

With Christmas greetings "Red and White" records the news concerning former St. Dunstan's students. This time the predominant element is the passing away of several boys who sacrificed their lives for God and country.

The members of the Graduating Class of '41 are occupied at present as follows: Kenny Mooney is studying medicine at Queen's University; Walter McGrath and Ronald MacDonald are attending a military school at Brockville, Ontario; Pius Murnaghan, P. F. MacDonald and Edmond Roche have entered Holy Heart Seminary, Halifax. Jack Trainor has recently received a commission in the Navy. Clarence Coady is in the employ of Canada Packers at Halifax. Leo Poirier is studying medicine at Laval University, Quebec.

Rev. Oswald Murphy who has been appointed parish priest at Grand River, P. E. I., took up his new duties in October. Father Oswald will be missed very much in hockey circles here, having been coach of the first team for several years.

During the past summer months several of the Staff of St. Dunstan's were engaged in teaching at points on the mainland. Rev. Walter McGuigan lectured in History and Rev. F. L. Cass in Chemistry at St. Francis Zavier. Rev. George MacDonald was instructor in a Radio Technic-

ian Course, R. C. A. F., at Dalhousie University, Halifax. Rev. John Sullivan, Rev. R. G. Ellsworth, and Rev. J. P. E. O'Hanley were engaged in parish work at points in Maine.

Mr. Alphonsus Campbell, '37, who has been in graduate work for two years at Fordham University, New York, has gone overseas in the rank of captain in the service of the Knights of Columbus.

Cpl. Fred Dunphy, R. C. A. M. C., was married shortly before he left for overseas last June and spent his honeymoon on the Island.

Pilot Officer Donald S. MacDonald, '34, is now stationed at No. 9 S. T. F. S., Royal Canadian Airforce, Summerside as Link Trainer Instructor. He was married recently to Miss Revell of Charlottetown.

Since the beginning of the year St. Dustan's has been pleased to have as visitors the following: Rev. J. E. O'Brien, Seattle, Washington, Rev. Michael Hennessy, S. J., Rev. Louis Callaghan, Fort Augustus, Rev. J. Rooney, Cardigan, Rev. Harold Croken, Brae, Rev. P. Carroll, Halifax, Somerled Trainor, '39, Bedford, Rev. Thomas Hynes, S. J., LAC Bernard Mooney, ex '37, and Pilot Officer Charles Trainor, '38, R. C. A. F., insturctor at Camp Borden.

"Fiddler" MacDonald, sergeant in the P. E. I. Highpanders, is stationed in Newfoundland. Among those who joined the R. C. A. F. since the last publication of the Red and White are the following St. Dunstan's boys: Francis MacAulay, Ernest St. John, Gerald Maddigan, T. Harris, Louis MacDonald, Phillip MacQuaid, Fred Hughes, Arthur Malone, Joseph Doucette, S. J. MacMillan, Jerome Haughey, Carl Mucphy, Clifford Murphy, Joseph A. Maher, Earl Taylor, Henry Murnaghan, George Gallant.

Jack Sullivan, '39, R. C. A. F., observer, went overseas in August and is reported missing. Students and Faculty of St. Dunstan's sincerely hope that he is safe.

Chris Gallant, ex '40, is taking a pre-medical course at St. Francis Xavier University at Antigonish.

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Red and White extends congratulations to Capt. John A. MacDonald, '38, P. E. I. H., who was married recently and who visited the college some time ago.

## IN MEMORIAM

It is with much sorrow that St. Dunstan's records the deaths of many of her former students, young and old. Several of these have paid the supreme sacrifice in defense of their country. May the loss of these young lives not be in vain.

Rev. T. D. Trainor of St. Louis Church, Fall River, passed away in May, 1941.

Rev. J. L. Kennedy, Rector of a Cathedral at Spokane, died during the summer.

Rev. Thomas Gorman, diocese of Okla., and Rev. G. Coffin, C. SS. R. of St. John, N. B., died in July, 1941.

Rev. George Bradley, S. J., died recently at Charlottetown. Father Bradley, who has been know as a missionary in Eastern Canada, was born at Kelly's Cross, P. E. I. He conducted missions in various parts of the Island shortly before his passing.

Since the last issue of Red and White several St. Dunstan's boys have made the supreme sacrifice in defence of Canada. Both students and faculty heard with sorrow of the deaths of four airmen, three boys dying overseas and one on P. E. I. But in spite of their sorrow the college friends of these unselfish boys feel a glow of pride in the knowledge that they died in defence of the Christian principles with which they were imbued at St. Dunstan's.

John O'Donnel, ex '37, was killed in a flying accident while on a routine flight from the R. C. A. F. training School at Summerside, P. E. I. Jack was very popular with all who knew him while here because of his pleasing personality. He was never known to be in ill humor.

Sgt. Observer Vincent Connolly, '37, died in action in Egypt. The few now attending St. Dunstan's who were here with Vince, remember his fine qualities and know he died a hero's death.

Freshest in our memory is Leonard Burke, ex '40, who joined the airforce last winter. He died in a flying accident over England in November.

Len's smile and laugh are now cherished memories in the hearts of his many friends. "Cagey" will never again be used as a nickname on any one at St. Dunstan's. There was only one "Cagey."

"Red and White" extends sincerest sympathy to the families of Vince, Len and Jack.

## THY WILL BE DONE

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What constitutes a state?
.... Men who their duties know,
But know their rights, and knowing, dare, maintain.
—Sir W. Jones

For right is right, since God is God; And right the day must win; To doubt would be disloyalty, To falter would be sin.

-F. W. Faber

Oh, wod some power the giftie gie us To see oursel's as ithers see us! It wod frae monie a blunder free us, An' foolish notion.

-Burns