

and students and we regret that circumstances did not allow us to return the compliment as we would have wished when Queen's visited Ottawa a week ago.

The trip home was of the most enjoyable kind and would remind one of the good old journeys to and from Brockville when that team was in the Quebec Union. The fact of being defeated did not detract any from the pleasantries, for the members of the team were foremost among its promoters. A concert royal with Mr. Filiatreault as leader provided ample entertainment to keep the drowsy ones quite alive.

### THAT PROTEST.

In the beginning of this department mention was made of a decision which was given by the C. I. R. F. U. on the matter of a protest entered by McGill against a decision of referee Dalton in the Ottawa College-McGill game in Ottawa on Oct. 14. It was mentioned in what would appear to be rather hard terms, but when the facts of the case are stated I think the reader will bear me out in what I have said. The case was as follows.

The score stood College 6, McGill 2, when McGill scored a try (5 points) and Callaghan was in the act of converting it. The College team waited behind the line until the time came to charge forward and then the whole team rushed up to block the kick. No one succeeded in the attempt but Bawlf jumped high in the air and the ball hit him in the back, yet it went over the bar and between the posts. Immediately Referee Dalton ruled that it did not count.

His decision was according to the following definition of a goal as given in the Rules of the Game:—

“When the ball is kicked (except by punt, flying kick, kick-out or kick off) from the grounds without touching the ground or any other player over the cross bar and between the posts (or the posts produced) of the opponents goal, it shall be a goal.”

Rule xi, of the Rules of the Game, says:—“When a side has obtained a try, one of its players shall bring the ball straight up to the goal line and thence out into the grounds, not more in front of the goal than where it was touched down, or fairly held and there place it for one of his side to kick.” To kick what? Evidently a goal. And the restrictions enclosed in parenthesis in the first i