

Team mates at Stephen's High School in Rumford, Maine last season, Mike and Pete were named to the All-State football team — honoring them as the best at their respective positions in the State of Maine.

With its first edition of the new year, the Sports Page issues a hearty "welcome back" to all. During the following months we hope to present both an informative and entertaining coverage of campus sporting activities. With the varsity football schedule at the halfway mark and encouraging reports on hockey and basketball prospects in the air, we can expect an exciting year on the sports front.

Big news on the current scene is St. Dunstan's 13-9 football victory over the University of New Brunswick on Saturday, October 12, at S. D. U. field. The win was the first in three starts for the Saints, following road losses to Shearwater and St. Marys to boot.

A thirty-five yard bootleg by quarterback Fred Ripley early in the opening quarter set the stage for Ripley to plunge over from the two for the games first score. The Saints were in front to stay. U. N. B. narrowed the gap to 6-2 by halftime with a pair of second quarter singletons, but S. D. U.'s front line was brilliant in the clutch all afternoon, twice containing the visitors on desperation goal line stands.

Speedy halfback Len Ellis swept wide to the right and bulldozed his way from the twenty for the second S. D. U. major late in the third period. After Jim Griffith split the uprights for the extra point the scoreboard read S. D. U. 13, U. N. B. 2. The Red Bombers charged back with a converted touchdown in the final stanza and managed to hold the crowd intact until the dying seconds, when an interference call nullified a long pass play which could have turned the tables.

The Saints dropped their opener, 12-1, to Shearwater at Hali-

fax on Friday, September 27. The struggle was closer than the score indicates, with the outcome being in doubt until the Flyers scored their second touchdown late in the game. Trailing 6-0 at halftime, S. D. U. twice threatened to knot the count but were frustrated on both occasions. The visitors only point followed a fine forty yard boot by center Dave Morton.

Returning to Halifax on the following weekend, the Saints collided with the power-house Huskies from Saint Mary's University.

With four dates remaining on a seven game schedule, the boys have a rough road ahead. Perennial A. F. C. ruler St. F. X., undefeated Stadacona and once beaten Mt. Allison, will provide heavy opposition. Only against Acadia will the Saints not be rated underdogs.

Varsity Hockey Coach Jack Kane will soon be slapping the first puck in preparation for the Maritime Intercollegiate Hockey opener November 30th. In his first year at the helm last season, Kane had his pucksters challenging for the Maritime title and all reports of this season's prospects sound optimistic. The addition of former Neil McNeil standout Billy McMillan and a trio of Junior A veterans from Shawinigan Falls, Quebec, give reason for enthusiasm, but nevertheless, Kane will have a formidable rebuilding task. Only four of last season's squad will be returning: defensemen Jim Peddle, Colin McMillan, Vince Mulligan and winger Dick Manz. The status of M. I. H. L. scoring champ Dick Tingley is doubtful as Dick is still nursing a broken jaw suffered in a baseball accident during the summer. Coach Kane expects a large group of hopefuls to answer the opening call.

Looking forward to basketball, Coach Ed Hilton's charges promise to be stronger than last sea-

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We can thereby appreciate by such views the fact that the question of foreign language studies must be re-evaluated and given full consideration on the school curriculum. This does not remain our only weapon for the survival of democracy, but we must admit that it is certainly one of the most excellent means of combat at our disposal.

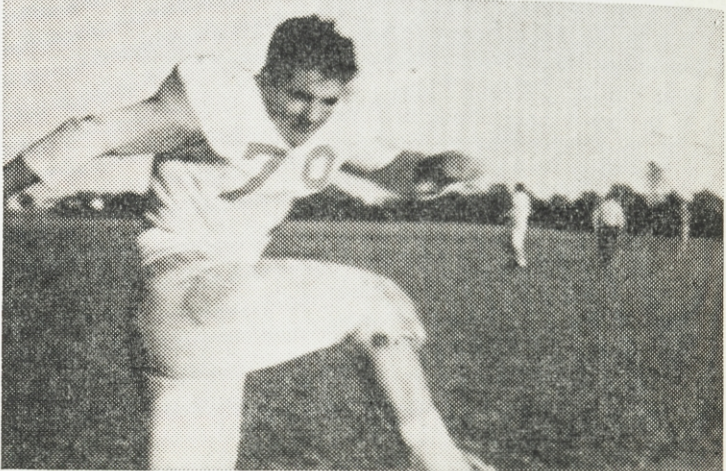
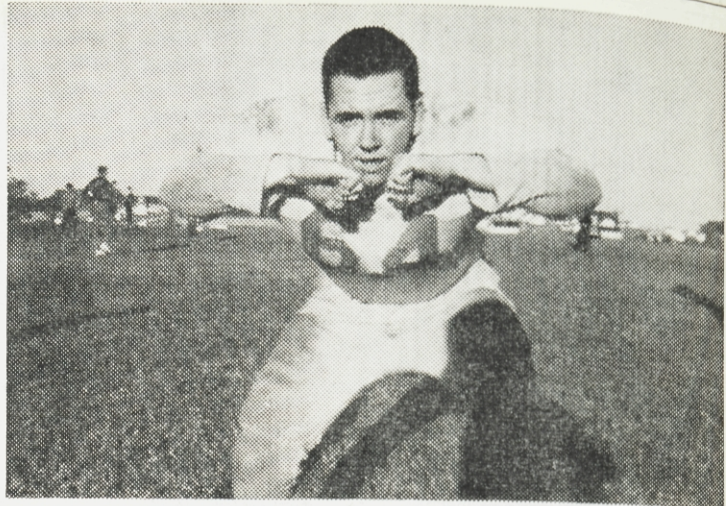
#### V. Recent Trends in Favour of Foreign Language Study

Because of added perfection with regard to means of communication between nations in recent years, there have been significant trends towards the establishment of an effective foreign language program in our schools. In addition to matters of communication, the fact that our government operations have expanded noticeably abroad have also given impetus to such trends. The advancement of Soviet technology is not to be underestimated neither as a significant factor prompting such changes in our thinking. A noted educator's views which give further force along with the reasons for such trends are those of Leona Glenn who states:

'A significant development in our system in recent years has been the renaissance of interest in the study of foreign language. The demand for this has been brought on by demands of business, industry and the expansion of government operations abroad. We have become more and more aware of our limitations of a purely monolingual culture. This fact has more so, been increased as a result of Russian scientific and technological achievement by launching Sputnik.'

It must be comforting to realize especially among those who favour such a program that even the heads of government have come to appreciate the importance of foreign language study on the curriculum.

Finally the fact that so many son's Maritime finalists. Heading the list of returnees is floor leader Robert Francoeur who spearheaded the Saints attack last season. Joining Francoeur are rugged Frank Garrity, Fred Ripley, Larry Farrell, Gene McLaughlin and Dan Eaton. Sharpshooter Len Sirois, who as player-coach led the S. D. U. Junior Varsity to a city league championship last winter, will join the Varsity and add a needed balance to the Saints scoring punch. Several promising newcomers will be under Coach Hilton's watchful eye when pre-season drills begin.



Two welcome additions to St Dunstan's football squad are Mike McPhee and Pete Goodwin. Both starred in the Saints first encounter of the season vs. Shearwater at Halifax. Mike carried twenty-three times from his fullback position, averaging a remarkable five and one half yard per carry; while Pete was outstanding in the line both offensively and defensively.

North Americans have of late been travelling more extensively abroad has in some way promoted international good will and understanding. This trend cannot help but impress upon even ordinary people the value to be found in a knowledge of foreign languages. Because of this, I feel that at least the question of stressing more and more the need for an adoption of a sound foreign language program will receive more widespread support than it did formerly.

#### VI. Conclusion

It was difficult for me to realize at the outset the seemingly tremendous task that I had so zealously undertaken. The task has had the significant advantage of convincing me to a greater extent as to the topic which I chose. Since many of us it seems have become

only recently aware of its advantages, this might explain in a sense the apparent lack of opinions to be found by many educators.

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