



Right Reverend Monseignor G. A. MacDonald, President of St. Dunstan's, smiles approvingly as he tests the first cup of coffee served at the new Students' Union Coffee Shop.

## Coffee Shop Operating With "All Systems Go"

The operation of Saint Dunstan's University Coffee Shop is now in full swing, and all systems read "Go" for this recently opened enterprise. Despite an opening week loss of \$130 on the initial stock, Jim Davis, a B.Sc. graduate of S.D.U. last year, and present manager of the shop is pleased with the results thus far. The average take-in per day is approximately \$140, more than originally expected. Eight students are employed as part time help (10-12 hours weekly) in addition to three full time women waitresses, and one dishwasher. The original plan called for only six students and three waitresses, but this was not deemed enough shortly after opening day.

As with all new projects there are a few wrinkles still to be ironed out. One of these is the complaint by many people that the service is too slow. The planned solution to this problem seems to be the introduction of separate counters for orders requiring some preparation, and ready-made orders, in place of the present system of a single counter for all orders.

It is estimated that a period of ten years will be required to pay, in full, the debt of approximately \$80,000 required to put the shop in operation (\$59,000 for the building, and \$21,000 for the equipment). This includes an annual interest rate of 6%.

The student reaction to this coffee shop is one of complete approval. Not a night passed since the shop's opening that it hasn't been crowded to near capacity for at least a few hours. Members

of the faculty frequently make a visit and chat amiably with students over a ten-cent cup of coffee. This tends to make better relationships between the professors and the student body.

The policy of the Coffee Shop is determined by an executive board comprised of Gerald Fitzgerald, senior Arts student from Summerside; Dave Morton, junior Arts student from Montreal; Muriel St. John, senior Arts student from Charlottetown; Terry Burman, senior Arts student from Montreal; and Dianne LaRose, sophomore Arts student from Summerside. The board is planning to have a contest among the students of S.D.U. to choose a suitable name for this new enterprise.

### From Phone Booths to Showers

(CUP) — A new fad — taking showers — is sweeping colleges and universities.

As nearly as anybody can tell, it started at the American International College in Springfield, Mass., when a student took a 15 hour 41 minute dousing to establish a record for the world's longest bath.

Needless to say, no institution that prided itself as a citadel of higher education could long ignore such a challenge, and within days the gauntlet was picked up the

University of Kentucky, a student spent 16 hours washing himself to bring the title to Lexington.

It didn't stay there long. A Yale University law student took an 18 hour sprinkling for the glory of the Eli.

The University of Kentucky wasn't about to bow to the Ivy League, however. Into the storm leapt an 18 year old freshman who brought the title back with a 24 hour soaking that saw nearly 2000 gallons of water pour over his hide.

University officials were hard put to explain the new phenomenon, but apparently most of them were quietly hoping that it would to the way of goldfish swallowing, bed pushing and telephone booth packing.

It well might. As the new title holder was emerging from his ordeal, another Kentucky freshman, brushed his teeth for 10½ hours to establish the world's mark.

But, for Kentucky, it was too good to last. Just as a university official was saying that if the fad continued "we might have to establish some regulations", a stunned nation learned that a sophomore at Berkeley had brought the record to the University of California with a drenching that lasted 33 hours 33 minutes and 33 seconds!

The new world's champion said that he did not feel he had unjustly deprived the university of water pressure, since he takes showers so rarely.

"They must owe me at least 33 hours worth," he said. The new man of the hour said he performed his feat "because it was there. When pressed on the point, he told a reporter that "cleanliness is next to godliness."

University of California President Clark Kerr, whose 53,000 student university has set all sorts

### Attends Conference



PHIL MACDONALD

Phil Macdonald, President of the campus Progressive Conservative Club, returned recently from Ottawa where he attended a meeting of the National Executive of the P.C. Party. The purpose of the convention was to decide whether or not a national leadership conference should be held.

of records recently, did not comment. One report, totally unconfirmed, however, said the nationally known educator was last seen staring mournfully at the Los Angeles Aqueduct weeping softly into his utility bill.

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