

a narrow band of white chalk, was a broad strip of green grass, the rest of the ground being covered with three inches of snow. Guelph played "open formation" and Trinity "close." The game from start to finish was a hard "forward" one; the backs kicking, but never attempting to run. The Trinity forwards and quarters, Auld and E. Martin, played a splendid game, and to them mainly are to be attributed the six rouges and two touch-downs which were got in the first half. In the second half Trinity, playing against the wind, succeeded in getting one more rouge, while the Home club obtained a try, which was converted into a goal by Saunders, who also got the try. The score at the end stood 15 to 8 in favor of Trinity.

We next donned our knickerbockers to contend with Upper Canada College, old antagonists and hard to beat. We began the game playing without our full-back Mr. Mulle. This unfortunately cost us dear. Just before he turned up his substitute returned a ball into their rushers, and a try was the result. After the kick off the ball was slowly forced down the field, and DelaFosse, by a neat kick, placed us two points ahead. The rest of the game was a series of close scrimmages, and when time was called the score stood 6 to 4; Trinity thus winning the match by just the requisite two points.

Trinity College School met us on the following day, on our own grounds. They were very light, but had a good deal of speed, which, however, they did not use to the best advantage. Their game lacked the sharpness in which the city clubs always, to a greater or less degree, surpass those of the country. To this we may attribute their defeat by 36 to 2 at our hands.

Our next match was the annual match against the University of Toronto. Against a better team than that which only succumbed to the now famous Ottawa College Club by 9 to 0, we did not expect to preserve our colours from defeat. The game was a scrimmage game from the start, the passing of the 'Varsity men being spoiled again and again by the watchful activity of the Trinity wings. At the end of the first twenty minutes the 'Varsity secured a try, which was converted into a goal. Just before the half-time, DelaFosse caught the ball and claimed a free kick; the ball was taken out of his hands and touched down, nobody offering any resistance, and a try claimed. The referee disallowed the catch and claim of off side which Trinity made, and the 'Varsity kicked a goal from the try thus obtained, which, with a rouge, raised the score to 17. In the next half Trinity went pluckily to work, and by some good running carried the ball down to the 'Varsity goal, but it was slowly forced back, and a splendid kick from the field by Thompson, a rouge, and a try, added 11 more points to the score; leaving the 'Varsity an easy winner by 28 points.

## SS. SIMON AND JUDE'S DINNER.

The Annual SS. Simon and Jude's Dinner has come and gone, and as the first step towards an Annual University Dinner, was a great success. Eighty or more seated themselves around the board, and the Hon. Chancellor Allan took the chair. Amongst those present were Prof. Goldwin Smith, Prof. Hutton, Dr. Sheard, Rev. Provost Body, Professors Jones, Boys, Smythe, and Dunlop, Revs. Canon Tremayne, J. S. Howard, C. H. Shortt, R. J. Moore, Messrs. Beverley Jones, Barlow Cumberland, W. P. Atkinson, and J. A. Worrell.

The dinner, which was gotten up by Mr. Filby, the Steward of the College, was excellent. The Menu and Toast List was very tastefully arranged, quotations from various authors being subjoined to each item. After the cravings of the inner man had been satisfied, the toasts were proceeded with.

The first on the list, "The Queen," was proposed by Chancellor Allan, and was heartily drunk, and the National Anthem was sung. Rev. Provost Body then proposed "Sister Universities," and with this he coupled the name of Prof. Goldwin Smith, as representing the University of Oxford, and referred to his having lately returned from the mother country, whither he had gone to contend for the unity of the British Empire, victorious. He also referred to the pleasure we had in having with us Prof. Hutton, of Toronto University. In conclusion he paid a just tribute to the memory of Rev. Dr. Nelles, late Chancellor of Victoria University, and recalled the time when, on the opening of the new Chapel, he had dined in the Hall, and had spoken words of kindest feeling towards Trinity, and exhorted all her sons to work eagerly and zealously for her.

Prof. Goldwin Smith, who was received with hearty applause, said that Trinity always seemed to him to bear the strongest resemblance to an English College of any College he knew. He referred to the Oxford Commemoration, and gave a few reminiscences of his College life. He mentioned the great changes that had been made in Educational matters since he was a young man, and especially dwelt on the great increase in the pursuit of Athletics at Colleges, expressing his fear that in English Colleges, at any rate, they were being carried too far, and thought that the next generation would not pursue them to such an extent. Another great change was the admission of women to the Universities, about which he made some few remarks. In the future, it might be the far future he thought that in Canada we would have to join hands and form one great University for the Dominion, uniting in federal union the present Colleges and Universities. Meantime to Trinity College he wished all success.

Prof. Hutton responded on behalf of Toronto University, and said that he always regarded Trinity as a staunch upholder of the old system of education in which Classics and Mathematics were *the things*, but that now she had de-