

MCGILL FORTNIGHTLY.

There is no one learned more in the ancient classic lore ;
Plato, Homer, and the plays, I reckon good ;
But, according to my dad's tone, I don't equal Mr. Gladstone
In Theology and Greek and chopping wood.

Chorus.

I've read Richter, Schiller, Kant, all the German works extant ;
Wolf to me is quite as tame as any lamb ;
And in Hebrew, I'm a genius,—I have struggled with Gesenius,
And I'll strike a dagesh-forty on exam.

Chorus.

I cansteer my way through Hume, Hartley's haze, and Berkley's
spume ;
On the sea of thought my sail is long unfurled ;
And my father knows philosophy, and he felt 'twould be a loss
if he
Didn't let me give my wisdom to the world.

Chorus.

Mathematics is a go, all the Algebra I know,
Trigonometry I studied for a year ;
But my fort is English literature, and I hold that I am fitter at
your
Age to lecture in the same than you to hear.

Chorus.

I've read Shelley through, and Scott, Moore and Byron too—you
ought,
And for Southey's epic poems saved my pelt ;
And I spent my hoarded pennies on all the latest rhymes of
Tennyson ;
And I write a little poetry myself.

Chorus.

I admit Professor Smith is a *prosaic* of pith ;
Just at present he and Justin lead the rank ;
But the finest pen of all, a—classic style had Lord Macaulay—
I've decided Matthew Arnold was a crank.

Chorus.

I'm an orator, no mistake,—so, I think, is Mr. Blake,—
I know how to handle metaphor and trope ;
Ah! won't I win notoriety in the Literary Society !
And my class will make me President, I hope.

Chorus.

CAP'N. GOUN.

McGill University Annual Sport.

The annual games of the Association were held on Friday the 21st instant, and were a great success in point of the numbers of the spectators, and the magnificence of the weather. The entries for the different events were, however, below the average, although the work done was in many cases equal if not superior to older established records. The officers and committee of the Association deserve the sincere thanks of the Students at large. Their task—an onerous one—was well filled and to the satisfaction of all.

The following are the officers and committee of the McGill University Athletic Association, on whom the success of the games depended :—

Hon. president, Sir J. W. Dawson, LL.D., F.R.S. ; president, D. Hamilton, Med. ; vice-president, A. S. Cleaves, Comp. Med. ; secretary, J. A. Cameron, Law ; hon.-treasurer, Prof. B. J. Harrington, B.A., Ph.D. ; treasurer, H. M. Jaques, Med.

COMMITTEE: Arts—H. M. Killaly and J. C. Hick-

son ; Law—A. R. Johnson, B.A., and G. W. MacDougall, B.A. ; Medicine—J. D. Cameron and J. Tees, B.A. ; Applied Science—J. Featherston and H. C. Baker ; Comp. Med.—G. Campbell and S. Thayer ; Theology—D. Guthrie, B.A., R. O. Ross, B.A., and J. Leach.

The following are the results of the various events :

Kicking football—1, G. H. Mathewson, 168 ft. 5½ in. ; 2, H. B. Yates, 151 ft. 8 in. Record broken.

Throwing hammer (16 lbs.)—1, Baskin, 61 ft. ; 2, J. T. Whyte, 60 ft. 4 in.

Running broad jump—1, Murphy, 18 ft. 8 in. ; 2, Milburne, 18 ft. 7 in.

Throwing heavy weight (56 lbs.)—1, Baskin, 21 ft. 5½ in. ; 2, J. T. Whyte, 16 ft. 7 in. Record broken.

Throwing cricket ball—1, Boucher, 284 ft. 6 in. ; 2, Wood, 281 ft. 10 in.

Standing broad jump—1, Milburne, 9 ft. 11 in. ; 2, Murphy, 9 ft. 7½ in.

Hurdle race (first heat)—1, J. T. Whyte, 20 sec. ; 2, J. Brown.

Hurdle race (second heat)—1, Milburne, 20 sec. ; 2, McIvor.

Hurdle race (third heat)—J. Brown, 1 ; McIvor, 2, Time 20 sec.

Putting shot (16 lbs.)—1, Knapp, 32 ft. 10½ in. ; 2, J. D. Cameron, 32 ft.

Tug of war (first pull) :

Medicine.

Arts.

Baskin,

J. S. Gordon,

Hamilton.

Ireland,

Hart,

Gordon,

Ross,

McGregor,

Barelay,

Bucker,

Hamilton,

Brown.

J. McCrae, Capt.

J. Gunn, Capt.

Arts got the drop, and maintained what they thus won, 3¾ inches.

Comparative Medicine.

Science.

Tracy,

Stevenson,

Orr,

McDougall,

Ewing,

Olive,

Cleaves, S.,

Huntingdon,

McAlpin,

William,

Moody.

Johnston.

Comparative medicine, won by 1¾ inches.

High jump—1, Kilally, 5 ft. 3 in. ; 2, Deardin, St. Francis College, 5 ft. 2 in.

In a subsequent jump Kilally cleared 5 ft. 6¼ inches, thus beating the college record by ¼ of an inch.

100 yards (first heat)—1, Balfour ; 2, Blackburn. Time, 11 2-5 sec.

100 yards (second heat)—1, Deardin ; 2, Milburne. Time, 11 2-5.

100 yards, final—1, Balfour ; 2, Blackburn. Time, 11 1- sec.

880 yards run—F. M. Fry, 2 min. 26 sec. ; 2, Cowan.

One mile bicycle—1, Edwards ; 2, Bishop. Time, 3.20 3-5.