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RUGBY COMMENT

Lowell W. Dales, the latest acquisition to the Varsity back division, learned the game in the Toronto High School League at the same time as Hugh Gall and Billy Foulds. Since then he has starred at McMaster's College and last year, with Junior Arts and Varsity III, showed considerable class. Tommy is also a hockey star.

Herb Shutt, another High School star promises to turn out this week and try for a place at outside wing and should make the present aspirants hustle to keep him off.

Argonaut supporters are tickled to death with their showing against Tigers. However both these teams still stick to the archaic system of two bucks and a kick. Argos did not gain yards once during the game by means of their halves. Combination work never occurs to them. Billy Foulds may teach them something but just now St. Michaels and T.A.A.C. look like the best local teams.

The first and second rugby teams held a light practice on Monday evening. Very little heavy work was indulged in, although the teams lined up against each other for a short time. McKenzie played on the back division and showed up better than usual. Sinclair played a good game. McDonald played up on the wing. He was used as a flying wing on Saturday's game as was Charlie Gage last year.

Sifton injured his knee again and may be out of the game for some time. He is a big loss to the wing line. The Varsity hopes to see him in the game again soon. "Red" Dixon was helping to coach the teams. "Red" can't keep away.

NOTES ON SATURDAY'S GAME

Dr. Wright and H. C. Griffiths found a black cat the morning of the game and attributes the glorious success to this talisman. Their presence on the sidelines means more than a dozen lucky felines.

Captain Jack Maynard went into the game with a much bandaged ankle and played a very effective game throughout—to be in bed for nearly a week and to be able to stand a whole game speaks well for general conditions—Good Boy! Jack!

"Reciprocity Pete" Campbell showed his usual speed at ticklish moments. "Pete" had a clear field once but was called back on a forward pass.

"Bobby" Sinclair was the tackling demon of the day. "Hard, low and often," is surely his motto. Boddy, on the other end was very effective and works well with "Rushy" Bell.

Grass and German are the backbone of the wing. Their work is not as apparent as the more open play but the splendid way in which they blocked the Queen's bucks was greatly to be admired.

"Tommy" Dale made his debut into senior football and certainly is in the game "for keeps."

"Herb" Taylor has been elected official keeper for Doctor Wright's black cat.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

First Game Played on Saturday—Varsity Won

The first game of Association Football this season took place on Saturday on the rear campus, when Varsity intermediates lined up against the Toronto Scots. Although the Varsity team had only been entered two days before and never practised together they won quite easily by a score of 3-0. The lineup included a number of senior places. However, in the remaining games they will be replaced by new men.

On the whole the game was not of the spectacular or brilliant variety. At times

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WORK AT THE SETTLEMENT

Mr. Shaver Reports a Very Successful Season

90 BOYS ENROLLED

Various Departments Do Much Good Work—Interesting Statistics

An interesting report has been submitted by Mr. Shaver concerning the work of the University Settlement. It is as follows:

Gentlemen: I beg to present herewith a brief summary of the activities of the University Settlement for the past year.

WORK AMONG THE BOYS.

The total registration of boys was 90, and they enrolled according to denominations as follows:

Jews.....	6
Roman Catholics.....	22
Presbyterians.....	22
Baptists.....	2
Methodists.....	3
Anglicans.....	20
Unclassified.....	15
	90

The average evening attendance at the rooms was 32.

ACTIVITIES.

Seven gymnasium classes each week with average attendance of 10.

Three educational classes, one of six boys taking entrance work, one class of four boys taking matriculation work and one algebra class of six boys. In addition, three boys secured special tutoring. Fifteen different boys took advantage of educational work.

Fifteen boys assisted in making lockers and screens under the direction of the secretary.

LIBRARY.

480 volumes, 275 of which, were presented by the University Schools, and the balance by the Public Library and Dr. Hastings. Since January 21st, when the library was opened, 424 books have been loaned, having been borrowed by 43 different boys.

CLUB ORGANIZATION.

The larger boys are organized into the Young Varsity Club which is self-governing. In addition to the weekly meetings, two open meetings were held, addressed by Messrs. Hearst and Cruickshank. In athletics they have organized teams for the Juvenile City League. Last fall they competed in rugby and this spring they have entered two teams in baseball, the Young Varsity and St. Andrew's.

WORK AMONG THE FOREIGNERS.

82 foreigners were taught English in 10 classes, each meeting twice a week. These were of 7 nationalities,—Italian, Ruthenian, Lithuanian, Polish, Russian, Kurlander and Jew. 20 different students were engaged in this instruction, each devoting a night a week to the work.

MEDICAL DISPENSARY.

100 different patients availed themselves of the use of the dispensary and over 250 treatments were administered. As a result of an examination at the dispensary 5 patients were placed in the city hospitals and one other was sent for further examination to a tubercular specialist. A Dental Dispensary was started late in the year and although no definite record was kept of the work done enough was accomplished to show the value of this department.

STUDENT WORKERS.

Student Workers were engaged in the different departments as follows:—

Gymnasium Work.....	7
Educational Work.....	7
Saturday Evening.....	1
Library.....	1
Music and Singing.....	3
Foreign Work.....	20
Medical Dispensary.....	6
Dental Dispensary.....	2
Residents.....	3
	50

In addition to this number 8 others served on the Student Executive and 16 more assisted irregularly in one or other of the departments.

MILITARY TRAINING

Outline of Series of Lectures to be Given

Following is a syllabus of special lectures on military subjects to be given Wednesday afternoons from 5 to 6, in the Chemical Building.

October 11.—The Organization of the Empire's Military Forces; lecturer, Major L. F. Phillips, of the General Staff.

October 18th, Artillery; Lecturer, Major W. J. Brown, Canadian Artillery.

October 25th.—Cavalry; lecturer, Captain W. R. Kingsford, Royal Canadian Dragoons.

November 1st.—Infantry; lecturer, Major A. E. Carpenter, Officer Commanding Stanley Barracks.

November 8th.—Musketry; Lecturer, Captain W. P. Butcher, Attached General Staff.

November 15th.—Medical Services; Lecturer, Lieut.-Col. J. T. Fotheringham Army Medical Corps.

November 22nd.—Engineer Services; lecturer, Professor W. R. Lang, Major, Canadian Engineers.

The course will be continued after Christmas, when lectures will be delivered on selected campaigns by officers specially detailed for this purpose.

These lectures are open to all men students of the University and it is hoped that a large number will take advantage of this opportunity of obtaining information on the defensive forces of Canada and of the Empire.

The Ontario Division of the Canadian Defense League has placed a sum of one hundred dollars in the hands of the President to be given in prizes. Three prizes of fifty, thirty, and twenty dollars respectively will be awarded at the conclusion of the course to the students standing highest in an examination to be conducted by the University. The writing of an essay on some prescribed subject arising out of the lectures will also form part of the competitive examination, and regular attendance during the course will likewise be taken into consideration.

INTER-COLLEGIATE DEBATING UNION

Elect Officers for the Coming Year and Arrange Schedule

The first executive meeting of the Inter-collegiate Debating Union took place on Monday, October 9th, at 3 p.m. in Victoria College. The usual preliminary business preparatory for the coming winter was transacted. In addition to the representatives of McMaster University, and the Colleges of Knox, Wycliffe, Victoria, University, and Trinity, St. Michael's College was also represented, having been admitted at the last year's final executive meeting. The executive for the present year is as follows:

Hon. President, Sir James Whitney.

Hon. Vice-president Dr. J. A. Macdonald LL.D.

*President Osgoode Hall
Vice-President F. G. Poole, McMaster University.

Sec.-Treas. J. H. Dixon, Trinity College
G. A. Macdonald B.A., Knox College.
M. Bench, St. Michael's College
W. J. Rielley, University College.
J. D. Mackenzie-Naughton, Wycliffe College.

R. M. Edmanson, Victoria College.

(*As the executive had no communication from the Osgoode Hall Literary Society, relative to their representative, and since the office of presidency falls, through precedent, to them, no definite name could be inserted in list of officers).

The first series of the debates was also arranged, which are to be held in the following order.

November 2—Knox vs Wycliffe
November 7—McMaster vs Trinity
November 9—St. Michael vs Victoria
November 10—University vs Osgoode Hall.

The next executive meeting will be held on Thursday next, October 12th in the undergraduates Union at 3 p.m.

INTERESTING TENNIS GAMES

In Tournament Which is Now in Progress

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Last Year's Stars Are Showing Up Well—Ladies' Games Start

The auspicious beginning made with the tennis tournament on Saturday was well maintained on Monday and Tuesday, the contestants being favored by ideal weather conditions.

NOVICE

The novice matches were again marked by some exciting tennis. S. H. Brown defeated R. J. Vickers in straight sets, his puzzling tactics being seen to splendid advantage. In yesterday's match with O'Hara, however, he met an opponent worthy of his fettle, the latter eventually pulling out a victory after a splendid exhibition of heady playing. The game was much closer than the score would indicate.

E. M. Rowand, despite the multifarious duties of his office, found time to defeat Grant in straight sets.

A. C. Bastedo qualified for the third round by putting out Rowe in an exciting three-set match.

Harold Wrong, who looks like a winner of the trophy, enters the third round by defeating E. Martin at 6-3, 6-3.

UNDERGRADUATE

In this interesting series last year's favorites showed up splendidly; P. L. Armstrong, Rowand and Livingston all qualifying for the third round.

L. A. Allen, the crack Trinity exponent, easily disposed of Chidley in two sets. His chances for the honours look very good indeed.

By far the most exciting match of the day was that between J. Walton Peart, the St. Thomas star, and A. F. Telfer, secretary of the Track Club. The issue remained in doubt until the very last point.

F. C. Morrow, who has been putting up a splendid game, was finally stopped by O'Hara in the second round.

MEN'S OPENS

The first round in this series has already made rapid progress. Armstrong and Harold Wrong won from Gouinlock and Bastedo respectively.

A good game to-day will be that between Sissons and Hicks at 4 o'clock on the Varsity courts.

TODAY'S GAMES

Those interested in fast tennis should not fail to see the match between O'Hara and Allen at 3 o'clock on the Knox Courts.

The ladies' Undergraduate matches begin at 2 on the Varsity courts. Miss Cameron, Miss Sparks and Miss Murphy (the Undergraduate champion) can be counted on to furnish some clever tennis.

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U. C. FRESHMEN RECEPTION

Will be Held Next Tuesday Evening in the GYM.

The U. C. Freshmen reception is announced. On Tuesday night next in the Gymnasium, the Sophs. will tender the Freshies their annual reception. A good programme of sports is being arranged and, this event promises to be very different from the usual line of college initiations. A nominal fee of 25 cents is being levied on the Sophs. but the freshies can have their fun for nothing. The following committee has charge of all arrangements and is ready and willing to receive all subscriptions.—W. C. Kester, chairman; H. B. Preston, G. R. Annable, J. W. Hill, A. J. Duncan, W. C. Laird, J. C. McClelland.

Freshmen! come out and have a good time! Now is the time to meet your class mates and the members of the noble class of '14.

NOTE:—Dress suits and Tuxedos will not be tolerated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



The executive of the Students Parliament meets tonight at 4.30 in Prof. Wright's room at the Engineering Building. Will the following please attend: E. F. Johnson, Victoria; W. L. Scandrett, Forestry; W. B. McPherson, Science; W. E. Bastedo, Wycliffe; R. H. Manzer, Trinity; R. D. Thornton, Dental.

A meeting of students of F.O.E. is called for noon to-day in the Assembly Hall for the purpose of making arrangements for a F.O.E. Literary Society. This is the most important society in Education, and a full attendance is urged.

A meeting of the class of 1912, University College will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

The women of University College are reminded that their Literary Society holds its annual autumn tea in the East and West Halls on Saturday afternoon next.

The Class of '13 will hold their Nomination Meeting on Friday, Oct. 13, in West Hall at 4.15.

TENNIS SCHEDULE

Games to be Played To-day

The draws for to-day's games are:

LADIES' UNDERGRADUATE
First Round
2-3—Varsity Courts.
Miss H. Urquhart vs. Miss M. Burriss
Miss M. Sparks vs. Miss M. Robb
Miss M. Cameron vs. Miss H. Bletcher

3-4—Varsity Courts.
Miss I. Knox vs. Miss B. Wallace
Miss Burnett vs. Miss B. Davis
Miss C. Murphy vs. Miss M. MacPherson

MEN'S UNDERGRADUATE
Second Round
S. H. Brown vs. E. Martin

2-3—Knox Courts.
H. Wrong vs. J. S. Reid
G. C. Story vs. W. F. Hiscocks.

MEN'S UNDERGRADUATE
Third Round
11-12—Knox Courts.
E. M. Rowand vs. M. H. Staples.

12-1—Knox Courts.
J. W. Peart vs. A. C. Bastedo.

3-4—Knox Courts.
P. L. Armstrong vs. J. L. Burns
L. A. Allan vs. O'Hara.

4-5—Knox Courts.
H. D. Livingston vs. Winner Hiscocks-Story.

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\$285,000 FOR NEW KNOX

Announcement Made at Opening Last Evening—Prof. Davidson Spoke

A large number of the students and friends of Knox College gathered in the Convocation Hall last evening for the opening exercises.

After the devotional exercises, Dr. Gandier made several announcements in connection with the work of the College. Already the sum of \$285,000 has been subscribed towards the new building. Part of the grounds on St. George Street have been made ready for the new building. Contracts have been let for work of the excavations and foundation work which will be begun this fall.

A new class has been opened in the English Bible, especially for undergraduates of the University, and men of all years may now take their Religious Knowledge options in the college. Although there are fewer men enrolled in the theology classes this year, yet the number of those in arts who are looking forward to theology seems above the average.

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