

one or two occasions when the Ottawa players broke the rules the game was without roughness, and no team ever deserved victory more than the Argonauts, for no team ever played fairer ball than they did, taking everything in good part, but playing for every point that was scored." Did the writer of the above have his eyes shut when Joe Wright kicked deliberately at Kennedy through the scrimmage before the latter player had ever locked in, and laid him out for the limits. Was the *World* reporter in the canteen when Langton charged an Ottawa man half his size after the whistle had been blown and play had stopped, and was laid out for his pains to the satisfaction of every fair-minded person who saw the act. This is the kind of guff that the morning papers are continually giving us about the O.R.F.U. teams, and yet if a tenth part of the deliberate rough play which characterizes almost every O. R.F.U. game were permitted in an Intercollegiate match those same morning papers would devote a column and a half to a discussion on the decadence of gentlemanly instincts in college football. There was a time when the college teams played in the O.R.F.U. and their leavening influence helped to keep the play above the level of brutality. We are aware of the result of their withdrawal from that association. "*O tempora, O mores!*"

McGill defeated Queens in Montreal on Saturday by a score of 11-1. This puts an entirely new face on the race for the Inter-collegiate championship. The standing now is:—

	WON.	LOST.	DRAW.	POINTS.
McGill	2	0	0	4
Queens	1	1	1	3
Varsity	0	1	1	1

It will be seen that if Varsity beats both McGill and Queens the championship is ours. Of course everybody knows how difficult it is to defeat Queens on their own grounds, and especially this year when they are particularly strong, but if it is possible it is going to be accomplished next Saturday. Great efforts will be put forth to strengthen the Varsity team for next Saturday. In all probability Biggs will be back in his old place at quarter, while Gibson and Armstrong will return to the wing line. It is certain that if a winning team can possibly be placed on the field it will be done, and here's success in the effort.

COLLEGIANS ARE CITY CHAMPIONS

"The softest snap I ever struck" said "Stony" Jackson, at the conclusion of the game on Saturday, for the city Championship in Association Football, between the Scots and the picked team from the colleges. If the city men cherished fond hopes of victory, they were sadly disappointed when they tackled the college stalwarts, for they were certainly "up agin the real thing" from start to finish. The Scots were dangerous at no stage of the game, the college halves breaking up their rushes repeatedly, and feeding their own forwards beautifully. The back division of the Scots played good ball, and were kept on the move through most of the game; their forwards, however, could not keep possession of the ball, and failed to follow up fast enough. For the college, Clarkson and McLaurin at back did their work well, while the halves were always in the game. "Doc" Jackson at outside right centered nicely and picked two corners that were converted. As the forward line had never practiced together, their play was rather ragged at first, but in the second half they showed some effective combination. Captain Jackson won the toss and generously allowed the Scots to have the full benefit of the sun in their faces. The ball had not been long in motion when centre forward Gibson saw an opening in the defence and put a nice one through. Although the play continued for most of the half in the Scots' territory, they prevented their opponents

from scoring until shortly before half time, when "Stony" Jackson and Gibson put a pretty one through on a corner kick from "Doc." On the resumption of play in the second half, at the urgent exhortation of their supporters, the city men "smoked up," but they never succeeded in getting close enough in to shoot. White and Dixon were now playing swift ball and made some pretty rushes, the former sending a red hot one between the posts on another corner from "Doc." Jackson. Shortly before time was called a fine combination run was started, in which all the forwards took a hand, Broder finally passing to Dixon, who scored easily. An "off-side" claim was allowed, however, and the score ended three to nothing in favor of the collegians. "Dan" Sinclair made an impartial referee, giving general satisfaction. The teams lined up as follows:

Scots—Goal, McKendrick; full backs, Mott and E. Humphreys; half backs, Evans, Bradley, Browning; forwards, G. Humphreys, Dale, Small, F. Dale and Stinson.

Inter-College—Goal, Kerr (Tor. Med.); full back, Clarkson (Dent.), McLaurin (McMaster); halves, McKinnon (Varsity), Pengally (McMaster), "Stony" Jackson (Osgoode); forwards, "Doc." Jackson (S.P.S.), Broder (Varsity); Gibson (S.P.S.), White (Tor. Med.), Dixon (Osgoode). Referee, "Dan" Sinclair.

J. A. S., '02.

The Inter-faculty competition in Association Football has been going forward merrily, and a good fast game may be witnessed almost any afternoon on the campus. The present standing is as follows:—

SERIES A.

	WON.	LOST.	DRAWN.	POINTS.
Toronto Meds.....	1	0	1	3
S. P. S.....	1	1	0	2
Trinity Meds.....	0	0	2	2
Victoria	0	1	1	1

SERIES B.

	WON.	LOST.	DRAWN.	POINTS.
McMaster	1	0	2	4
Dentals	1	0	1	3
Varsity	0	0	1	1
Knox	0	1	0	0
Osgoode	0	1	0	0

PUNTS.

Telford and Sanderson, two ex-Varsity players, were in the game against the Argonauts on Saturday.

Varsity officials ran the Ottawa-Argonauts' game. E. P. Brown was referee, "Thrift" Burnside umpired, Fred. Rutter was touch-line judge, and V. E. Henderson kept time.

Upper Canada College beat Ridley on Saturday morning 14-0. S. A. Mullin, '03, refereed the game, and R. H. Mullin, '02, was umpire.

CHESS.

A meeting of the club was held on Friday, 2nd inst., the president, Mr. N. S. Shenstone, '01, in the chair. Mr. R. L. Harrison, '04, was unanimously chosen curator for this year. The club is progressing favorably and many beginners are turning out to practise. Meetings are held every Tuesday and Friday in the Gymnasium from 4 to 6. In addition to the open and handicap tournaments a beginners' tournament has been arranged for, and as these tournaments will start about December 1st it is desirable that those who wish to play chess shall join the club immediately.

F. P. C., '02.