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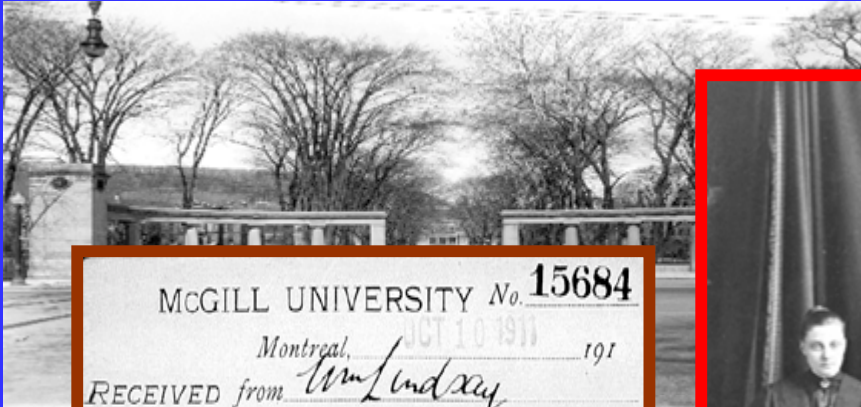
# University Records & Family History

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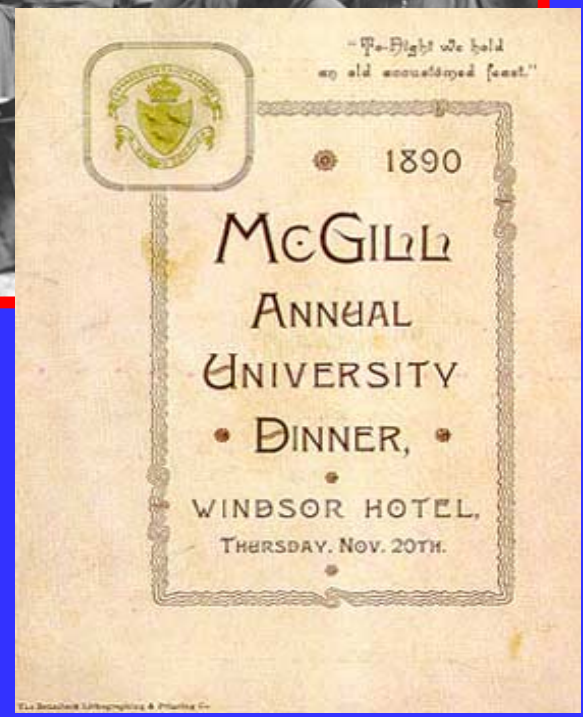
Montreal, *JUL 10 1911* 191

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Faculty of *Arts* in the *4* Year

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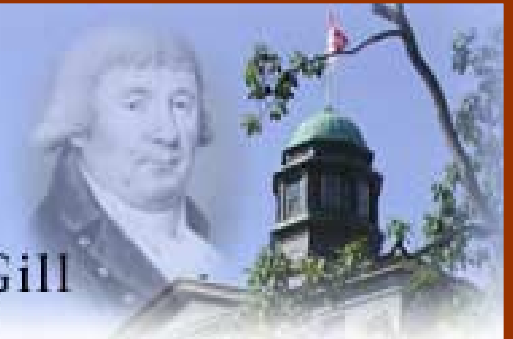
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## About the Archives:

- Over 400 private fonds
- Official repository for McGill University records
- 6660 metres of records
- 700 boxes received annually

# OUTLINE

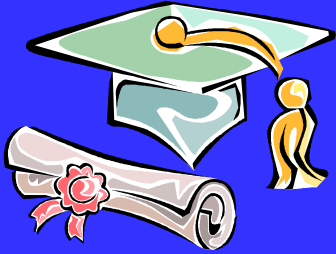


- University records & family history
  - Official records = facts about students
  - Sources about the context of university life
- McGill Family
  - Brief review of James McGill III
- Handout Review
  - Recommended sources



## Key early dates...

- Lectures begin medicine 1822-23
- McGill Medical Institution 1823
- Early evidence destroyed by Medical building fire 1907??
- Official opening June 24<sup>th</sup> 1829
- Women admitted 1884



# Limitations?

- Graduated or attended?
- Gaps in record-keeping
- Restrictions (personal information)
- Records about students vs. records by students?



# Record Types

- Student cards, records, files
- Graduates lists
- Registers
- Calendars
- Class photographs
- Publications
- Snapshots, informal photographs
- Programs, ephemera about student life
- Personal Papers



# Graduates of McGill University

## Alphabetical List

*Abbott, Christopher Charles.....	Law	1850
*Abbott, Harry.....	Law	1878
Abbott, John Betham.....	Law	1874
*Abbott, (Hon.) Sir John Joseph Caldwell.....	Law	1854
Abbott, Maude Elizabeth Seymour.....	Arts	1890
Abbott, Maude Elizabeth Seymour.....	Hon. M.D.	1910
Aborn, William Henry.....	Med.	1887
Adam, Joseph.....	Law	1878
Adami, John George.....	Med.	1899
Adams, Rev. Chauncey A.....	Arts	1902
*Adams, Abel.....	Law	1867
Adams, Claude Adelbert.....	Arts	1905
Adams, Frank Dawson.....	App. Sc.	1878
Adams, Horace Perley.....	Med.	1906
Adams, Walter Chamblet.....	App. Sc.	1892
Adams, Walter Chamblet.....	App. Sc.	1894
*Adamson, Rev. William A.....	Hon. D.C.L.	1850
Addie, George Kyle.....	App. Sc.	1889
Addie, Thomas Heriot.....	App. Sc.	1902
Addison, James Lumsden.....	Med.	1884
Addy, George A. Beldon.....	Med.	1890
Adrian, Robert Wilson.....	App. Sc.	1910
*Adsetts, John.....	Med.	1866
Ainley, Charles Newth.....	App. Sc.	1898
Ainley, Lawrence Thornton.....	Arts	1900
Ainley, Lawrence Thornton.....	Med.	1904
Ainley, William Edward.....	Med.	1904
Akerley, Arthur William Kenah.....	Med.	1900
Alexander, Chandler C.....	Med.	1895
Alexander, George Leonard.....	Law	1911
Alexander, Maurice.....	Law	1910
Alexander, Robert Arthur.....	Med.	1871
Alexander, William Webb.....	Med.	1891
Alford, John Harold.....	Med.	1904
Alford, John Newton.....	App. Sc.	1911
Alguire, Alexander Ross.....	Med.	1905
Alguire, Duncan Orestes.....	Med.	1873
Alguire, John Calvin.....	Law	1880
Allan, Clarence Eugene.....	Med.	1883
Allan, Hamilton.....	Med.	1872
*Allan, Irvine.....	Law	1862
Allan, James Hugh Brodie.....	Med.	1885
Allan, James Thompson.....	Arts	1912
Allan, Rev. James G.....	Arts	1873

\* Deceased.

McGill University  
STUDENTS' DIRECTORY

Name

Logie, William Leslie

ADDRESS

WHEN RECEIVED

PERMANENT ADDRESS

OTHER INFORMATION

Dead.

Date of Birth

Birthplace

Name of Parent or Guardian

Home Address at Entrance

Religion

FACULTY						
Sessions attended						
Degrees obtained from McGill University	Degree <i>M. A.</i>	Year <del>1835</del> 1833	Degree	Year	Degree	Year
Degrees obtained from other Universities	Degree	University	Year	Degree	University	Year
Other Distinctions						

Positions held since graduation

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Montreal,

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7. Music Examinations.....	7		
8. Conserv. of Music.....	8		
9. Summer Course.....	9		
10. Diploma.....	10		
11. University Schools & A. A. Exam.....	11		
12. Supplemental Examination.....	12		
13. ....	13		

In all..... Dollars \$ 62 -

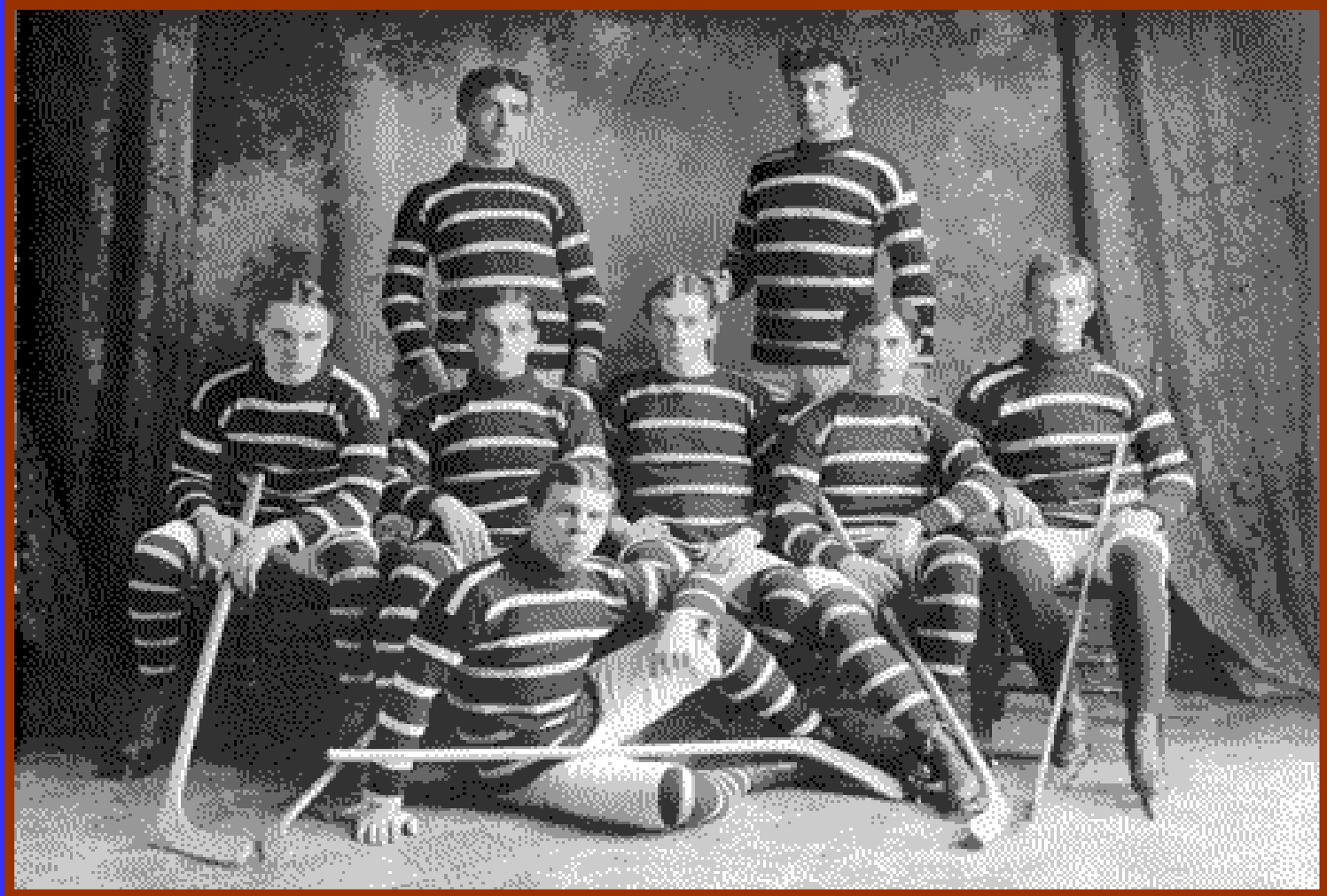
W. VAUGHAN  
Bar.

Per

Receipt for fees 1911 \$62.00



Old McGill 1898



McGill Hockey Team 1910



Royal Victoria College Basketball 1923



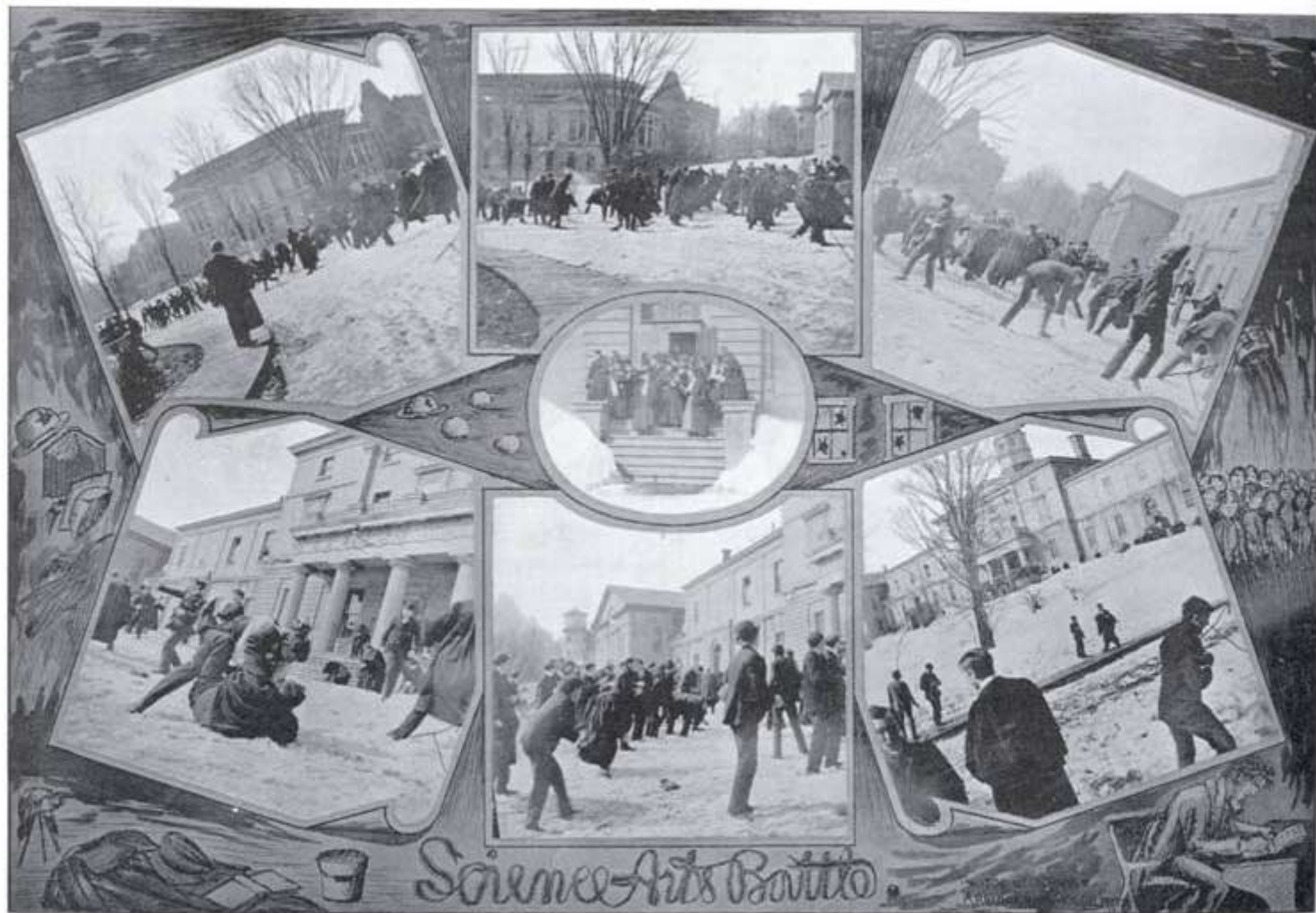
**T**ENDERS for the construction of the "Sir Arthur Currie Memorial Gymnasium-Armoury" are being called as this issue of the "McGill News" goes to press. Before another year has passed it is expected that the first units of the new building will be completed ready for use. ¶ Because of lack of funds it has been necessary to omit the swimming pool, hockey rink and other units that form a part of the complete scheme. ¶ The contribution made by McGill Cigarettes has added an appreciable sum to the building fund and your continued purchases of these cigarettes will do much to make possible the building of McGill's gymnasium in its entirety.

**McGILL CIGARETTES**

Authorized by the Building Fund Campaign Committee

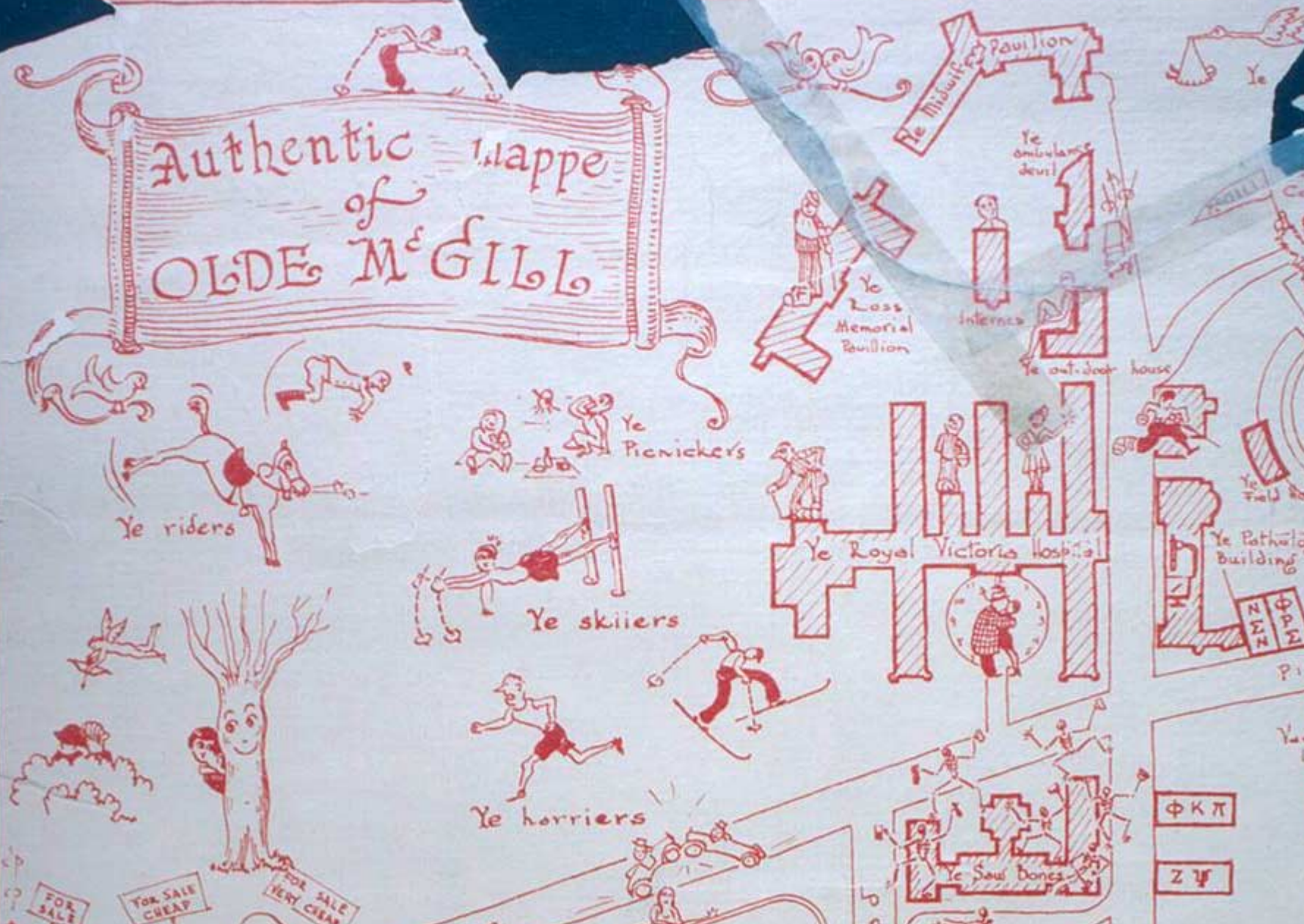
The  
McGill  
Smoking  
Campaign –  
To raise  
funds  
for the new  
Currie Gym,  
1939





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Old McGill 1898

Authentic Mappe  
of  
OLDE M'GILL



Ye Pavilion

Ye Lost Memorial Pavilion

Ye ambulance devil  
Internes

Ye out-door house

Ye Royal Victoria Hospital

Ye Pathology Building

Ye Saw Bones

Ye riders

Ye Picnickers

Ye skiiers

Ye horriers

FOR SALE

YOR SALE CHEAP

FOR SALE VERY CHEAP

ΦΚΠ

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McGill



College,

SESSION 1861-2

LECTURES ON *Botany & Zoology*

Admit Mr. *H. C. Burrill*

*W. P. Payne*  
SECRETARY.

UNIVERSITY OF MCGILL COLLEGE

Montreal Session 1861

THE INSTITUTE OF MEDICINE

BY  
WILLIAM FRASER M. D.

No. *Mr. Horatio C. Burrill*

*1<sup>st</sup> November 1861*

MONTREAL  
GENERAL HOSPITAL.

*Horatio C. Burrill*

Do continue in force six months.

*R. P. Maradeux*  
Secretary.

# In their own voice...

Est ce que le Min...  
Anglican pense qu'il  
réussit bien dans  
ses plans contre vous?  
Toujours bien vous  
avez vendu votre  
maison et encore un  
moussieur veut que  
vous le preniez en  
pension vous comprenez  
ce que je veux dire  
Parle-moi de ces  
tricks. que tu m'a  
parlé dans ta dernière  
lettre me disant qu'ils  
en avaient eue.  
nous les pensions klis-  
moi donc leurs tricks  
tu m'a dit dans ta  
dernière lettre que quand  
Mr S... te conduira à

Annie Holiday  
BA 1899, MA 1917



281 St Albans Str.  
Friday.

Dear Parents.

Before beginning  
my studies this evening  
I feel like visiting home.  
I have studied very hard  
this week. Sometimes  
discouraged sometimes  
encouraged. Whenever  
Friday night comes  
I always think of  
the prayer meeting  
in Rawdon & the people  
gathering for it. Some  
way or another it  
always makes me  
feel more or less  
lonesome. I see the  
girl every day up at

Dear Parents,

"Before beginning my studies this evening I feel like visiting home. I have studied very hard this week sometimes discouraged sometimes encouraged. Whenever Friday night comes I always think of the prayer meeting in Rawdon and the people gathering for it...it always makes me feel more or less lonesome."

1895 (nd)

anyway I don't think  
it would pay much  
to get it made over  
...we have got a great deal of work at  
McGill. Examinations are coming on & they  
don't give us anytime to review they keep  
us busy till the very last moment with their  
lectures & new work."

"...what is the use of me trying to collect  
the money for the rent. They know I am a  
girl so they don't mind."

1896 (nd)





## *Publications:*

McGill University  
Gazette 1873-1890

McGill Fortnightly  
1892-1898

McGill Outlook 1898-  
1907

McGill Martlet 1908-  
1911

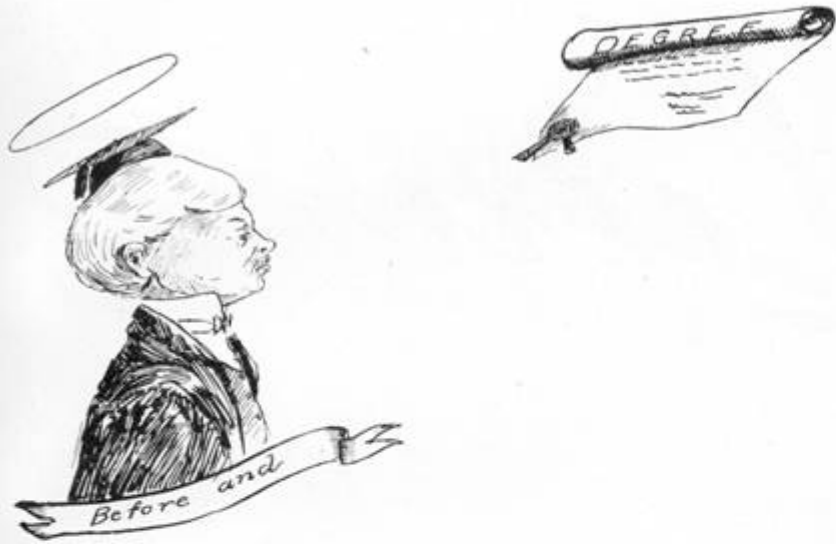
University Magazine  
1900-1919

McGill Daily 1911-

Old McGill 1898-



Sketch by Leonard Ashley



*Senior  
Class.*



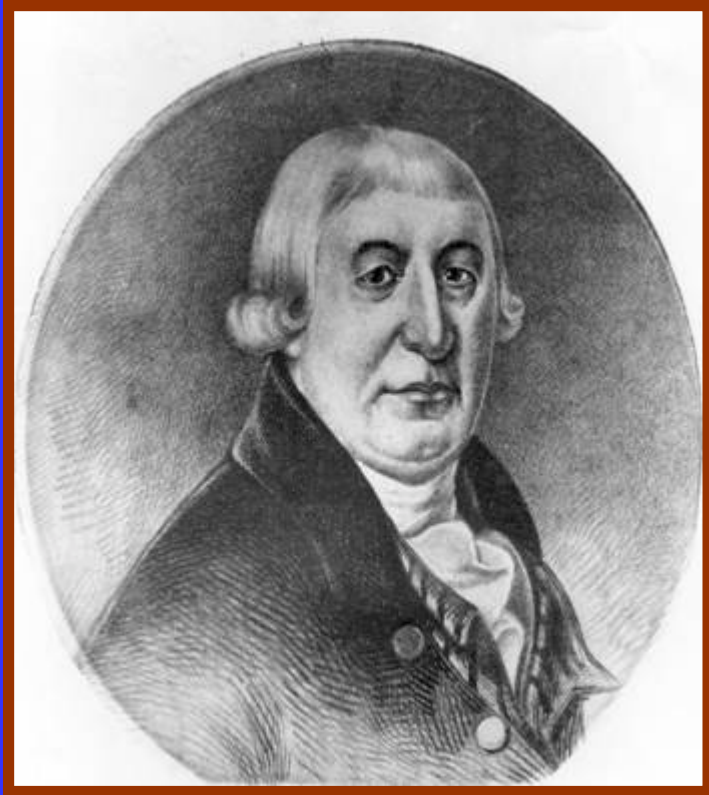
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Protesting Vietnam War 1967



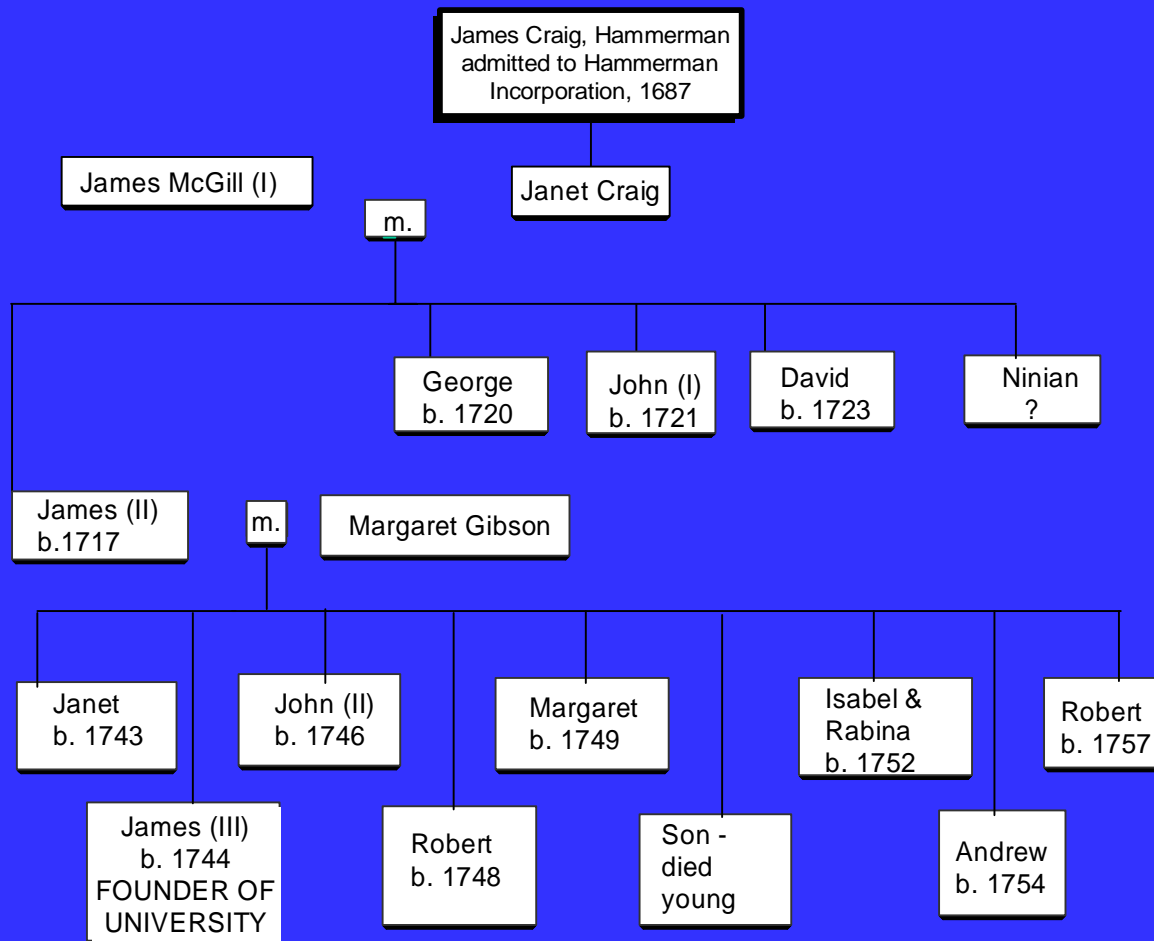
McGill students on "harvest train" 1942



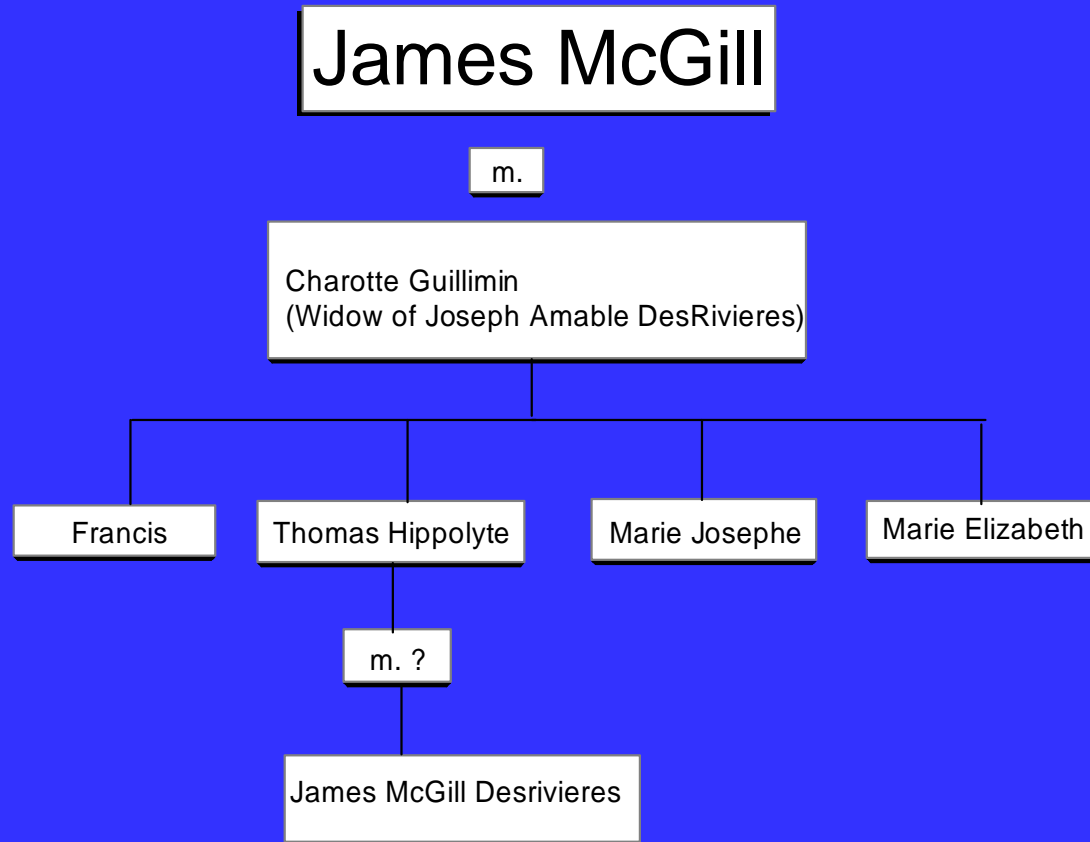
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Family

Is there a  
connection?

# McGill



# McGill - Desrivieres





# Handout - Review of Sources



# About the MUA

- Hours & Location:
  - M-F 9:00-12:30 & 1:45-4:45
  - McLennan Library Ground Floor (McTavish & Sherbrooke streets)
- Access Issues
  - Restrictions
  - Appointments recommended
  - 398-3772 x 0446

# University Resources\* for Family History

- \* Archival!!
  - Official Records (restrictions)
  - Records created by students
  - Photographs
  - Yearbooks and Publications
  - Plans and Drawings
  - Private papers

# Selected Published Sources

- Frost – institutional history
- Gillett - history of women at McGill
- Snell - history of Macdonald College
- MacDermot - hospital and nursing
- Fetherstonhaugh - history of McGill and world wars

# Handout – Review

- Suggested links
  - MUA [www.archives.mcgill.ca](http://www.archives.mcgill.ca)
  - Canadian Archival Information Network (CAIN) [www.cain-rcia.ca](http://www.cain-rcia.ca)
  - Canadian Archival Resources on the Internet  
[www.usask.ca/archives/menu.html](http://www.usask.ca/archives/menu.html)



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# Search by:

## Alphabetical Listing:



### Type:





## Region:



## Miscellaneous Resources:





# Suggested Sources – McGill University

- Information Files
- McGill News
- Student Directories
- Old McGill
- Scrapbooks
- Calendars
- Programs and publications



# Questions?

