ATHLETICS

With the dawn of a world at peace flooding the shadows of five long years of war, the outlook for every peacetime activity becomes brighter. And so for athletics, a true symbol of peace with its encouragement of the high ideals of fair play, we can see a bright future. To treat in any detail the athletic accomplishments of St. Dunstan's during the war years would indeed be beyond my ability. The only complete and accurate record can be found in the heroic deeds of our students who "Took the khaki and the gun instead of cap and gown".

In time of war when our very existence is threatened few have time for any real organized competitive sport. This fact with its attendant restrictions on men, materials, and travel made it impossible for the Maritime Intercollegiate Athletic Union to carry on with pre-war schedules. As a result of these restrictions, the past five years saw exhibition games predominating Maritime Intercollegiate competition.

The first post-war meeting of the M. I. A. U. was held in Truro in September of this year. The only outcome of the meeting which warrants particular mention here is the adoption of a new system to determine the Maritime Intercollegiate football champions. Under this system each province must determine its own provincial champion. This means that St. Dunstan's automatically becomes Island Intercollegiate Champion and meets the New Brunswick Champion in a two game total point series. The winner is then to meet the Nova Scotia Champion in the finals.

A hockey schedule is to be drawn up at a meeting to be held in Sackville immediately after the Christmas holidays.

SENIOR TEAM

This year saw an unusually keen interest taken in football due mainly to the fact that Maritime Intercollegiate competition has been resumed after its wartime layoff.

It will not be possible to cover the results of the Maritime Intercollegiate football in this issue but we feel sure that our team will do all in its power to overcome the 6-0 deficit sustained by them at Fredericton. The coach Rev. Walter McGuigan and his able assistant Captain "Duck" MacDonald did a swell job in rounding the team into shape. Father McGuigan's tireless efforts and keen interest in football have always proved a big factor in keeping St. Dunstan's on the football map.

Lineup for the team is as follows: Fullback—E. Cameron; Halfs—E. Green, M. Hennessey, J. Bradley, H. O'Hanley; Quarters — J. McAdam, M. Smith, D. MacDonald (Capt.); Forwards—L. MacDonald, O. Mullin, D. Gillis, J. Smith, A. Pendergast, D. Burge, J. Dalziel; Spares—E. Hemphill, L. McCarthy, A. Burge.

S. D. U. 3.

MOUNT A. 6

The football season was officially opened on Saturday October 6th, when our senior squad was defeated 6-3 in an exhibition encounter held in Sackville.

The Saints started out in the early stages of the first half and forced the Mounties back continuously. The break came with Owen Mullin plunging over the line to score the first try of the game late in the first half. The attempted convert was short of the mark.

Second half began with the teams very evenly matched. At the ten minute mark Irwin of Mount A. tied the score when he grabbed a loose ball to plunge over the Saint's line. The attempted convert failed. In the latter part of the second half Tommy of Mount A. broke the deadlock to score the winning try. Again the attempted convert failed. Although the game ended in a 6-3 defeat, the Saints showed promise in their first start.

Lineups: Mount A.: Fullback—Campbell; Quarters—Kean, LaPage, Younger, Tommy, Crossman, Barritt; Halfs—MacDonald, VanVliet, Haley, Chalmers, Irwin; Forwards—Pierce, Mouland, Harris, Craig, Tucker, Wiggins, Campbell, Chapman, Schwartz, Langille, Coffey.

S. D. U.: Fullback— Cameron; Quarters—O'Hanley, Green, Hennessey, C. MacDonald; Halfs—M. Smith, D. MacDonald, McAdam; Forwards—O. Mullin, C. Mullin, Martin, J. Smith, Burge, Sark, Dalziel, Gillis, Bradley.

S. D. U. 17.

P. W. C. 3.

Saturday October 13th, gave home fans their first chance to see the senior Saints in action as they walked through P. W. C. to the tune of 17-3.

From the starting whistle Saints pushed their opponents back to their ten yard line where the play remained for the greater part of the first half. On three occasions in this session Saints crossed the tape. The first break came when Green, elusive wingman, raced forty five yards to go over standing up. At a difficult angle the kick for the extra points was short. The fifteen minute mark saw veteran J. McAdam pick a loose ball and plunge over the P. W. C. line to make it 6-0 for the Saints. The attempted kick was again off the mark. In the dying minutes of the first half "Cart" MacDonald, speedy S. D. U. half line man, marked up the third try for the Saints. "Duck" MacDonald made no mistake on the convert and the first half ended with the Saints leading 11-0.

The early part of the second half saw P. W. C. holding the Saints on even terms and their only score of the game came when "Brick" Gormley plunged across his former team mates' line to gather in the loose ball. The attempted kick was short. Five minutes later "Sock" O'Hanley made it 14-3 for the Saints. In the dying minutes of the game Mike Hennessey fell on a loose ball dribbled across the P. W. C. line. The game ended in a 17-3 victory for the Saints.

S. D. U. 0.

U. N. B. 6.

Maritime Intercollegiate semi-finals got under way at Fredericton, October 27th, with the Saints taking a 6-0 defeat administered by U. N. B. With a strong crosswind behind them U. N. B. took the kick-off and held the play within the Saints' fifteen yard line for the first five minutes of play. Fighting back desperately the Saints pushed their heavier opponents deep into their own territory. The play seesawed back and forth until midway through the first half when Bell of U. N. B. grabbed the ball from a two yard scrum to go over the Saints' line. The attempted convert failed. The remainder of the first session saw the Saints pressing desperately for a try but they were unable to break through the U. N. B. last ditch defense. Snappy ball handling by Cameron, S. D. U. fullback, kept the play out of the Saints' territory.

Early ir the second half Len MacDonald, hardworking Saints' heeler, was forced out of the game with a head injury. The Saints were on the defensive for most of this half as U. N. B., plunging from the numerous lineups pressed hard for a tally. Again Cameron's fine work saved the day for the Saints as he kicked to safety on many occasions.

S. D. U. came up the field on a couple of fast breakaways but were unable to carry through. With only five minutes left to play McDermid of the Hillmen, picking a cleanly heeled ball from the five yard scrum, hit pay dirt for U.N.B. The convert was short. The game ended with U. N. B. leading by six points in the semi-finals.

INTERMEDIATE TEAM

The intermediate squad, coached by Rev. Fr. Cass, is giving every indication that it is going to spring a surprise this season and cop the Island Intermediate title. Armed with many vigorous practice sessions and several new players, they are out to avenge the 9-0 defeat suffered by them in an exhibition game at the hands of the highly-rated P. W. C. squad. Good luck, Father Cass and Captain J. J. MacDonald; we feel sure that your team will give a good account of itself in the coming Intermediate Series.

S. D. U. 0. P. W. C. 9.

On October 17th P. W. C. defeated our intermediate team in an exhibition encounter.

The first half saw P. W. C. hemming the Saints in around their twenty five yard line. At the ten minute mark Proud of P. W. C. broke through the Saints' defense to score. The attempted convert failed. Shortly after this P. W. C. broke through again witth McLennan falling on a loose ball dribbled across the Saints' line. Again the kick for extra points was short.

The second half saw the Saints pressing the city squad into the shadow of their own goalpost, but Brehaut relieved the pressure for P. W. C. by his consistently fine booting.

The winners got their third try in the dying minutes of the game with Brehaut plunging across the line from a five yard scrum to make the score read 9-0. Once again the try for extra points was wide.

Lineups: P. W. C.: Fullback—Quigley; Quarters—Blanchard, Nicolle, Dalziel, Reddin; Halfs—MacDonald, Proud, Brehaut; Forwards—Hooper, Robertson, Hodgson, Gormley, Large, Court, McLennan, Carr, Forsythe.

S. D. U.: Fullback—Strain; Quarters—MacPhee, Sullivan, Hemphill, Corcoran; Halfs—Bradley, J. J. MacDonald, Ledwell; Forwards—J. Dalziel, L. Martin, L. MacDonald, N. Wilson, R. Sark, C. Callaghan, C. Mullin. Referee—E. Cameron.

FIELD DAY

On October 12, the annual field day was held on the college campus. The meet saw good times, good distances and many close struggles being waged throughout the entire program. Charles Mullin who placed second in last year's event took this year's senior all-round title with a total of 23 points. The junior all-round title went to Lloyd Smith who tacked up a total of 28 points.

One of the highlights of the day's program was the establishment by Paul Gagnon of a new shot put record of 44 ft. 5 in. to displace the former mark of 40 ft. 3 in. held by H. Beaudet since 1933.

SENIOR EVENTS

100 Yards—1, C. Mullin; 2, L. MacDonald; 3, J. Cash. Time—11.2 seconds.

220 Yards—1, C. Mullin; 2, J. Cash; 3, W. Ledwell. Time—24.2 seconds.

440 Yards—1, C. Mullin; 2, J. Bradley; 3, J. Cash. Time—57 seconds.

Half-Mile-1, C. Mullin; 2, J. Cash; 3, W. Ledwell.

Mile—1, A. Pendergast; 2, C. Mullin; 3, J. Bradley. Time—5 minutes, 39 seconds.

High Jump—1, P. Gagnon; 2, K. Howlett; 3, L. Mac-Donald and H. MacPhee. Height—4.ft. 9 in.

Running Broad—1, P. Gagnon; 2, L. MacDonald; 3, J. Walsh. Distance—17 ft. 6 in.

Standing Broad—1, E. Green; 2, P. Gagnon and D. Murphy; 3, J. Walsh. Distance—9 ft. $2\frac{1}{2}$ in.

Hop, Step and Jump—1, A. J. MacAdam; 2, L. MacDonald; 3, P. Gagnon.

Shot Put—1, P. Gagnon; 2, F. O'Keefe; 3, R. Sark. Distance—44 ft. 5 in.

JUNIOR EVENTS

100 Yards—1, L. Smith; 2, C. Morrisey; 3, G. Burge. Time 12 seconds.

220 Yards—1, L. Murphy; 2, L. Smith; 3, G. Burge.

440 Yards—1, L. Smith; 2, C. Morrisey; 3, A. Burge. Time—62 seconds.

High Jump—1, L. Smith; 2, R. Delory; 3. G. Burge. Running Broad—1, L. Smith; 2, G. Burge; 3, L. Murphy. Distance—16 ft. 7 in. Standing Broad—1, A. Burge; 2, S. Deighan; 3, R Delory. Distance—7 ft. 11 in.

Hop, Step and Jump—1, L. Smith; 2, G. Burge; 3, L. Murphy. Distance—31 ft. 7 in.

Shot Put—1, A. Burge; 2, W. MacIntyre; 3, G. Burge. Distance—27 ft. 6 in.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Football Kick—1, E. Cameron; 2, J. Mahar; 3, P. Gagnon. Distance—138 ft. 3 in.

Football Pass—1, A. Flynn; 2, P. Gagnon; 3. J. Bradley.

Baseball Throw—1, P. Gagnon; 2, C. MacDonald; 3, F. Whalen. Distance—300 ft. 3 in.

Sack Race—1, J. Bradley; 2, W. Ledwell; 3, B. Mac-Dougall.

Shoe Race—1, B. MacDougall; 2, J. Mahar; 3, E. Smith. Wheelbarrow Race—1, J. Bradley and J. Cash; 2, P. Hammill and E. Smith.

Backward Race—1, F. Kelly; 2, L. Corcoran; 3, J. Bradley.

Mile Walk-1, E. Smith; 2, M. MacQuaid; 3, H. Redmond.

Green Race—1, J. Mahar; 2, B. MacDougall; 3, L. Corcoran.

Tug of War-1, Senior; 2, Grade XII.

Relay Race-1, Freshmen; 2, Grade XII; 3, Seniors.

INTRAMURAL FOOTBALL

This year saw the reorganization of the intramural football league under the direction on the football manager, Harold "Dimps" Dunphy. Through the efforts of our hard working manager the league is now under way and the four teams entered are showing keen interest in football. Although many of the participants have had little or no experience in football, they seem to be learning the rudiments of play very quickly.

FLASH

Senior Saints defeated U. N. B. 8-3 on Saturday, November 3rd but lost the New Brunswick-P. E. I. Title to U. N. B. by a total score of 9-8.

Intermediate Saints lost the first game of the P. E. I. Intermediate Championship series to P. W. C. by a score of 8-0.