

Pepler i; Quarter—Matthewson i; Scrimmage—McConkey, Langmuir, Wenley; Wings—Reid ii, Allen ii, Ince, Macaulay, Matthewson ii, Hogg.

As the game was played under the rules of the O. R. F. U., Wenley and Hogg were dropped, and McConkey played as snap-back. The team throughout showed the benefit of coaching and hard practice. For their excellent condition the team are indebted to their own powers of self-control, and the iron rule of their Captain, Matthewson i. While all did well the prettiest work of the day was, perhaps, done by the half-backs, who, of course, would have been helpless without the steady work of the quarter. Campbell ii, in particular, deserves praise for his unselfishness,—the crowning virtue of a centre-half.

LAKEFIELD vs. LITTLESIDE.

The return match with Lakefield, played at Port Hope Nov. 19th, was a repetition of the first game, notwithstanding the fact that the School team was much lighter and less experienced than the one which went to Lakefield; some of the boys, in fact, having only played the game for about ten days; but as a result of the coaching by Mr. Nightingale, they played with a vim and spirit hardly to be expected in boys so young.

The School won the toss, but as there was no wind this was of little advantage; they pushed Lakefield from the start and five minutes after the kick-off went over the line for a try which was converted by Reid ii. Score 6-0.

Two rouge and a beautiful drop-kick from the 25 yard line by Campbell ii followed in quick succession making the score 13-0. The School was never in danger, as the ball was rarely in their territory during the entire match. Four more touch-downs all of which were converted, two touches in goal, one rouge and one safety touch for the School, brought the score up to 42-0. For a short time Lakefield held the School down, but could make no progress themselves. Two more touch-downs in the last five minutes of play, which were not converted, brought the final score 52-0.

The School played so well that it was hard to pick out the best; if anything Campbell ii, Pepler i and ii, Hogg and Matthewson ii were the most prominent. Campbell especially is

a promising player, his head work and punting were at times almost brilliant. Pepler i and ii, inside wing and quarter played into one another's hands like veterans. Hogg and Matthewson ii tackled and followed up well and were always on the ball.

We must also mention Apted and Few, the outside halves, who took advantage of all chances, making many fine runs. Also Reid ii for his fine kicking, whereby five out of seven tries were converted.

For Lakefield Young on account of his weight went through the School lines for many gains at first, but he was watched too closely towards the end of the game to do much. Patterson iii, left half, and Nellis i at quarter played well and pluckily. Patterson i is a good runner and with coaching will make a valuable man.

The teams lined up as follows:—

LAKEFIELD.—Pearce ii, Back; Patterson i, Young (Capt.) and Patterson ii, Half; Nellis i, Quarter; Clarke, Nellis ii and Lumsden, Scrimmage; Greeley and Wilkes, Inside Wings; Dennis and Glass, Middle; Patterson iii and Glass, Outside.

LITTLESIDE.—Martin, Back; Apted, Campbell ii (Capt.) and Few, Half; Pepler ii, Quarter; McConkey, Wenley and Tett, Scrimmage; Pepler i and Reid ii, Inside; Baldwin and Willis ii, Middle; Hogg and Matthewson ii, Outside.

AN OLD BOY.

Little side Steeplechase.

On October 18th the cross-country run that forms part of the Athletic Championship for boys under 15 was run. There never was any doubt that Campbell i would win the Gordon Osler Challenge Cup, but this did not daunt Little side; over 30 boys ran and most of them finished and finished gamely.

The course was a rough triangle, from the School to the shinny-bush, from there to the School road at its most easterly crossing and so home. The continuous fields with an occasional fence or hedge on the first leg of the course ending in the steep approach to the shinny-bush pretty well took the heart out of the runners, and when they turned onto the 2nd leg to come jolting down the hillside into a stiff ploughed field some few showed the white feather.