

Varsity Routs Wildcats, 15-1, In Royal City.

Home Team Holds Students
To Five Points in Two
Quarters.

SHIELDS PLAYS

Gavin Dirom in Great Form
—Pulls Off 50-yard
Run.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 18.—Holding Varsity to five points in the first two quarters, Westminster Wildcats were unable to maintain the pace and fell victims to the U.B.C. to the tune of 15 to 1 in a Big Four Canadian rugby game here on Saturday.

Queens Park was a quagmire of mud when the teams took the field and rain fell continuously, making things miserable for both players and spectators alike.

The tide of battle turned when Jerry Rolston left the field in the third quarter. Up to that time Rolston's brilliant tackling, coupled with some hefty punting by "Coke" Shields, had filled a big gap in the Wildcats' front. Rolston is more familiar with the English code and he showed this with his low tackling which invariably halted the advance. Shields was good and on three occasions saved certain touchdowns.

HEDREEN HELPS STUDENTS.

Hedreen, playing his first game for Varsity, made a bright showing in the third quarter and went over for two touchdowns. Dirom was powerful in making yardage and mixed in several plays which counted heavily for gains.

Varsity supporters made themselves unpopular with their continuous "bar-racking" of Del Finlay, who was on his toes throughout the game. Finlay's penning of the students for offside tackles cost Varsity many yards. Three of these penalties came in succession.

Varsity's first score came on a forward pass to Dirom, who went over. Latta missed the conversion. Prior to this, the Wildcats had brought the ball to within two yards of Varsity's line, but a hefty punt relieved the pressure.

York came into the picture after this reverse and made good gains. Shields tried a drop kick to reduce the lead and the ball went inches wide of the post. Shields shortly afterwards ran around the end and was downed just before crossing the line.

ROLSTON'S FINE TACKLE.

Just before half time Westminster had a clear sailing to go over, but Rolston appeared to come out of the blue to down the larvy student.

Westminster pressed when play resumed and carried the ball to Varsity's fifteen yard line. Murdoch picked up a fumble and carried the ball out of danger.

Hedreen carried the ball to within two yards and then plunged over. Chodas missed the kick. Dirom made the run of the afternoon when he gained fifty yards before being tackled by Purvis. McInnes took the ball to within striking distance and Hedreen again went over.

SMITH IS SENT OFF.

Shields scored the lone point for Wildcats with a kick to the deadline. Varsity made every possible substitution in the last quarter but failed to gain anything through several penalties of ten yards each. The students tried two forward passes in succession, but both went astray. Smith, Varsity, was sent off the field for talking out of turn. Just before full time Dirom was almost across the line when dropped by Shields, the last line of defence.

Shields relieved a kick to the deadline just as the whistle sounded.

Summary:
First quarter—Varsity, Dirom (touchdown), unconverted, 0.
Second quarter—Nil.
Third quarter—Varsity, Hedreen (touchdown), unconverted, 0; Varsity, Dirom (touchdown), unconverted, 0; Westminster, Shields (kick to deadline), 1.
Penalties—Third quarter, Smith, Varsity, rest of side.

The Team:
Varsity—Smith, From, Winters, Jack, Chitt, Deley, Duxon, Reid, Rolston, Latta, Dirom, Purvis, Nager, Hall, Murdoch, McInnes, Morrison, Walmsley, Chodas, Brock, Moore and Hedreen.

Westminster—Parks, Sullivan, Little, York, McKel, Brown, Sharphead, E. McDonald, H. McDonald, Purvis, Murdoch, Rolston, Shaw, Rolston, Martin, Anderson, Harter, Greig and Hall.

Referee—Del Finlay.
Umpire—Jack Scott.
Head Referee—Tip Robertson.
Time—Oscar Swenson.