The junior recreation-hall was, a few days ago, the scene of the wildest excitement when it was reported that the member for Kingston "had turned up missing." Many were the theories given for his sudden and mysterious disappearance. A few supposed that he had been abducted by some evil-disposed persons in thehope of a reward, others thought he had wandered from the last snow-shoe tramp and lost his way. Searching parties were organized and were about to start out in search of him when Joe's appearance in the refectory, in response to the dinnerbell, restored tranquillity once more.

"Aimie's" many friends learn with deep regret (?) his intention to sever his connection with them. He has, we understand, secured a lucrative position with Mr. Scott, "you know he live on the Lake St. John" and will start for his new home

in a few days.

The lovers of snow-shoeing have not failed to take advantage of the many opportunities offered them for indulging in that invigorating exercise.

Every conge afternoon members may be seen bedecked with tuque and sash starting out for a tramp. After taking in a circuit of seven or eight miles they return slightly faligued, but with sharpened appetites for supper.

The rank in class for the month of

January was as follows:—

| First Grade. | } | 2. H. Leclerc. 3. H. P. Ryan. |
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| Second Grade. | } { | Peter O'Connor. Hector Valin. John Harpin. |
| Third Grade. | } | H. Brophv. E. Corkery. J. Goodall. |
| Fourth Grade. | { | T. Coulombe. J. Cushing. J. McCabe. |

ATHLETICS.

HOCKEY.

Electrics 4 .- Varsity o.

Our hockey players did not measure sticks with any outside aggregation until Saturday, February

13th, when they met the Electrics and suffered a defeat of four goals to nil. The rink was in very poor condition, as it had not been flooded since the recent heavy snow-storms, and it was almost impossible to clean it properly. The hockey sticks used by the Varsity players were surely never intended for actual use or if they were, it would have brought grief to the heart of the manufacturer and tears to his eyes, had he been present to see them snap in twain every time they came in contact with the sticks of the Electrics. But it must not be supposed that the defeat was due entirely to the poor condition of the ice or to the inferior hockey sticks. The players themselves might have been in better condition. There was an utter lack of system in the play. The forwards played an individual game from start to finish. They were often together or on the one side of the rink and there were few attempts at passing. Surely if any team ought to know the advantage of team play, that team is Varsity. Football should have taught them that lesson. And no doubt it has, too, for in practices the Varsity players do considerable passing, but they seemed to have forgotton all about it in the match with the Electrics. The defence men did their work better than the forwards. Rigney at cover point played the best game of the team. Of the victorious Electrics, E. Murphy at cover point and R. Murphy and O'Neil and Goodwin among the forwards, worked well. Throughout the match the pace was by no means slow, but the hockey might easily have been of a higher stand-There might have been less rough play and more of the science of the game and there would have been nothing lost by the exchange.

Mr. O. W. Clarke acted as referee and the goal judges were J. O'Connell and E. E. Clarke. Following are the players as they lined up:

| ELECTRICS. | | VARSITY. |
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| Shea | goal | O'Reilly. |
| Nolan | point | White. |
| E. Murphy | .cover point | |
| O'Neil) | • | Kehoe. |
| P. Murphy (| forwards | Dean. |
| J. Murphy Goodwin | im warus | Collins. |
| Goodwin) | | McDougal. |

Ten minutes after the face, the puck was brought back of the Varsity goal and O'Neil swiped it in through from behind. It struck a College man's stick or skate and went through the flags, thus giving the Electrics their first goal. Varsity made a few attempts at scoring after this, but their shooting was very inaccurate. Before half time the Electrics made several shots at the College flags, and O'Reilly made some nice stops. Finally, P. Murphy succeeded in scoring. Elec-