

# Fredericton High School Football Team, Maritime Championship, 1922



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Back row, left to right—R. Walker, forward; S. H. McFarlane, forward; A. Vivian, forward; R. Bliss, forward; E. D. Cass (coach); H. Richards (manager); J. Wilson, half-back (captain for 1923); J. R. McLenahan, forward; A. Sterling, forward; J. R. Winters, forward.

Middle row, left to right—J. D. Babbitt, quarter; A. Hanson, forward; D. Mills, forward; C. Woods, forward (captain); Halifax Herald trophy Maritime Championship; O. Keene, half-back; J. N. McCaffrey, half-back; E. R. McCordick, half-back.

Bottom row—J. C. E. Scott, flying quarter; J. Sterling, receiving quarter; New Brunswick Interscholastic trophy, donated by the students of the University of New Brunswick; W. Steen, full-back; E. Hickson, ball quarter.

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When the title of interscholastic Rugby champions of the Maritime Provinces was first established in 1922 the initial winners were the Fredericton High School fifteen.

They won the title by defeating St. Francis Xavier School, of Antigonish, on College Field, Fredericton, which was regarded as neutral grounds. They battled for the Halifax Herald and Mail trophy which had been offered when it became known that the interscholastic champions of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick were willing to play off for the title but that there was no trophy in sight to go with the title.

That it has been possible to establish the interscholastic championship is evidence of the progress in the develop-

ment of rugby in the Maritime Provinces, and of the teams which battled for the title last fall it can be said that many senior teams in the past have failed to play the same calibre of football that the two teams of school boys displayed.

The complete record of the Fredericton High School team of 1922 follows:

F. H. S. 17, R. C. S. 0.  
F. H. S. 14, St. John High School 0.  
F. H. S. 3, St. John High School 3.  
F. H. S. 17, R. C. S. 0.  
F. H. S. 9, Provincial Normal School 5.  
F. H. S. 3, St. Francis Xavier 0.

The University of New Brunswick's trophy, which is

competed for annually in the New Brunswick Interscholastic Rugby League, has been won four times by Fredericton High School, having been first captured in 1911, the first year it was offered for competition; Fredericton High also won it the succeeding year and captured it again in 1920 as well as last season. Fredericton High has been an important athletic feeder of the several colleges of the Maritime Provinces and especially has this been true of the University of New Brunswick, which nine of the members of the 1922 championship team expect to enter next fall.

Fredericton High School's rugby teams have not been beaten upon their home grounds for the last ten years or more.