

The progress made by the Band this year is in no small way attributable to the guidance and the seemingly rigid demands of the new director, Mr. Lloyd Ward, who has several years' experience as a bandsman. It is clear that if the band continues to progress as it has, then music as a source of culture and entertainment has a tremendous future at St. Dunstan's.

Socials have been held regularly at the Rollaway with unusually large numbers in attendance, and the proceeds have helped to keep the Students' Union's coffers from being completely empty. Thursday, February 13, was the last social until we return from the Easter holidays in April.

Since the Fall Edition of the **Red and White**, two of the ever-popular sock-hops have been held, following basketball games in the Gymnasium. The first, sponsored by the C.F.C.C.S., was held on December 7, and the second on January 18. As a windup another was held on the last Saturday before Lent.

Three dances have been held at the Rollaway; one was sponsored by the A.A.A. in December, another by the **Red and White** on January 7, and the third sponsored by the Sorority on January 28. All three dances were very well attended, and quite successful, both socially and financially.

On February 3, The World University Service of Canada sponsored a semi-formal dance in the Alumni Gymnasium, with music by the Downtowners, and dancing from 9:30 to 12:30. Chaperones for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Driscoll, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene A. MacDonald. One of the highlights of the evening was a demonstration of ballroom dancing given by Marjorie Aker, and George Ng who has for several years given floor shows in Hong Kong. Much effort was put into the preparations for the formal, and the W.U.S.C. committee, headed by Edmond McClair, deserves great credit for a difficult job well done.

February 4 was named a holiday in honor of our patron, Saint Dunstan, whose feast in the liturgical calendar falls on May 19, after the close of the school year. The day, celebrated in traditional fashion by faculty and students, began in the Chapel at 11:00 with solemn High Mass, celebrated by Rev. R. G. Ellsworth, with Rev. L. W. Landrigan as Deacon, and Rev. V. G. Murnaghan as Subdeacon. At noon a dinner, presided over by Rev. G. A. MacDonald, Vice-Rector, was served to all present. During the meal, toasts were drunk, to the Queen; to the Church, proposed by Michael Swift, with the response by William Phillips; to Our Country, by William Kelly and Charles Campbell; and to the Day We Honor, by Donald MacDougall and Patrick McWade.

Dr. J. Henri Blanchard, who graduated in 1912, was the guest speaker for the occasion. He introduced his talk with reminiscences of the days and deeds of the students of his time, but later turned to the field of his own specialty, the history of the early Acadian settlers in P. E. I. Speaking as though he had been personally present at each event, Dr. Blanchard gave to the faculty and students a memorable lesson in the much too little known history of our own province.

During the afternoon, an Abbott and Costello film was presented by the Film Club in the Assembly Hall, followed by a basketball game in which the Faculty, with such shooting stars as Joe Mahar, A. J. MacAdam, and Father Kelly, outplayed the Seniors with a score of 36-26.

In the evening the focus of interest was the Alumni Auditorium, where a concert of waltzes, marches and overtures was presented by the Band. Also included in the program were several selections of old-time music, with Faber MacDonald and Joseph Aucoin on the fiddle, John Fielding at the piano, and Gus O'Quinn with the guitar. Songs by Pat McWade, Eugene Wynne and David Gallant were also included, as well as piano solos by Joe Gallant, step-dancing by Jimmie Smith, and novelty songs by the Octet.

The Band, under the direction of Lloyd Ward of Charlottetown, showed great improvement since its last appearance several months ago. The hearty applause and the many favorable comments were evidence that all present quite enjoyed the program.

By the time these pages go to press Lent will have arrived, for Ash Wednesday is on February 19 this year. With the coming of Lent, the wheels of social activity will rest, it is to be hoped, for a few weeks. During this time, graduation theses are completed, mid-term examinations reappear, even the gayest students are occasionally seen at tables in the library, and in general, more emphasis is placed on studies. During this period too, more thought is given to prayer, penance and things of the soul, in accordance with the spirit of Lent.

But Easter follows Lent, bringing with it the restlessness of Spring, and a final epidemic of social activities. Until then we wish you, one and all, a holy Lent, and a very joyous Easter.

NONSENSE AVENUE

Great is a man's ability
To curb his risibility,
And see all humour as a joke
When he's the victim of a joke.

So come with us, all college friends
And laugh the laughs of hearty men.
Though you be subject of a jest,
Take it for its worth—its zest.

Prof.—“What student was so rude as to laugh out loud?”

Bowser—“Well, I laughed up my sleeve, and there were a hole in the elbow.”

Quigley—“What's wrong, McCarron, can't you get Campbell, that roommate of yours, out for church in the morning?”

McCarron—“Well, I tried.”

Quigley—“Yeah! What did you say to him?”

McCarron—“Lazarus, come forth.”

Wynn—"Now listen, Chop, I can only play black and white keys."

McWade—"Fine. Keep playing, then."

Wynn—"Then don't be singing on the cracks."

Fr. Arsenault—"I'd like to do my next painting for some charitable organization."

An apparent admirer—"Why don't you donate it to the Institution for the Blind."

Ledwell—"Gee, Margie, I'll bet you're older than the other co-eds."

Aker—"Oh, I don't know. Women don't talk about birthdays, anyway."

Ledwell—"You're tellin' me! When a man has a birthday he usually takes a day off, but when a woman has a birthday she takes a year off."

Fr. MacLellan—"In Ethics, Mr. MacDougall, what do you understand by Matrimony?"

Don—"I think it's 'marion', father."

Fr. Murnaghan—"I hope you are preparing for the exam; I just sent the examination paper to be typed. Now are there any questions?"

McGinn—"Yes, father. Who's the typist?"

Rupe—"Man, it's raining cats and dogs."

Ob—"Yeah, too bad you couldn't be in the zoo with them."

Bowser (shaking hands with both)—"Oh, hello there, Aubrey. And how are you, Earl? Say did you see my biscuit-poppin' friend—Hal?"

Gibby (glancing out the door)—"Yeah. He went out for a drip, and got taken in."

New Authors to Grace our Campus

A. Roche—"A Women's Laundromat."

H. Connolly—"Jeepers Creepers, Lost my Peepers."

Rev. F. Ledwell—"Basketball Rules in Practice."

M. Aker—"Now a Broadway Hit" "Wool Stockings."

T. Beagan—"Adventures in Exile."

P. McWade—"Between the Pillow and Mattress."

M. Gauthier—"Farmer in the Well."

S. MacDonald—"Alexander's Ragtime Toot."

A. Keays—"Anchorage on the Alleys."

R. St. John—"Professor's Key to Greek, Latin and Hebrew."

The Cat's Revenge

(by Claude Bawls)

I was singing on a fence so gently
As a bird upon its nest,
When the old man gave the signal
And his gum-boot did the rest.

"Lead Kindly Light"

I never see my dear priest's eyes.
He hides their light divine.
For when he prays, he shuts his own,
And when he preaches, mine.

"Eulogy on the Party-Crasher"

There was a young man so delighted
He never knew when he was slighted.
He'd go to a party,
And eat just as hearty,
As if he were really invited.



HOCKEY

Gone from this year's hockey team were such stars as Paul "Buck" Davey, Ray Gionet, Jean-Guy Lemay, Ed MacDonald, "Miner" MacDonald, and Gaston Roy. These players had carried most of the mail for the Saints in both the intercollegiate and Island leagues of the past two years. Other former players, although they are still with us, could not participate in intercollegiate play because of certain rules that declared them ineligible. From this you can see that coach A. J. MacAdam had quite a rebuilding job on hand this year. Considering the loss of many former players and the very uncooperative weather that gave us very little ice in our college rink, we think that Mr. MacAdam came up with as strong a team as possible under such conditions. We think that although this year's team was not well rewarded as far as games-won are concerned; they, nevertheless, gained plenty of experience and well deserved to wear the Red and White colors.

The Saints entered only the intercollegiate hockey league this year. Both U.N.B. and Mount Allison did strong squads, thus Saint Dunstan's had to be content with no wins in four intercollegiate games. The Saints played exhibition games against Summerside Aces and Charlottetown Royals, two of the teams partaking in the Maritime Senior League. In both of these games, as we expected, the Saints were far outclassed; nevertheless, they gave it all they had. The one game that the Saints managed to win was against no other team but their old rivals the Parkdale Flyers.

The following is the Saints line-up for this year: Goal—Teddy Redmond and Bob King; Defence—Ray Hache (captain), John Whalen, George Trainor, and Gerald D. Murphy; Forwards—"Sandy" MacDonald, John R. MacDonald, Gerard Burns, Reg Peters, Claude Peters, Jack Kane, Rene Rivard, George Keays, Jack Murphy, and Bill O'Neill. Coach—A. J. MacAdam. Manager—Lawrence Gallant.

Coach A. J. MacAdam deserves much credit for his tireless efforts in putting together a team inspite of adverse weather conditions which caused the practices in our college rink to be few. Next year A. J. we hope the weather will be more cooperative and with a few additions we feel sure that the Saints will again be strong contenders for intercollegiate honors. An often forgotten man on the team is the manager. Lawrence Gallant worked hard as manager this year and deserves a word of thanks.

For their first game of the 1957-58 season the Saints, with only three practice sessions under their belts, journeyed to the capital of Prince County, where they played the Summerside Senior Aces in an exhibition game. The Aces had already been playing in the Maritime Senior loop for two weeks, thus they showed too much power and conditioning for the shortwinded Saints, as they rapped in twelve goals to beat the Saints 12-3. Almost everyone who saw this game said that it was far closer than the score indicated. Reg Peters, Jack Kane, and Gerry Burns potted the disc for the Saints.