

THE "Rising Stars," a cricket club formed by the juveniles, meets and practices tri-weekly. Edgar Mills is captain, their colors black and yellow, motto Excelsior, and their ambition to thrash the College team. Bravo youngsters.

Twice a week the second year may be seen wandering about the lawn and Instructive Bed, taking copious notes on the blossoming, bardiness, etc. of the various shrubs grouped so artistically on the College campus.

IF ONE'S progress in Analytical Chemistry can be measured by the rate of destruction of his test tubes, then Sparrow, precocious youth, had a full comprehension of that science before the term was a month old.

SOME rash young men from the 1st. year flat, who invaded the upper flat one evening when the 2nd. year were all out, and upset their rooms were considerably surprised a few evenings later, to find their own beds protecting the grass, just outside their windows from a gentle summer shower. *Moral* Don't trifle with the 2nd. year.

H. G. WILLS, '90, put in an appearance here on May 25th. He has grown considerably during the last year, but is as cheeky as ever, and seemed to greatly enjoy revisiting his old haunts, reminding him as they do, of many daring deeds of frolic and mischief.

"PICADOR" has returned after a fortnight's visit to Toronto, thoroughly *blase* and disgusted with the world in general, and Guelph in particular. A joke he has brought back with him, is to ask a girl how she spells "parlor." If she answers p-a-r-l-o-r, he says "No, p-a-r-l-o-u-r, I prefer it with a (you) in it."

TENNIS is in full swing, and every evening on the courts, may be seen the enthusiastic and aspiring young members of our club; the pretty costumes of the ladies lending beauty and colour to the scene. A meeting was recently held, where our secretary, Harrison, submitted a code of rules which were adopted; and we hope every member will carry them out, not selfishly preferring his own pleasure to the welfare of the club.

A FOOTBALL match was played on the Exhibition grounds between the "Royal City Juniors" and the "Excelsiors" on May 25th.

The game, a slow one throughout, resulted in a tie, neither side scoring. The Excelsiors are a recently formed team, composed partly of O. A. C. and partly of city men. The following from the College played on that occasion: Goal, F. McCallum;  $\frac{1}{2}$  Backs, W. McCallum and Wilkin; Forwards, S. Curzon, A. Curzon, Storey and Miller.

ON May 9th. the college team drove thirty-four miles in order to play Orangeville the first of the cup matches, and was beaten by 3 to 0. A strong wind was blowing, of which Orangeville had the advantage during the first half, and then it was that their goals were scored. During the second half the Orangeville team clustered right in goal, playing defence and not trying to score, this, combined with the rather wild shooting of our forwards, was the reason the College did not score. The game was a gentle one throughout, no one being hurt on either side. The return match, played May 23rd, resulted in a defeat for the College of 3 to 0.

BEING fortunate enough to find Mr. Carpenter at home, our reporter seized the opportunity to obtain from him his opinion on various interesting topics of the day, as follows: "Mr. Carpenter how did you enjoy the eggs you had for breakfast this morning?" "Well," answered that individual, "do you know I think it was awfully kind of them to give us spring chickens so early in the year, although personally I would prefer them minus their feathers." The question as to what he thought of roadwork for the students he refused to answer, saying that his loyalty for the Government prevented him from expressing his views on this subject. Having stated that he thought reciprocity would be for the benefit of the country, he intimated to our representative that the interview had lasted long enough.

ALL Students were glad to welcome to the O. A. C. once more Mr. H. B. Fraser the General Secretary of the Varsity Y.M.C.A. It will be remembered that Mr. Fraser was very intimately connected with the founding of the Association here and has already proved of exceptional service to many students. The bright, manly address at the regular meeting on May 21st. proved a capital introduction to these who were yet unacquainted with him and prepared all for the cheerful, social intercourse during his brief stay in the College. Dr. Malcolm, an old