

bull-headed scrimmage. McGill can take a few pointers from their scrimmage play.

The teams were as follows:—

MCGILL:—Brunelle, Molson, Trenholme, Drinkwater, Levesque, King, Howard, Afey, Irving, Schwartz, Tees, Hill, McLean, Turner, Sparrow.

OTTAWA CITY:—Young, Smith, Fussell, S. McDougall, Fosberry, Crean, Buckham, Cameron, Kenney, Pultord, J. A. McDougall, Hill, Bustowe, Scarth, Cherrick.

Referee:—J. Gleason. }  
 Umpire:—W. Cianci. } Ottawa College.

### MCGILL VS. MONTREAL.

The odds were only 2 to 1 on Montreal.

It was said the red and black would double the score of the red and white.

The score was nearly doubled. McGill got a great big 8, while Montreal got 5, and, to use a slang phrase, "came off their perch" very suddenly.

The King, Grace, and Howard combination is hard to beat, and with Levesque behind them simply walked through and over the Montreal forwards.

The whole McGill forward line played like Trojans. Montreal could not hold them. Schwartz was the particular star. He seemed to be everywhere at one and the same time, and his wing playing was undoubtedly the finest ever seen in Montreal. The back division out-did themselves, Brunelle especially playing a steady, sure game, and often brilliantly. The whole team, in fact, were out to win, and every man did his share of the work, and helped to win the victory.

Before the play commenced the whole field was surrounded by a dense mass of spectators. Everywhere the red and white of McGill and the red and black of Montreal fluttered amid the crowd. It is estimated that fully 3000 people witnessed the game.

The ladies were out in force, and were by no means the least enthusiastic of the audience.

When the teams lined up, and Referee Craithem blew his whistle, a perfect uproar of applause greeted the players. "What's the matter with old McGill? and the answering shout "Montreal, Montreal!" resounded on all sides.

In the first half Montreal had slightly the advantage, but were unable to do much with the splendid defence work of the College, only scoring 2 to McGill's 1. The score should only have been 1 to 1, as the safety touch granted to Montreal should only have been a rouge.

In the second half McGill carried the play into Montreal's territory, and from a beautiful throw in of Tees, Molson secured a try, neatly converted to a goal. By this time the crowd was nearly crazy with excitement, and McGill "rooters" altogether in an insane condition.

The remainder of the game was a series of attacks and counter-attacks, but Montreal could only score 5 to McGill's 8.

The instant the referee's whistle announced that the game was ended, and McGill the winner, the boys swarmed on the field, caught up the members of the team and bore them in triumph to the dressing room. Grave

Seniors and verdant Freshies mingled in one wild outburst of joy and congratulations. It was a great day for McGill.

The teams were as follows:—

MCGILL:—Brunelle, Trenholm, Molson, Drinkwater, Levesque, King, Howard, Grace, Tees, Schwartz, Moore, Afey, Turner, Hill, Wilkinson.

MONTREAL:—H. McDougall, Fry, R. McDougall, Savage, Massey, Whyte, Brown, Redpath, E. James, Geo. James, Branch, Armstrong, Hagar, Paradis, Rankin.

Referee:—Mr. Craithem. } Touch Judges:—Dr. McKenzie.  
 Umpire:—V. Barry. } Mr. Waltham.

### MCGILL VS. MONTREAL.

#### SATURDAY'S MATCH.

The great game is over, and McGill is out of the race for the Foot-Ball Championship of the season of 1896.

Though defeated, we are not the least discouraged, but will be only the more determined to lower Montreal's colors next year. We feel confident that our team can play that of the M.A.A. to a standstill at any time.

Saturday's game was no test of the capabilities of either team. The heavy rain pouring down steadily for 24 hours preceding had thoroughly soaked the ground, and water lay in puddles all over the field. It was impossible to play good foot-ball. Still, the game was most exciting, and not lacking in brilliant plays.

There is no gainsaying the fact that our scrimmage could not hold the Montreal scrimmage as in the game of Saturday week's, and at times the halves fumbled the greasy wet ball: but McGill got the worst of the referee's decisions, played in desperately bad luck, and for almost the whole time were one man short.

In the first half, Tees, right wing, was ruled off till half time, for indulging in a slight scrap, while his opponent, as much to blame as he was, suffered no penalty. To us this seemed a most unfair act, especially as Tees was not warned previously. Then in the second half, Trenholm, the College captain, suffered a fracture of his clavicle, and had to retire, leaving McGill with but two halves. Molson, Drinkwater and Brunelle, full back, played brilliantly and pluckily, but with the heavy wind against them could not keep Montreal from scoring.

Of the 13 points, Montreal made 4 in the first half by a sudden rush from the kick-off. It was partly a fluke and partly owing to muffing of the McGill halves. The remaining points all but 2 were made after it had grown so dark that no one could see the ball except when right on it. The score is no criterion of the game, for several times McGill had the ball almost on their opponent's goal line, but could not score.

For McGill, Molson and Drinkwater at half played well. Molson's tackling was especially fine. Brunelle played his usual sure game at full, and on the wing, Schwartz, Hill and Turner did the best work. Levesque at quarter is unsurpassed, and quite upheld his reputation on Saturday.

For Montreal, Hamilton at full was sure and steady, while the halves, especially Savage, did good work. Jack the quarter saved many a point by careful play.

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