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Father Devine, S.J., the well known author and able editor of the Messenger of the Sacred Heart, paid us a visit during the past week, while attending the funeral of his mother. To the . Rev. gentleman and Sister Loyola we extend sympathy.

Alderman T. Church of Toronto gave the boys a good time while in the Queen City, in spite of the fact that .. was "simply awful."

The members of the Second team, accompanied by Rev. Fathers S. and M. Murphy, journeyed to Amprior Monday and there played a friendly game of football with the team of that town, which resulted in the home team, captained by J. Sullivan, and managed by J. MacDonald, two old students, being defeated.

The III. team, the pride of the College, in the genial company of Rev. Fathers P. J. Hammersley and D. Finnegan, travelled ti the town of Renfrew for their Thanksgiving Day turkey, and incidentally to play a game of football with the Collegiate squad of that town. Our boys were victorious.

## Athletics.

## FORE NOTE.

In last month's issue of The Review, the "Sporting Editor" did not lose himself in optimistic prognostications concerning the prospects for a winning team, consequently he is saved the humiliating task of "swallowing" what he wrote. It would afford the keenest pleasure to be in a position to report six victories, but, unfortunately, five of the games played found "our team's" score very much on the short side. To attempt to explain away the defeats through the time-worn adage, "Hard Luck," would be directly at variance with truth. To attempt to point out the weak spots on the team might be taken as a personal "knock," so the writer will not burden you by adding his humble opinion to the numberless ones already expressed on all sides. The players themselves perhaps have their own opinions, the professors of the University surely have theirs, and the general public, too, has one carefully thought out. What it is, perhaps it is better for us not to know, for we may get an answer that would surprise us.

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