

Wesley—Goal, Carter; backs, Gilbert, St. John; half-backs, Wheeldon, Walton, Nicholls; forwards, Markle, Murchison, Doran, G. Walker, Laidlaw.

During the first half the St. John's, with the slight wind in their favor, confined the play pretty generally to the Wesley half of the field, although several good rushes were made on our opponent's goal. They were playing a hard aggressive game, and the Wesley defence seemed to be unable to stave off their attack. In fact, the defence was not up to the good form shown on the previous Saturday against the Tobias; but it must be said that the very slippery condition of the ground made it especially hard for the defence. The St. John's, however, were compelled to shoot at long range, and were not actually very dangerous, especially as the shooting was erratic. At last a good shot from Fletcher beat Carter, and St. John's stock jumped above par. They were unable to repeat the operation, however, so at half time the score remained 1—0.

In the second half, with the wind in our favor, St. John's were soon on the defensive. All the brilliant efforts of Pritchard, Hamber and Young were unavailing. They kept the ball out for a time, but when Wesley began to score they did so in rapid succession. Five times was Sinclair beaten by fast shots. Laidlaw, Walker and Doran were very much in evidence. For St. John's, Pritchard, Young, Hamber and Manning played well.

SCHOOL VS. WESLEY.

The match on November 27, Schools vs. Wesley, resulted in a tie. It seems to be Wesley's luck this year to play drawn games. Three such, so far, is a hard cross to bear. The teams on the above date were.—

Schools—Goal, McDonald; backs, Sanburn, McGavin; half-backs, Munroe, McPherson, Smith; forwards, McKenzie, Creighton, Duncan, Pettypiece, Henry.

Wesley—Goal, Carter; backs, Gilbert, St. John; half-backs, Spear, Walton, Nicholls; forwards, Markle, McCrossan, Doran, Walker, Laidlaw.

The game had been in progress for a about two minutes when Carter, having run out to kick the ball, he and Nicholls interfered with one another, and it ended in Carter making a somewhat weak kick. The ball rolled quietly to the feet of McKenzie, who took a "drop" on goal. Before Carter got back the ball was securely in the net. But from this on Wesley was on the aggressive. Within a short time McCrossan scored by a neat shot, but this was disallowed. But our forwards were not to be denied. When half-time was called the score stood 2—1 in favor of Wesley. The first goal was scored thus: McCrossan shot, and before the goalkeeper could clear, "Geordie" Walker assisted both him and the ball into the rear of the net. The second goal was scored by a shot from McCrossan, which Sanburn, in endeavoring to prevent, breasted through his own goal.

During the second half the attack was carried persistently into the enemy's territory. But the Schools' defence was playing a great game. Their half-back line is about the best in the league.

Our left wing, Laidlaw and Walker, were playing well together, but Markle, although playing a good individual game, was a little slow in "centreing."

At last the Schools forwards, in one of their spasmodic rushes, overcame the Wesley defence and scored. Creighton brought the ball down on the right and passed to Pettypiece on the left wing. Carter ran out to check the latter. A shot was made, which was wide of the goal, but in Gilbert's endeavors to stop it, the ball got tangled up with his legs, and by an unlucky turn he put it through his own goal. It must be said, however, that "Percy" was not to blame. During the fifteen minutes that remained the Schools rushed our boys "off their feet," and made more than one dangerous attack. But the ball was kept out somehow, so at he close the game stood 2—2.

ALUMNI VS. WESLEY.

Dec. 4th.—Wesley's fourth game in the series—the one against the Alumni—was the hardest game yet for our team. Nich-