

Athletics.**QUEEN'S II VS. MCMASTER.**

Queens II. lost to McMaster in the first of the home and home games in the intermediate series of the C. I. R. F. U. The match was played on McMaster field, on the morning of October 31st. The match was a very good exhibition of rugby, and McMaster won out by the clever work of their back division. In the first half Peine secured the ball on a long pass and went over Queen's line for a try, which was not converted. Queen's now forced the play toward McMaster territory by a series of mass plays. From a scrum near McMaster line, Reid was pushed over for a try which Gleason converted. At half time the score was 6 to 5 in Queen's favour. In the second half, McMaster scored five rouges, most of them from free kicks near Queen's line. Queen's were unable to increase their score, so the match ended 10 to 6 in McMaster's favour. The teams and officials were:

MCMASTER—Full-back, Peine; halves, Munro, McArthur, (captain); Gibson; quarter, Gray; scrum, Gordon, Poupst, McIntosh; wings, Lailey, Van, Pengelly, Cohoe, Wells, Bingham.

QUEEN'S II.—Full-back, Macdonnell; halves, Drury, Crothers, Gleason; quarter, Reid; scrum, Thomson, May, Sloan; wings, Falkner, Maclellan, Sutherland, Bailey, Corbett, Oswald.

Referee—Nagle, McGill.

Umpire—Mohr, McGill.

After the match McMaster club entertainment Queen's to luncheon at the University. Short speeches were made by Chancellor Wallace, Captain

McArthur of McMaster, and W. H. MacInnes of Queen's.

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The return match with McMaster in the semi-finals of the Intercollegiate Intermediate Rugby Championship series was played on the Athletic grounds, Saturday morning, Nov. 7th. McMaster won the toss and kicked off with a fair breeze at their back. After about ten minutes play, McArthur kicked over Queen's line and scored a rouge. The ball remained in Queen's territory most of this half, but McMaster were unable to score again. In the second half, Queen's line showed its strength and forced the play down to McMaster's line. From a scrum five yards out, Reid went over for a try which was not converted. This evened the score in the two games and both teams now fought strenuously. With four minutes to play, McMaster had the scrum, fifteen yards from their line. The ball came out to McArthur, who was immediately tackled by Baillie and Smith and carried back over his line for a safety touch. The game ended Queen's, 7; McMaster, 1. Queen's thus won the round by 13 to 11. Teams and officials:—

QUEEN'S II.—Full-back, Macdonnell; half-backs, Smith, Crothers, Gleason; quarter-back, Reid; scrum, Gillies, Gibson, May; inside wings, Falkner, Sloan; middle wings, Baillie, Sutherland; outside wings, Oswald, Urquhart.

MCMASTER—Full-back, Peine; half-backs, Gibson, McArthur, Benson; quarter-back, Grey; scrum, Jordan, Poupst, McIntosh; inside wings, Vail, Lailey; middle wings, Munro,