

Athletics

As we go to press with the first issue of Red and White for 1953, the football season has been completed. A most discouraging picture was evident this fall in the number of students who participated in organized leagues. The number of students who played in the intra-mural and juvenile leagues was extremely low. It must be remembered that our senior teams are dependent on the potential derived from these junior leagues. If the students, especially in High School, do not play in the junior leagues now, there will be disastrous effects on our senior team in the years to come.

The annual Track and Field Day was held on Oct. 9, and in spite of chilly weather it was most successful. Handball, under manager Gerald Coady, was quite popular this fall. This sport, though not played as much as other sports, has stimulated a lot of interest among both students and faculty members.

FOOTBALL

When football coach A. J. MacAdam and his assistant John Eldon Green assembled their prospective players together in September, they had a difficult job on their hands. They were faced with a major rebuilding job in their attempts to build a team to defend the Maritime Intercollegiate and Senior Rugby titles.

Missing from last year's championship team were nine men. This left six around which to build a squad to represent St. Dunstan's. These included forwards Ronnie McIvor and Art Pendergast along with backfielders Allan MacDonald, Paul Jay, Lloyd Gaudet and Jack Reardon. After much hard work a team was picked which was worthy to carry our colours against any team. To coaches A. J. MacAdam and John Eldon Green we express our thanks for the tireless efforts they put forth in forming a team worthy of the name of St. Dunstan's.

This season the Saints were in a league with Dalhousie and Mt. Allison. Injuries struck hard at the team

for the first few weeks. The first two games of the season were against Mount Allison, who had most of their men back from last year. The Saints, playing without some of their men who were on the injured list, lost both of these contests by close scores. A few weeks later, with the team at full strength for the first time, they defeated Dalhousie in two games. One game was played against the strong Charlottetown Abegweits, and it ended in a 0-0 tie. Although they did not win any Maritime titles this year, we are all proud of our football team.

The members of the Senior team are as follows: Ron McIvor (Captain), Rodney MacInnis, Dick Wedge, Arnold Hickey, Art Pendergast, Arnold Mullins, Bill Whelan, Aquinas Ryan, Max Callaghan, Bob Mooney, Gus Dorais, Allan MacDonald, Charles Morrison, Paul Jay, Lloyd Gaudet, Bud Lawlor, Jack Reardon and Louis MacDonald.

The Second Saints once again hold the Island Intermediate title. This season the series between the Saints and P. W. C. was the greatest in a number of years. At the end of six games each team had won one and tied four, but due to the lateness of the season were unable to play another game. The Saints, fielding a team with only one hold-over from last year, turned into a hard hitting and well co-ordinated machine. Coach John Eldon Green deserves a great deal of praise for the manner in which he built this fighting team. For the tireless efforts which Mr. Green put forth we extend to him a word of thanks and congratulations. We are very proud of our Second Team, and congratulate them for keeping the Island Intermediate title at St. Dunstan's.

The Second Team line-up was as follows: Tom McGaugh (captain), Max Callaghan, Charles Morrison, Jerry Johnstone, Leo McQuaid, Leo Clarkin, Louis MacDonald, Kenny MacDonald, John B. Fisher, Bill McIsaac, Jim Gaudet, John F. MacDonald, Kimball Jay, Jackie MacDonald, John Kelly, Len Shea, Pius MacInnis, George McGuigan and Peter Green.

The following are the results of the games played:

FIRST TEAM

SAINTS 6

MOUNT A. 7

The Saints opened the 1953 Intercollegiate League at

Mount Allison on October 3rd. Playing without veterans Paul Jay and Art Pendergast, the Saints lost a heartbreaker in the final seconds of the game, as Les Davies made good on a penalty kick. Flashy Lloyd Gaudet scored two tries for the Saints as he crossed the line standing up on both occasions. As a result of this loss the Saints had their backs to the wall, they had to win all the remaining games on the schedule if they hoped to hold the titles they won last year.

SAINTS 0

ABEGWEITS 0

(Exhibition): Playing under the lights at Memorial Field on October 9th, the Saints and the Charlottetown Abegweits played to a scoreless tie. The Saints, playing without Paul Jay, Lloyd Gaudet and Art Pendergast, were outweighed by the heavier Abegweit team, but their smoother working backfield came very close, on different occasions, to scoring. Outstanding players for the Saints were Jack Reardon, Aquinas Ryan and Bud Lawlor. Stand-outs for the Abegweits were Jerry MacDonald and Harold Howatt.

SAINTS 5

MOUNT A 7

Mount Allison clinched the N.B.-P.E.I. Intercollegiate rugby championship as they defeated the Saints 7-5 on the Saints' field on October 17th. An injury to heeler, Ronnie McIvor, early in the game further weakened the already injury-riddled Saints' team. Jack Reardon made good on a penalty kick early in the first half. Lloyd Gaudet, on a pass from Allan MacDonald, scored on a beautiful 25 yard run in the second half. Arnold Hickey was the pick of the Saints as he showed some very sharp tackling. Lloyd Gaudet, Jack Reardon and Gus Dorais played a very hard running game in the backfield.

SAINTS 8

DALHOUSIE 2

The Saints won their first victory of the season as they defeated Dalhousie 8-2 on October 24th at the Saints' field. Coach A. J. McAdam made some changes for this game; Arnold Mullin was put in the scrum in place of Rodney MacInnis, who played in the backfield. Art Pendergast was back for the first time this season. The Saints, looking like the team of last year, drove hard all the way and if it had not been for the wet weather they probably would have won by a greater score. Lloyd Gaudet, continuing his scoring spree, crossed the line late in the first half. Gus Dorais made a nice play on this try as he raced

twenty yards before passing the ball to Gaudet. Late in the second half Rodney MacInnis booted a twenty-five yard penalty kick over the bars to complete the scoring. Ronnie McIvor, Bob Mooney, Jack Reardon and Allan MacDonald turned in standout performances.

SAINTS 6**DALHOUSIE 2**

Playing on a muddy field in Halifax on November 7th, the Saints made it two straight as they trounced Dalhousie 6-2 in the final game of the season. Gus Dorais scored on a beautiful run in the first half as he faked his way through the Dalhousie team. Late in the second half Rodney MacInnis scored as he caught a Dalhousie kick and made a nice 25 yard run for the last try of the day. Dalhousie scored on a penalty kick in the first half of the game.

SECOND TEAM**SAINTS 10****P. W. C. 10**

In what was regarded as the best game played here this season the Saints and P.W.C. battled to a 10-10 tie, on October 21st. Louis MacDonald blocked a P.W.C. kick and followed up to plunge across the line for the first score of the game. Bud Lawlor booted the ball over for the extra two points. Early in the second half Lawlor scored on a penalty kick to put the Saints ahead 7-5, after Hutcherson had scored for P. W. C. on a Saints' fumble. In the second half Dave MacLeod scored on a 65 yard run for P. W. C. On the last play of the game the Saints scored to tie it up at 10-10. Jackie MacDonald scored on a beautiful 20 yard run on a play from Fisher to Clarkin to Morrison, who passed to the speeding MacDonald. Fullbacks Bud Lawlor and Mark Ladner played very strong games.

SAINTS 3**P. W. C. 0**

The Saints took a one game lead in the Intermediate series as they won 3-0 over P. W. C. at Memorial Field on November 4th. The Saints missed four easy penalty kicks, while P. W. C. missed two. Jim Gaudet and Billy MacIsaac came close on different occasions for the Saints but were stopped by the P.W.C. defensive play. Late in the second half scrum half John Kelly, plunged across the line for the only score of the game. Norris Mizuno of the P.W.C. team played a standout game.

SAINTS 10**P. W. C. 13**

P. W. C. evened the Intermediate series on Novem-

ber 7th, as they defeated a very weak Saints' team. The P.W.C. scrum controlled the ball during most of the game. With three minutes left in the game the Saints were behind 13-2, John Kelly having scored on a penalty kick. With a few minutes left to go the Saints began to move, with Jack MacDonald making a nice run to cross the line for the first of two fast tries by the Saints. On a penalty kick, with seconds left in the game, Chick Morrison fell on a loose ball to make the score 13-8 for P.W.C. The convert, kicked by Tom McGaugh, made the score read 13-10. Leo Clarkin played a very strong defensive game as he made some very effective tackles. The pick of the P.W.C. team was Dave MacLeod who made some very long runs.

SAINTS 2

P. W. C. 2

In the fourth game of the Island Intermediate Series the Saints battled to a 2-2 tie with P.W.C. on November 13th. This game produced the finest display of tackling this season. Max Callaghan and Leo Clarkin were the standouts in this game as they tackled like fiends. The Saints suffered a severe blow when they lost Jerry Johnston and John F. MacDonald as a result of ankle injuries. Team captain, Tom McGaugh, scored the Saints points on a difficult penalty kick early in the game. Fifteen minutes later Gordon Tweedy tied the game up on a penalty kick. Dave MacLeod was the outstanding player for P.W.C., and if it had not been for the hard tackling of Jackie MacDonald he might have crossed the line on several occasions.

SAINTS 3

P. W. C. 3

On November 15th the Saints and P. W. C. once again paraded off the field with no winner decided upon. This was the fifth game in what has been described as the most keenly contested football series for the Island Intermediate Title that has ever been waged between the two colleges. Brewer Auld opened the scoring as he crossed the Saints' line in the first half. In the second half the Saints pressed hard and at the eleven minute mark Jackie MacDonald scored as he recovered a loose ball. Once again Max Callaghan and Leo Clarkin played powerful games on the forward line. Kimbal Jay and Bil McIsaac played well in the Saints' backfield, while MacLeod, Revell and MacKinnon starred for P.W.C.

SAINTS 0

P. W. C. 0

The long series between P.W.C. and the Saints was completed on November 19th, but a winner was not de-

clared. At the end of ten minutes overtime the score was still tied and for the first time in history the series ended in a draw. Len Shea of the Saints and Rollie Lee of P. W. C. came very close to scoring but were brought down by defending tacklers. Leo Clarkin, with his effective tackling, was a standout for the Saints team. This game featured fine kicking and tackling by both teams. Every player on both teams played well and deserves a word of congratulations for a great series.

INTRAMURAL FOOTBALL

This season the intramural league lacked some of the enthusiasm of former years. The reasons for this lack of interest can not be stated here, as the time or space is not available. A great deal of credit should be given to Father Allan MacDonald who has shown much interest in the development of young material. Father Allan, in taking over Father Ellsworth's duties in intramural football, has shown himself very capable of this position. Since the organization of an intramural football league by Father Ellsworth seven years ago, he has worked very hard and it has produced many star football players. To Father MacDonald we wish the greatest success, and we are sure that under his leadership many great football players shall be developed. The manager of football, Andrew Macdonald, deserves a word of thanks for a job well done.

This year the intramural league was composed of four teams which played regularly during the season. The winner this year was the Senior Class team which captured the title for the third successive year. The members of the winning team are: Jerome Quinn (captain), Pat McKenna, Gerald Coady, Marcel Baril, Lorne Murphy, Simeon Farmer, Leo McQuaid, Leonard Shea, Charles Monaghan, Leslie Rogerson, Francis Zakem, James Johnston, Emile Cormier, Eugene Kenny, Ernest Rioux, and Charles Lambert.

The junior intramural league was under the capable management of James Johnston. The members of the winning team are: A. Morrison (captain), E. Blanchard, W. Kelly, D. LeClair, L. Broderick, T. Ledwell, J. MacDonald, J. Keoughan, A. Murray, H. Connelly, C. Campbell, L. Doucette, J. Kirk, G. Wooton and Brendon Dunphy.

This year an all-star High School team was formed

by Father Allan MacDonald and in two appearances they defeated the P. W. C. Second Team and the Junior Abegweits. A Second High School team was formed by Aquinas Ryan and in their only game lost to the Junior Abegweits.

TRACK AND FIELD DAY

Featured by the winning efforts of Paul Jay and Jack Lavers, this year's Track and Field Day, held on Oct. 9 proved to be the most successful in recent years. Although the weather was very chilly and the track heavy, good marks were set in all events. Track manager, Arthur Seaman, is deserving of a great deal of credit for the capable manner in which he handled the events of the day.

Paul Jay garnered a total of 24 points as he walked off with the senior championship. The runner-up was Aquinas Ryan with 13 points, while Leonard Shea was third with 10 points.

Jack Lavers won the junior championship by amassing a total of 23 points. The runner-up was Arnold Mullins with 16 points, while Leonard Broderick was third with 13 points.

The Junior Class, paced by Paul Jay, Aquinas Ryan, Jack Reardon and Lloyd Gaudet, won the honors in class competition.

The following are the results of the meet:—
SENIOR EVENTS:—

100 yards dash: 1. Paul Jay; 2. Simeon Farmer; 3. Leonard Shea. Time: 10.8 secs.

220 yards dash: 1. Paul Jay; 2. Lloyd Gaudet; 3. Lorne Murphy. Time: 24.8 secs.

440 yards dash: 1. Paul Jay; 2. Aquinas Ryan; 3. Lloyd Gaudet. Time 60.6 secs.

880 yards dash: 1. Aquinas Ryan; 2. Allan MacDonald; 3. Lloyd Gaudet. Time: 2 mins, 26 secs.

The Mile Run: 1. Aquinas Ryan; 2. Aelred MacKinnon; 3. Donald LeClair. Time: 5 mins. 58 secs.

Shot Put: 1. Rodney MacInnis; 2. Foster Webb; 3. Leonard Shea. Distance: 38 ft. 3 ins.

Football Pass: 1. Jack Reardon; 2. Rodney MacInnis; 3. Ralph Shea. Distance: 124 ft. 8 ins.

Football Kick: 1. Rodney MacInnis; 2. Ralph Shea; 3. Tom McGaugh. Distance: 133 ft. 8 ins.

Baseball Throw: 1. Rodney MacInnis; 2. Donald Levesque; 3. Lloyd Gaudet. Distance 300 ft.

Standing Broad Jump: 1. Leonard Shea; 2. Gus Dorais; 3. Paul Jay. Distance: 8 ft. 3 ins.

Running Broad Jump: 1. Paul Jay; 2. Kimball Jay; 3. Ralph Gaudet. Distance 16 ft. 11 ins.

Hop-Step-and-Jump: 1. Jack Reardon; 2. Paul Jay; 3. Simeon Farmer. Distance 36 ft.

High Jump: 1. Donald Levesque; 2. Tom McGaugh and Leonard Shea. Height: 4 ft. 10 1/2 ins.

JUNIOR EVENTS:—

100 yards dash: 1. Leonard Broderick; 2. Jack Lavers; 3. Arnold Mullin. Time: 11.8 secs.

220 yards dash: 1. Jack Lavers; 2. Leonard Broderick; 3. Arnold Mullin. Time: 26.8 secs.

440 yards dash: 1. Leonard Broderick; 2. Arnold Mullin; 3. Jack Lavers. Time: 63.8 secs.

Shot Put: 1. Arnold Mullin; 2. Wilfred Gillis; 3. Merlin Gormley. Distance: 30 ft. 4 ins.

Standing Broad Jump: 1. Dave Arnold; 2. Jack Lavers; 3. Gerald D. Murphy. Distance: 8 ft. 3 ins.

Running Broad Jump: 1. Arnold Mullin; 2. Jack Lavers; 3. Gerald D. Murphy. Distance: 15 ft. 5 ins.

Hop-Step-and-Jump: 1. Donald LeClair; 2. Jack Lavers; 3. Arnold Mullin. Distance: 31 ft. 9 ins.

High Jump: 1. Jack Lavers; 2. Billie Cameron; 3. Merlin Gormey. Height: 5 ft.

OPEN EVENTS:—

Three Legged Race: 1. St. Clair Trainor and Urban MacLellan.

Wheelbarrow Race: 1. Ralph Shea and Gerald Murphy.

Backward Race: 1. Aelred MacKinnon

Shoe Race: 1. Charlie Campbell

Mile Walk: 1. Art Pendergast. Time: 9 1/2 mins.

Green Race: 1. Alfred Rossiter. Time: 11 1/2 secs.

Tug-O-War: 1. Seniors

Relay Race: 1. Juniors; 2. Seniors. Time 52 secs.

An unwillingness to attribute the right of ruling to God as its author, is no less than a willingness to blot out the greatest splendor of political power and to destroy its force. "Civil Government" by Pope Leo XIII.