

second half but were forced to give their opponents two. The Shamrocks found out from the start that they had to play at a terrific rate to win, for Queen's scored the first goal in a very few minutes. The play was fast throughout, Queen's fully holding their own with their much-heralded and certainly over-estimated opponents. Had our men been in as good shape as were the Shamrocks, there would have been a different tale to record. Queen's players are highly satisfied with the game they put up, and they have taught the Montreal people a lesson which they will not soon forget.

It is to be regretted we cannot record that fair or honorable treatment was given to our players. The Shamrocks certainly showed no courtesy to the visiting team. They felt that their dignity was imposed upon when a western team should dare challenge them. As to the treatment Queen's received over the gate receipts and referee's expenses, the less said the better.

This game completes the hockey season for Queen's, and the sticks and skates may be put away with the feeling that the past season has been the most successful and satisfactory in the history of Queen's.

#### THE AMERICAN TRIP.

Our hockey team made its third trip to the States at the beginning of March, leaving Kingston on February 28th, for Pittsburg, Pa., playing four games there, and returning on March 5th. The first American tour made by Queen's was during the Christmas holidays, 1895-6, the team remaining in Pittsburg, Pa., four days, and playing also at Washington and Baltimore. Again on January 23rd, 1897, the team visited New York, where they defeated Yale for the Inter-Collegiate Championship of America by 3-0.

During the recent trip to Pittsburg, Queen's scored 34 goals to one by their various opponents. The games were played at the Duquesne Skating Garden, the field of ice being 260 feet in length. These teams were met and defeated by Queen's:—Duquesne Athletic Club, 5-1; Western University, 11-0; Inter-Scholastic Team, 9-0; Pittsburg Athletic Club, 9-0.

#### ALMA MATER SOCIETY.

On Saturday, March 4th, the meeting resolved itself into a committee of the whole to consider the report *re* the constitutions of the College athletic organizations. With the exception of two minor changes, the report as received was adopted. R. B. Dargavel was instructed to have copies of the constitution printed.

The Athletic Committee was requested to report what steps had been taken towards the formation of an Intercollegiate Athletic Union.

A meeting of the A.M.S. was held Saturday evening, March 11th. A communication was read from the Senate, asking the students to take charge of the Tuesday Convocation this year. The matter was referred to the Executive. G. H. Williamson reported that the Athletic Committee had been corresponding *re* the formation of an Inter-Collegiate Athletic Union, but nothing definite had yet been settled. He also gave notice that next Saturday evening the new Athletic Committee will be elected. The question of storing the championship cup in the library will be discussed at the next meeting.

#### QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY COUNCIL ELECTION.

The following have been elected by vote of the graduates to serve on the University Council for the next six years:—

Rev. J. J. Wright, B.A., Lyn; Rev. J. Cumberland M.A., Stella; Rev. J. D. Boyd, B.A., Kingston; Gordon W. Mylks, M.D., Kingston; R. K. Kilborn, M.D., Kingston; J. Jones Bell, M.A., Toronto; E. S. Fitzgerald, B.A., Niagara Falls; Lennox Irving, B.A., Pembroke.

Dr. Mylks, and Miss Fitzgerald are two new members, the other six being re-elected. Miss Fitzgerald is the first lady elected to the council.

A very large vote was polled this year. Among others, Dr. Ramsay Duff, Rev. Arpad Givan, Rev. G. R. Lang, Rev. R. H. C. Sinclair, Dr. Bissonnette, Dr. Day, Dr. Hart, J. Mc. D. Mowat, E. Peacock, Rev. J. McIntosh, Dr. R. S. Minnes, and Rev. D. R. Drummond, received the support of the graduates. Dr. R. V. Rogers of Kingston was nominated for election to the Board of Trustees.

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The Dean of the Practical Science Faculty desires to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of \$10 from the Rev. J. Fitzpatrick, of Fort Qu'Appelle, Man., for the assistance of the mechanical laboratory. Mr. Fitzpatrick's act is a very commendable one at the present time, when students are plentiful and appliances are few.

Those in charge of the mechanical and engineering laboratories are doing a very important work under very restricted means, trying to make up for the want of money out of their own resources, and it is exceedingly pleasant to find that a graduate at such a distance from us as Fort Qu'Appelle is, should bear their labors