

SPORTS DEPARTMENT

A tendency to monopolize the handball court has been noticed in former years. A little unselfishness would not come amiss here.

The pharmacy boys are being accommodated with a new college. We hope in a few years to see this college strong enough to enter a team in the intercollegiate series.

We are looking forward to some good football from Wesley's junior team this year. Ever since the cup was put up for the champions in this series, junior football has occupied no mean place in College athletics.

The enthusiastic support of Wesley girls at all our football matches has become proverbial. We have every reason to believe that this year will in no way differ from the former ones, unless it be in outdoing them. Support from the side of the rope is an important factor of football contests. Let Wesley's supporters give the boys the benefit of their voices when the game waxes warm.

The Wesleys were exceedingly close to the championship both last year the preceding one. As good playing and a little better luck will give them the mug this year. It looks, though, as if the playing might be better than formerly. We learn that the executive has appointed T. D. Brown, '00, as captain of this team. Brown captained the junior team in '97-'98, when they did such good work, being defeated but once. With hard practice we see no reason why this team should not win out this season.

The gymnasium committee of last year were the first to engage a regular teacher for this branch of athletics. A class was formed and great progress made, one or two attaining especial proficiency. We should be sorry to see this good work dropped. Indeed, we think the whole gymnasium apparatus should be placed within reach of the students and a competent teacher secured at once. There is no knowing what possibilities in this direction the College contains. The "gym." is a good place to find out.:

At our annual football meeting it was decided to hold a series of inter-class matches. One of these, with the picked teams of the Seniors and Juniors on one side and the Previous, Prelims and Theol. gues on the other, made a very interesting game. The Sniors were somewhat handicapped by the absence of one or two of their best players, yet the result of 2-0 against them was a decided victory for the lower years. It is gratifying to notice such good material among our freshmen, and we welcome them as the men who will do their part to keep up Wesley's end in athletics. Among the new men we noticed especially the play of Campbell in centre forward and Young in half-back.

The halls of old Wesley again resound with the joyous laughter of voices, and the camps is dotted with figures making strenuous efforts to catch the pigskin. Very few of the old faces are to be seen, and the names of Laidlaw, Carter, Spear, Wheelton, Robson and Halladay, so familiar in the days gone by, are spoken of only by the few. To those who knew the above players it would seem that the