply has increased more rapidly than the world's stock of commodities, and the excess is being poured into the market.

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## INQUIRY INTO DEATH OF PETER GLEASON

Miss Mallet and Brother on The Stand — Doctor's Opinion on Cause of Death

Dr. John McCarty said last night, at the inquest into the death of Peter Gleason, who died early Monday morning in the house of Oliver Mallett, Milford, that in his opinion the death was the result of acute alcoholic poisoning, due to an overdose of liquor.

Coroner Quinlan presided, but the cross-examination of witnesses was done by G. Earle Logan. Belle and Oliver Mallett, both gave evidence, and for the former, an inquest, F. E. Light, had to be employed.

James Gleason, father of the deceased, and Michael, a brother, told of seeing Peter Gleason in the house all day, and had not been drinking. He went for a walk after supper and never returned.

Dr. McCarty told of making the autopsy on the body, and said that death was due to alcohol poisoning. The black mark behind the ear was only a post-mortem mark. He had not analysed what was in the stomach, so therefore could not say whether there was any strange element in it.

Mrs. Margaret Quinn said she met Gleason about 7.30 o'clock on Sunday night, and that he was then perfectly sober. The coroner next called Belle Mallett to the stand, and as she came forward, her cousin, Mrs. Wm. Connell, followed her, saying that Miss Mallett did not understand English, and she would interpret for her. The coroner, however, made her take her seat and introduced Mr. Light.

Through the interpreter Miss Mallett said that she had known Gleason for about four years.

"Have you ever had anything to do with him?" said Mr. Logan, and before the interpreter could say a word, she said "No, no, no."

"Oh, you do speak English, eh?" said her cross-examiner, but she only smiled. Gleason came to her house about 8 o'clock, she said. He came by the rear door. He had a bottle of liquor in his inside pocket, which she said was about half full. He was under the influence of liquor.

"Did you have anything out of the bottle," asked Mr. Logan, and again she sharply replied, without the assistance of Mr. Light, "No, no, not a bit."

Gleason, she said, sat around until 9 o'clock, and then without asking, went to her bed, which was the only one in the house.

"And where did you sleep?" "I didn't sleep at all. Oliver and I sat up all night."

The witness continued, and said that she had seen Gleason drink from the bottle after he went to bed. He seemed to go to sleep very soon. Every once in a while he would groan heavily, and she went to the room four times during the night to try to wake him. About 5 o'clock, she said, he stopped groaning, but his face and hands were still warm.

She said that she knew the man was ill, and she was asked: "Knowing this, why didn't you send for a physician or some neighbor?"

"It was none of my business," she said. Here the witness expressed an unwillingness to proceed, but when she was told that the thing was serious, and it would be to her own advantage, she continued. At noon time she went for her cousin, Mrs. Wm. Connell, who lives in Main Street, and brought her back to the house. The latter said that Gleason was dead and telephoned for the "Yellow buttons," (meaning the policeman) said the witness.

She then proceeded with the story after the coroner had arrived. When asked why she did not call somebody from 7 o'clock until noon, she said that she thought the man was only drunk and not dead.

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