

ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT.

THE GETTYSBURG—STATE GAME.

GETTYSBURG 0; STATE 47.

NEVER within the past few years has the foot ball season opened so auspiciously for State as it did on September 24th when, with little more than one week's practice and with a number of new men on the field, we defeated Gettysburg by a score of 47 to 0. Although it is true that some of our points were won merely on account of the greater weight of our team, the victory was due to the individual and collective excellent work of our boys. Platt, '03, Hewitt, '03, and Scholl made the greatest number of grand stand plays, but each member of the team, although his playing was not marked by such phenomenal gains, played an excellent game. There was more fumbling by both teams than there should have been but with a little more practice, this objectionable feature should be eliminated. State did not at any time lose the ball on downs, but frequently lost it by fumbling. Another decided weakness was in the kicking of goals, for but two of the nine trials resulted successfully.

The line-up of the two teams was as follows:—

STATE.	POSITION.	GETTYSBURG.
Curtin (Farr)	right end	Bennett.
Miller, F. F.	right tackle	Brumbaugh.
Miller, T. H.	right guard	Nicely.
Capt. Murray	center	Williams (Hickman).
Randolph	left guard	Stiefel.
Scholl	left tackle	Kohler.
Ruble	left end	Louden.
Heckel	quarter-back	Ruhe.
Platt (Hewitt)	right half-back	Dinger (Doty).
Shoffstall (Miller, D. K.)	left half-back	Capt. Young.
Cure (Platt)	full-back	Sheeley (Dinger).

Referee—Prof. J. H. Leete, Colgate. Umpire—Dr. J. I. Robinson, Jefferson. Linesmen—Hayes, State, and Doty, Gettysburg. Time—Two 20 minute halves.

The details of the game were :

First Half—Gettysburg kicked off and State carried the ball to