

## GRANVILLE V. ARMED ESCORTS

### SEMI-FINAL V.A.D. CUP

Despite the inclemency of the weather on Saturday afternoon a large crowd of the Army and the Navy assembled on the Chatham House ground to witness the semi-final contest for the V.A.D. Cup. between the "Nuts" and the "Cetos." Included among the spectators were Lt.-Col. J. T. Clarke, G.C.S.H.; Lieut. Hempson, of the Ceto; Lieut. Simpson, and several other officers, both naval and military; there was also present a large number of ladies.

Winning the spin of the coin the Nuts defended the Townley Castle goal. What little wind there was did not fill the Ceto's sails, for very soon the 'Villians showed that they were out to win, and they certainly had most of the play throughout the entire game. After a few exchanges by both defences the ball was sent out to "Red" Forbes; racing down the line, he passed it to Sergt. Horne who scored the first goal. It was only once in a while that the Sailors got down near Kingston's hut, but he had two splendid defenders in Dave Creighton and Frankie Willis, two hard Nuts to crack. Still, every time that Kingston was called upon he was right there with the goods. From a goal kick Horne, Longworth, and Tootell made a beautiful passing run, beating all attempts at a blockade, which ended in "Dicky" scoring a peacharino into the corner of the net. Well done Dick.

On the change of ends the Canucks were as keen as mustard, and but for the Excellent (not Whale Island) goalkeeping of Smith the score against the Cetos would have been much higher than it is. Eventually "Sammy" Horne and "Blondy" Berrett carried the leather down the pitch, and Horne beat Smith fair and square. Shortly afterwards a well contested game was called, the final score being—Canadians 3 goals; Escorts, nil.

Pte. L. J. Wall, of the Queen's (English Internationalist), did the whistle-blowing to the satisfaction of both teams.

Soldiers—		Kingston		Sailors—	
Creighton		Willis			
Berrett	Strutton	Towler	Pyves	Forbes	
	Longworth	Horne	Tootell		
Brough	Turner	Ferguson	Forsyth	Welsh	
	Henderson	Weyers	King		
	Doyle		Wood		
		Smith			

The Final will be played on Easter Monday afternoon at 2.30.

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