

disapprove strongly of the methods and tactics employed to wrest it from its "adopted home."

To any supporter of this year's team and especially to one who had witnessed a majority of the games participated in by College, it would seem that the officials (in most cases) went on the field prepared to do everything in their power to advance the interests and chances of the opposing teams. Time and time again did they display lamentable ignorance of the fundamental principles of the game and give their decisions in a most questionable manner. We know that to many this excuse will seem childish and unbecoming of the source from which it originated, but nevertheless the fact is true, and it is with the utmost reluctance that we are forced to admit it. For the good of the game in Canada let us hope that in the future, (and particularly since the cup goes into the possession of another club) competent and impartial officials will be secured, that they will conduct themselves in a manner above reproach, and prove worthy of the confidence placed in them by the representatives of the clubs for which they are acting.

To the readers of the Ottawa press, residing outside the City of Ottawa, it must surely have appeared that the College club was nothing better than a good intermediate team, while in reality it was much superior to any XIV Ottawa has produced or can produce for years. The various city papers were none too generous with the space allotted to College Athletics, and on most occasions she did not get the justice she deserved at their hands. When it came to a question of the Rough Riders' admittance into Q. R. U., College were the "whole thing," (if we may be excused for using the expression) and for days preceding the meeting whole columns were devoted to accounts of College practices; they even went so far as to publish records of college victories dating from the first year of its existence. All this, however, with an object in view; and no sooner were the Rough Riders admitted than College had once more to be contented with the usual space. Another instance: The papers evidently knowing nothing of the spirit which dominates every member of the team, imagine that they can not take defeat like true sports and begin to fear, and for very good reasons, that College will withdraw from the Quebec