

Athletics.

Owing to the warm weather of the past few weeks, the college outdoor rink has not been in shape for use. Hockey has therefore been almost at a standstill. Only two games have been played with outside teams. The Sophomore team played the G. C. I. team, on Victoria Rink, and defeated them, after a hard game, by a score of 4 to 2. On Friday evening, Feb. 6th, the college team went to Elora to play with the Elora team. They were beaten by a score of 5 to 3. The Elora rink is small and badly lighted, so that the boys were playing at a disadvantage, even the referee had to play a guessing game.

A meeting of the Athletic Association was held early in the term for the purpose of electing a hockey captain and other business. L. B. Tufford was appointed to act as captain of the college hockey team. A letter re college pins, from Mr. Pringle, jeweller, of Guelph, was read to the meeting. He asked the Athletic Association to adopt some standard design of a college pin. He offers a gold pin as a prize to the student who will draw out a design which will be acceptable to the association. A committee consisting of Messrs. Irving, Reed, Hamilton and Galbraith was appointed to get designs and consult with the staff as to the most suitable form of pin to adopt. The design adopted will be used on all the prizes and medals given by the Athletic Association.

INDOOR SPORTS.

The committee appointed last term to arrange matters for the indoor sports, has made up a list of events for Sports Day. There will be no contests in wrestling this year. During the last few years, owing to the lack of a proper instructor, the wrestling events have been trials of strength and physical endurance, rather than trials of skill and quickness as they should be. Another class has been added to the boxing events, making four classes in all, namely: featherweight, lightweight, middleweight and heavyweight. This year, more than any previous year, the need of instruction in physical exercises and other gymnasium work, is apparent to everybody. In other years instruction in drill was given by Capt. Clark, but even this has been discontinued, and during the first few weeks of the term the gymnasium was reserved entirely for the short judging course. In a college such as this all the time should not be devoted to mental gymnastics; a part of the time at least should be devoted to physical development. The caretaker of the gymnasium should be an athlete who is able and willing to train others, and we hope that in the near future such will be the case.

The committee of the Athletic Association, ably assisted by Mr. Milligan, is putting forth every effort in its power to boom athletics and make next Sports Day a grand success.

HOCKEY.

THE CITY LEAGUE.

A hockey league has been formed in Guelph by teams representing the