

ALUMNI

The alumni section of Red and White, although it may not be of particular interest to the present students of St. Dunstan's, is nevertheless a very important part of the magazine insofar as it may be considered a medium through which former students of S. D. U. keep in touch with their "Alma Mater" and with one another.

Owing to the limitation of space in the magazine and to the fact that there is a considerable amount of alumni news to be dealt with in this section, it is necessary that the preliminaries be made as brief as possible in order that justice be done to the alumni.

Before proceeding to discuss alumni activities, your new editor takes this opportunity to extend to the alumni and to all who read this section, "A Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year."

The whereabouts and occupations of the class of '39 are given below:

Fred Howatt is studying medicine at Queen's University, Kingston, Ont.

Charles McQuaid is taking up chemical engineering at Toronto University.

Paul Brunelle is employed in his father's firm at Victoria-ville, P. Q.

Lawrence Landrigan is studying theology at St. Augustine's Seminary, Toronto.

Ronald McNeill is in military service with the P. E. I. Highlanders at Halifax, N. S.

James Higgins is busily engaged in farming activities at his home in Kensington.

Somerled Trainor is a member of the teaching staff at St. Dunstan's College.

Wilfred Pineau is studying theology at the Grand Seminary, Quebec.

John Sullivan is engaged in agricultural pursuits at his home in Vernon, P. E. I.

Leon Leclerc is studying medicine at the University of Montreal.

Ivan Walsh has entered the Jesuit Seminary at Guelph, Ontario.

Francois Boudreau is studying theology at the Grand Seminary, Quebec.

Alex MacDonald is dispensary sergeant in the medical corps at Charlottetown.

NUPTIALS

The throbbing of war drums and the reverberation of guns have in no way prevented the ringing of wedding bells for St. Dunstan's alumni, for within the past three months we have been informed that several men from the alumni ranks have taken upon themselves marital responsibilities in addition to their other obligations, whether military or otherwise. Red and White extends its hearty congratulations and best wishes to the following who were united in the bonds of Holy Matrimony:

Lieut. L. Duffy, '33, D. M. D., and Miss Mary Florence Mallett.

Lieut. Roy McCabe, ex '32 and Miss Mary McCarron.

Mr. Thomas McAvinn, '24 and Miss Hilda McKenna.

Mr. Matthew White, '27 and Miss Cynthia Reeves.

Mr. Thomas Johnston, ex '33 and Miss Noonan.

Mr. Stephen Connolly, '34 and Miss Eulalia McNally.

At Montreal on August 13th, four Island Jesuits, Reverends Hugh McPhee '25, Vincent Murphy '25, St. Clair Managhan '26, and John Sullivan '26, were ordained to the Holy Priesthood. These four young men sang Solemn Mass for their first time in their respective parishes, St. Margaret's, Kinkora, Charlottetown and Summerside. Four days after their ordination they assisted at the alumni reunion at St. Dunstan's. To these young men who have volunteered to devote their lives in the service of God, Red and White tenders its most sincere felicitations and earnestly hopes that God will shower upon them an abundance of graces and blessings for the proper and complete fulfillment of their sacred duties.

Rev. Elliot McGuigan, S. J. '24 who for the past year was studying in Rome, was in Ireland at the outbreak of the present war, and will remain there indefinitely.

Rev. Gerald McGuigan, S. J., ex '25 who for the past

three years has been studying at the University of Toronto, received his Master of Arts' degree at the convocation exercises held there in May. He is at the present time teaching at Regiopolis College, Kingston.

Rev. Edward Baldwin, C.S.S.R. '33 was ordained last summer in Woodstock, Ont. He celebrated his first Mass at his native parish of St. Theresa's on June 30th last. He has returned to St. Alphonsus Seminary for another year's study.

Congratulations to Bishop James Morrison of Antigonish who celebrated his fiftieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood on Nov. 1st. Bishop Morrison has had a notable career in the service of God. In 1892, three years after his ordination, he was named rector of St. Dunstan's and it was during his term of office that the college obtained affiliation with Laval. In 1895 he was appointed rector of St. Dunstan's Cathedral, Charlottetown. Five years later he was made Vicar-General of the Charlottetown diocese, and in 1912 he was consecrated Bishop of Antigonish. To this distinguished alumnus of St. Dunstan's Red and White offers felicitations and heartfelt good wishes.

Bishop Leo Nelligan, '21 who for the past two years has been Chief Pastor in St. Columbia's Cathedral, Pembroke, has recently assumed the duties of Honorary Chaplain of the Canadian forces, with the rank of Lieut. Col., Chief of Catholic Chaplains.

Red and White congratulates Archbishop James C. McGuigan of Toronto on the high honor which he has recently received. In the convocation hall of the Catholic University of America, and in the presence of many distinguished citizens and visitors, Archbishop McGuigan, who is the youngest Archbishop in the Americas, was awarded the title of Doctor of Laws, the greatest academic honor possible in the Catholic Church in the United States.

Kenneth MacMillan, '33 who was a member of the teaching staff of Queen Square School for several years, is now studying theology at St. Augustine's Seminary in Toronto.

The following alumni were among the students who took the leadership course at St. Dunstan's this fall: James Sharkey, '34, Gerard McCloskey, ex '36, Borden Greenan, ex '36, and Martin O'Brien ex '39. St. Dunstan's, faithful to her old tradition, welcomed the presence of these young men who are desirous to become leaders in their communities.

Mr. Pius Callaghan, '34 Law Student, is at present filling a vacancy in the staff of Queen Square School.

Maurice Monaghan, S. J., ex '32, is teaching at Champion College, Regina.

Mr Alphonsus Campbell, '37, having won a scholarship last summer which admitted him to Fordham University, New York, is now taking a post graduate course there in English. Red and White hopes that his endeavours in the field of English will be crowned with success.

Mr Daniel MacIntyre, ex '31 is a member of the teaching staff of Loyola University, Montreal.

Rt. Rev. Joseph B. MacDonald D. P., Pastor of North Vancouver, died on Nov. 14th last. Msgr. MacDonald was a native of East Point and the son of the late Leo MacDonald. He graduated from St. Dunstan's in 1893 and was ordained in 1896. For many years he labored in the Diocese of Fargo, North Dakota. He then moved to the Pacific Coast. His brother, Father Alex. predeceased him only three years ago. Eternal rest give unto him, O Lord.

All students who attended St. Dunstan's from 1915 to 1917, will deeply regret the death in September last of J. Edmond Gagnon, Prothonotary at New Carlisle, P. Q. He was familiarly known to all of that day as "Johnny Gazoo." His death was accidental; while getting into a boat on a hunting trip his gun discharged. He lived only a few hours. "Johnny", who was a much beloved friend to all who knew him, was a colorful figure, and the folklore of St. Dunstan's will long abound in tales about him. To his wife, and also to his brothers, three of whom are alumni, Red and White extends deepest sympathy. Requiescat in pace.

Following is a list of former St. Dunstan's students now in active service. We tried to make the list more complete by applying to a member of each unit to supply the names. We hope no one is overlooked. No doubt many alumni have enlisted from other provinces; these we cannot get in touch with. We should be glad to have the names of any enlisted alumni which do not appear here:

R. C. A. M. C.—Lt. Col. J. J. Blake, Lt. Col. J. S. Jenkins; Major G. L. Smith; Lieut. R. D. Howatt; Sgts. Charles Praught, A. J. Richard, J. Alex MacDonald; Cpls. Charles Jenkins, Clifford McGuigan; Ptes. Leo Campbell, Stephen Larkin, J. Allan Murphy, J. F. McCarville. R. B. MacCormac, J. J. MacDonald, James McGuigan, Ray McKinnon, James Roach, Gerald Shreenan, Roy Silliphant, W. E. Toombs, Gordon Trainor, Ray Trainor.

R. A. F. *England*—Lieut. Joseph Ready.

In the Artillery—Lieut. Regis Arsenault; Sgts. Augustine Campbell, Michael Campbell; Grs. James Hogan, William D. Murphy, Harry McCaullum, Joseph Knockwood, Francis L. Aylward, Joseph Callaghan.

No. 6 District Signals—Capt. Leo F. MacDonald; Sgts. Francis Pineau, James Strain, Cpl. R. C. Stewart; Sigmn. Joseph Doooley, Ted Strain, William McInnis, Hubert McCallum.

P. E. I. Highlanders—Majors. W. J. MacDonald, J. F. MacMillan; Capt. E. J. H. Morrissey; Lieuts. John A. MacDonald, A. F. Gormley, Roy McCabe; Sgts. Joseph O'Hanley, Francis MacNeill; Cpls. Waldron Lavers, Francis MacDonald, Harold Goodwin, Ronald MacNeill; Ptes. James L MacDonald, George Sullivan, Stephen J. Gillis, Gladstone O'Hanley, Pius Smith, Fred Steele.

Since the beginning of the scholastic year, the following alumni have been visitors to the college: Mr. Amedee Caron, '18, Lieut. John A MacDonald, '38, Rev. Emmet Dougan, '13, and Rev. John Foley, ex '99.

We welcome Dr. John Sweeney '12 back to Charlottetown. After practising several years in Western Canada and Bermuda, he has returned to his native city. We wish him all success here.