

FOOTBALL IN THE SCHOOLS.

A Review of the Work Done in the Large Eastern "Preps."

There is always a deep interest felt by the alumni of the different preparatory schools in the athletic prowess of their successors. The WEEKLY has therefore endeavored to present a brief outline of the football history of the season just passed, in these schools. Whenever possible, the name of the college into which the more prominent of the players expect to enter has been printed. This may give in some degree an idea of the new material from which the football captains of Princeton, Harvard and Yale can draw in the readjustment of their teams for the Fall of 1898, as most of the elevens are recruited from Eastern-educated youth.

ANDOVER.

Notwithstanding that Andover was beaten by Exeter the team was fully up to the standard of previous elevens. Lawrenceville was beaten for the first time, the score being 42 to 4. The results of some of the other games were: Exeter, 18; Andover, 14; Andover, 14; Yale, 1901, 0; Andover, 26; Worcester, 0; Brown University, 20; Andover, 4. The team lined up as follows: Schreiber, l. e.; Davis, l. t.; O'Conner, l. g.; Newton, c.; Holt, r. g.; Grinnell, r. t.; Abbott, r. e.; Quinby, q.; Burdick, r. h.; Roby, l. h.; Elliott, captain and f. The playing of Burdick, Roby, Elliott and Quinby was exceptionally good. Five of the team graduate and all will come to Yale. They are Burdick, Roby, Abbott, Schreiber and Quinby. Quinby has been elected Captain of next year's team and may not enter Yale this year.

EXETER.

Contrary to the expectations of everybody Exeter wiped out last year's defeat by winning from Andover this year by the score of 18 to 14. The results of some of the important games were: Worcester, 14; Exeter, 0; Harvard Freshman, 10; Exeter, 4; Exeter, 12; Mass. Institute of Technology, 6. Most of the gains were made by bucking the line. The team lined up as follows: Gordonier, l. e.; Hogan, l. t.; Zimmerman, l. g.; Greene, c.; Higley, captain and r. g.; Jones, r. t.; Shaw, r. e.; Baldwin, q.; Miller, r. h.; Syphax, l. h.; Lind, f.

Syphax, Higby and Miller showed especial proficiency in their positions. D. A. Baldwin, '99, q., was elected captain for next year. Of the four men on the team who graduate, Zimmerman will enter the University of Pennsylvania, Shaw goes to Columbia and Miller and Higby may come to Yale.

LAWRENCEVILLE.

The Eleven this year was hardly up to the standard of previous Lawrenceville teams. Several of the best players were injured early in the season, and the team was very light. Andover defeated Lawrenceville for the first time, as also did Hill School. The results of the most important games were: Andover, 42; Lawrenceville, 4; Hill, 8; Lawrenceville, 0; Lawrenceville, 20; St. Paul's, 4. The team lined up as follows: McGinley, l. e.; Pinkerton, l. t.; Losey, c.; McCord, r. g.; Takami, r. t.; Gill, r. e.; DeMauriac, q.; Hannum, r. h. b.; Lake, l. h. b.; Griggs, f. b.

The best players were: Pinkerton, McCord, Gill and Hannum. D. Griggs has been elected captain for next year. Six members of the eleven graduate; of those Gill and DeMauriac will go to Princeton, McCord to Brown, McGinley will enter Yale and Pinkerton and Takami will not go to college.

GROTON.

The football season of 1897 was a successful one for Groton School. St. Mark's was defeated in the annual contest by a score of 17 to 2. The game with the Harvard Freshman was a tie with no score.

The style of play was marked by open work and trick formations.

The line-up was: L. Motley, l. e.; Blagden, l. t.; Hooker, l. g.; Waterbury, c.; Rainsford, r. g.; Swan, r. t.; E. Motley, r. e.; Devens, q.; Birkhead, r. h. b.; Hawkins, l. h. b., and Captain Cary, f. b.

L. Motley, E. Motley, Devens and Hawkins played the best game. Ten men on the team graduate next June. Three, Hawkins, Hooker and Swan, will enter Yale. Rainsford is undecided and Cary, Birkhead, Devens, E. and L. Motley and Blagden go to Harvard.

ST. PAUL'S.

Although St. Paul's is not allowed to play other preparatory schools, the standard of her football team is very high. Its one important game is with one of the Harvard teams.

This year St. Paul played Harvard '99, and won the game by the score of 7 to 6. The School scored a safety and kicked a goal from the field. The line-up was:

J. A. Moorhead, left-end; J. E. R. Robinson, left-tackle; C. Belknap, left-guard; J. R. Blomer, center; A. Hollingsworth, right-guard; G. Cadwalader, right-tackle; R. D. Pruyne, Captain and right-end; H. W. Farrar, quarter; R. Weston, right-half; T. P. Lindsay, left-half; T. J. Grayton, full. The best players were: Pruyne, Moorhead and Blomer.

Of the team seven graduate. Robinson, Belknap, Blomer and Farrar will enter Yale. Hollingsworth and Pruyne will go to Harvard and Cadwalader to Princeton.

ST. PAUL'S, LONG ISLAND.

The lack of success of the team was due to the number of men injured, and lax training. The results of two important games were: Brooklyn High, 6; St. Paul's, 0; Lawrenceville, 20; St. Paul's, 4.

The team lined up as follows: Hunt, c.; Starr, Captain, r. g.; Brill, l. g.; Brown, r. t.; Kinney, l. t.; Weller, r. e.; Van Wagner, l. e.; Blount, q.; Temple, r. h. b.; Chase, l. h. b.; Pettit, f. b. Special proficiency was shown by Brill, Kinney and Weller. Seven men on the team will graduate next Fall, of these Temple and Chase will enter Yale, Brown and Pettit will go to Harvard, Starr to Cornell and Kinney to Princeton. Weller will not go to college.

HILL SCHOOL.

For the first time since the beginning of the series Hill beat Lawrenceville, the score being 8 to 0. This year's team was by far the best ever put out by the School. The Eleven did not suffer a single defeat. The principal games resulted as follows: Hill, 40; Pennington, 0; Princeton Freshman, 0; Hill, 10; Penn Charter, 10; Hill, 10; Lawrenceville, 0; Hill, 8. Close formation plays were relied upon for most of the gains. The team lined up as follows: Gaines, l. e.; Lord, l. t.; Roesing, l. g.; Wardwell, c.; Milburn, r. g.; Mills, r. t.; Percival, r. e.; Fincke, q.; Wylie, r. h. b.; Colfelt, l. h. b.; Bowman, f. b.

The best work was done by Lord, Mills and Fincke.

Five men graduate next June. Three, Gaines, Rosing and Fincke, will enter Yale. Lord will go to Cornell, and Mills to Princeton.

HOTCHKISS.

The football season was very successful, no games being lost. The most important games were the ones with Tufts, which Hotchkiss won by a score of 26 to 0, and the Yale Freshman game, the final score of which was Hotchkiss, 6; Yale, 1901, 4. Close formations were used a great deal. The line-up of the team was: Mead, r. e.; Cook, r. t.; Goss, r. g.; Dix, c.; Fowler, r. g.; Farnam, r. t.; Denning, captain, l. e.; Davis, q.; Miller, r. h. b.; Shaw, l. h. b.; C. Goss, f. b. The best playing was done by Cook, Denning, Shaw and C. Goss. Five of the team graduate and all will enter Yale next Fall.

They are: Mead, Cook, Dix, Denning and Miller.

ST. MARK'S.

The St. Mark's team, although defeated by Groton by the score of 17 to 2, was fully as good as the teams of former years, and played a plucky game. The team lined up as follows: Potts and Thomas, e.; Watson, Captain, and Lewis, t.; Corning and Flitner, g.; Wall, c.; Bacon, q.; Noyes and Theriot, h.; Rumsey, f. b. The strongest players were Rumsey and Watson.

Seven of the eleven will graduate next

June, six of whom namely, Potts, Watson, Lewis, Wall, Noyes and Theriot will enter Harvard next Fall. Rumsey will come to Yale.

TAFT'S.

The Taft's School team had no coach this year. All the coaching was done by the Captain and members of last year's Eleven, who developed a great many trick plays. The important games were: Hotchkiss vs. Taft's, 26 to 0; Blackhall vs. Taft's, 0 to 14; Gunnery vs. Taft's, 0 to 42; Hillhouse vs. Taft's, 16 to 10. The other games were: Ansonia High vs. Taft's, 0 to 30; Watertown vs. Taft's, 0 to 8; Alumni vs. Taft's, 10 to 18; Betts, vs. Taft's, 24 to 6.

The line-up for most of the year was: C. Hudson, l. e.; P. Welton and R. Patterson, l. t.; H. Guthrie, l. g.; J. Henderson, c.; W. L. White, r. g.; F. Wiggins, r. t.; T. Cole, r. e.; H. Stoddard, q. b.; C. Loyd, l. h. b.; G. Lear, Captain, r. h. b.; E. Mann and H. Raymond, f. b. The substitutes were: A. Lamb, R. Bragg, H. Raymond and F. Patterson. Of these the best playing was done by Hudson, Henderson, Stoddard and Loyd. Six of the players will graduate this year. Stoddard, Loyd, Bragg and Captain Lear enter Yale, White will go to Princeton, and Henderson will enter Trinity.

BERKELEY.

The Berkeley School eleven were outweighed by their opponents in almost every game, but nevertheless were able to defeat Trinity by the score of 8 to 0, for the New York Interscholastic League Championship. Their most effective play was a mass play on tackle.

The results of the more important games were: Berkeley vs. De LaSalle, 11 to 6; Berkeley vs. Dwight, 48 to 0. The other games, beside nine practice games with New York University, in which Berkeley usually scored, were: Berkeley vs. Dobbs Ferry Field Club, 6 to 6; Berkeley vs. Columbia Freshmen, 0 to 6; Berkeley vs. New York University Freshmen, 0 to 0. The feature of the team's playing was not individual playing, but the work of the whole team playing together. The line-up was: E. Wilkin, l. e.; R. Gilson, l. t.; F. Irvine, l. g.; H. Beebe, c.; J. Thomas, r. g.; A. Potter, r. t.; A. K. Boyesen, Captain, r. e.; B. Boyesen, q. b.; E. C. Granbury, l. h. b.; J. Forney, r. h. b.; S. Huntington, f. b. The substitutes were: B. Fassett, D. McKee and J. Symington. The best individual work was done by Gilson, Huntington, Granbury and Captain Boyesen.

Three of the regular team graduate this year. Granbury and Gilson enter Yale, and Irvine goes to Columbia. A. K. Boyesen has been unanimously re-elected captain for next year, with prospects of a fast team.

PENN CHARTER.

The team representing the Penn Charter School of Philadelphia, Pa., this year was the strongest that has ever come from this school. The game with Germantown Academy for the Interscholastic Athletic Association championship resulted in a tie, neither side being able to score. The team's work was based on Pennsylvania's "guard back" play, and Princeton's revolving wedge. The most important games were: Penn Charter, 4; Philadelphia High, 12; Penn Charter, 30; Swarthmore, 0; Penn Charter, 20; Pennsylvania Law School, 0; Penn Charter, 10; Hill School, 10. The inter-academic games resulted as follows: Penn Charter, 18; Haverford, 2; Penn Charter, 28; Cheltenham, 4; Penn Charter, 0; Germantown, 0; Penn Charter, 78; DeLancey, 0; Penn Charter, 6; Episcopal School, 0; Penn Charter, 130, opponents, 6.

The team and substitutes follow: Pfeufer, l. e.; Kline, l. t.; Donaldson, l. g.; Hackett, c.; Shock, r. g.; Bond, r. t.; Hanson, r. e.; W. W. Roper, Captain, q. b.; Dolson, l. h. b.; Levick, r. h. b.; Tafel, f. b.; substitutes, Folwell, Garvin, Lindsey, Jones and Marshall. Five men will graduate this year. Kline will enter Yale, Captain Roper and Pfeufer will go to Princeton, and Hanson and Dolson will go to Pennsylvania. Many prominent substitutes will return next Fall, who with the remaining members of this year's team

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The Yale Gun Club has declined a challenge of the University of Pennsylvania Club, owing to the lateness of the season. The Lehigh and University of Pennsylvania teams will shoot a match at Philadelphia.

The University of Pennsylvania recently applied for admission to the Intercollegiate Chess League, composed of Yale, Harvard, Columbia and Princeton. The application was refused on the ground that the tournament would be too long with representatives from five colleges playing.

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