

UNIVERSITY SPORTS.

THE annual games of the University came off in the City Park on University Day, Oct. 16th. The weather was all that could be desired, the sun shining brightly while the air was cool and bracing, and as a consequence the games were a complete success. The city people turned out in good numbers, especially the ladies, while the "small boy," who is always present on such occasions, persistently got himself in the way.

In the heavy weights the entries were numerous and the competition keen. D. M. Robertson, however, proved himself to be most at home with them, while A. A. Dame and T. G. Marquis were good seconds. In throwing the heavy hammer J. F. Smith made a third throw to settle whether he or Marquis should take second place, this throw was the best made, in fact he threw it 4 ft. ahead of Robertson who was given first. In tossing the caber, Robertson and Dame both made good tosses considering the condition of the log which had lain in a damp place all summer and had been in several heavy showers of rain which had completely water-logged it. In throwing the cricket ball, Marquis made a good throw of 92 yards, while Smith '87 made an excellent throw considering his size; he will no doubt when he grows a little more make a 100-yards thrower.

The high jumping was good; in the standing and running jumps the competition was close, Bertram and Burdett both doing well. The piece of ground chosen for these events was very poor or the records made would have been considerably better. The standing jump of 4 ft. 5½ in was good, but the running jump of 5 ft. would have been much higher, had the place from which to spring not been rough and the grass long. The "vaulting with the pole" was a fine exhibition between Burdett and Ranstead, the former eventually winning. In the broad jumps, Bertram had it all his own way, and although there were numerous entries, he was not compelled to do his best; in the hop, step and jump during the last four years he has always won as he liked.

The racing on the whole was good, in the 100-yards dash there was not more than a yard between the first and the last at the finish, and there were seven competitors. Bertram came in first in 11 sec., Marquis a good second. In the quarter-mile race, which was open to the city Rugby club and "B" Battery, there were four started; the two Battery men were soon distanced, and the race was between Bertram and Strange, the former winning handily, although Strange was close on his heels all the way; time, one minute. In the mile and half mile, Shaw proved himself to be the champion once more; in the half mile, Hamilton was a good second to Shaw, crossing the winning line in 2 min. 20 sec. The mile race was simply a procession, Hooper following Shaw around but not pushing him at all; Shaw showed what fine form he was in during the last eighth of the mile, when he ran as though it was a 100 yards dash: the time was something over 5 min. The hurdle race was one of the finest

run during the games; the hurdles being the regulation height, 3 ft. 6 in., made it more interesting; Bertram won by a few yards, Burdett pushing him all the way.

A new feature in our games this year was the bicycle races, which were open to the city, and proved to be very interesting.

Although the quarter mile race, the caber, and the running hop, step and jump were left open to the Royal Military College cadets, none of those gentlemen put in an appearance to try their skill.

Mr. T. A. Bertram has again proved himself to be champion of the University, winning eight first prizes, in fact coming first in all he entered for.

The following is the list of the successful competitors and their records:

1. Putting the light weight, 14 lbs.—(1) T. G. Marquis, '84, 31 ft. 11½ in. (2) A. A. Dame, 31 ft. 7 in.
2. Throwing heavy hammer, 16 lbs.—(1) D. M. Robertson, '86, 70 ft. 6½ in. (2) J. F. Smith, 74 ft. 10½ in.
3. Putting heavy weight, 21 lbs.—(1) D. M. Robertson, '86, 25 ft. 2 in. (2) T. G. Marquis, 24 ft. 8 in.
4. Throwing cricket ball.—(1) T. G. Marquis, '84, 92 yards 5 in. (2) J. Booth, '86, 85 yards.
5. 100-yards dash.—(1) T. A. Bertram, '85, 11 sec. (2) T. G. Marquis, '84.
6. Bicycle race, one-half mile.—(1) W. Nicol, (2) G. Smith.
7. Three-legged race.—(1) Bertram and Pirie.
8. Standing high jump.—(1) T. A. Bertram, 4 ft. 5½ in. (2) H. Burdett, '85.
9. Running high jump.—(1) T. A. Bertram, 5 ft. (2) H. Burdett.
10. Vaulting with pole.—(1) H. Burdett, 8 feet. (2) Ranstead.
11. Tossing caber.—(1) D. M. Robertson, 33 ft. 7½ in. (2) A. A. Dame.
12. Half-mile race.—(1) J. M. Shaw, '83. (2) M. Hamilton, '86. (3) T. G. Marquis.
13. 440-yards dash.—(1) T. A. Bertram, 1 min. (2) F. Strange.
14. Running hop, step and jump.—(1) Bertram, 37 ft. 11 in. (2) Booth, 36 ft. ½ in. (3) Burdett, 37 ft. 7½ in.
15. Running long jump.—(1) Bertram, 16 ft. 7½ in. (2) Fralick, 14 ft. 5½ in. (3) Burdett.
16. Bicycle race, 1 mile.—(1) Geo. Smith.
17. Hurdle race, 120 yards.—(1) Bertram, (2) Burdett.
18. Mile race.—(1) Shaw.

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE V. QUEEN'S.

A MOST EXCITING GAME IN THE RAIN—QUEEN'S VICTORIOUS.

THE foot-ball match on Saturday last in the Cricket Field was one of more than local interest, being the first of a series of ties to be played under the auspices of the Ontario Rugby Union Association.

Both teams were in good form, and took the field with a determination to win, since upon the result of the match depended which team should face the Ottawas in the struggle to-day for the district championship, and in the event of their winning in this, to meet some other club from the Western district in a final contest for the championship cup.