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# ALUMNI



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We have lately received word that Herbert Murphy, one of last year's graduates, has accepted a position on the teaching staff of Campion College, Regina, Sask.

"Herby," as he was familiarly known, was a member of the senior football team for two years, and largely due to his great athletic powers, victory was won often. We heartily congratulate him, and wish him every success in his pedagogical career.

Another graduate, Mr. Bernard Murphy, B. A. has also entered the teaching profession, and has taken the principalship of Emerald in his native province. As a student, "Barney" certainly was a credit to his Alma Mater, and we feel sure that her extensive training has fitted him for this important position. We congratulate him on this appointment and wish him every success.

The following students have entered the Jesuit Novitiate at Guelph, Ont., Messrs Alfred and Theodore Monaghan of Charlottetown, and Mr. Edwin McCormac of this city, also Mr. Thomas Hynes of Cardigan.

To these young men we offer every encouragement in their noble undertaking.

We are all glad to learn that Alfred Mullally, '18 of Souris, P. E. I. has obtained his degree of D. M. D. from Tufts Dental College, and has opened an office in the city of Boston. We wish him every success.

One of Charlottetown's popular young athletes, and an alumnus of St. Dunstan's in the person of Charles Dougan has also completed his course in Dentistry at Tuft's Dental College, receiving his D. M. D. Dr. Dougan is now practising in his home town. We have no doubt but that his friendly disposition and thorough knowledge of Dentistry will bring him well-merited success.

With pleasure we announce that Martin A. McGuigan '19, another Charlottetown boy, has not only received his D. M. D. from Tufts, but has also taken unto himself a life partner in the person of Miss Corish of Maine. Dr. McGuigan has opened an office in Newton, Mass. We heartily congratulate this young couple and wish them much happiness.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. Frank McPhee on his marriage to Miss Loretta Leonard of Cornwall, P. E. I. Frank is one of Charlottetown's most promising young lawyers, and an alumnus of whom St. Dunstan's may well be proud. To him and his bride we wish much happiness.

We were pleased to have a visit from one of our former students, Mr. John F. Rogers, now residing in distant Honolulu. Mr. Rogers is an enthusiastic football fan, and while in Charlottetown witnessed several games between the Abbies and Saints.

The following graduates of '23 have entered Quebec Seminary: Leo Sullivan of Cardigan, Patrick Rooney of Cherry Valley, Basil Croken of Clermont.

The following have entered St. Augustine's Seminary, Toronto.—Dionel Buote of Rustico, Charles McCarthy and John Mullally of Souris, and Henry Doiron of Rustico.

Mr. St. Clair Trainor, B. A. of last year's graduating class has entered upon the study of law in the office of Mark McGuigan, B. A., of Charlottetown.



We hope that "Sage" will gain renown in the legal profession. For if "putting it over" is one of the legal requisites, we feel sure that Sage will be perfectly at home.

Another of last year's popular graduates in the person of Mr. Leo Doyle has taken up the teaching profession. He is at present imparting knowledge to the youths of Elliotvale. Mr. Doyle has had considerable experience in this profession, and has had the advantage of a year in Normal. We wish him success in his pedagogical career.

The pupils of Freetown are fortunate in having as a teacher Mr. Leonard Farmer, B. A., another of last year's graduates. We wish him every success.

We heartily congratulate Mr. Mark McGuigan on his recent marriage to Miss Aggie Trainor of Charlottetown. He is one of Charlottetown's most popular young lawyers. To this young couple we extend our sincere wishes.

We have lately received from the publishers a book entitled "The Red Vineyard," written by the Rev. B. J. Murdoch, a former student of St. Dunstan's.

Father Murdock graduated in 1908, and afterwards pursued his theological course in the Grand Seminary, Quebec. He was ordained to the holy priesthood in 1912.

At the outbreak of the great war, Father Murdock was in charge of a parish in New Brunswick, and realizing what great work might be accomplished among the soldiers, enlisted as a chaplain in the Canadian Expeditionary Forces.

Father Murdock performed his arduous duties with great zeal and perseverance.

He was ever with his men, encouraging them, directing them spiritually, often braving death in order to bring the last sacraments to the wounded and dying. His consolations were not confined to the soldiers alone, but to many a grief stricken mother and sorrowing relative did he send a letter of sympathy, consoling them in their afflictions. And what could be more comforting to the Catholic mother

than to know that her son who died on the battlefield had recently received the sacraments, or if wounded or sick had been annointed before death. His presence was ever an inspiration to our brave soldiers. He was present at many of the battles in which the Canadians figured so heroically, and in which they gained for themselves the praise of the whole world.

After his return from overseas, Father Murdock was restationed in New Brunswick, where during his leisure moments, he compiled this record of his experiences in the Great War.

"The Red Vineyard" is an account of Father Murdock's work among the soldiers in Canada, in England, and in France. It relates each event with great precision, and depicts vividly many scenes of the great war. It does not picture the horrors of war alone; it points out the bright side as well. It tells of the comradeship and love of the men for one another, and the fervor with which the soldiers were imbued before each battle, and that on the battlefield where all was death and destruction, religion alone could bring true consolation. In a word, it points out that these soldiers were brought to a realization of religion and of the love of God, hitherto undreamed of.

To those who have lost anyone near and dear to them in the late war, the Red Vineyard will be a source of great consolation. For those who desire good literature and who are constantly reading about the horrors of war, it will prove a relaxation, for it shows the bright side as well.

We heartily congratulate Father Murdock on his recent publication, and we shall look forward to receiving other valuable literary contributions from the Reverend gentleman.

