

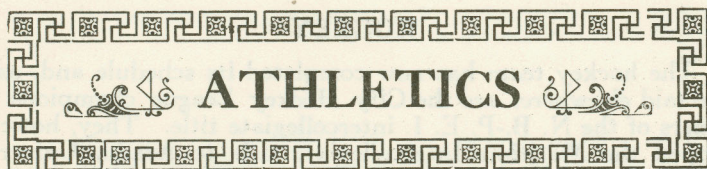
The annual Philosophers' Day was held this year as usual on St. Thomas Aquinas' day. The day was begun with High Mass sung by Father Sullivan. The usual hockey game between Juniors and Seniors followed. In the afternoon the Philosophers' banquet was held at the Queen Hotel, Jim Morris being toastmaster. The guest speaker was Hon. Sir William MacMillan M.D., C.M., F.A.C.S., O.B.E., K.C.S.G., who spoke on the relation between philosophy and our every-day life. The speaker reminded the students of the very important role they have to play in the shaping of a better world.

The students' retreat was held in the early part of March. Father Bernard Quinn, O. M. I., was the Retreat Master. At the time a retreat for the co-eds was held at Marian Hall, the Retreat Master being Father J. P. E. O'Hanley.

A recent visitor at the college was James Kelly, who is studying for the Priesthood at Laval University. James was home for a short rest and has already returned to his studies.

Obituary

Rev. Herman McKenna, a former student of St. Dunstan's died in Owatonna, Minn. early in April. Father McKenna was a native of P. E. I., who, like so many others, dedicated his life to the service of God in the United States. **Red and White** extends its sincere sympathy.



ATHLETICS

Ah, yes! Spring is here. Back to the mothballs go the hockey sticks, pads, pucks and basketballs; out come the softballs, bats, and catcher's mitts and gloves. With this also comes the editor of **Red and White** demanding an account of the athletic activities for his spring issue. Since he is a staunch supporter of the Toronto Maple Leafs (and therefore a good friend of ours), we gladly try to fulfill his request.

Three titles are now resting on College Hill as a result of last winter victories, two in hockey and one in basketball. The basketball team recently annexed the Island Intercollegiate Basketball

title, and the senior hockey team are the New Brunswick-Prince Edward Island intercollegiate hockey champions and also proud possessors of the Dr. F. C. Dougan trophy, the emblem of supremacy in the City Hockey League.

At the annual meeting of the M. I. A. U. on April 3, St. Dunstan's was represented by James Morris and Preston Hammill, the president and secretary of the St. Dunstan's A.A.A. The boys reported a very successful trip and cited that one of the most important rules passed was to the effect that no player will henceforth be able to play for any team other than his college teams, and still participate in intercollegiate athletics for that season. In a world that is becoming increasingly commercialized, this move is one to be commended as it will certainly help to keep collegiate sports on a strictly amateur basis.

A rumor has it that a new gymnasium is being proposed for erection in the near future. Although it is only a rumor, and we stress this fact, it would certainly satisfy a crying need which has hindered St. Dunstan's athletic teams for many years. Basketball and boxing have been particularly handicapped in this respect. Although records show that our basketball teams have always given a good account of themselves in competition, we feel sure, however, that they would be even better competitors with facilities for holding regular practices. Boxing has also been neglected at St. Dunstan's due to the lack of training quarters and not for the want of material. There are many students here who, with the required training and practice, could, no doubt, give a good account of themselves in the art of pugilistic endeavour.

HOCKEY

The hockey team has now completed its schedule and, as we have said elsewhere, are the City Hockey League champions and winners of the N. B.-P. E. I. intercollegiate title. They, however, dropped the Maritime Intercollegiate title to Acadia University of Wolfville in a two-game total-goal series. Although the Axemen did not seem to have any individual stars as good as those on the Saints' team, they appeared to be a better balanced and better conditioned squad. Every Acadia player seemed to be about the same caliber, and they finished the game almost as fresh as they started it.

Red and White extends sincerest congratulations to Acadia University, the Maritime Intercollegiate Hockey Champions.

Although we do not wish to offer any excuses for the Saints, as we feel sure they do not need any, the team this year seemed to be lacking in condition. This was probably due to the lack of

sufficiently good competition and the small number of games the team played. Practically all through the season the team was faced most of the time by squads which were unable to test the Saints' true strength. They also participated in about only a dozen games, which was far short of the twenty-two contests played last year.

CITY HOCKEY LEAGUE PLAY-OFFS

In the first game of the finals for the City Hockey League title, March 17, the Saints took a close 9-8 victory over the Navy. The Saints were on the short end of the score most of the game and had to come from behind to win it. The leading point-getter of the game was Captain Joe Mahar of the Red and White squad with five goals and one assist.

On Saturday, March 27, the Saints captured the Dougan trophy by taking the second game of the best of three series 8-6. The game was evenly contested with the deciding goals coming late in the third period. The Saints' second line of Blanchard, Rodgers and Ledwell was particularly effective in this game. Blanchard scored three of the S. D. U. goals, Rodgers scored two and Cart MacDonald of the Saints' first line also scored two.

MARITIME INTERCOLLEGIATE FINALS

The first game of the two game, total-goal series for the Maritime Intercollegiate Hockey title was played at Acadia, on March 20, with the Axemen winning a decisive victory 14-8. The Saints were definitely outplayed and showed the lack of competition in the two week lay-off previous to this game. Mahar led the Saints with four goals, while MacFarlane duplicated this effort for the Axemen.

The second and deciding game was played in Charlottetown, on March 27, with the Acadia team winning this game also 10-5. This game was more evenly contested than the first one with the Red and White squad showing to particularly good advantage in the third period. Houde was the top scorer for the Saints with three goals.

BASKETBALL

Sweeping a best out of three series with Prince of Wales in two straight games, Father MacGuigan's senior basketball team

once again reign as Island Intercollegiate Basketball Champions. Sparked by forwards Bradley, Noble, O'Connor and Roach, and guards "Big Willie" MacDonald and Captain Owen Mullin, they won two convincing victories by the scores 41-35 and 36-23.

Red and White extends sincerest congratulations to the St. Dunstan's senior basketball team, the Island Intercollegiate Champions.

The team also participated in the City Basketball League, where it finished in second place in the regular league play, but lost out to Navy in the semi-finals.

In their first attempt in Maritime Intercollegiate Intermediate Basketball, the Saints also gave a good account of themselves losing a two-game, total-point series by only seven points to a team from Mount Allison University.

CITY BASKETBALL LEAGUE GAMES

The Saints played four games with the Navy team in the regular league play, winning all four of them. The scores were 55-30, 58-29, 44-30, and 44-39.

In the four games played with Prince of Wales, the Red and White squad was successful in winning only one. They lost the first two games 47-36, and 47-37, won the third 27-25, but lost the final encounter 38-30.

In their regular league games with Ray's Millionaires, the Saints lost three and won one. Ray's took the first game 56-36. The S. D. U. squad took the second 37-34, but lost the last two 33-27, and 34-30.

In the semi-final play-offs for the City Basketball League title, the Saints faced the Millionaires and were eliminated in two straight games 48-32 and 35-23.

INTERCOLLEGIATE BASKETBALL GAMES

The Saints took only two games to prove their supremacy in the Island Intercollegiate circuit this season. They decisively defeated the Welshmen 41-35 and 36-23.

In their quest for intermediate intercollegiate honors, the Saints were eliminated by a Mount Allison University team. The series was a two-game, total-point, home and home affair with the Mounties taking the first game in Charlottetown 36-32, and also the second one in Sackville 33-30.

INTRAMURAL HOCKEY

The league was one of the most hotly contested in years with numerous thrills and upsets. The freshmen team, led by their high-scoring line of O'Connor, Cameron and Murphy, was favored to cop the title; but the finals saw a hard-fighting Grade XI team win the trophy by taking a two game, total-goal series 7-2. Johnny O'Connor was the leading scorer of the league with 14 points, followed closely by his linemate George Cameron with 13.

The following is a line-up of the Grade XI team, the intramural champions: D. Sullivan, G. Kelly, A. O'Brien, S. Deighan (Captain), J. Dorsey, J. MacDonald, P. Sinnott, J. Rossiter, W. MacAdam.

ATHLETIC D'S

The St. Dunstan's A.A.A. has awarded athletic D's in football to Elmer Blanchard, Joe Mahar, Cart MacDonald, Johnny Bradley and Allister MacIsaac; in hockey to Elmer Blanchard and Allison Farmer; in basketball to Johnny O'Connor and Leo Murphy.

Bronze Pins, signifying the winning of two athletic D's, have also be awarded to Elmer Blanchard, Joe Mahar, Cart MacDonald, "Kiker" MacIsaac and Johnny Bradley.

NONSENSE AVENUE

Well here we are for the last edition. The end of the college year is near at hand and everyone begins to wonder where the time really went. We wouldn't advise you to spend too much time thinking about that lest you come to the conclusion that you have wasted most of your time. We know that you did spend considerable time pondering over philosophy and chemistry, but just think of all the time you have spent idly talking to your friends. We have in mind now a particular Saturday night that permission was not granted to town. A few of the boys took a belligerent attitude toward the situation and decided to go and study, but many of the others, the easy to get along with type, decided that they would have a bull-session. It wasn't so bad after all—at least it wasn't as bad as the time of the famine. Slugger said it was so bad in Iona that they had to tie knots on the end of the pigs' tails to keep them from crawling through the knot holes. Deacon'