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Know Your Council

by Paul Young

The purpose of this article is to give the freshmen some information on the members of their Student's Representative Council. Freshmen are expected to take an active part in student government. By introducing you to the members of the Council we hope to make it easier for you to step up and participate.

PRESIDENT. Dan Knight, the President of this year's council is a fourth year Arts student from Fort Fairfield, Maine. Dan has the necessary experience in student affairs for he has previously sat on the council as the Boarder's president and has taken a part in the planning of Winter Carnival. We know Dan to be conscientious and a hard worker and as president he should be able to accomplish a great deal for the students of Saint Mary's. The JOURNAL would like to take this opportunity to wish Dan the best of luck as Council **VICE-PRESIDENT.** David F. English, a twenty year old fourth year Commerce student from Halifax and former Vice-President of Internal Affairs, is this year's Vice-President. A willing and hard work-

er, he is sure to give Dan his fullest support and is the ideal man to take over if ever he had to.

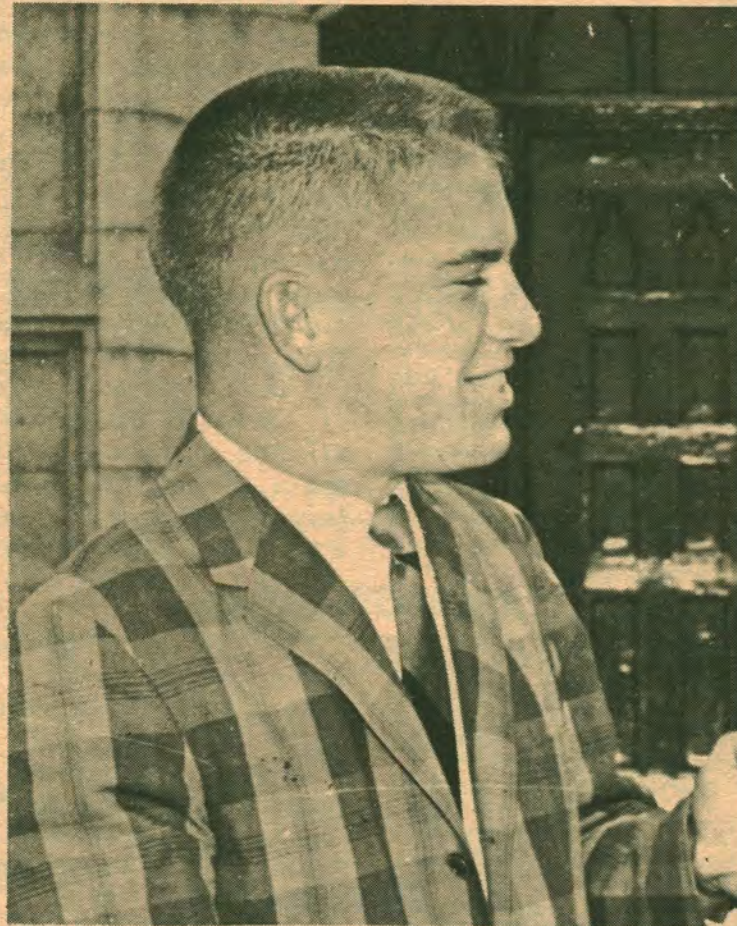
SECRETARY. Robert W. Britton, a senior Arts student from Halifax is this year's Secretary. Bob has been referred to as a fireball and we go along with this; already he has made his weight felt on campus and with a few Bob Brittons Napoleon could have conquered the world.

TREASURER. This year's Treasurer is Paul Langlois, a fourth year commerce student from Halifax. There is no man on campus more suitable for the job than Paul as his fellow accounting students can testify. We have a lot of confidence in Paul and we are sure that he can do nothing but improve on the high standards set by last year's Treasurer. **VICE-PRESIDENT OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS.** A second year commerce student from Ontario, Joe is the other fireball on the council. Joe demonstrated his ability by the work he put in on last year's Winter Carnival and the Internal Affairs is sure to be a well run department. Joe has the distinction of joining a rare group of students who have been elected to the council at the end of their freshman year.

VICE*PRESIDENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS. The head of the External affairs department is Denis Cassivi, a soft-spoken, senior Arts student from Halifax. A former head of W.U.S.C. and a member of several organizations on campus, Denis' experience will be invaluable to the Council, and the Journal sticks its neck out by predicting that Denis will be one of the outstanding members on Council this year.

VICE*PRESIDENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS. James J. Magee, a twenty two year old Arts student from Brookline, Mass., is this year's head of the Cultural Department. A former football player and proctor, Jim's contribution to the council will be extensive as well as colourful. **VICE*PRESIDENT OF ATHLETIC AFFAIRS.** John Russell, a third year Arts student from Fort Fairfield, Maine, Heads the Athletic department this year. John is a

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DON KELEHER

Don Keleher, a freshman Engineer from Halifax, was chosen by the Maroon and White Society as Frosh of the year. The award was announced during the Inflation dance on Friday and presented to Don by Father Hennessey, Dean of Men. Don was chosen because it was felt that he best displayed the spirit of initiation. Besides the trophy which goes along with the award, he received gift vouchers to several of the stores and restaurants in Halifax.

In accepting the award, Don felt that he did not truly deserve the award but that he was truly grate-

ful for having been selected. When asked what he thought of the initiation program he said that he enjoyed every minute of it, except perhaps for those first fifteen minutes of calisthenics. Bob Britton, his master, said that Don was the perfect Frosh and he never once hesitated or show dissatisfaction in anything he was asked to do.

By virtue of the award, Don automatically becomes a member of the Maroon and White society.

While presenting the trophy Father Hennessey announced that 'S C U M' was no longer a word at Saint Mary's and that it had been replaced by F R O S H.

FRESHMAN PICNIC

The final event of the Orientation week was the freshman's picnic held at Point Pleasant Park. The Freshman from Mount Saint Vincent were invited to this function in order for the freshmen from both colleges to get acquainted. The weather was fine for

most of the afternoon although it got rather cold towards the end of the day. A large crowd turned up for the picnic and enjoyed the hot-dogs and soda pop which were served. After everyone had had their fill, they all gathered around the bonfire to sing folk songs.

Possibilities of a free Education

As we all well know, the education fees in Canadian Universities have risen to an all-time high. Seeing no hope in sight for a decrease in fees, and recognizing the obvious fact that fees are going to keep on increasing, the sky being the limit, several student representative bodies have decided to take action on the matter. The chief among these organizations is CUS, a loose federation of Canadian Universities, to which we all belong. Basically, the work of CUS is to represent, safeguard, and develop the interests of students in Canada. In the case of increased fees, CUS has once again decided to act.

On May 8-9, 1965, the Atlantic Association of Students (AAS), which is the Maritime Branch of CUS, adopted a resolution put forward by U. N. B. and seconded by S. M. U. which read —

Whereas present policies indicate that substantial fee raises will be the rule rather than the exception in Canadian Universities within the foreseeable future; and

Whereas governments at various levels have shown no indication of action on the matter; Be it resolved

That the Atlantic Region suggest to the Congress that the National Secretariat be mandated to plan and organize a demonstration on the National level which can be mobilized immediately upon selection of the most suitable date, and plan a suitable followup programme to be instituted immediately after the demonstrations.

McGill and U. B. C. had also planned to demonstrate, and thus for a time it seemed as though a nation-wide demonstration would take place.

However, the National Congress of CUS, held at Bishop's University in Lennoxville, such a plan was rejected. The President of CUS, Mr. Patrick Kennif, felt that such a plan would be impractical.

McGill University then came up with a resolution, seconded by U. N. B., which read as follows:—Whereas equality of opportunity

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is a fundamental principle of our society;
Whereas the sole determinant of the undertaking of higher education should be academic qualification;
Whereas there exist today sociological and a financial barriers to higher education;
Whereas the elimination of financial barriers would represent a major step forward in the democratization of higher education;
Whereas the decision to pursue higher education is often obscured by financial obstacles;
Whereas the fullest development of its human potential is an economic necessity for Canada;

Be it resolved that this Congress adopt the principle of Universal accessibility to higher education.

Be it further resolved that this Congress adopt as the first priority of the Canadian Union of Students the abolition of all financial barriers to higher education, the primary being the elimination of the tuition fee. And be it finally resolved that this Congress adopt a programme of action designed to publicize and implement this principle and this policy.

In short, they are asking for free higher education. Another motion put forth by King's University, for a National Student Day, to be held, if possible, before the November 8 election so that free higher education may be given maximum public discussion.

Both resolutions were accepted by the Congress with the idea that each representative return to his University and fathom out University consensus. In our case, the Students' Council of Saint Mary's think on such matters, for on October third, we will be casting our final vote.

Two questions now pose themselves. First, do we want free higher education, and second, is free education feasible? The first question is very easy to answer: of course we want free higher education. In our case it means that we would be saving \$600 every year and still we would manage to get an education. But let's look at it more carefully. Let's say that a university can accommodate 500 freshmen per year. Also let us suppose that 800 people apply to come in. Now how do we select the required five hundred? Quite ob-

viously, we select them by their academic standings. Then the three hundred rejected applicants must either apply elsewhere or forget about attending college. Here again, the problem arises of some students being denied an education. This may be at least partly cured by increased government grants to Universities. We surely approve the spending of government money to aid the expansion of Universities to offer facilities to a greater number of students. On the other hand, some must definitely be screened out. Why let one who is obviously incapable of getting a degree waste his own time or anybody's money?

But the real problem is whether free education is feasible. At present there are about 120,000 University students in Canada. If the average student pays \$600 a year, it totals up to \$72,000,000 a year tuition costs. Supplying books for students would be another ten million, if we use the figure of \$75 per student. This then brings the total up to \$82,000,000 per year.

Now this figure is a minimum, and in another ten years, it could reach as high as \$150 million. With the increase in the number of Universities, and the knowledge that Canada offers free higher education, the influx from foreign countries is bound to increase. From where, then, is all this money to come? I cannot see the federal and provincial governments raising this amount of money. So the problem takes an added twist when we consider that an absolute minimum of 5%, or 6,000 students in Canada, are foreigners. In terms of hard cash, this means that the Government has to provide close to \$4 million annually, for people who they will probably never hear of again.

I draw my conclusions on the resolutions of free education by saying that it is impractical, if the Council could propose a means of financing such a project, I might be able to go along with the idea. I would have preferred to see a more practical idea come out of the Congress. For example, they could have advised that fees be cut and that necessary books for the students be provided free. This would probably cost in the vicinity of \$225 per student, or \$26, million as a maximum. This would seem to be a far more realistic figure for the various governments to

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COMMENT

The Freshman class of 1965 have now joined our ranks. This was done officially through the process of registration and unofficially through orientation, more fearfully known as initiation. Having been an observant witness to the orientation program I think that as Editor of the university paper that I have to comment on the way I saw it.

The first thing which comes to mind is the organization. In this respect, nothing but bouquets can be showered on all those who were responsible for this aspect. As Chairman of the Maroon and White committee, Dave Cole deserves nothing but praise and the same can be said for the rest of his committee. While it would be impossible to mention all those involved I would like to single out Bob Britton and Denis Cassivi for their work. It was obvious that these men had put a lot of work into the entire program. It was a job well done.

I would also like to congratulate Mr. Don Kelleher on his being named the Frosh of the Year. This is a very coveted award and one in which he should take great pride. However, we must not forget those other freshmen who also played a large part in initiation. Although they did not win a trophy, I am sure that their performances must have made the committee's job of choosing a Frosh of the year very difficult indeed.

Unfortunately, there are always a few elements which seem to spoil a good thing. This year the elements were more numerous than in the past and I am referring to the upperclassmen. We always expect some of them to abuse the privileges of initiation. This is only natural. But I was honestly ashamed to see how some of the supposedly more mature men of this university carried on with their frosh. Their actions not only trespassed on the bounds of immaturity but bordered on the insane and dangerous.

Now I would like to state emphatically that I am not accusing all the upperclassmen. But there can be no denying that some of them, admittedly only a minority, who came dangerously close to impeding the bond of friendship which usually brings together Frosh and Master for the rest of the year.

To substantiate my argument, I would like to mention a few examples.

1. In front of the vending machines near the canteen, two frosh were made to have a water fight. Afterwards, they were made to roll on the concrete floor to mop up the water with their clothes. THIS IS NOT IN THE SPIRIT OF INITIATION.

2. The number of pushups required of some of the Frosh was outrageous. THIS IS NOT IN THE SPIRIT OF INITIATION.

3. A Frosh was made to stand in one of the large trash cans in front of the canteen. While an upperclassman held his attention, another was trying to tip over the trash can backwards. THIS IS NOT IN THE SPIRIT OF INITIATION.

4. One of the heaviest men on campus climbed on the back of his frosh and made him charge head on through the crowded passage. It ended up by the freshman running head on into a table and by the look on his face, he was in obvious pain. THIS IS NOT IN THE SPIRIT OF INITIATION.

The whole concept of physical suffering during initiation is wrong. The purpose of the initiation is to get to know the freshmen. Nobody can convince me that physical suffering is the way to do it. I hope that some of the upperclassmen look back on what they have done and I am sure that they will have some regret.

The Frosh talent show was an absolute flop. In the past, these shows have provided quite a high standard of entertainment. This year, however, most of the acts could have passed as performances coming from the zoo. In fact, after the first few acts, the show became a complete bore. I do not know if to blame the freshmen or the upperclassmen who most likely were the originators of the acts.

Finally, I make a plea to the freshmen. When next years initiation comes around and you are looking for something for your frosh to do, please do not think back to what you were asked to do. Think of some new things and in that way you are sure to do better than the upperclassmen of this year. Above all, do not abuse the privileges of initiation.

S.R.C. REPORT

J. Philip Golding

The September 16 meeting of our new Council might have been, at times, a fairly good imitation of a circus, but as a display of responsible conduct of student affairs by the students themselves, the over-all picture is somewhat less than impressive. Council President Dan Knight handled the meeting quite competently, but the meeting got beyond his control for quite a while as certain members tried to resolve their misunderstanding. Thursday's meeting pointed out above all else the necessity of good organization and preparation.

The meeting opened with Father Hennessey's remarks dealing with the new rules and the re-affirmation of some old rules. The decisions of the Administration on all matters seemed quite just -- a fair attempt to make conditions more agreeable to the students without in any way slackening the standards of the University. Having covered for the JOURNAL last year the controversy surrounding the acceptance of the Honour System for resident seniors, I noted with some interest the almost total lack of interest when this system was extended to the Juniors as well.

The reports from the various committees were, on the whole, quite good, showing considerable progress is being made, and a good deal of hard work has been done.

A totally unnecessary disturbance at this meeting would have been avoided had the original agenda been followed. Mr. Robert Murphy presented the following motion through the Treasurer, Paul Langlois:

I move that the Saint Mary's University Student Council decide by vote whether they wish to continue and to improve a Student disciplinary system, or ask the Administration of Saint Mary's University to handle all discipline within the University.

The Parliamentarian objected. Since the motion was not written in the agenda, his objection missed the point that it was an "either ...or" statement and hence could not receive a direct "yes" or "no" vote. He mentioned rather the technical point that Mr. Murphy was asking the Council to re-examine a matter which it had already decided. As Mr. Murphy and the Parliamentarian wrangled about the propriety of such a motion, speaker after speaker clamoured for the floor, apparently causing only a greater muddle. A motion to have the original motion tabled was quite sensibly rejected -- not even seconded -- but a half-hour was wasted before the proper thing was done: Paul Langlois withdrew his motion, Bob Britton withdrew his second, and Bob Murphy was commissioned to prepare a report on and Disciplinary System. Thus, in effect, Mr. Langlois' "motion" returned to its original status as "New Business". Chaos proved the need for efficient organization and effective preparation.

I approve entirely of Bob Murphy's plan which is, as I understand it, to in some way relate the Campus Police to the Disciplinary board and to integrate the

entire disciplinary system. Mention was made also of codifying all rules of the Administration and by laws of the Council as far as they relate to student behaviour.

This issue having been settled -- or at least postponed until Mr. Murphy presents his plan -- the regular business of the meeting continued smoothly and efficiently, if one disregards the recess at 12:50, resumption at 1:15, and a second recess at 1:40, followed by a 2:30 resumption before final adjournment. Three of the seven motions in the business of the day came from the External Affairs department. In my opinion, the four organizations under the External Affairs department are among the most important ones on campus. Not only do these groups provide the greatest source of contact between the student bodies of this and other Universities across Canada, but they demonstrate a desire on the part of some students to show a concern for people -- PEOPLE, beyond our own little world here in Halifax. I would like to salute the Council's decision to add the Conference on Inter-American Student Projects to this department, and also the Council's giving of management of the cloakroom to these four organizations, CUSO, WUSC, CUS, and CIASP.

Taking a general view, then, the year's first Council Meeting augers well for the future. Hard work is very much in evidence, especially on the part of the President for his work on Rooms Alotments and the establishment of a Common Room in the Old Library. Although the situation in both these matters is less than ideal as yet, neither the Council nor the President is to blame -- What space IS available has been divided quite fairly among the organizations.

Apart from the disorganization on which I remarked, the greater part of the meeting was carried off in a fairly impressive manner, with most members contributing something to the day's total of opinions formed and motions passed. Unfortunately, some SRC Members seem far too inclined to verbosity during discussions. It is neither necessary nor advisable to the democratic process for every member to discuss each issue at length. The meeting can be conducted in less time with more dignity and efficiency if the speaking is done only by those who are either well-informed on, or involved in, the issue at hand.

I notice also that, unfortunately, the time of Council meetings has been changed to seven p.m. on Sundays. Although this eliminates the farcical recesses and resumptions which were seen last Thursday, it also wipes out all hopes of there being an audience. Although the students pay about \$13 a year Council fees for the purpose of conducting their own business, few show any interest in attending the meetings of their Council. This new time practically ensures a closed meeting every week.

I hope the early promise which this Council has shown will not be wiped away later this year by a failure on their part to live up to

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The great pianist's manager asked for a guarantee of two thousand dollars. The boys, undaunted, proceeded to stage the concert. They worked hard, only to find that the concert had totaled them only sixteen hundred dollars -- not enough.

After the concert the boys sought the great artist and told him of their efforts and results. They gave him the entire sixteen hundred dollars, and accompanied it with a promissory note for four hundred dollars, explaining that they would earn the amount and send the money to him.

"No, boys," replied Paderewski, "that won't do." Then tearing the note to shreds, he returned the money to the boys, and said to them: "Now, take out of this

this promise. With numerous important questions yet to be solved, and much effort yet to be spent in making the year a successful one, the Council members will be given many opportunities to display their dedication and ability.

sixteen hundred dollars all of your expenses, and keep for each of you ten per cent of the balance for your work, and let me have the rest."

The years rolled by -- years of fortune and destiny.

World War 1 came and went, and Paderewski was striving with might and main to feed the starving thousands of his beloved Poland. There was only one man in the world who could help Paderewski and his people. Thousands of tons of food began to come into Poland for distribution by the Polish premier.

After the starving people were fed, Paderewski journeyed to Paris to thank Herbert Hoover for the relief sent him.

"That's all right, Mr. Paderewski," was Mr. Hoover's reply. "Besides, you don't remember it, but you helped me once when I was a student at college, and I was in a lot of trouble."

A daring group of Saint Mary's students reportedly ran havoc at a recent function at the Dalhousie initiation program. Posing as a group of Dal freshmen, or so rumour has it, the students gradually managed to completely take over the proceedings. Apparently they managed to get jobs for other Saint Mary's students and managed to obtain a free meal, courtesy of Dalhousie. This was a very daring deed and one in which trouble could have originated for the students involved. However, since nothing came of the matter we feel that it is only fair that we have to chalk one up for Saint Mary's. If Dal had done the same thing to us then I would have no hesitation in congratulating them. Maybe they will give us an opportunity to do so soon.

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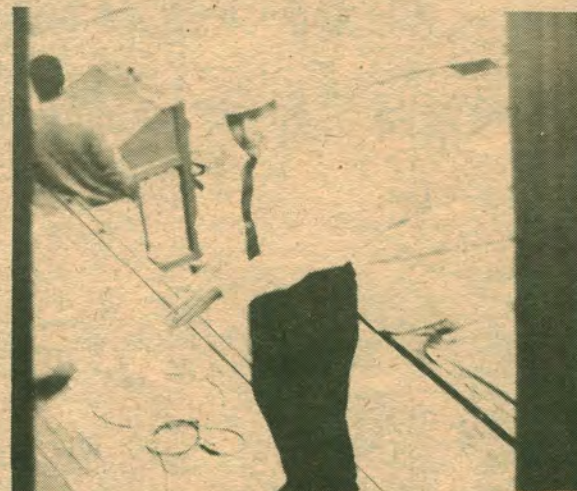
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*Only two missing
from last years squad*

SOCCER HUSKIES AIM HIGH
The Saint Mary's University Soccer Huskies, 1965 edition, have the potential to be the best soccer team in the short history of the sport here. With the exception of two players who were lost through ineligibility, all of last year's team has returned. With the addition of freshmen talent it is obvious that everyone is going to have to fight for his place in the starting line up. It means that the Huskies will have exceptional bench strength, something which has been sadly lacking in the past, and it should be a great asset in helping them to clinch the championship which has eluded them in the past. Under the experienced coaching of Roy Clements who is in his second year with the Huskies, the team is looking for big things this season.

Here is a short note on the players who have been turning out for practices.

ROGER HENDERSON, Roger had

Saint Mary's Athlete of the Year and this year will lead the Huskies for the third consecutive year. Roger is mainly a play maker for the other goalscorers but is capable of scoring a few goals himself. Roger is graduating this year with a major in History.

JULIO ARANAZ. Julio was one of the vice-captain of the squad last year and is regarded as the ace forward on the side. He has gained this reputation through his brilliant footwork and his ability to baffle the opposing players. Julio is a native of Spain but is currently living in Venezuela.

STEVE WOOLDRIDGE. Steve was the second vice-captain of the team last year. Hailing from Trinidad where he represented his school for three years, Steve has been the leading goalscorer on the team for the past two years, particularly with his head. Steve is a very useful player in

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that he can play in the defensive half line if necessary.

A L F R E D O J A K E L. Alfredo hails from Costa Rica and will be graduating this year with a major in Chemistry. This is one player the Huskies are sure to miss next year. His powerful kicking and hard tackling in defence makes him one of the more valuable players in the entire league. One of Al's main ambitions is to be on a winning team and since this will be his last chance at Saint Mary's we can be sure that he will be another standout this year.

BOB MURPHY. Bob has been one of the reasons for Saint Mary's good record in the past. Possessing a large and safe pair of hands, Bob's goal tending has improved with every game. The Huskies have never had anything to fear when they know that Bob is in the goal. Bob is also a very inspirational player. He can often be heard urging on the team when things are not going too well for the team. He has the distinction of being the only American on the team and he graduates this year with a major in History.

STUART HENDERSON. Stuart was probably the most valuable player to join the Huskies last year. He is perhaps the most promising player on the side and will undoubtedly play a big part in Coach Clements' plans this year. Stuart is a fine positional player and is probably one of the few players who is assured a place in the team. Essentially a half back, Stuart can also be used in the forward line when necessary.

GEOFFREY HERRERA. Geoff was another 'find' for the Huskies last year and has turned out to be a fine fullback. A powerful kicker and head tackler, he has proved himself a very hard defender to get past and he is sure to provide adequate protection for the goal tender this year.
SAM SELATILE. Everyone knows Sammy, probably the most popular guy on campus. Sam played in the half line for Olands. Being such a success, Coach Clements will probably keep him there for the remainder of the season. Losing comes hard for Sammy and therefore you can bet that he will be putting in a super human effort to win this year.
TREVOR JACKMAN. For the past two years, Trevor has been seeing only periodic action but he has shown enough to convince us that he should be on the first XI. This year, however, Trevor seems to have come in to his own and looks set for big things on the left wing. The team expects a lot from him this year.

Who are the Rookies?

This year, Saint Mary's seem

to have a fine crop of rookies who are sure to add to the chances of the team taking the championship this year. The more promising ones seem to be Attilo Dileberatore, Hamish Herrera, Peter Bovell, Christian Maingot and Alejandro Lew (pronounced left). Herrera and Maingot will add needed strength on the wings, Bovell and Lew will contribute to the defence while Dileberatore will be fighting with Bob Murphy for the goal position. An immigrant from Italy, he attended St. Pat's high school where he became the M.V.P. of the side. He also plays for Olands and last year he was awarded with the Olands Rookie of the Year trophy and also the Rookie of the Year in the Nova Scotia Senior League.

Herrera is a bit on the slight side and may well find the going a bit rough but what he lacks in size he makes up for in ability and enthusiasm. Chris Maingot is an all round player who can be used in almost any position although he is most at home in the forward line. Bovell is a steady player who will improve as the season goes on and Lew tends to be a bit erratic at times. Other rookies include Eric Dowling, a seventeen year old Arts student from Ontario, Manuel Varela, a commerce student from Spain who attended school in Jamaica, Perer Dib, a pre-med student from Halifax, Mariano Chow, a promising inside left from Trinidad, Richard Tenderenda, an eighteen year old Commerce student from Dartmouth, and Gido Kelly, another inside forward who hails from Trinidad.

This year's Manager will be Wayne Mahon, a second year Engineer from Trinidad. Wayne saw limited action last year but he is most enthusiastic about being this year's manager. Ask him and he'll tell you that Saint Mary's are bound to take the crown this year. Equipment Managers will be Delano Lai Fatt and Jose Aranaz. Delano was the second string goal keeper last year while Jose was a spare winger. Trainer, linesman and comedian will be Fernando Huerata. A third year Engineer, Fernando has been a great source of inspiration to the team in the past and he is quite capable of filling in in the defence when required to do so. In fact it is likely that he will be appearing in a number of exhibition tilts this year.

This then is the 1965 version of the Soccer Huskies. We are sure that the year will be a successful one and the JOURNAL would like to take this opportunity wishing them the best of luck in the coming year.

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"Go Huskies Go". This war cry will be sounding over the Wanderers Grounds playing field tonight when the Saints take on Montreal's McGill Redmen.

The Huskies sporting a 1-1 record on the exhibition trail so far this season will be out to revenge their 9-7 loss to the Shearwater Flyers last Saturday.

Surprised by the alertness of the navy squad the SMU representatives were down 9-1 at the end of the third quarter when second year man Darryl Burgess of Halifax broke through for a six pointer but that was all the maroon and white could record before the final gun sounded.

It was a different story the week before, however, when the Huskies exploded and romped to a decisive 54-0 victory over the hapless Halifax Buccaneers. This contest which was played to a crowd of more than 2,000 spectators was featured by the 13 point performance of the defensive squad.

Although head coach Bob Hayes has only nine returnees to his Atlantic Bowl champion contingent he has once more come through with a good number of rookies which will help the team in their attempt to retain the league championship which they captured last year.

Heading the list of veterans are tackles Frank Archambault and Wayne O'Brien, fullback Paul Puma and one of the most outstanding ends of the Atlantic Football Conference Bob Johnston. Archambault who received national recognition last year with the champion squad is playing in his third year with the team and has shown in the two exhibition tilts a good deal of the drive and determination which he displayed last season. Johnston in his fourth year of Commerce and an ex-Stadacona combatant has been playing both ways and has

been giving trouble for pass defenders in the two contests he has participated in this year. Puma who was also chosen as an All-Canadian last year has been using his 5'11" frame to run havoc through the defensive lines of their two opponents in the newly opened season. The big red head from Dartmouth Wayne O'Brien who was named team captain earlier this year is continuing at his tackle position and is expected to be an important factor when the two college teams do battle.

Other returnees are quarterbacks Steve Armitage and Dave Murphy, guard Tom Haney, defensive half back Erwin Penner and offensive halfback Darryl Burgess.

Burgess a standout last season recording five touchdowns in one contest has also starred so far recording the lone TD for the Huskies against Shearwater. Murphy will again be the starting quarterback but one year's experience has given Armitage the confidence he needed and will be able to step into Murphy's shoes quite easily should anything happen to the four year veteran. Penner will be called on a great deal this season many spectators feel to act as a leader for the number of rookies which have to fill in the large gap left with the failure of Don Murphy another member of the all Canadian team who failed to return to SMU this fall. Tom Haney who saw very little action last year has been displaying a lot of ability and should prove to be an important asset in the club's pennant hopes.

A pair of rookies Mike Blackmore and Jim Stewart have shown followers of the Huskies they could prove to be a deadly pair. They accounted for 31 points in the opening contest while Stewart booted a single in the Shearwater contest. Blackmore a speed merchant from Toronto notched three touchdowns while his counterpart Stewart also a Toronto native, battled over twice.

This year the emphasis has been placed on Canadian talent with eight coming from Halifax-Dartmouth area. At the beginning of SMU's football history the American influence could easily be seen but the 1965 season has produced only two from our neighbours to the south.

Of the local talent which numbers eight, five or six of the individuals can be considered as starters. O'Brien and Armitage are two Dartmouth natives who are a mainstay in the offence while Darryl Burgess is a Halifax native as is rookie Gerry McAllister. Gerry Redmond playing his fourth year with the maroon and white is another Halifax native with a starting berth. He also recorded a touchdown in the opening contest with Halifax which is pretty good for a defensive tackle.

The Montreal squad are continuing with their rugged training program in preparation for their battle with the Halifax group. So far this season they have lost two exhibition tilts the most recent being a 11-0 loss to underdog Ottawa GeeGees. They also went down to defeat at the hands of the Loyola College Warriors. Last year visitors in the Atlantic Bowl Conference — the McMaster Mauraders — also handed the McGill team a defeat, last year.

This does not mean the Redmen are going to be pushovers or does it mean that Saint Mary's are going to be run over.

The Montreal team were having trouble even getting players to turnout. One paper reports rookie coach Tom Mooney as saying he "wonders where all the football players are hiding." His training program has claimed a number of veterans including a quarterback who had been trying for three years to earn a starting berth on the squad.

Reports have it veteran quarterback Glen St. John a well known competitor in Ontario football areas, will be playing and will be joined by Eric Walter an extremely fast halfback.

If it is at all possible students at the university should make a serious attempt to get out and support their team. It is this support that helps a team spark up when they appear to be "down in the dumps."

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provide. This would leave the student to find about \$450 per year for his tuition. This is about \$1800 for his four years, and should not be considered as too high a figure for any student.

Alternatively, the Canada Student Loans plan could be extended to cover, not merely \$1000 per year, but any sum which a student may NEED to complete his training at University or other post-secondary school. Although the individual would then actually pay for his education, he would nevertheless have had that "equality of opportunity" which the CUS Congress mentioned. It seems far more logical for the person benefitting most from this education to pay the cost of it, than for the burden to be taken over by the taxpayers, who are already carrying the full cost of education in Grades one to twelve.

In either case, the necessity of increased government aid to higher education is indicated. But the CUS Resolution is nevertheless disappointingly and unnecessarily unrealistic. Education is not only a right to be claimed by all those who are fit for it, it is also a responsibility to be borne principally by he who profits most from it.

INTRAMURAL SPORTS

The intramural sports program at Saint Mary's will soon be getting underway. Already the lists on the Athletic Board are full with names of those students who are not able to make the Varsity teams and are looking forward to playing in their favourite sport on the intramural level. The sports being played right now are softball, football, soccer, and bowling. Softball and soccer will be played twice a week during the lunch hour and football will again be played on Sunday afternoons.

The new sport this year is soccer. It has previously been played only at the Varsity level and the Athletic Department thinks that it has caught on enough for it to be a success at the intramural level. We hope that their decision is justified.

Judging from past years, softball and football are sure to be successful, both from the player and spectator point of view. There are enthusiastic crowds at most of these games, which usually provide the comedy which is lacking at the Varsity level.

Bowling goes on for most of the year and with the long list of names already on the board there is sure to be a record number of teams in this year's league. This can only add to the already high interest in the league.

Later on in the year, hockey, basketball and curling will dominate the intramural scene. Basketball always seems to be the sport most hotly contested, probably because there is more scope for the flaring of tempers. Besides being hotly contested the games are also very keen because of the extreme equality in the teams, especially in the boarders league.

Intramural hockey will make a return, or so rumour has it, after an absence of a couple of years. This is due to the construction of our new rink which is expected to be finished sometime in December. As there will be no Varsity hockey this year many of the better players are expected to sign up for the intramural league, thereby making it a lot more interesting.

Intramural curling provides the nucleus for our Varsity curling team. Although not too many take part in curling, we expect a larger number to try their hand at it this year for we are told by those who do curl that it is tremendous fun, whether win or lose.

Volleyball completes the intramural program. This sport is taking a long time to catch on at Saint Mary's and at the present time the standard is appallingly low. However, we know that it is bound to improve and last year we saw for the first time, a volleyball coach at Saint Mary's.

Intramural sports are a vital part in any University's athletic program. Last year over 80% of the eligible student body of Saint Mary's took part in the program. This is only natural for it pro-

vides those with lesser ability a chance to compete at their own standards. So we urge each and everyone of you to take part.

PIGEONS - CARRIERS OF ILLS

Madison, Wisc. (WMNS) — Man's feathered friends can sometimes turn into enemies. This is what Dr. Charles E. Reed of the University of Wisconsin in Madison and several of his colleagues reported recently. It seems that a 27-year-old mail carrier, a 32-year-old mechanic, a 41-year-old postal clerk, as well as several others, in general good health, were all hospitalized because of recurrent episodes of fevers, chills, coughs and weight loss. Extensive tests unmasked the culprit: pigeons.

The patients were all hobbyists who raced pigeons. Apparently pigeon fanciers can develop serious allergic responses to their pets.

There is a silver lining, though: Some pigeon fans overcome their sensitivity after a time lapse during which they discontinue handling their pets.

THE LIGHTS OF PARIS have become the final touch in many a French romance. Instead of wooing by moonlight, a lover can display his affection by illuminating any one of the city's 72 monuments or 20 fountains for an average fee of \$6 an hour. The most expensive is the Eiffel Tower for \$55 and the least expensive is the Hotel de Soubise for 20 cents. "There is no surprise more thrilling to a lady at this price," says Mr. Calvet, who arranges the illuminating at 9 Place de l'Hotel de Ville.

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standout on the basketball team and although this is his first experience with Council work, we can depend on John to do his best. DAY HOP PRESIDENT. This year's Day hop president is James (Fred) Feeney, a senior Arts student from Halifax. Fred has been involved in numerous activities in the past, including the Maroon and White, and he can be expected to pull his weight on all Council projects.

BOARDER'S PRESIDENT. Gary Mooney is this year's Boarder's representative on Council. A Newfoundlander in his second year at Saint Mary's, Gary will be fulfilling his first official post at Saint Mary's. We wish him the best of luck in his difficult and unrewarding position.