

in breaking through for gains. Costello and O'Neill punished the opposing half line, Jones and Filiatreault broke through repeatedly, especially the latter, while McDonald and Brennan, as is their custom, never let the dangerous Richardson beyond their grasp. All the half line played well, as did Johnson at quarter, but Durocher was the star. His headwork coupled with his wonderful kicking, his running and tackling stamps him out as one of the best in the Inter-collegiate Union.

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WORDS OF POPE PIUS X TO YOUNG ITALIAN ATHLETES.

"I am greatly consoled to find myself among you boys and young men, for you represent the age of generous aspirations, and of brilliant, lusty and manly victories. Representing Jesus Christ, who was wont to surround Himself with the young in whom He found His delight, I too, looking upon you, feel that I must tell you that I love you—that I love you greatly, that I want to be to you not only a father, but a brother and a dear friend; and as you friend I fully approve your pastimes, your gymnastics and bicycling, your running and walking races, your mountain climbing, swimming, target-shooting. I admire and bless all these noble and pleasant games of yours."

"Bodily exercises stimulate the mind and drive away that idleness which is the father of all vices, and they draw us nearer to the practice of virtue. I will always remember you with joy, and I wish to say this much to you before you go away from here to-day. Be strong in guarding and defending your faith, now especially when so many oppose it, and rise up in rebellion against it. Show yourselves to be devoted children of the Church, and keep alive within you the spirit of worship which so many have banished from their hearts. Be strong in conquering the obstacles that lie in your path. I do not wish to impose any great sacrifices on you in the practice of virtue. I do not wish at all to deny you these games in which you find your recreation—on the contrary I wish to see you flourish in your youth, so that you may be able to gather in the autumn of life the fruit of the seed you have sown in your organizations by the fear of God and the practice of piety,—thus by your example you will exercise a real apostolate over your companions. Precept is a long road—example a short one; a man who is good at preaching and