

order to make a good showing on Oct. 7th. First of all it is necessary that every one attend the practices regularly, for when two or three players are absent the others lose interest in the game. Gymnasium work must also be undertaken; and under the direction of the competent instructor employed much good can be effected; but, above all, smoking should be avoided. There is nothing more hurtful to an athlete's "wind" and staying powers than the habit of smoking whilst in training. The secret of success in football, as in everything else, is work; the team which practices the hardest is the one that is going to win; so let the players bear it in mind, and if they do we may expect them to give a good account of themselves on Oct. 7th.

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The Committee of the O. C. A. A. met on Wednesday, 20th inst., and appointed the following sub-committees.

Football.—Rev. Fr. Thos. Murphy, Manager; Mr. T. Troy, Captain; T. Clancy, M. Guillet, J. McDougal, L. Kehoe, Councillors.

Baseball.—Rev. Br. Duffy, Director; J. Bonner, Capt. and Man.; E. O'Malley, T. Clancy, E. Donegan, Councillors.

Lacrosse.—Rev. Br. Hénault, Director; J. Dulin, Capt.; W. Brophy, E. McDonnell, W. Lee, Councillors.

Snowshoe Club.—Rev. Br. Lambert, Director; T. Leveque, Captain; E. McCabe, J. Murphy, A. Bedard, Councillors.

Hockey.—Rev. Fr. Thos. Murphy, Director; L. Kehoe, Manager; J. McDougal, Captain; F. Reynolds, W. Walsh, Councillors.

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

From the appearance of the large crowd which assembled on the junior campus, on the morning following the opening day of the present term, the junior editor has concluded that the increase in his duties for the coming year will be more than compensated for by the superior character of the events he will be called upon, from time to time, to record.

While regretting the loss of the usual

quota of old friends, who have received that mental equipment, necessary for successfully engaging in any of the numerous positions in the mercantile world, he is pleased to notice, among the members of the "small yard," many of the familiar faces of last year. He takes this opportunity of reminding them of the necessity of their taking the initiative in the work connected with the different branches of sports, which are carried on, in order that the present year may be the most successful in the annals of the association.

The juniors were greatly pleased on their return, to hear that Rev. Father David with Rev. Father Larganière, as assistant would be prefect of discipline during the coming year. Father David is no stranger to the members of the "small yard," and the fact that he and Father Larganière have charge of their affairs, is a sufficient assurance that their interests will be carefully looked after.

A very lively meeting of the members of the J. A. A. took place on the afternoon of Saturday, Sept. 16th, when the election of officers for the present year was held. For a few days previous to the election, a great deal of excitement prevailed, and considerable speculation was indulged in as there were several aspirants for each of the different offices. As usual the most capable and experienced persons were chosen, and the different branches of athletics will be pushed forward as speedily as possible. The following are the names of the officers who will have charge of the affairs of the association during the present year:—President, D. Kearns; First Vice-President, G. Martel; Second Vice-President, C. Hayes; Secretary, C. Phaneuf; Treasurer, J. Cowan;

Committee:—H. Glasmacher, R. Fortin, F. Belanger, M. Lapointe, J. McMahon.

Managers:—G. Martel, C. Hayes.

The first base-ball game of the season, was played on the afternoon of Saturday, September 16th, between the Junior First and the Senior Second teams. The score was 17 to 7, in favor of the Juniors.

The following players took part in the game:—