Sports

THE "NUTS" v. R.F.A.

The Nuts on Saturday last had as visitors the R.F.A. who brought a good following with them to view the friendly game. From the outset it was evident that the contest was to be a fast one, and it proved so 'ere the finish. Of minor accidents there were quite a few. But only one man, the Artillery goal-keeper got his ankle hurt so badly that he had to quit. When the game was about fifteen minutes old Gunner Sharp got on the ball, took it down the field passed to his right wing who passed it back at the opportune moment when the Gunner found the net. Then the Nuts wakened up a bit, and although they bombarded the Battery goal could not get it through, "Red" Forbes on more than one occasion missed only by inches. But the Battery Boys broke away again, and Driver Cameron added a second goal shortly before half-time.

The second half was even faster than the first, the ball going up and down the field at some rate. "Red" got on the leather and dodging the backs, passed to Staff Towler who netted one for the "Villians". Taking heart with this success they came at the Battery goal with a thirst for gore, and from a scramble within the penalty line Staff Towler put the sides on even terms. Then came the tugof-war, the Nuts kept the ball in Battery territory, most of the time, but could not beat the splendid goal-keeping of the artilleryman. A few minutes to go and the Battery Boys went away again and Driver Hills put on No. 3, the game being called R.F.A. 3 goals; The Nuts, 2.

To-day (Saturday) the R.F.A. will meet the 3/4 Queen's in the first round for the V.A.D. Competition, at Chatham House.

HOCKEY ON WHEELS

A very fast and exciting hockey match between the Ramsgate Government Workers and the Granville Team was fought out at the Rink last Saturday evening. Although there was a heavy barrage on the Workers' goal the score up to half time was a tie 1-1. After the cross over the Granvillians notched another point; making the final result, Granvillians 2; Workers' 1. Balfour and Carr tallied for the Canadians.

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