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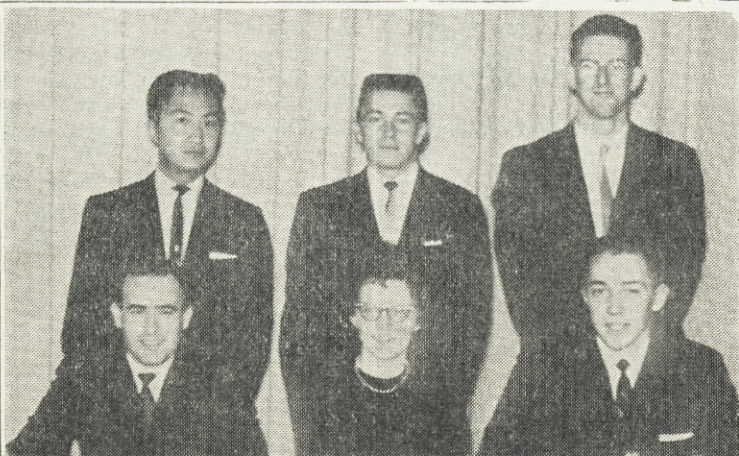
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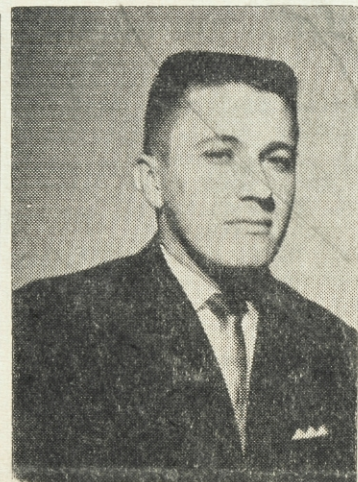
In Memoriam

The Editor and Staff of RED AND WHITE, on behalf of St. Dunstan's students express deepest sympathy to Stella and Wayne Howard and the other members of the Howard family on their recent bereavement.



The Honored Six — the Life Executive of the Senior Class. Picture shows secretary Fran MacDougall seated between president John Noonan (left) and vice-president Bill Dolan, while standing behind are Ambrose Lee, valedictorian Dan O'Hanley, and Mr. Edward J. Benson, committee member.

O'HANLEY ELECTED TO HONOR SOCIETY



Mr. Daniel O'Hanley

The Students' Union, creating an intellectual precedent, has elected its first member to the newly-formed Honor Society. This highly exclusive society, admittance to which is restricted to Graduating students who made outstanding contributions to the University during their undergraduate years, has honored Dan O'Hanley as its first incumbent. Dan received the unanimous votes of the Students' Union vice-pres., the Junior Class president, Rev. Allan MacDonald, and Rev. Vincent Murnaghan — the four Committee members — for his outstanding participation in numerous non-athletic extra-curricular activities, at the same time maintaining a high scholastic average.

Dan first stepped into the limelight as an inter-Collegiate debater in 1959. The fol-

lowing year, he became vice-president of the Debating Society, and won his second inter-Collegiate debate. In 60-61, he was appointed Editor-in-Chief of RED AND WHITE (its first year as a newspaper), and simultaneously held the presidency of the Debating Society. Leaving the literary world, Dan entered campus politics, and was elected Students' Union president for 61-62. Besides performing these all important functions, Dan still found time to take an active part in the Glee Club, the College Choir, and the Men's Sodality.

"Danny boy", as he is familiarly called by his classmates, is also the recipient of a Literary, a Debating, and an Administrative award. As a fitting tribute to his remarkable career, Dan was elected Valedictorian of the '62 Class by his fellow graduates.

Dan, a native of Monticello, P.E.I., plans to go on to post-graduate studies next fall. In the meantime, it is understood he is one of the Seniors who have volunteered to do Lay Missionary work in Mexico this summer.

Constitutional Changes Proposed

The new Students' Union executive has been meeting with the old the last few days in an effort to rectify some of the discrepancies in the present constitution.

Two major changes proposed were with reference to section 3 of the preamble granting voting privileges to the ex-officio members of the Council, and Article 6, section 1 reducing the quorum requirements from fifty to twenty-five per cent.

Though the constitutional amendments must first be brought up at a general students' body meeting, the Executive is confident that these proposals would be passed without serious opposition.

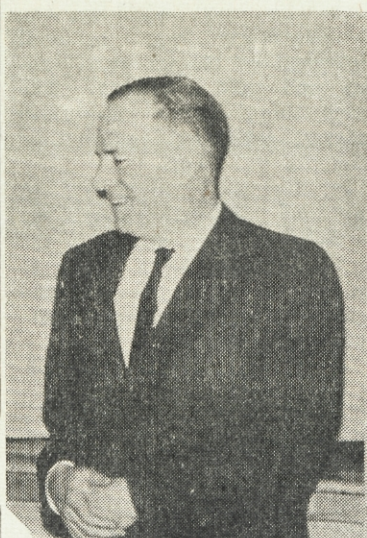
The first constitutional change is very significant and would be enthusiastically welcomed by all, since under the present system, the right to vote in the Council is limited to eight members. The new proposal recommends that all members be made entitled to vote and this could remove a lot of barriers and filibustering that took place at past Council meetings.

The second proposal concerning the reduction of the quorum was actually brought up at a general meeting last year. But owing to some ir-

relevant filibustering, the motion was beaten down and no further changes were proposed. Now that students realize it is next to impossible to obtain a quorum of fifty percent, there may be very little objection to reducing this number to twenty-five percent.

It may be noted that the Executive Council has the power to decide on any issue once it had been billed on the agenda for two general meetings but undecided because of the lack of a quorum.

P. M.



Dr. Marshall McLuhan

NEW EXECUTIVE TAKES OVER

An attempt made to hold the final Students' Union meeting of the year on April, 16, turned out to be a mere student assembly, as attendance was far below the required fifty per cent quorum. However, though the assembly was not an official meeting, the executive offices were turned over to the newly elected officers, and the Administrative, Literary, Debating, and Athletic awards were handed out to the deserving recipients.

Outgoing president, Dan O'Hanley, explained that, ac-

cording to the Constitution, if a quorum is not attained at two consecutive meetings, the executive would decide the resolutions at hand. After thanking all for their cooperation during the year, Mr. O'Hanley officially turned the meeting over to the new executive. The transfer witnessed the departure of Dan O'Hanley, Vibert Rosemay, Frances MacDougall, and Gerry Gillis, and the installation of president Harry Callaghan, vice-president Colin McMillan, secretary Marilyn Sutherland, and treasurer

Donald MacCormac. Harry Callaghan congratulated the outgoing officers and made the usual plea for student cooperation during the coming year. Jim "Squeaks" MacAuley then presented the Athletic awards (for story see page 5). Bill Dolan, outgoing RED AND WHITE editor, presented the Literary "D's", explaining that these awards were not restricted to members of the staff, but were available to any student who cared to contribute to the paper.

John Dunphy, secretary of

the Debating Society, next presented the Debating awards, and finally, Vibert Rosemay, Chairman of the Students' Awards Committee, presented the Administrative "D's" (see story on page 3). The meeting was closed with a short address by the moderator, Rev. Allan MacDonald, in which he congratulated the award winners for the fine examples they had shown, and encouraged others to emulate them.

D. M. M.

SENIOR CLASS ELECTS LIFE OFFICERS

The Class of '62 recently honoured six of its members with life executive positions. For the elected ones, this will be the last time they will be participating in student affairs.

Jack Noonan, a native of Summerside, P.E.I., was elected Class life-president. In the three years he has been here, Jack distinguished himself in various phases of student government, having served as president of the Senior Class,

vice-president of the Students' Union, and N.F.C.U.S. chairman.

RED AND WHITE's former editor, William A. Dolan, was awarded the vice-presidency. Bill is a native of Brooklyn, N.Y., and shared a wide interest in student activities, ranging from the Varsity football squad (won the cleanest uniform award) to the literary and debating fields. Last year, Bill was number one Science student in his class.

The secretary-treasurer is Frances "Miss Secretary" MacDougall, a native of Kinkora, P.E.I. Besides her new secretaryship, Fran has served as secretary to the Students' Union, the P.C. Club, the Senior Class, the Ladies' Debating Society, and the "Students' Advisory Council." Fran is also Prefect of the Sodality at Marian College.

The two Committee members are Edward "Benny" Benson, and Ambrose "Brace" Lee. Benny, of Halifax, N.S., was class president in 59-60, secretary and president of the Debating Society, and one of the outstanding debaters at S.D.U. This year he represented St. Dunstan's at the Dominion debating finals in Ottawa. Benson is noted for his "metaphysical abstractions" . . . a real student of the McLellan-Grenier school of Thomistic Philosophy.

Ambrose Lee hails from Hong Kong and is the only Chinese student graduate in the Class. The quiet and easy-going "Amby" was very active in student life, and served as president of the Chinese Student Society and RED AND WHITE photographer 61-62. Besides being an expert with the telescopic lens, Amby is a social "hep cat" with a Latin beat on the dance floor.

The honor of Valedictorian falls upon Daniel O'Hanley, a native of Monticello, P.E.I., and former president of the Students' Union.

Keenan Marr To Head Foreign Students' Soc.

The 62-63 executive of the Foreign Students' Organization was elected at an executive meeting held recently. Taking over the presidency from John Weed will be Keenan Marr, a Junior Arts student from Maine, U.S.A. The newly-created post of Chairman will be filled by Joe Sassi, also from Maine, while Michael Wong of Hong Kong will carry on the duties of vice-president.

Other members of the new executive will be Anne Curran (U.S.A.), secretary; Wayne AuYeung (Hong Kong), treasurer; and Mary Lou Cremin (U.S.A.), corresponding secretary.

The executive will be completed by representatives from each of the foreign national groups on campus: Hong Kong, Kenya, the West Indies, and U.S.A.

Chief Justice To Address Graduates

The Class of '62 will be addressed by The Honourable Thane A. Campbell, Chief Justice of Prince Edward Island, at the Convocation Exercises on May, 15. Mr. Campbell is well known throughout the Province for his outstanding career in Law and Politics.

The Honourable Mr. Campbell graduated from Dalhousie University in 1915 with a B.A. Degree. He then went on to Oxford as a Rhodes Scholar, and graduated in 1917 with an M.A. In 1938, he was awarded an Honorary Degree in Law by Dalhousie. At this year's Convocation, St. Dunstan's will confer on him a Doctorate in Law (honoris causa).

In the field of politics, he was elected to the Provincial Assembly in 1931. He served as Attorney-General in 1935, and was sworn in as Premier in 1936. In 1943 he was ap-



Chief Justice Thane Campbell

pointed Chief Justice of the Province.

M. L. C.

Lecturer Treats Controversial Topics

Perhaps the most interesting if not the most controversial Lecture Series in the history of St. Dunstan's was presented by Dr. Marshall McLuhan in the Alumni Gymnasium on the evenings of April 16 and 17.

Dr. McLuhan, author of the "Mechanical Bride," and a book currently at press, is professor of English at St. Michael's College in the University of Toronto, and a man

of fame for his views on communications . . . During the year 1959-60 he did research for the United States Government in this particular field.

Dr. McLuhan titled his lectures: "The Effects of Communications on the Changing Patterns of Politics and Economics," and "The End of the Gutenberg Era," subtitled "implosion" and "explosion," respectively. For story, see Page 6.

D. E.