

tive side was ably supported by Messrs. F. Hibbard, Pritchard, and G. W. Stevens. Mr. F. Pedley, the critic, made his remarks, which won approval from all.

The meeting on the evening of Nov. 13th. was called to order by Mr. N. P. Yates, the President, the following members being present: Messrs. Braithwaite, Clements, McOuat, Pedley, Topp, Cameron, Gerrie, MacArthur, Murray, Solandt, Duke, Jamieson, Pedley, Pritchard, Curtis, Sweeney, Buchanan, Johnson, Mason, Reford, Lucas, Hopkins, Hislop, McCallum, McPhail, the Vice-President, R. Henderson, and two visitors. Mr. Hibbard's motion to amend the constitution was withdrawn. Mr. Pedley's motion was partly discussed. Mr. Topp gave notice of motion.

The programme was opened by an essay on "Public Speaking," by Mr. A. P. Solandt; there was evidence of great care in preparation, and a thorough knowledge of the subject in this rather lengthy paper. "The Aged Man" was the extract for reading chosen by Mr. MacArthur.

"Resolved that Chinese Immigration to Canada should be Prohibited," was supported by Messrs. Gerrie, McPhail, and Murray, and attacked by Messrs. McOuat, Cameron and Mason. Justice may have triumphed, as well as eloquence, for the negative side was sustained by the meeting. E. H. P. Blackader, B.A., being present, said a few words, and the meeting adjourned at a late hour after hearing Mr. McCallum's critical remarks.

## Sporting.

### FOOTBALL NOTES.

On Thanksgiving Day the Freshmen, although playing only twelve men, beat the Third Fifteen of the Britannia's, by the score of 59 points to 0.

The return match for the Faculty championship, between Science and Medicine, was played on the 13th inst. Science, who had two men less than their opponents, won by 8 points to 1 after a very exciting contest. This leaves Science in possession of the coveted honor.

The Second Fifteen of the Britannia's defeated the Second Fifteen of McGill on the 14th. At the end of the first three quarters the score favored the Britannia's by 2 to 0, but in the second half time McGill went to pieces, and were finally beaten by 23 to 0.

The annual meeting of the Football Club, to re-organize for the session of '86-7, took place on the evening of the 17th instant and was signalled by the largest attendance known for years, nearly 60 members being present. After routine and special business, one item of which was a provision for the drafting of a new and most necessary constitution, the election of officers took place and resulted as follows:—

President—R. E. Palmer, Ap. Sc.  
Secretary—W. J. Hamilton, Ap. Sc.  
Treasurer—J. A. Springle, Med.  
Captain—A. E. J. Macdonnell, Med.

Committee—Henderson and Kirby, Arts; May and Macnutt, Science; Bradley and Taylor, Medicine; Budden, Law.

As large and energetic a meeting as this augurs well for the success of the club next year.

### FOOTBALL.

The committee have decided to give a handsome cup as an Annual Inter-Faculty Trophy. The Faculty winning in a series of matches will be entitled to hold the cup for a year. This is a move in the right direction, and will be sure to increase the already largely reviving interest in football.

### MCGILL vs. TORONTO.

We went up by instalments, fifteen on Thursday and nine on Friday, both parties, especially the first, making things lively for the other passengers. The terrible vaccinator, before whom we had been prepared to tremble, was a young fellow as light-hearted as ourselves, and from him we of the second brigade learnt the doings of the first: how they sang, played the guitar, bounced a companion, to the disgust of the conductor, who seemed to think this his prerogative, and finally, how they, even the captain, larked with the lazy members of the team far into the "*see sma hours*."

We had our larks too, but these were of a milder kind, and not long after we had passed Ottawa, all but two of us were adding a gentle score to the noisy rumble of the car. These two, confined late-hour men, stood on the platform, smoking and spinning yarns until nearly one o'clock.

We were met at Toronto by the members of the first brigade, who escorted us to the Walker House for breakfast, after which we turned out to do the town. Those of us who went to the 'Varsity were very kindly shown through its magnificent buildings by one of the students, but the rest of us had to depend on our own bumps of locality to bring us back to the Walker House. We had come up prepared to be shunned as small-pox disseminators but our imagination had never led us to dream that we should be mistaken for soldiers of the Salvation Army, as we were. However we flatter ourselves that we undecieved the citizens before we left.

At two o'clock we all piled into a chartered 'buss and drove to the 'Varsity, our fellows singing lustily within and being now and then cheered by the crowd that gathered in the streets as we passed. We soon entered the 'Varsity gates and, drawing up before the main entrance to the college, poured out, a flood of excited humanity, upon the sodden grounds.

Then ensued a wait of twenty minutes for a member of the team who had allowed the charms of one of Toronto's fair daughters to silence the call of duty. He turned up in time and play began at three o'clock, the 'Varsity kicking off. Our "half backs" were not quick enough in returning and a series of scrimmages resulted, ending in a rouge on our part. Senkler got the ball as it was kicked off and ran down to our