

which was followed by Professor Panchanan Ghoshal's instructive lecture full of patriotic inspiration. He said that we should regain our old Hindu spirit and like true Kshatriyas should acquire courage and fight for the country to remove our slavery and distress. After this the gathering was dissolved. The professors and old boarders were treated to light refreshments. A heavy feast went that night in the mess.

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## COLLEGE ATHLETIC CLUB.

In my last report I promised to publish a fuller account of our athletic activities in this number of the College Magazine. I see, however, that to what had already appeared I have only very few words to add. Below are published in brief the results of the G. C. Bose Cup competition and Shibabaran Memorial Challenge Shield competition.

### G. C. BOSE CUP

#### First Round

1. College School defeated 3rd yr. B. sc,
2. 4th yr. B.A. defeated 2nd yr. C after a tough fight for two evenings.
3. 2nd yr. E had an easy win over 3rd yr. B.A,
4. 1st yr. A defeated 1st yr. D in a well-contested game.
5. 2nd yr. A trounced 2nd yr. D quite easily.
6. 1st. yr. C defeated 4th yr. B. Sc, who were not fully represented.

7. 2nd. yr. F defeated 2nd yr. B after drawing  
with them three times.

8. 1st. yr. B defeated 1st. yr. E.

### Second Round.

I. 4th. yr. B.A. defeated College School after a  
hard fight that lasted  
for two days.

II. 1st. yr. A defeated 2nd. yr. E. after a keen  
tussle.

III. 2nd. yr. A defeated 1st. yr. C in a keenly con-  
tested game.

IV. 2nd. yr. F defeated 1st. yr. B after a hard  
fight.

### Semi Final.

I. 4th. yr. B.A. had on an easy task to  
defeat 1st. yr. A.

II. 2nd. yr. A defeated 2nd yr. F after a hard  
fight.

### FINAL.

2nd. yr. A defeated 4th yr. B.A. by the odd  
goal in three.

(A report of this game has already appeared in the  
Magazine.)

## SHIBABARAN MEMORIAL CHALLENGE SHIELD.

(Six-a-side.)

### First Round

1. I C defeated II B

2. I B " I D

3. IV. B.A. " II D

4. School " I E

5.	II A	"	III. B. Sc.
6.	II A	"	III. B. Sc.
7.	IV. B Sc.	"	II E
8.	III B. A.	"	I A

**Second Round.**

1.	I C	defeated	I B.
2.	IV B.A.	"	School.
3.	II F	"	II A.
4.	IV. B, Sc.	"	III B.A.

**Semi-Final.**

1.	IV. B.A.	defeated	I C
II.	II F	"	IV. B. Sc.

**Final.**

4th yr. B.A. defeated 2nd yr. F by three goals to love.

(A report of this game has already appeared.)

Six silver medals were awarded to the winners of the Shibabaran Memorial Shield and one to the Runners-up. The cost of these medals was borne by the College Athletic Club.

23 silver medals were awarded on the results of the final of the G. C. Bose Cup Competition, of which eleven were awarded to the winners, eleven to the runners-up, and one to the best man. As the College Athletic Club did not bear the expenses, I thought it necessary to raise a special fund for the purpose. I am glad to say that our revered Principal and his family gladly contributed Rs. 30 to this fund. I have also much pleasure in announcing that three of our Vice-Presidents viz. Prof. J. N. Chakravarti, Dr. S. Choudhury, and Prof. P. C. Ghosh, contributed Rs 5 each. The total contribution thus came up to Rs 45, but the expenses incurred exceeded Rs 67 and I don't know how

the deficit will be made up. A silver cup to be called the G. C. Bose Competition Runners-up Cup has also been purchased by S. Satyen Banerjee and myself with our private pocket money, and has been made over to the College Athletic Club, to be awarded every year to the Runners-up of the competition. Our President has also handed over to me a sum to meet the expenses of taking a group photo of the College Athletic Club. The photo will be taken in time and published in the next issue of the Magazine.

As I bow down to all and take my leave of them, I want to offer our warm thanks to our President and Vice-Presidents, Professors and fellow students, and all others who in any way have helped us to discharge our responsible duties. Our special thanks go to Prof. J. N. Chakravarti who rendered us invaluable help in all the competitions the College boys were allowed to enter, as well as in the deliberations of all the Committee meetings where his sweetening presence made the bitter atmosphere calm and quiet. His participation in the games of the G. C. Bose Cup also smoothed the high tension that sometimes rose in the minds of the players. I shall also be failing in my duty if I do not speak highly of the invaluable services of my friend and colleague S. Satyendra Nath Banerjee, for which I shall remain grateful to him for ever.

I will now conclude this report with a brief resume of our activities. We have revived the dead Hockey Club, and have laid the foundation stone of the Cricket Club. Through our efforts the Hostel Gymnasium has been thrown open to all the students of the College. Bad luck prevented us to maintain the tradition of our Athletic Club in the Elliot Shield this year, but we make bold to say that we have raised the position of our club in the Inter-Collegiate Football League in which we have just been deprived of the honour of annexing the trophy by our formidable opponents the University Law College Team. In the League in fact we

have not suffered a defeat except at the hands of Law College.

The great drawback of our Athletic club is that it has no playground of its own. Consequently our players are off form and lack finish. We have made strenuous efforts to secure some share of a ground in the Maidan, but have failed. In vain also have we made strenuous efforts to find a suitable plot of ground to be taken on lease. Prayers and petitions have gone in vain. We have been advised by our friends to raid the Maidan one day with the whole host of over 1,500 boys to produce an impression (a moral impression shall we say?) upon the powers that be, but lovers of law and order as we are, we have not yet taken this extreme step. The day may not be far when we shall be compelled to do something of the kind for how long shall the boys be debarred from sports thus? We pause for a reply.

I now take leave of my Professors, fellow-students and well-wishers, craving pardon for our faults and short-comings and wishing success to those who after me will shoulder the responsibilities of the College Athletic Club.

Hiron Bose, (4th Yr. Arts)

*Hony. Secretary,*

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## • COLLEGE UNION.

The College Union held its 4th sitting on Saturday, the 15th December, in Room No. 4. There was a fair attendance of members. Prof. Pyarimohan Sen Gupta delighted the gathering by reciting two of his poems. Prof. Shyamapada Chakravarti also read a humorous paper (published elsewhere in the number) which was highly appreciated. After this Prof. Baburao Banerjee read another instalment of his pilgrimage to the Himalayas. A bumper feast took place before the members departed late at night.