

record so far ; and their game with Dalhousie College XV. last November, proved them foemen worthy the attention of the *creme de la creme* of Maritime kickers. The fact that their sphere of usefulness in athletics has a wider range than football, makes their following the larger and their task of perpetuating sport in general the lighter.

The Club's record is as follows :—

1895—May—	Abegweits	vs.	Prince of Wales	- -	Draw, 0 to 0.
Oct.—	do	vs.	do.	- - -	lost 7 to 8.
1896—May—	do	vs.	do.	- -	won 14 to 1.
June—	do	vs.	St. Dunstan's	- - -	lost 5 to 7.
Nov.—	do	vs.	do.	- - -	won 11 to 3.
1897—May—	do	vs.	Pictou	- - -	won 10 to 0.
Nov.—	do	vs.	Prince of Wales	- -	won 13 to 1.
1898—May—	do	vs.	New Glasgow	- -	draw 3 to 3.
Nov.—	do	vs.	Dalhousie College	- -	draw 0 to 0.

Our footballers have always been at a great disadvantage from lack of competition. Their trips abroad, and their bringing of outside teams to the home grounds, have ever been undertaken in the face of difficulty and personal sacrifice. It is all the more wonder then, despite these drawbacks, that so good a showing has been made. The absence of a scheme whereby they could more frequently try conclusions with other Maritime clubs greatly retards development in game and players. The Abegweits, mindful of the proficiency and skill competition brings in its wake, strive their best to break a lance with the leaders.

Our boys have demonstrated their ability at the game on more than the home fields. Within recent years several of them have figured upon Upper Province college teams and have contributed in no small degree to the honors and successes achieved by the clubs of which they were members. Gordon Alley, W. H. Sutherland and P. F. Duffy of McGill's '98 team hail from the Province down by the sea, and received their initiatory lessons upon the local tilting grounds, the two former at Prince of Wales and the latter at St. Dunstan's. Thomas Curran, now Rev. Dr. Curran of St. Dunstan's College, and Patrick Cullen, an erstwhile student of the same institution, wore the garnet and grey of Ottawa College in the early nineties