Football Notes.

Manager Hilken is negotiating for a game with Tufts to be played in Boston about the middle of November.

In Saturday's game Metcalfe '04 showed his ability to play the back field as well as bucking the line and backing.

Smith '04 played a very good game at Tufts last Saturday, considering it was his first game. With experience he ought to be an excellent quarter-back for next year's varsity.

The varsity played Worcester Tech on the south end grounds yesterday afternoon. A full description of the game will be given next Thursday.

It is probable that the Penn rooters on Soldiers' Field, Saturday, will be reinforced by the University Band. In '98 the band came up and covered itself with glory.

Harvard is working on the "guards back." Lewis has brought in his new ideas which worked so well two years ago in stopping the formation. He has the men start at the crack of a pistol, believing that the Penn formation can be stopped by quick starting.

The Harvard line-up for Saturday is a matter of great comment among Harvard men now. The two ends, Hallowell and Campbell are settled. Daly will play quarter, Lawrence, right tackle, and Lee left guard. The other positions are still undetermined.

The most satisfactory explanation of Columbia's good showing against Yale both this and last year, is that Sanford, being an old Yale man, thoroughly understands the Yale style of attack and has drilled his men in the best methods to meet it. This is borne out by the fact that in the first half of Saturday's game, when Yale held to her old style of play, Columbia kept the lead, while the Blue won out in the last half when the Pennsylvania formations were used.

McCloskey of the Penn team is fast earning the reputation of being one of the best centres of the country. Coach Woodruff and Captain Hare praised him after the Chicago game, saying that Overfield could not have done better.

It looks as though the Western championship would fall to one of the three old rivals — Chicago, Wisconsin or Michigan — with the odds in favor of Wisconsin. All of these teams are at present below their usual standard.

On the occasion of the Harvard-Yale football game at New Haven on Saturday, November 24th, the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad will run a special express train of coaches from South Terminal Station, Boston, at 8.20 a.m., Back Bay Station at 8.24 a.m., for New Haven, returning from New Haven after the game.

Tickets for the round trip, at $4.00, will be on sale by Leavitt and Pierce, Cambridge, and at office No. 3 Old State House, Boston, South Terminal Station and Back Bay Station, on and after November 14th.

Hare and Hounds Run.

In spite of the bad weather fourteen men turned out for the Hare and Hounds Run last Saturday. Barring the "juicy" footing the run was very enjoyable. The trail was a circuit of over five miles about West Roxbury and Highlands, at one place going well up the side of Bellevue Hill. Haynes, '04 and Worcester, '04 were the hares. Captain Pember was first hound in with Peaslee, '03 and Proudfoot, '04 next.

Next Saturday the Club will run from its old rendezvous at Newton Center.

The Freshman are coming out in good numbers this year and are making an excellent showing. Especially Drew, Gould, Worcester, Haynes, Proudfoot, Porter, and Baker.