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TITLE.:- FOOTBALL'S ORIGIN.

Picture.:- What a "Cup Final" it would be if it were produced in this way ! Over three hundred years ago, a football --

--match was the occasion of grand and dignified ceremonial..... The Florentines of to-day "play the game" in the good old fashioned way.And the rules ! !

"And if ye players be guilty of ye foul play, or other dirty work, his head shall forthwith be --

--struck off ! It must be warm work for the teams, clad, as they are in costumes of the fifteenth century !

Come on Brum ! Oh, I was forgetting --

--myself ! There are twenty-four players a-side in this way (that'd give George Allison, who broadcasts our present --

--day games) - something to think about ! Fancy having to remember the names of forty-eight players !