

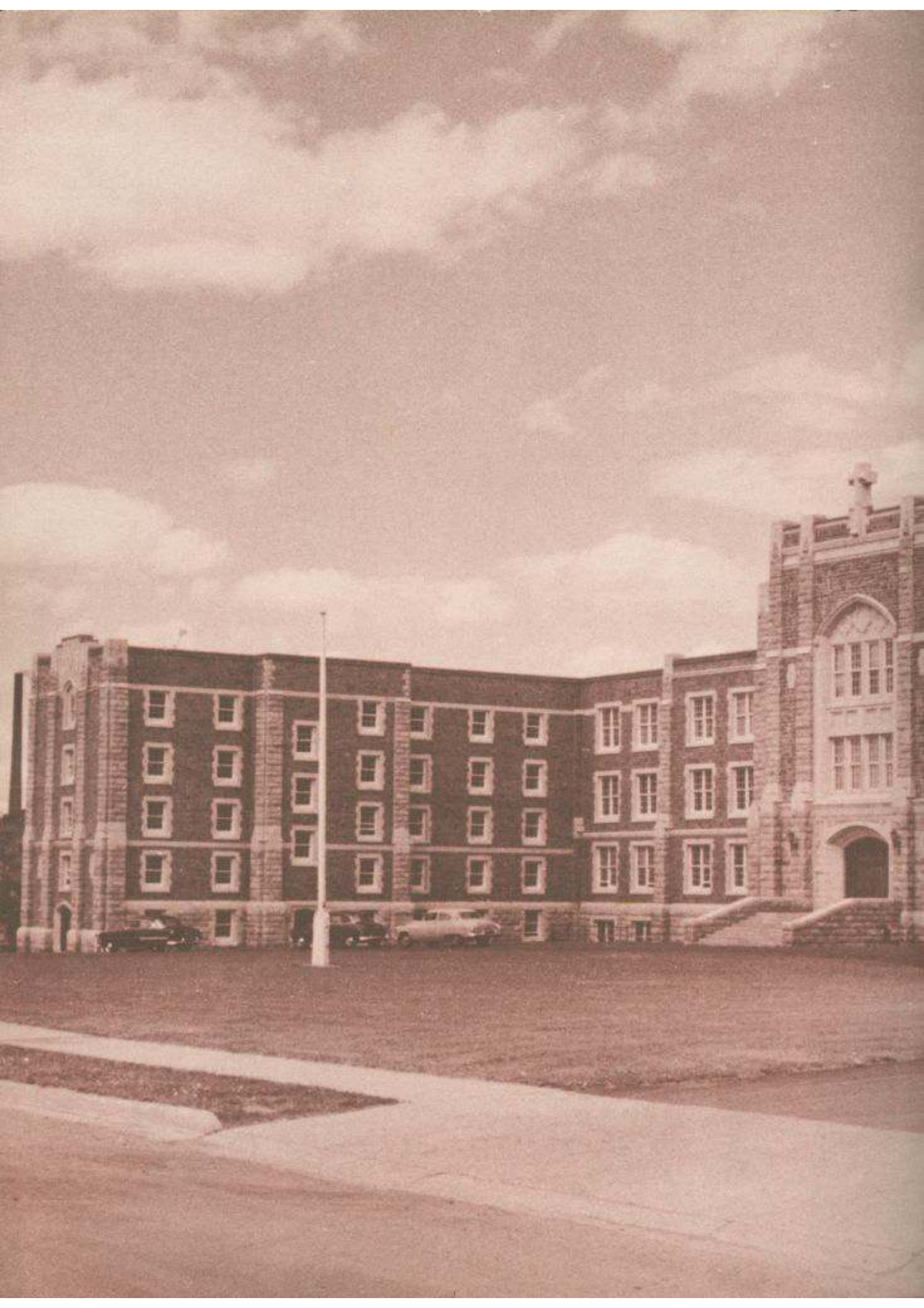


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Foreword

This book deals with people caught in a particular cleft of history, the history of St. Mary's. As this epoch proceeds, we might suppose the people of St. Mary's to proceed accordingly. With this in mind, we have endeavoured to reflect the growth of particularities and to preserve the spirit of universality. The 1957 Yearbook may not have a classic form, but it does have a classic content. It is full of scenes and situations which, in slightly altered forms, have recurred again and again, and will continue to recur, in the history of St. Mary's.

It attempts to emphasize those qualities—inclusiveness, naturalness, timelessness, courage, and perseverance. They are qualities of no particular period; for they exemplify that peculiar-characteristic of human nature, which, despite the conditioning, deformation and dehumanizing it may be subjected to, will still rise to the surface. It expresses the friendliness of student and faculty, of loyalty and cooperation, manifesting the true spirit of St. Mary's.

Lastly, it is our explicit hope that the pages of this book reflect the spirit of Christianity, in tying the bonds of friendship, and preserving the ideals necessary to unite Christian gentlemen.

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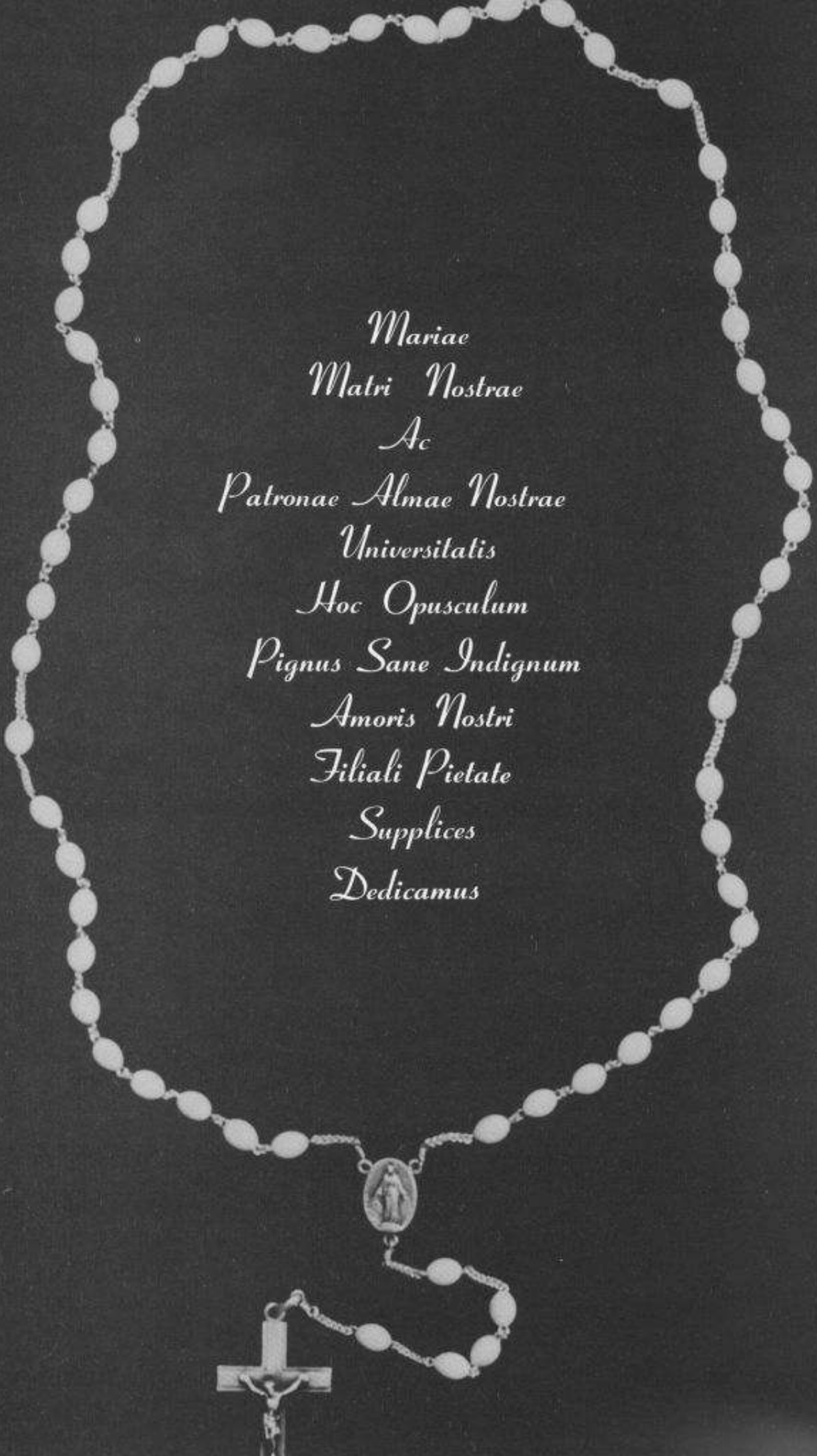
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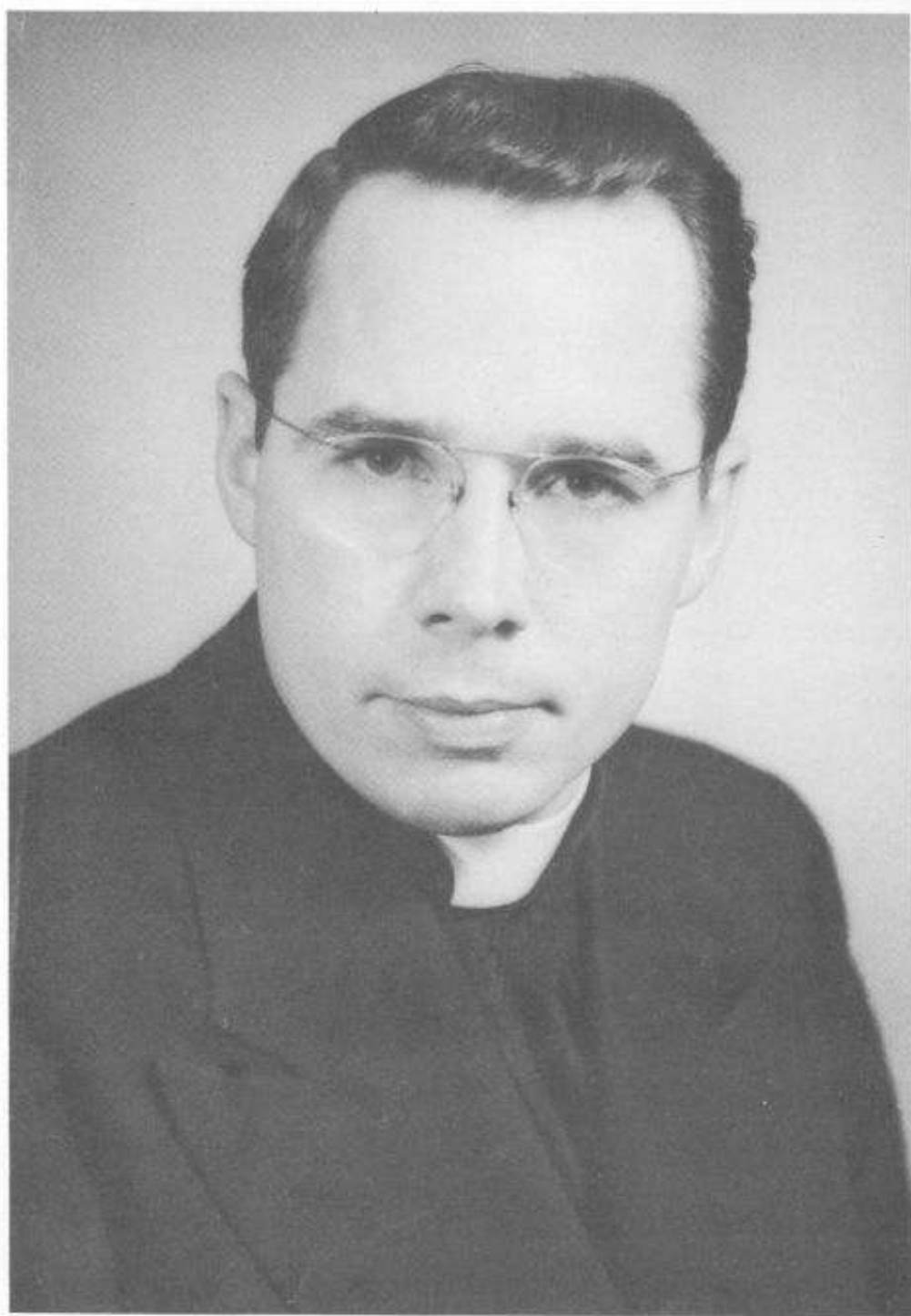
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Dear Graduate of 1957,

Are you more keenly aware these days of the worth that people attach to a college education? As you sport the graduate's parchment, do you have it borne in upon you (perhaps to your surprise) that the college graduate is widely considered as a person of achievement? Well, this is all part of the thrill that comes with convocation. The college graduate is an important person.

I do not mean here to join the flattering chorus that sought to woo you into this profession or that enterprise. They, like the sirens, may have had ulterior motives for their sweet singing. I, for my part, would inject a sombre note of warning. The song of the sirens may have expatiated copiously on your excellent merits, on the rosy path to the world before you, and on the cheerful carillon of coins that are your own. But life is seldom "just like the song".

Success is rarely given. It must be won. Hard work, an unslaked thirst for learning, and a will to give of oneself for others are the weapons of victory here. There is another success - I shall not deceive myself or you - that can be had more cheaply. But it did not take the ideals of knowledge, character, leadership which are now part of you, nor did it take the stamp of approval which you bear from Saint Mary's. The success that your Alma Mater wants for you is one that will redound with honour to your Christian principles and this land of ours, approved of God and man.

My warmest congratulations on your graduation. May God through Our Blessed Lady bless you always and keep you a loyal Santamarian.

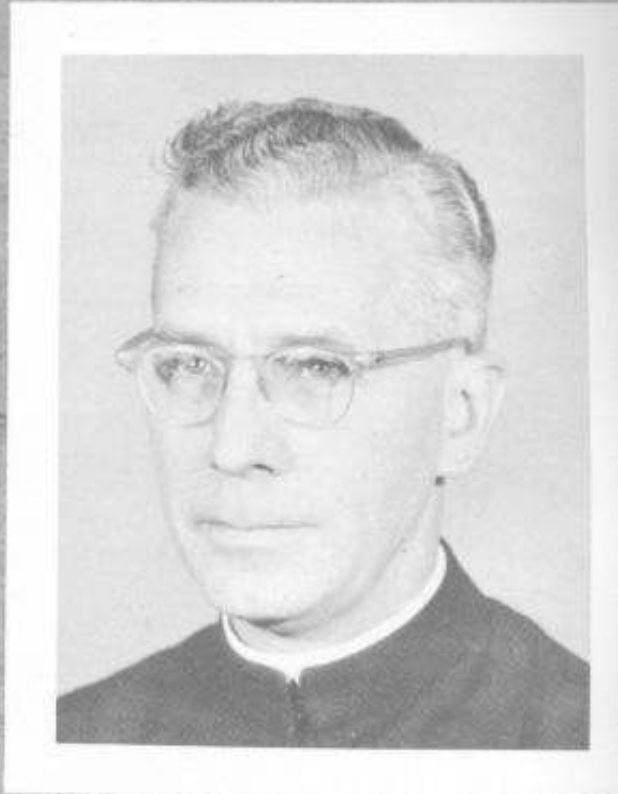
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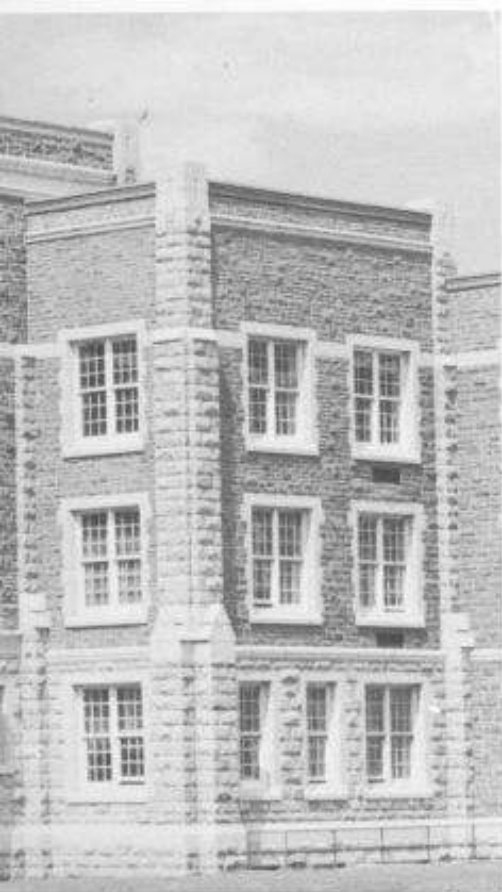
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Graduates





REGINALD MURRAY ANDREWS

"Well timed silence hath more eloquence than speech".

Mr. Andrews is the second alumnus of Colchester County Academy to graduate this year. He first enrolled at St. Mary's in 1954 and since that time has proven himself to be a competent and determined student.

He commuted from Dartmouth to Halifax where he is a teacher at North Woodside High School to attend classes at St. Mary's. His tenacity of purpose augurs well indeed for his future.



LEO PATRICK ARAB

"A glad heart makes a cheerful countenance".

Coming from that perennial supply house of top quality material, St. Patrick's, Leo has returned to teach in the Junior High School while pursuing his degree. Interested in philosophy he has been a valuable member of the Academy. Like Plato he also has an avocation for music. He has a preference for aquatic sports, especially boating and swimming. His pleasant personality assures him of success in the teaching profession.



EDWARD JOHN BURKE

"One cannot visualize a leader at rest".

Ed is one of those rare students who can take part in everything without allowing his marks to suffer. Coming to S.M.U. from Boston College High School he has distinguished himself as a student, athlete and as a leader. Positions he has held include President of the Arts Society, Vice-President of the Student's Council and Boarders' Society. Ed also was a valuable member of the Journal and Playshop. He has found time to play varsity football and basketball. Great as will be the gap left by his departure, the impression he has made will ever remain in the minds of his friends.

Arts

JOHN TERRENCE BURNS

"God's in his heaven: all's right with the world".

A Halifax boy, "Terry" attended St. Mary's High and then the University in '53. A brilliant student he also was prominent athletically, being on the varsity basketball squad for two years. His fine voice lent support to the Glee Club, and his devout, all-around character was manifested by four years in the Sodality of Our Lady. Soft spoken Terry is undecided about his immediate plans, but his many friends wish him the best of luck and success.



FREDERICK JOSEPH DOCKRILL

"Most powerful is he who has himself in his own power."

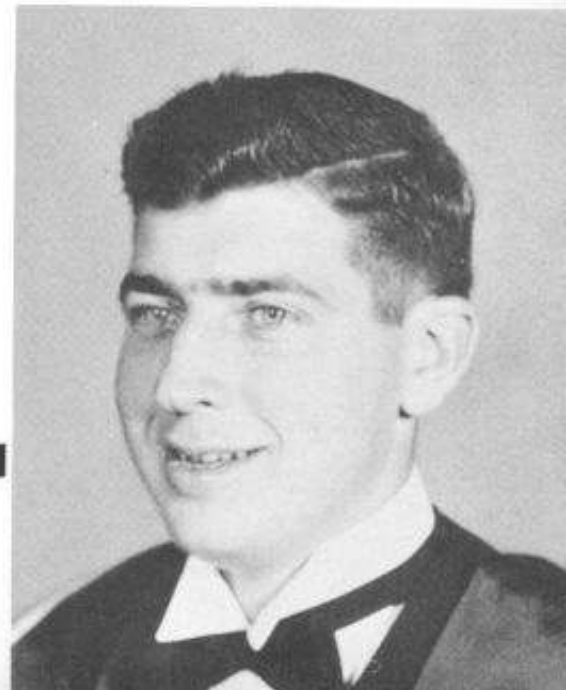
Fred came to St. Mary's in 1951, a graduate of St. Peter's High School, Dartmouth. His academic career has been interrupted by various interests. While on the campus Fred has shown a wide interest in everything. Fred is best known for his quick, unassuming manner but few have failed to realize his abilities. He was a member of the Arts Society, Journal Sports Editor, Sodality, inter-fac football, hockey and bowling. His immediate plans are to raise a family.



KEVIN JOHN CLEARY

"Tho Modesty, on his unembarrassed brow, Nature has written—Gentleman".

Kevin who came to us from Bishop's Falls, Nfld. has been one of the most colorful and active students while here in his quest for an Arts degree. Among posts he has held are President of the Playshop for 1956-57 and Stage Manager for four years, Secretary to the Philosopher's Academy and President of the Saint John Berchman's Society. In the realm of sports, Kev has been on two championship inter-fac squads; hockey in '56 and football in '54. He was manager of the Junior Champs this year. Future plans call for some post graduate studies and after that a career in either politics, teaching or railroading.



Arts



VERNON FRANCIS DRISCOLL

"How wonderful is Death, Death and his brother Sleep".

Vernon came to S.M.U. from St. Patrick's in '53. An intelligent lad, he has found time to take an active participation in such campus activities as the Debating Society, Arts Society, Glee Club, Sodality, Bowling League and has been on the executive of the Liberal party here on the campus. His future lies in the teaching profession.



GERALD HEBERT DUGAS

" . . . a man who knew more and spoke less . . . "

After graduating with an Arts degree from Saint Ann's College Gerald came to Saint Mary's and entered engineering. He became a member of both the Engineering and Boarders Societies. A keen student of mathematics and physics he plans to enter the Nova Scotia Technical College in the fall.



LEONARD JOSEPH DUANN

" . . . well timed silence hath more elegance than speech".

After teaching school a few years, Len came to Saint Mary's from Arichat, C.B. where he attended Our Lady of the Assumption High. Prior to graduating from Prov. Normal College he attended St. F.X. A member of the Journal, Playshop, Arts Society, and Debating Society, Len leaves in May with an Arts degree and a planned future in teaching.

Arts

ROBIN FALCONER

"They conquer who believe they can".

A wonderful blend of athlete and scholar; well liked by all—this is Saint Mary's High's gift to the University. An athlete of note, Robin has played four years of varsity basketball and has also been a tower of strength on the Junior football teams. Though modestly self spoken, he was always active in extra curricular activities, being Co-editor of the "Santamarian", a Sodalist and as one of the intellectual elite on the campus he was elected to the Philosopher's Academy. Summertime found Robin in the Air Force where he obtained the commissioned rank of Pilot Officer. He plans to study for a legal career when he enters Dalhousie next fall.



EDWARD JOHN FLINN

"Not in vain the distant beacons, forward, forward
let us range".

A graduate of St. Mary's High School, "Ted" began his university studies in 1953. A popular student, he became well known through his efforts on the guitar, participating in several University productions. He also found time to take an active interest in the Yearbook, Journal, Sodality, Glee Club, and Tau Gamma Sigma Societies, and played inter-fac hockey, football, and basketball. Next year will find him continuing his studies and a planned career in Law.



JAMES FLINN

" . . . Thou art e'en as just a man
As e'er my conversation coped withal . . . "

This energetic and determined gentleman is also a product of Saint Mary's High. Jim gained prominence on the campus both athletically and in extra-curricular activities. This year he was elected Chairman of C.F.C.C.S. after holding down the Vice-Chairmanship in '55. He has represented the University as a delegate on several C.F.C.C.S. conventions. His abilities were also utilized by the Arts Society as its Secretary. True to the Flinn tradition, he is a fine hockey player and led the Arts team to victory in '56 and '57. Jim plans for the future include post graduate work. Jim was also a member of the Sodality.



Arts



WILLIAM MARK McMANUS

"There are two things to which we never grow accustomed—the ravages of time and the injustice of our fellow man".

Mark served his high school apprenticeship at St. Patrick's. This talented young man "beats the books" with comparative facility. Never at a loss for time he has participated in bowling, has been an active member of the Arts and Debating Societies. He was also elected to the Philosopher's Academy. He was an avid participant in the Journal, Playshop, C.O.T.C., Maritime Regional Convention in 1955. He plans to study for a law degree, and is certain to do well.



KEVIN MICHAEL MacPHERSON

"And now the storm-blast came, and he was tyrannous and strong".

A product of New Waterford, Cape Breton, "Lip" came to the University in '53 and became one of our best known and controversial students. A sportsman, he was a member of the Maritime Junior Football Championship team of '56. He was an avid participant in the Journal, Playshop, C.O.T.C., and a member of Arts, Boarders' and St. John Berchman's Societies, and displayed generally a keen and versatile disposition which should make him a success in any chosen field.



WILLIAM STROUD MAHAR

"The future lies ahead not back".

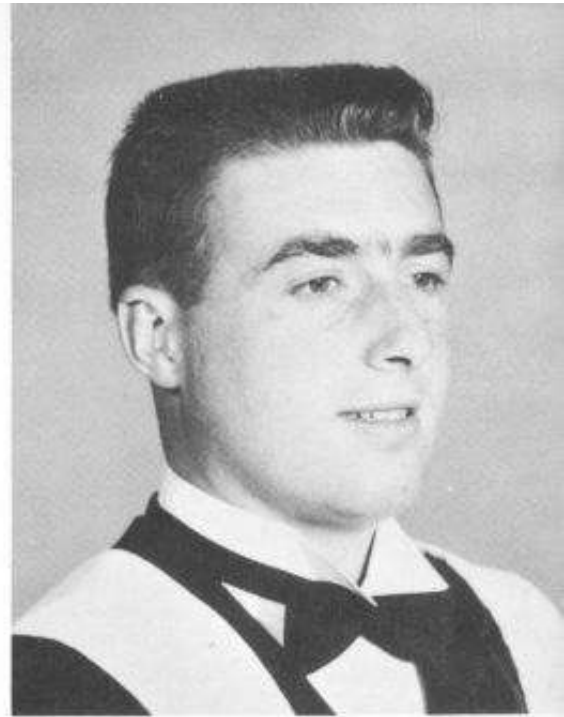
Bill interrupted his studies to become a partner in the transfer express business. He has since been a night student. A graduate of St. Pat's, Bill has been on the C.C.S.M.C. and W.U.S.C. executives. Quiet, but popular he has made his presence felt on the campus, also in athletics being a powerhouse in inter-fac hockey and football. We expect him to put an Arts degree to good use in the business world.

Arts

BASIL POWER MARTIN

"A man's a man for a that".

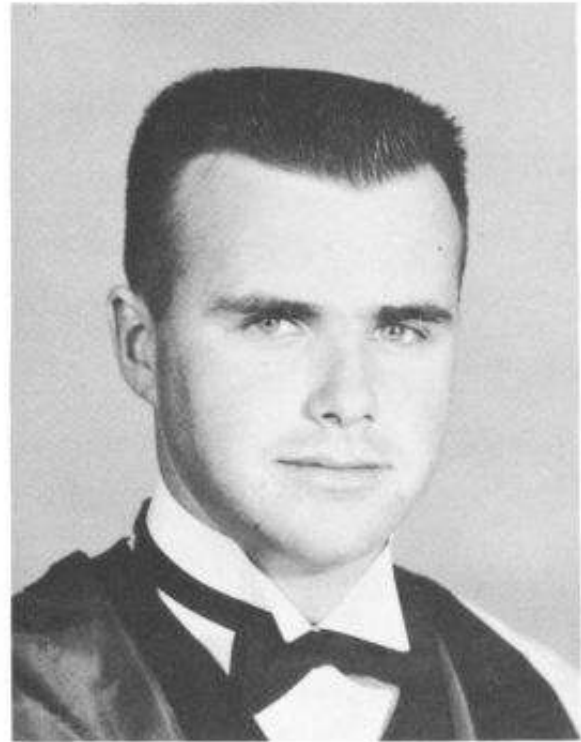
"Baz" is one of the most popular members of the Arts Society, having been elected to the post of Secretary. As Chairman of several Art's Ball Committees he has been most successful. He has taken part in inter-faculty hockey and football. He is another St. Pat's grad. A member of the C.O.T.C. Corps "Baz" plans a career in the Army.



DONALD JOSEPH MURPHY

"None but himself can be his parallel".

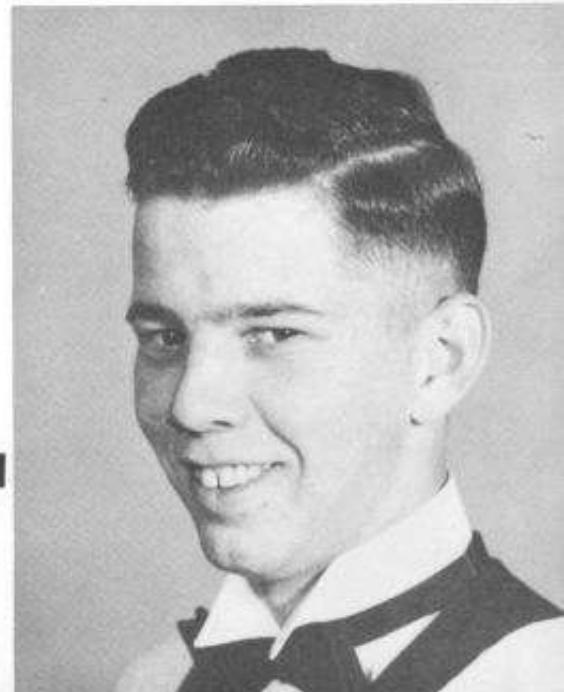
Don was another of the welcome gifts of St. Mary's High, coming to University in 1953. For the following four years, Don made himself a true Santamarian, having been active in the Sodality, the Arts Society, and a member of the Glee Club, the Philosophers' Academy, and the Year-book staff. He took part in every inter-faculty sport and was well known for his roles in two major Playshop productions. Don plans to come back to S.M.U. for a B.Sc., and we wish him all the best success.



GEORGE HUGH RANDALL

"Defer not till tomorrow to be wise . . ."

Hugh came to the University in 1953 after matriculating at St. Mary's High School. He was active in the Arts Society, having been on several ball committees and has participated in inter-fac sports, being on the Arts championship team of '56. A fine singer he has been an ardent member of the Glee Club. He has also been on the Journal staff. We know that Hughie's quiet determination will win him success in his future studies at the Dal Law School.



Arts



GRAHAM DOUGLAS WALKER

"I may not agree with what you have to say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it".

One of our most active students, Graham came to Saint Mary's in '54 from St. Patrick's. He has shown extensive interest in many activities, being a member of the Arts Society and Vice-President of the Debating Society. He distinguished himself by winning two M.I.D.L. Debates. He also headed the Conservative Club on the campus. A good student, a conscientious worker, and a gentleman, Graham plans a future in political science.



DANIEL PETER McCARRON

"The heart and mind have small conformity".

"The Poetic Islander" first graced the portals of S.M.U. in 1953, and since that time has taken on some of the appearances of an institution. He received his high school education at Saint Dunstan's and then enrolled at Saint Mary's in Arts and Journalism. He has contributed many fine poems to the Journal of which he is an important member. He has undertaken to work on the Santamarian, and is also known as a keen member of the Boarders' Society and the Philosopher's Academy. Danny intends to further his education at Dalhousie Law School this fall.



ALBERT JOSEPH RORAI

"Character is shown in the great moments, but is formed in the little moments".

Though President of the notorious Senior Debating Society, Al, nevertheless has won for himself a large number of friends in his years at Saint Mary's. Together with his being Co-editor of the "Santamarian", a Sodalist and a member of the exclusive Philosopher's Academy, he has also distinguished himself as an inter-fac hockey and football player. At the moment Al is undecided concerning his future, but with his energy and personality, we know he will give a creditable account of himself and achieve success.

Arts

Our Lady Graduates

FRANCES ALEXANDRA BURNS

"You will know her by the color of the sky, the sea, the view of all that is fine and beautiful. The color? True Blue".

Miss Burns is a truly representative member of the Night-Class teachers. After her early education in Canning, she attended Normal College and then taught in various provincial centers. She is presently Supervisor of Art in Halifax City schools and is well qualified for this post, having attended both the Nova Scotia and Ontario Schools of Art, as well as Columbia University. Now Miss Burns adds to her many other scholastic accomplishments Bachelor of Arts.



MARY RITA GARGAN

"Who hath a tear for pity and a hand open as day for melting charity".

Mary is another of our student teachers who rushes to and from classes. When collecting details of the grad class M.R.G. told us that we should note the fact that she got up early on Saturday mornings to attend classes. This was doubly hard for Mary since her Friday nights were devoted to singing on the CBC network as a member of the famed Armdale Girls' Choir. While pursuing her Arts degree at S.M.U. she has also contributed her many talents to the Playshop. She is a graduate of the Convent of the Sacred Heart. It is with regret that we bid Mary farewell; and we hope that success will crown her every effort.



MARY CATHERINE VEINOTTE

"She can fill the unforgiving minute with sixty seconds worth of distance run".

Miss Veinotte, we suspect, is out to disprove the old adage that women do not make good philosophers, and we feel that she will succeed, and her fellow classmates will undoubtedly concur. She is also a Night Class student, and during the day, teaches at Richmond School in the city. Before coming to Halifax she attended Colchester County Academy in Truro.



Arts



WILLIAM JOHN CURRAN

"Much have I travelled in the realms of gold".

A Halifax boy, Bill attended St. Mary's High School and enrolled at the University in the Fall of '52. He received his B.A. in '56 and decided to further his scholastic career, returning to St. Mary's this year for his B.Comm. Over the years he was quite active in campus activities, and in '57 was Business Manager for the Santamarian. Bill plans a future in the business field, and is well equipped for a successful career.



FRANCIS EDWARD HANLON

"A man's reach should exceed his grasp, or what's a heaven for?"

A graduate of St. Pat's High School, Halifax, Frank came to St. Mary's in '52. He was a very active student, and his athletic ability lent support to the inter-collegiate hockey and curling teams. The owner of an athletic "M", he was a member of the Yearbook for '57, and third year student member of the Society of Industrial and Cost Accountants of Nova Scotia. One of our few married graduates, his responsibilities are well supplemented by a provident disposition.



JOSEPH LOUIS CLAUDE LaFLAMME

"Solomon's wisdom, a golden heart, a friend".

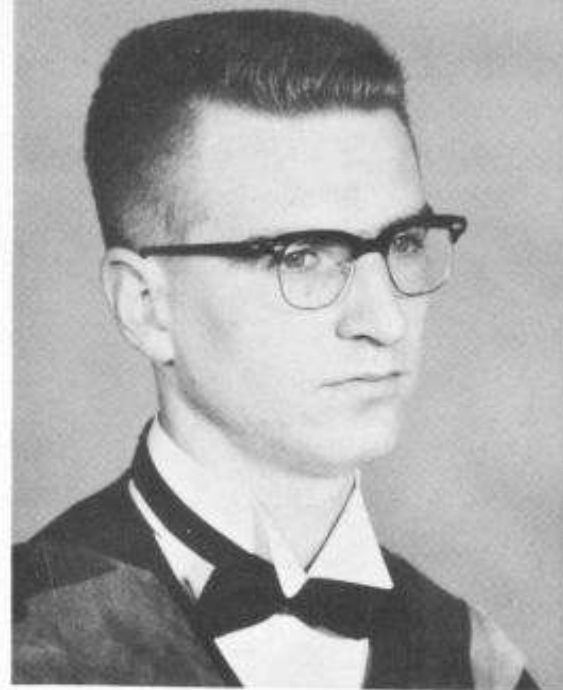
One of our most popular boarders, Claude came to St. Mary's in '54, a product of Chicoutimi schools. A genial lad, he will be remembered chiefly for his friendly smile and willingness to cooperate in every campus function. He played tennis and basketball, and was a member of the Commerce and Boarders' Societies. Claude leaves St. Mary's with a Commerce degree and a planned future in the business field. A true friend, we wish him every success.

Commerce

ANTHONY FRANCIS McFADDEN

"He builds too low who aims beneath the stars".

After arriving at S.M.U. in 1953 "Tony" established himself as one of the most prominent members of the Commerce Society. He has represented the Society on the Santamarian and has been in charge of several dance committees. A strong bowler, he has also played inter-fac football and basketball. Incidentally Tony was born in Scotland. His many friends wish him the best.



THOMAS A. MUISE

"True to his word, work and his friends".

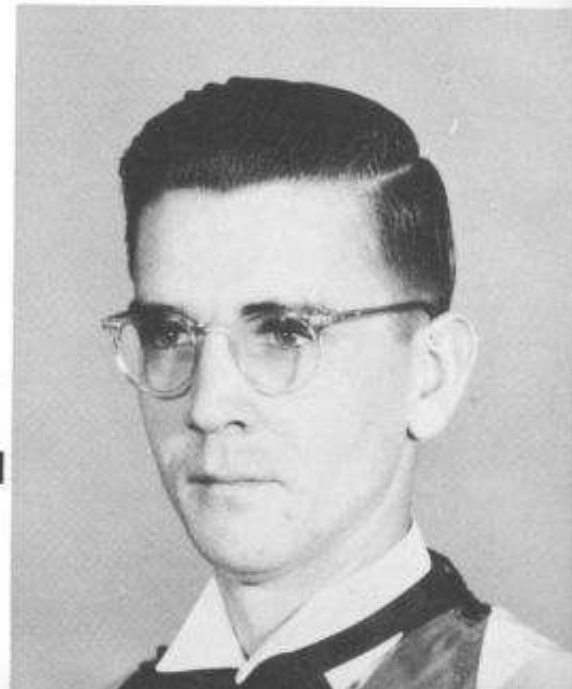
Queen Elizabeth High School relinquished "T" to Saint Mary's in the fall of 1952. "T" has held down many important posts in his stay at S.M.U. A popular leader Tom has been President of the Commerce Society, Treasurer of the Student's Council, Treasurer of C.F.C.C.S. and led the Liberals to victory in the mock parliament. His sparkling personality lent itself to several important roles in the Playshop. Another athlete of note he has played inter-collegiate hockey and also inter-fac football. In bowling he has carried away all trophies. His classmates predict for him a brilliant future.



YVES EDGAR PINET

"Footsteps on the sands of time were never made by sitting down".

Yves studied at Ottawa University and the R.C.N. Prep School, Esquimalt, B.C., before coming to SMU in '53. He played a major role on the campus this year as Placement Officer. As one of the intellectual elite of the campus he was a member of the Philosopher's Academy. He was Secretary of the Commerce Society for 1956. A Sub-Lieutenant in the R.C.N. Yves plans a career in Her Majesty's Navy.



Commerce



DONALD EDWARD REARDON

"In all labor there is profit".

Entering S.M.U. from Saint Mary's High School Duckie has continued to distinguish the Reardon clan in athletics. He has played four years of varsity hockey and has also participated in inter-fac football. In 1956-57 he was President of the A.A.A. and also Treasurer of the Commerce Society. "Duckie" was a valuable member of the Playshop stage crew in 1954. He is a well liked and hard working individual whose ability and character should enable him to proceed to the top in his chosen profession.



JOHN ALLISON TONER

"A little nonsense now and then,
Is relished by the wisest men."

An asset of Grand Falls, N.B., Al joined us after a year at SMU High and his jovial manner has made him very popular. If you want something circulated see Al, he has been circulation manager of the Journal and Yearbook for four years. Treasurer of Sodality, member of Commerce Society, active participation in Mission work have kept him a busy man. We know that Al's quiet determination will win him success in his future endeavours.



JAMES EDWARD TRAINOR

"Past perfect, present tense".

"Cho Cho" arrived at S.M.U. from St. Mary's High School in 1953, and since then has taken part in many extra-curricular activities, including the Playshop, Yearbook, and inter-faculty hockey and football. A 2/Lt. R.C.O.C., C.O. T.C., he also held the position of Treasurer with the Young Liberal Club. He was among the University group which travelled to Europe in '54. To him go our best wishes for a successful career.

Commerce

JOSEPH THOMAS HEENEN

"At the bottom of all really fruitful work must be the readiness to give oneself entirely".

Joe is the third member of his family to leave St. Mary's in possession of a sheepskin. During his stay at S.M.U., Joe has found time to take part in many activities, and at times appears to have a kinship with the platonic man. His con-freres elected him President of the Engineering Society, and besides this, Joe has managed to participate in curling, hockey and bowling and has displayed a great measure of literary talent on the Journal. The Army knows him as one of their staunchest R.O.T.P. adherents. To Joe we say, "Well done, and good luck."



Engineering and Science



JAMES BRIAN RIORDAN

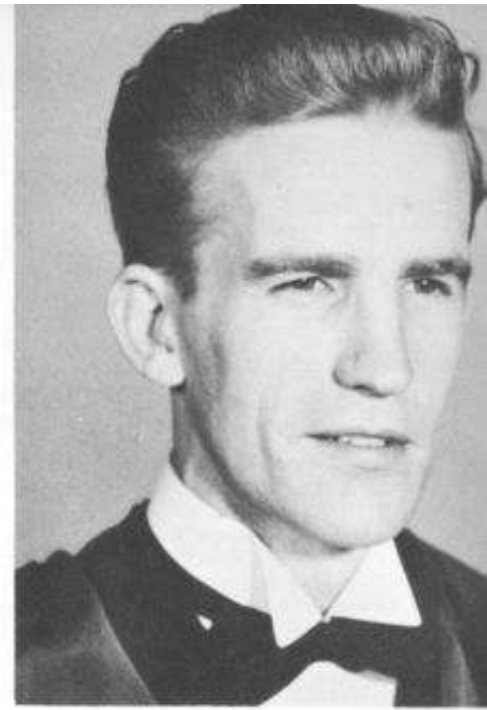
"Knowledge is power; power is control; control is success"

Jim received his High School diploma from St. Pat's. Here at Saint Mary's he has taken time from his studies to lend his talents to a wide array of extra-curricular activities. He has been Recording Secretary of the Student Council, President of the Electronics Club and head of the Light and Sound committee of the Playshop. He has been a member of the Engineering Society, Sodality and Philosophers Academy. He has served his country by qualifying for the rank of Pilot officer through the U.R.T.P. plan. Jim has prepared himself not only to advance in his chosen field of Electrical Engineering, but also to aid his fellow man.

EDWARD MALLAY

"They that govern the most make the least noise".

Ed came to St. Mary's from Queen Elizabeth High and since 1954 has made many friends at S.M.U. Besides his studies, Ed found time to be an active member of the recreation room committee and also a great asset to Halifax Minor Hockey. On weekends he has also found time to be a Sunday School teacher. Ed plans to attend "Med" School and we wish him all the best as a doctor.



PAUL D. MURPHY

"He was a scholar, and a ripe and good one;
Exceedingly wise, fair spoken . . ."

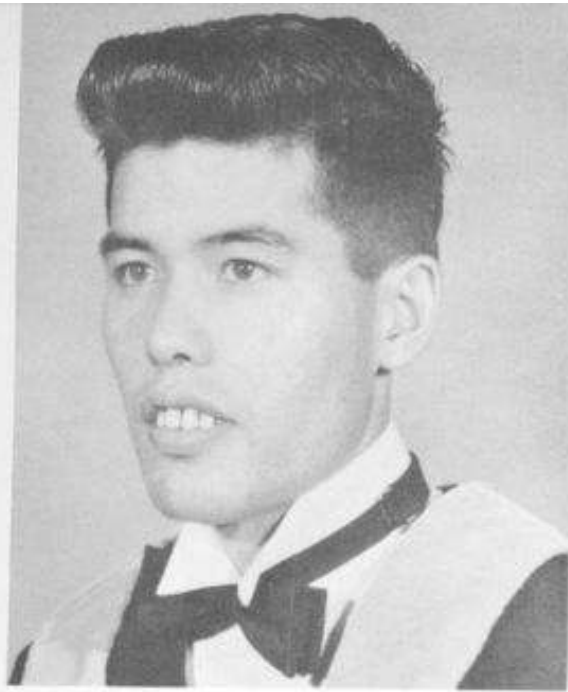
Another Halifax boy, Paul received his earlier education at St. Mary's High School, and in '53 took up studies at the University. To all who knew him, he was a quiet, unassuming lad, but one who believed in the adage that "actions speak louder than words." He was a member of the Santamarian staff, Engineering Society, Bowling League, and an executive A/Lt. R.C.E.M.E. Next year will find him continuing his studies at N.S.T.C.

ROGER PATUREL

"What is a gentleman but his word".

Roger came to St. Mary's from the High School of Montreal in 1954. Besides showing academic ability, Roger proved of great extra-curricular value as a member of the new Science Society and the recreation room committee. He was an ardent bowler in inter-fac and army competition. Second Lieutenant Paturel spent three years with the C.O.T.C. and plans to become a Doctor of Dental Surgery. "Best of luck, Doc."





ROY THOMAS SING

"A smile, a chuckle, a word to all".

St. Patricks graduated Roy in '53 and then entered into the Science field. He became a member of the Engineering Society and represented it each year in inter-faculty basketball and hockey. In 1956 he was elected chief of the S.M.U. bowling league. This year he was Secretary Treasurer of the Saint Mary's Army Contingent Mess. Roy now holds the rank of Second Lieutenant and plans a career in the army.



JOSEPH MOMBERQUETTE

"Cease not to learn until you cease to live".

Having graduated from Saint Ann's College with an Arts degree Joe came to S.M.U. to finish his education. He is a native of L'Ardoise, Cape Breton. He has played varsity hockey and has also participated in inter-fac sports. Joe plans to go to Tech next year and with him go our best wishes.

Science



KENNETH HAROLD BELL

"Give me the liberty to know, to utter, and to argue freely, above all other liberties".

Ken graduated from Queen Elizabeth High School. After studying Pre-Med at Dalhousie for a year, Ken realized his vocation and enrolled in the Engineering course at St. Mary's.

After hearing Ken talk and argue on nearly every subject imaginable, one might wonder why he did not become a lawyer.

Ken has been a member of the Engineering Society, Young Liberals Association, and has represented the University on the curling team.



HUGH EVANS CARROLL

"Good humor is goodness and wisdom combined."

Another of our popular students from Cape Breton. Hughie graduated from St. Ann's in Glace Bay. A quiet man with a definite purpose, Hughie has spent his summers in far off British Columbia with the C.O.T.C. Engineering Corps. An excellent student, Hughie also contributed his many talents to the Engineering Society. Plans call for future study at Tech.



GEORGE DUNCAN CLARKE

"Where the difficulties are great, the difficulties cannot be great".

George came to S.M.U. from Sydney Academy. During his years here he has represented the Boarders and Engineering Societies—on the basketball court, and has lent his voice to the Glee Club. No matter what the job, George has always been ready to lend a hand. With a quality such as this, George is sure to succeed in his future endeavors.

Engineering



PAUL DOUCETTE

"True and constant as the northern star".

Paul has proven that an engineer can take part in extra-curricular activities. He has acted in Playshop productions for three years, he has demonstrated his athletic ability on the Junior Football Team, and his active participation in the Sodality program prompted its members to elect him Prefect.

If Paul's record here at St. Mary's is any indication, his future will be bright in whatever field he chooses to work. Incidentally Paul hails from Worcester, Mass. where he attended Christopher Columbus High School.

GILBERT FRONTAIN

"A smile is worth the trouble for a man's a man for all that".

Gil came to the University from Saint Mary's High School. Since his freshman year he has taken a major part in the organization of the Engineering Society as a member of the executive. He was a member of the C.O.T.C. for three years and received his commission in the Royal Canadian Engineers.



FREDERICK GALLAGHER

"In himself is his might".

There are many people who will be glad to see Fred leave Saint Mary's. This faction is composed of all who opposed him in the Intercollegiate Hockey League.

Since his arrival from St. Pat's in '53, Fred has been a stalwart on the College Hockey Team. He has served on the A.A.A. executive for two years and the Engineering Society executive for one year.

Fred plans to further his Engineering studies next year at Nova Scotia Tech in the electrical department.



Engineering

FRANK ARTHUR GERVAIS

"Laugh and the world laughs with you."

Frank came to St. Mary's from St. Pats High. While pursuing his engineering diploma he has been a stalwart on both inter-fac and junior football teams. Frank is best known to his classmates for his apparently unlimited supply of jokes, wise-cracks and epigrams and his wonderful ability to see humor in practically everything. Frank will become an ideal good will ambassador for his alma mater both at professional school and in industry.



FREDERICK JOSEPH KELLY

"A mind that thinks, a heart that loves".

Fred arrived at the campus in '54, following graduation from St. Mary's High. A good student, he combined intelligence with athletic ability to become one of our better athletes. As a member of the Engineering Society, he showed executive powers, and though with the High School and Senior Football Teams, did not neglect his studies. To prove it, Fred leaves in May with a diploma in Engineering, and a planned future in the field. We are sure he will be a success.



JAMES FRANCIS KENNEDY

"Not by years but disposition is wisdom acquired."

Jim is another St. Pat's grad. Here at S.M.U. he has been a member of the Engineering Society and a staunch supporter of all college activities. He has played inter-fac hockey and has been among the top men in inter-fac bowling. His summers have been spent in training with the RCAF as a Flight Cadet under the University Reserve Training Plan. Next fall Jim plans to further his studies in the field of electrical engineering.

Engineering



GERALD DOUGLAS LETHBRIDGE

"Be sure you are right, then go ahead".

A product of St. Mary's High School, Gerald came to St. Mary's in '54. A member of the Engineering Society and inter-fac Hockey Teams, his quiet, unaffected manner is his chief claim to fame. Gerald leaves St. Mary's with a diploma in Engineering and his future plans concern N.S.T.C. A lad with a lot of foresight and good common sense, Gerald is certain to do St. Mary's proud.

CAMERON GORDON MacDONALD

"Nothing is so difficult that it may not be found out by seeking."

Cammy landed at SMU in the fall of '55 having completed his requirements at Sydney Academy. He now lives in sunny California. A fine athlete Cam has played varsity basketball and inter-fac football and hockey. He was also a member of the Glee Club and Engineering Society. The Playshop also benefited from his many talents. He plans to further his studies in engineering.



GRAHAM THOMAS McDONALD

"The man that loves and laughs must sure do well".

Graham came to St. Mary's from Woodside High in the Fall of '54. As a potential engineer, he found time to take an active interest in many campus functions. He was a member of the Engineering Society, played High School, Inter-faculty, and Junior football, but more than this, his general congeniality and willingness to help others has endeared him to those who knew him. He leaves with a diploma of Engineering and plans to continue his studies at Nova Scotia Technical College. His many friends wish him all the best.

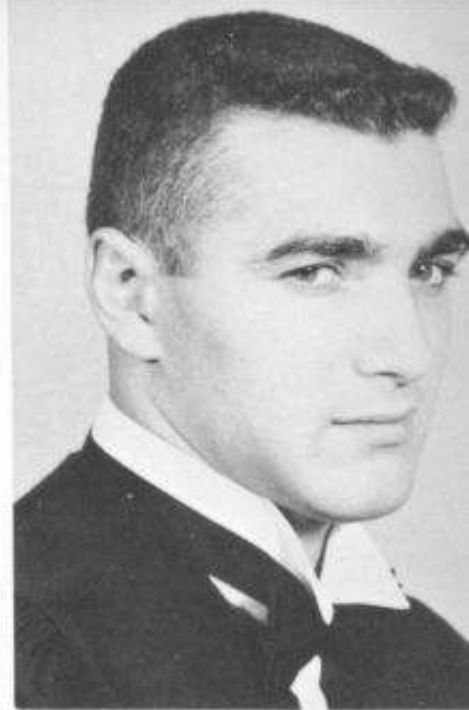


Engineering

RONALD J. MANSOUR

"Life is what you make it."

Ron graduated from S.M.U.H.S. Here in the University he has been very active in inter-fac sports, having represented the engineers on their hockey, football, basketball and bowling teams. All those who know Ron regard him as a true friend who will go out of his way to prove his friendship. After he completes his studies at N.S. Tech, Ron hopes for a career in the field of Mechanical Engineering.



WILHEM NOOYEN

"Ambition has not any risk".

Wim received his elementary and high school education in Holland. He set as his goal not only to become an Engineer but also to acquire an appreciation of the finer things of life.

Wim has been a member of the Engineering and Boarders' Societies and has taken part in the activities of the Glee Club and Electronics Club.

Next year Wim plans to continue his studies at Nova Scotia Tech.



ALBERT JOSEPH POTHIER

"Thus the blue sky must always have its cloud,
As in a man, 'tis natural to be proud".

Hailing from Upper Wedgeport, N.S., Albert worked three years in Arts at St. Anne's University, and arrived at St. Mary's in '55 as a potential engineer. A member of the Boarders' Society, Glee Club, Engineering Society, and Sodality, he proved a good student and an intelligent conversationalist. Albert is not yet certain what he intends to do, but it is probable that he will continue his studies at Nova Scotia Technical College. We wish him all the best.

Engineering



KENNETH GEORGE REDMOND

"O Divine Master, grant that I may not seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand".

A product of Dartmouth, Ken attended St. Peter's High in Dartmouth and came to St. Mary's in '53. He was a member of the Engineers' Society and was interested in all sports, studying, and carpenter work. He will undoubtedly continue his studies at Nova Scotia Technical College, on leaving St. Mary's with a diploma in Engineering.

DONALD ARTHUR SCARFE

"Happy is my heart and quiet is my way."

"Duck" graduated from St. Mary's High School in 1947. After working for several years he realized the value of a higher education and enrolled in the engineering course. While here he has been a member of the Engineering Society and the C.O.T.C. He has been a prominent figure on the varsity hockey squad. "Duck" plans to be a mechanical engineer.



DONALD SKINNER

"Everything comes to those who wait long enough".

Don came to Saint Mary's in '54 with his senior matriculation from St. Pat's.

During his years here Don has proven himself an outstanding scholar and has demonstrated his organizational ability in his position as Vice-President of the Engineering Society. He has been a member of the C.O.T.C. and has participated in interfaculty sports.

Don will, no doubt, become a leader in his chosen field of Chemical Engineering.



Engineering

RODERICK SMITH

"He who laughs last has just caught on."

Another import from the West Indies and a true Trinidadian, Rod came to S.M.U. after graduating from Saint Benedict's High. An ardent member of the Boarder's Society and also the Engineering Society, Rod hopes to enter Tech this fall and is looking forward to a future as a mechanical engineer. His many friends wish him the best.

Rod also took an active interest in astronomy while here at Saint Mary's.



CHARLES EDWARD SWEET

"Self trust is the essence of heroism".

A product of Windsor, N.S., Charles attended Windsor Academy, and, following three years industrial work, came to St. Mary's in '54. A very popular student and boarder, he gave his support to several university projects. An executive member of the Engineering Society, Bandmaster of the S.M.U. Band, member of the Engineers' inter-fac Hockey Team and Football champions for '55-'56, as well as a member of the 88th Bty., 14 Field Regt. (Militia), he proved as active and efficacious as they come. Next year will find him at N.S.T.C. We wish him the best possible.



ALFRED WADDELL

"In his tongue is the law of kindness."

After graduating from Dalhousie with a B.Sc. Fred came to SMU in pursuit of an Engineering diploma. His two-year sojourn at SMU has been filled with diligent study. One of our few married students he has also been active in the Engineering Society. His immediate future lies in further study at Tech next fall and then a career in industry.

Engineering



DONALD WARNER

"A man he seems of cheerful yesterdays and confident tomorrows".

Arriving at the University in '54 from S.M.U. High, Don has proved worthy in all fields. A strong member of the University Hockey Team and both player and assistant coach of the football squad, he also held executive positions in the Engineering Society, whose representative he was on the A.A.A. He was a Sodality member and Chairman of the 1957 Engineers' Ball. To Don goes our best for the future.

BLAKE WAYLAND

"No coward soul is mine".

The Engineering graduates as a group have been a versatile lot, and Blake is no exception. He has taken an active part in all university activities. He played interfaculty hockey and was also an enthusiastic bowler. The Journal had the good fortune to have his services, and last year he was a member of the A.A.A. executive. He is President of the Engineering Society at present. His enthusiasm and capacity for doing well in whatever he undertakes stood him in good stead as a member of the N.S.J.C.F.L. last year. As he leaves to further his education at Tech, we wish him a continuation of the success he has known at Saint Mary's.



CHARLES HARRIS JOEL WEBB

"Aim high; the sky's the limit."

Before coming to Saint Mary's Joel attended King's College School and also Mount Allison University. Joel gets his degree this year the hard way, he works from 4 to 12 every day in order to support a wife. His many friends wish him the best of luck.



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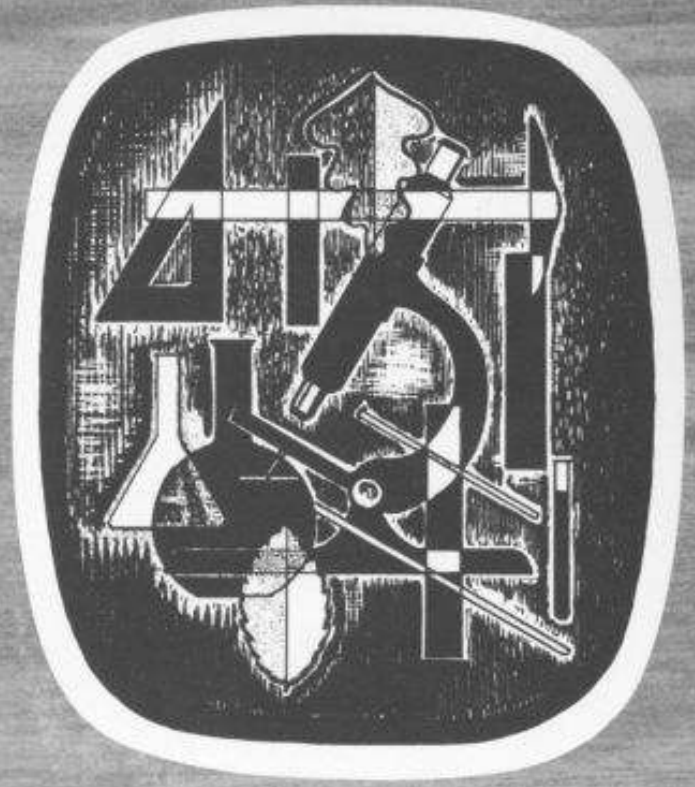
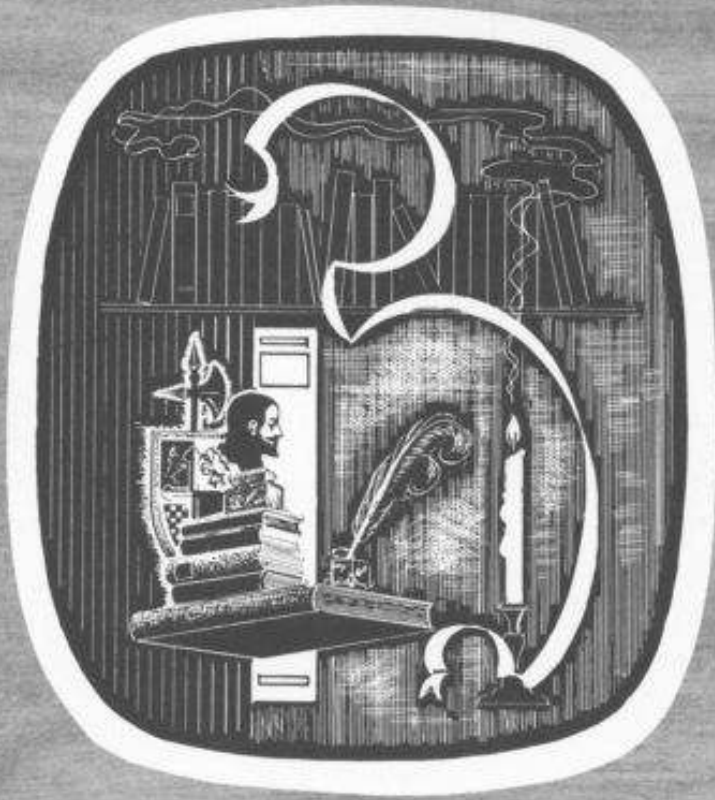
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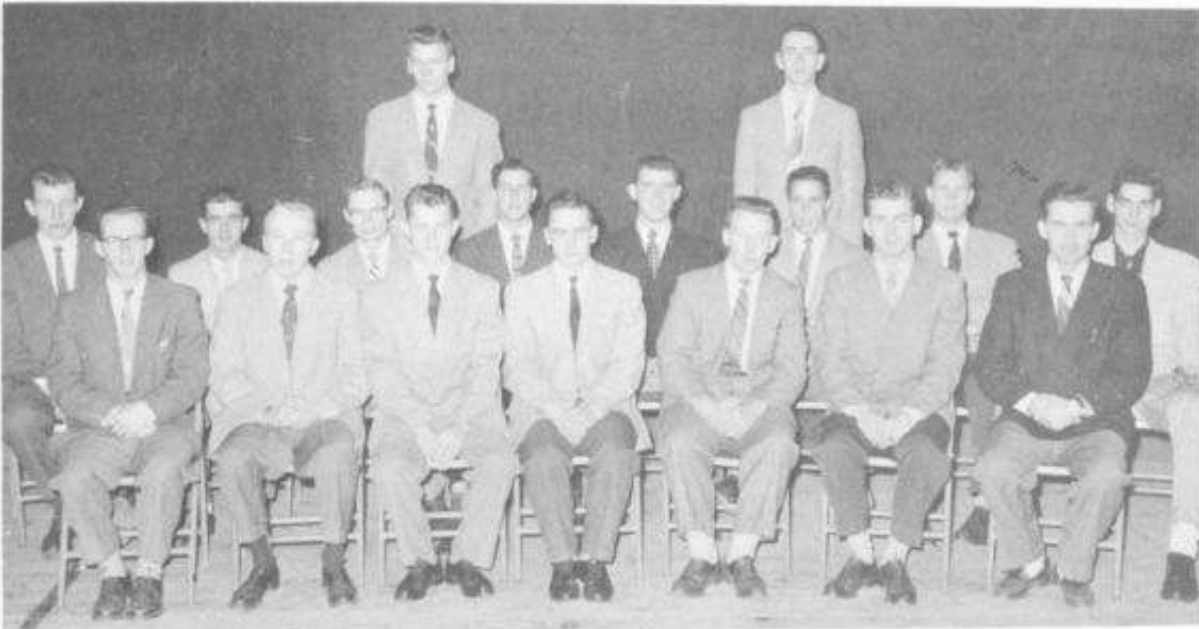


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Caisse, J. Power, G. Leach, J. Mercier, D. Clarke. ROW THREE: R. Jessum, L.
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Commerce II

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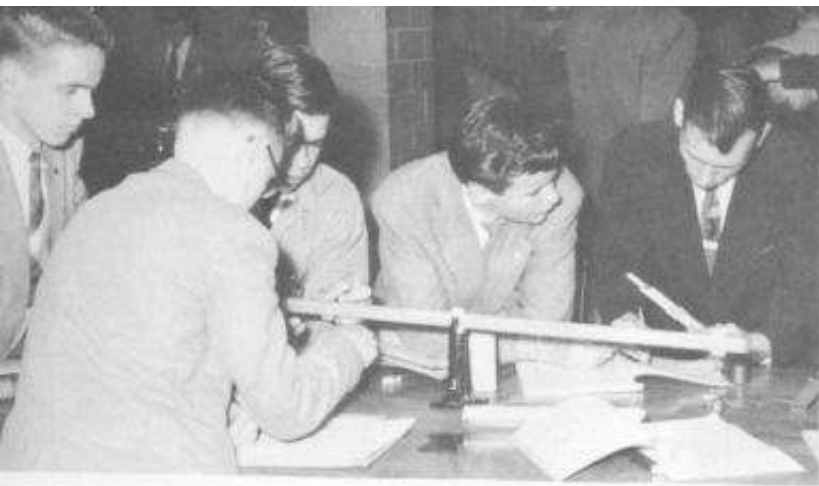
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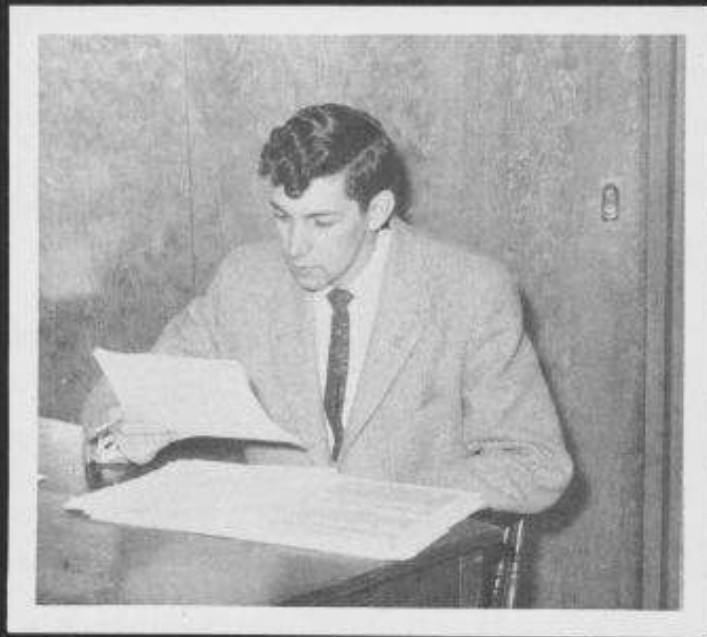


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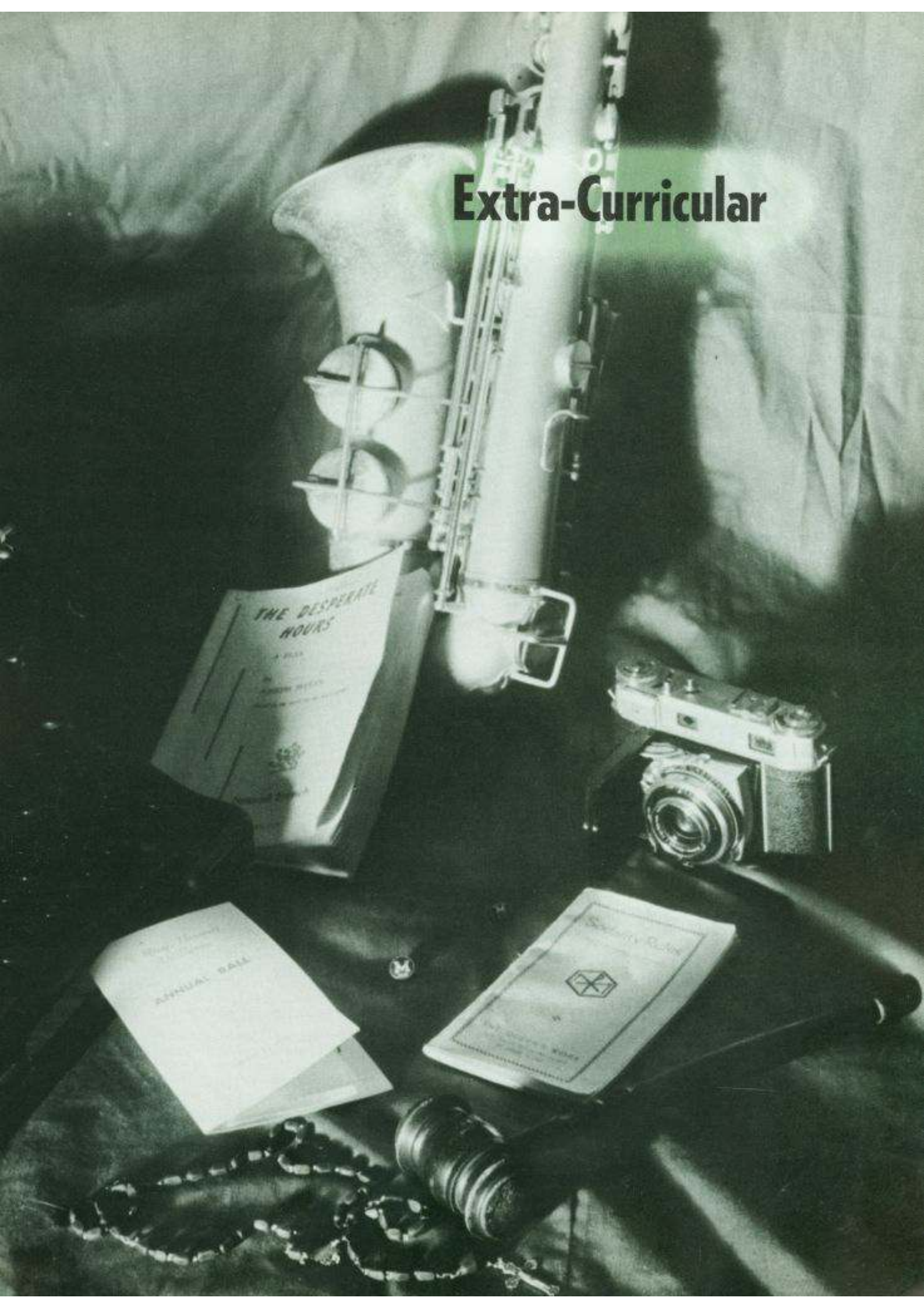
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A Look At The Labs





Extra-Curricular





(Left to Right): Brian Flemming, Paul Doucette, Tom Muise (Treasurer), Jean Mercier (Secretary), Carl Dujay (President), Ed Burke (Vice-President), Don Reardon, Al Rorai, Blake Wayland, Jim Riordan, (Recording Secretary).

The Student Council is the governing organization on the campus. It aims at promoting the best interest of the students by sharing with the faculty the responsibilities of the University government in all non-academic matters and in accordance with the power conferred by the President.

Promoting the best interest of the students is the chief duty of the Council. It is through the Representatives of the students that the Council is able to carry out the wishes of the student body. This year the Council instead of only regulating activities decided to carry on a programme of its own.

The Initiation Dance, sponsored by the Council was a huge success. To celebrate the occasion of our football team winning the Maritime Junior Title, a victory dance was held. The annual outing was sponsored again this year by St. Mary's and Mount St. Vincent. Early in November the Council spearheaded an appeal for funds to assist those who suffered as a result of the Springhill Mine Disaster. The response to this appeal was very generous. The annual "Bring Christ Back to Christmas" campaign was conducted. The Council, in conjunction with the faculty, organized a Hungarian Relief Committee and as a result two scholarships are being offered to Hungarian students to attend St. Mary's. The graduates informal dance, the Convocation Ball, and the Graduates Party were organized by the Council. This year the Junior class took care of the actual planning of the Convocation Ball.

Shortly before Christmas the Council approved of a Science Society on the campus and welcomed its Representative to the Council. Other organizations given formal recognition included the National Federation of Canadian University Students (NFCUS), the University Glee Club, the Electronics Club, the Gama Gama Club, Canadian Catholic Student Mission Crusade (C.C.M.C.), and the two political parties on the campus.

Delegates attended the following conventions: Young Liberals Convention, National Federation of Canadian University Students Conference, World University Service of Canada Assembly, Canadian University Press Conference, Young Progressive Conservative Convention, Maritime Intercollegiate Debating League Conference, and the Canadian Federation of Catholic College Students Convention.

The awarding of the Gold and Silver "M", fixing the social calendar, drawing up a new Council Constitution, the point system, and yes, the cut system, are some of the things that kept the Council members aware of the responsibilities of a Council.

To Father O'Donnell, Moderator of the Council, a special thank you. The co-operation and guidance of the faculty has been much appreciated.

The President and Council members sincerely thank the students for their close co-operation and consider it a great privilege to have worked with you as your elected representatives.

Student Council



The men behind the sport scenes. FRONT ROW: George Leach, Bob Hanrahan, "Duckie" Reardon, (President), Tom Hartley. BACK ROW: Don Warner, Dale Sinclair, Ron Barnes, "Lefty" Gallagher, Phil Josey.

Athletics had another banner year at Saint Mary's in '56-'57. Thanks to our dynamic Athletic Director, Father Michael O'Donnell, S.J. and the untiring efforts of the Amateur Athletic Association, headed by "Duckie" Reardon, we were represented in all major inter-collegiate competitions. Despite our relatively small size, we made an excellent showing in almost all our entries.

On the Varsity front, the Canadian Junior Football squad once again walked through all competition in the Atlantic provinces to cop the Maritime title. They made Canadian football history when they traveled to Montreal to be the first Maritime football team to travel west in search of National honors.

The '56-'57 edition of the basketball team was probably one of the best teams produced by Saint Mary's in recent years. Playing in a league of high calibre with such highly-rated teams as St. Francis Xavier, Dalhousie and Acadia, they managed a tie for second place and provided Halifax fans with some of the most exciting ball seen in these parts in many a year.

Traditionally a powerhouse in hockey, the Saints experienced a rather dismal season, managing only a tie in eight games. Nevertheless we are highly optimistic about next year because of the fine performances turned in by many of our rookies.

The track team gave an excellent account of itself. Competing in three meets, they posted several Maritime records and established a reputation of never losing a relay race.

Winners of minor sports competition represented the University in inter-collegiate tournaments in tennis, badminton and curling with creditable performances given in each sport.

On the campus, Inter-faculty competition held the spotlight. Well organized football, hockey and basketball teams were organized. Keen competition was provided for many students. It is surprising to note that with an enrollment of slightly over 300, 200 students participated in one form of sport or another.

A.A.A.



The Sodality of Our Lady

under the patronage of MARY
IMMACULATE and of SAINT
ALOYSIUS GONZAGA, S.J.

The purpose of the Sodality is to bring its members to the heights of Christian perfection. In every Jesuit University, the formation of the spiritual élite for a leadership, which is thoroughly Christian, is the role of the Sodality.

In its rules, which have been approved and praised over and over again by the Holy See, and especially by Pius XII, the Sodality offers its members a sure program of prayer and reception of the sacraments, of spiritual formation and apostolic action, which challenge the enthusiasm and courage of men who want to signalize themselves in the service of Jesus and Mary.

The Sodality at Saint Mary's has been voted, time and again, by the student body, as the most active organization on the campus—and rightly so! Once a week, every week, at noon-hour, the whole Sodality meets for prayer and praise of Mary, for spiritual motivation and formation, for discussion and planning of apostolic projects.

MARCH 25—FEAST OF THE ANNUNCIATION, day of reception into the Sodality for twenty some candidates who met once a week, at noon hour, in the first semester with the Director and Carroll Parker, Instructor of Candidates, to learn and love and live the Sodality Way of Life. In the second semester they attended the regular Sodality meetings. In the presence of Father Gallagher and George Leach, veteran Sodalist, **CYRIL HANNON** makes his Act of Consecration, the total gift of himself, to Mary.

Some of the projects carried on all this year were recreational work with orphans, and with children at the School for the Blind, social action discussions and socials with the Halifax Infirmary, Nurses' Sodality, the teaching of Catechism, promotion on the campus of mission interest, First Friday continual adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and weekly Rosary. The Sodality is proud of the many high-quality leaders it supplies to all other campus organizations and activities.



To Jesus through Mary



THE SODALITY EXECUTIVE is the dynamo which meets every week, at noon hour, to discuss and plan. Rev. G. Gallagher, S.J., Director; Paul Doucette, Prefect; Carroll Parker. **STANDING** (Left to Right): Allison Toner, Treasurer; Louis Caissie, Apostolic Works Chairman; Charlie Burke, Secretary.

Since the founding of the first Sodality in the Jesuit College in Rome four centuries ago, teaching catechism to children has always been an apostolic work dear to Sodalists. Charlie McGuire teaches children how to pray. He is Chairman of the Sodality *Catechetical Section*, comprising twenty Sodalists and Candidates who have done a tremendous job this year. They meet once a week, at noon hour, with Rev. E. MacGillivray, S.J. to prepare their classes and techniques. Every man has his own classroom of children whom he teaches a morning a week. Enthusiasm in the highest degree characterizes this section.



Father G. Topp, S.J., from whose interest and words of wisdom at Sodality stags, meetings and discussions, Sodalists have received an abundance of inspiration, is present with eight members of the Sodality **DISCUSSION SECTION**, made up of fifteen veteran Sodalists from the University and fifteen nurses from the Halifax Infirmary Sodality. They meet on Sunday evenings, once a month, to discuss modern problems in the light of Sodalit ideals. Socials follow the discussions.



Tau Gamma Sigma



(Left to Right): R. Hoganson, E. Burke (President), R. Barnes, B. Martin.

The purpose of the Arts Society is to promote activities which are for the benefit of the University in general and the Arts students in particular. A strong feeling of co-operation and determination among the members was prevalent throughout the year.

The society's initial undertaking was a series of football dances held in the gym. These dances were quite successful and from the proceeds the Society was able to purchase a much-needed piano for use in the gym. A group of volunteers from the Society also applied a much-needed coat of paint to the gym walls.

During the year the Society made various donations to worthwhile projects. Included in this list was the Spring Hill Relief Fund, the Darjeeling Mission, and the football team for the purchase of jackets.

The Society's Annual Ball was held at the Nova Scotian Hotel where over three hundred guests danced to Don Warner's delightful music. The Ball will long be remembered by those who attended as one of the top social functions of the year.

The Society's Stag was held at Newman Hall and it featured a panel discussion followed by a film of the Gray Cup Game.

The Society's annual blood drive was held on January 30th and once again the University's goal was realized.

During the year the Society sponsored tours for its members which enabled the students to get a better understanding of the operations of a television studio, a newspaper plant, and a brewery.

The Society's Inter-Faculty debating team enjoyed a highly successful year as did its hockey team.

The Society closed out the school year with a Banquet in the University dining hall which enabled the members to enjoy a final get-together and evening of relaxation before the grind for examinations set in.

In all it was a highly successful year and the members and Executive must be commended for their untiring efforts to make the year a profitable one for the Arts Society.

Delta-Lambda-Kappa Society



(Left to Right): Yves Pinet, Tom Muise, (President), Jerry Richards, Bob Hanrahan.

Students in the department of Commerce are eligible for membership in the Delta-Lambda-Kappa Society. This year proved to be a most successful one for the "Men of Money" and "Teamwork" seemed to become the by-word of the Society.

The placement program inaugurated by the business men had another very successful year. This program aids students to find work after graduation or during the summer months.

Early in the school year the Society held its Annual Ball at the Lord Nelson Hotel and it was everything a ball should be. To complete the social picture a Christmas party was held in the University gym and featured for the first time, our University orchestra.

The Society took part in the "Bring Back Christ to Christmas" campaign, and at this time introduced a new activity. Resident students unable to be at home for the Christmas season were invited to spend some time at the homes of the "day hops".

During the year the Society heard several guest speakers from the Halifax Business Circle. Tours of CBHT and Moirs Limited were two of the highlighted events.

The Commerce athletes dominated the field of inter-faculty sports. The football and hockey teams brought championships to the Society. After a few mediocre seasons, they were back in the limelight.

The close co-operation of the members in Society activity as well as student body projects is most worthy to remember.

The Engineering Society



(Left to Right): Tom Sherrey, Blake Wayland (President), Brian Ross, Don Skinner, Bill Mullane, Ron Hazel, Gil Frontain, Paul Murphy.

The 1956-1957 university year has seen another active and highly successful social and athletic program planned and executed by the Engineering Society.

The highlight of the social program was the Annual Banquet and Ball held at the Lord Nelson Hotel with Don Warner's Orchestra supplying the music both soft and sweet and fast and hot. This gala affair was further crowned with success by the large attendance which also made it a financial success.

The Engineering Society's other functions included a stag held at the R.C.E. Officers Mess, "A Time to Relax", and an informal dance which proved to be great fun for all. On Talent Night, "Budding Thespians," the Engineers stole the show.

Sports too, have been right up our alley. Besides having Society members on the Inter-Collegiate Football, Hockey and Basketball teams, we also made a good showing in Inter-faculty sports, taking second place in football. A goodly number of Engineers were on hand to support the football team in both Moncton and Montreal, showing good school spirit.

Donations were made by the Society to the Springhill Disaster and Hungarian Relief funds.

The success of our various efforts was due in large measure to the work of our very capable executive. Our sincere thanks men.

This year on the campus, a new society was born. Under the efforts of a few Science students led by Brian Flemming, the students of the Science faculty were allowed to form a separate group.

The first project of this fledgling society was the presentation of an International Night held on December 2. This show was under the chairmanship of Carlos Ruiz and it proved to be a very interesting and different bit of entertainment.

A banquet and social was organized by the Science Students who remained at the University over Christmas. It was put on for those who participated in International Night and all other foreign students in the city.

The Society was too late to enter Inter-Fac Football but the Science basketball team was a good addition to the Inter-Fac League.

One of the Science Society's big projects this year was the publishing of a Student Director. This year it was under the co-editorship of Ron Wong who handled the design and layout of the Directory and Dave Morgan who handled the advertisements and business.

This year marked the successful beginnings of a new and energetic group on the campus and we wish them all the best in the future.

(Left to Right): John Barrett, Carlos Ruiz, Brian Flemming (President).



*Science
Society*



THE EXECUTIVE (Left to Right): Earl White, Jean Mercier (President), Dan MacDonald.

The Boarders Society

This Society was organized to foster an atmosphere of better understanding between the resident students themselves and also in their relations with the faculty. We all live here under the same roof, as a big family and we have our troubles and worries that have to be taken care of.

The Society's executive is composed of three students: the President, Vice-President and the Secretary-Treasurer. Whenever there is a specific discipline applied, there is some discontent and it is up to the Executive to obviate these grievances and to come to some sort of reasonable compromise.

The aim of the society is not primarily to promote social activities, but rather to give to each individual resident student the opportunity to cultivate and develop his character, so as to enable him to deal in terms of liberal action and mutual understanding towards the people he will associate with in later years.

The atmosphere of the society instills in the student a combined feeling of coordination and understanding which is frequently referred to as "The good old college spirit." These two characteristics enable the society to function successfully in all its endeavours.

Above all, as a whole, the Boarders Society is independent of all other organizations on the campus and is activated through immediate cooperation of every resident student. These factors combine to make the Society the most concrete and unified body on the campus.



Another problem. "Get us some concessions Jean."



(Left to Right): C. Burke, G. MacGrath, K. Cleary (Secretary), G. Walker, D. Murphy, Father Stewart, S.J. (Moderator), A. Murphy, M. McManus, J. MacGillvary. MISSING: J. Riorden, D. MacCarron, R. Falconer, A. Rorai.

The Philosopher's Academy

What is a Philosopher? A philosopher is a man who seeks wisdom. But the Chemist and the Historian seek wisdom and they are not Philosophers. What sort of wisdom does the philosopher seek? He seeks knowledge of the ultimates. The historian too has ultimates; but the ultimates he seeks are those of a particular, limited field of knowledge. The philosopher is singularly blessed, his field of knowledge is unlimited, for it is all reality, everything that is, from the tiniest insect to the eternal God, comes under his ken. Thus, the ultimate he seeks are the ultimates in everything that is—the nature of the Universe, human nature, divine nature, truth, beauty and the final end of man.

Twice monthly on Monday evenings a select group of twelve souls settle themselves in a room across the hall from the library and discuss the ultimates of all reality. These are the members of the Philosopher's Academy, the intellectual elite of the University. Carefully chosen for their intelligence and insatiable thirst for truth, these twelve students represent for the most part, the cream of the philosophy courses in the University. A paper is read, questions asked and then begins the lively discussions which characterize all the meetings of the society. At the end of two hours a summation and criticism is given by the moderator, Rev. Father Stewart, S.J., and the meeting is adjourned.

Of all the societies on the campus, the Philosopher's Academy alone has an intellectual and didactic purpose. For this society is dedicated to the molding of philosophers who are at the same time Christians, and who will apply the principles of right reason to their daily lives for the development of their country, the spread of the one true Church, and the greater glory of God.



Metaphysical perplexities are avidly discussed in an informal discussion of the Philosopher's Academy.



FRONT (Left to Right): Carl Parker, Albert Rorai (President), Robert MacDonald, Pat Moriarty, Graham Walker, Vernon Driscoll.

The Senior Debating Society

The Senior Debating Society appeared a good many years ago as an organization whose primary task was to give experience to students in public speaking and to encourage analytic thought. The Society offers a wide and varied program in all phases of public speaking.

It is a member of the Maritime Inter-Collegiate Debating League and in this capacity competes with other Atlantic Universities. However, its paramount duty lies in providing means whereby the S.M.U. students may participate in inter-fal culty debates, panel discussions and extemporaneous speaking. This year the Executive introduced extemporaneous debates which proved highly effective and interesting.

Although the debates were frequent they were very well prepared and on a high level of competition. Audience participation was exceptionally good this year, this is probably due to the many points of controversy which characterized the Society in 1956 and 1957. Few members will forget the avid and lively discussions which followed the debates.

Our Inter-Collegiate teams lost three extremely close contests against Acadia, Mount Allison and U.N.B. All were lost on split decisions. We were pleased with the fine display of oratorical talent shown by our debaters.

As usual the highlights of the year were the mock parliament and mock trial which are annually sponsored by the Society.

"Gentlemen, I will prove to you beyond a reasonable doubt that . . ." Ted Flinn makes his point in a debate between Commerce and Arts.



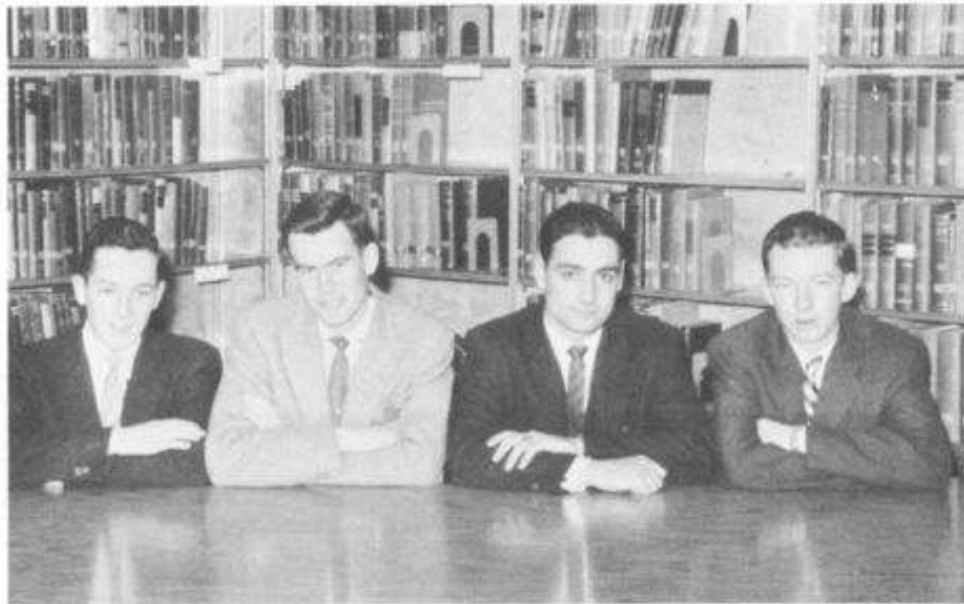


An attentive audience critically weigh an argument.



Inter-collegiate debating teams. (Left to Right): Bob MacDonald, Bill Weagle, Ed Mallay, Art Donahue, Graham Walker, Ed Burke.





EXECUTIVE (Left to Right): Barry Blanch, Harold (Skip) Kane (Chairman), Jerry Richards, Pat Moriarty.

World University Service is an International, voluntary organization composed of students and faculty striving to meet the exigencies of the University community through the extension of material aid to those in need, the mutual sharing of knowledge and experience in the solving of University problems and the fostering of international understanding through personal encounter.

W.U.S. of Canada, realizing the importance of this third objective sponsors an annual seminar which each year is held in a different country. Approximately forty scholarships are offered each year to Canadian students to participate in the seminar. Last year the seminar was held in Tutzing, Germany, where one-hundred and thirty students from twenty countries gathered. Prior to the seminar, which was held in early August, the Canadian students divided into study groups, each group participating in an extensive travel programme including five European countries. Students are chosen by their respective colleges as recipients of the W.U.S.C. Scholarships. This year Skip Kane represented Saint Mary's at the seminar and traveled with the study group in Germany.

Saint Mary's was represented at the annual W.U.S.C. National Assembly held at the University of Montreal by Professor John MacCormick, faculty moderator, and Skip Kane, local Chairman.

This year, for the first time, the Treasure Van Sale, a conglomeration of handicrafts from various countries which pays annual visits to Universities all across Canada, was sponsored jointly by Dalhousie and Saint Mary's. Total volume of sales exceeded those in many other colleges of larger enrollments. Proceeds from the sale are used for student relief in other countries.

This year the University is offering two scholarships to Hungarian refugee students. These Scholarships, one of which is being financed by the student body, are being offered through World University Service.

To publicize the 1957 International Seminar, which is to be held in the Gold Coast and to familiarize the student body with Africa, the local committee sponsored a panel discussion on Africa in which two African students took part. Before the discussion a film on the Gold Coast was shown.

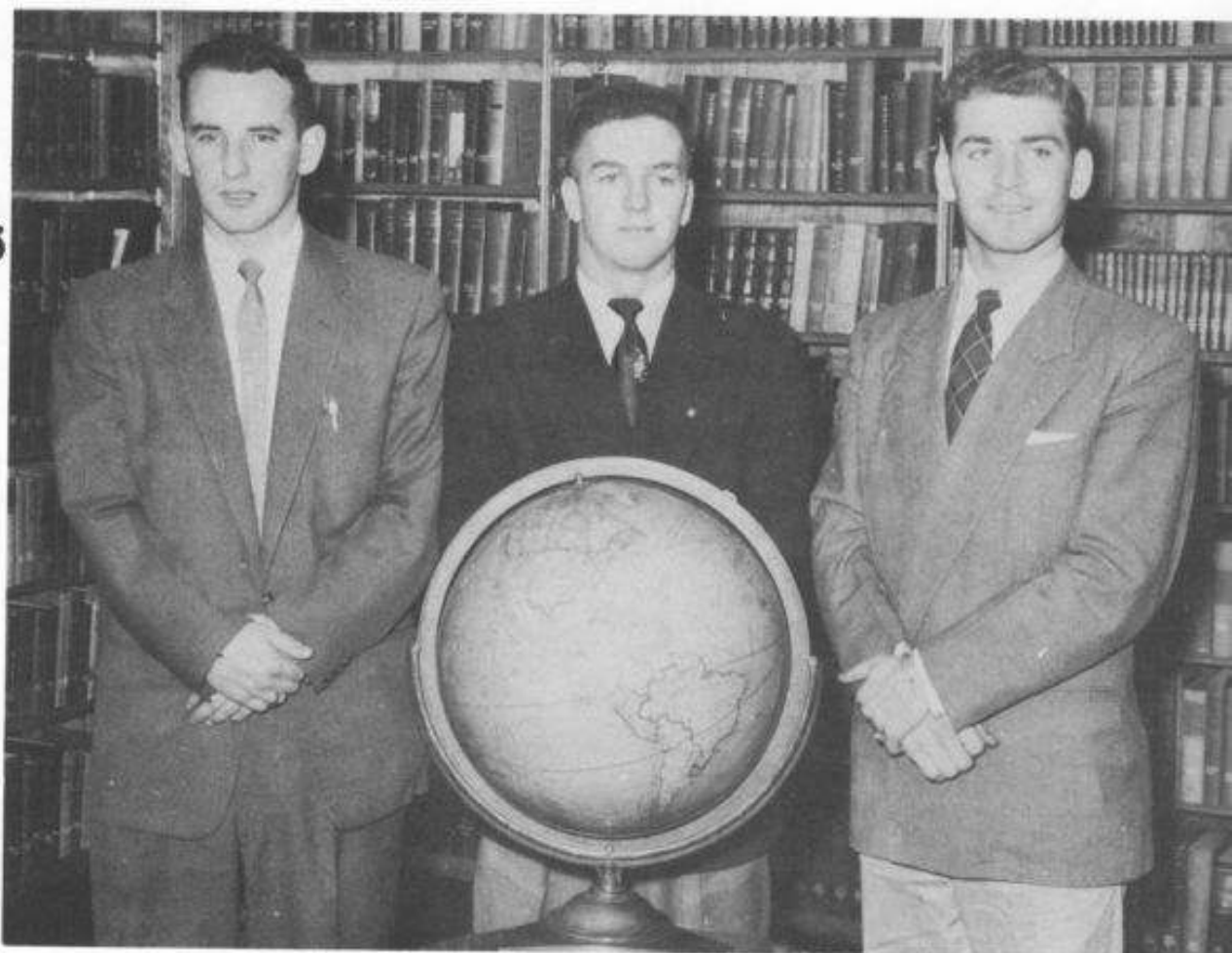
For the first time in some years an Atlantic Regional W.U.S.C. Convention was held. Eleven colleges assembled at Acadia University to discuss problems pertinent to the Atlantic area, Saint Mary's was represented by Professor John MacCormick and Patrick Moriarty, committee Secretary.

World University Service of Canada

Carl Dujay and Skip Kane compare notes on their trips. Carl represented St. Mary's at the WUSC convention in Japan in 1955 and Skip was a delegate to the '57 convention held in Germany.



Canadian Federation of Catholic College Students



(Left to Right): Tom Muise, Jim Flinn (Chairman), Dan MacDonald.

The Canadian Federation of Catholic College Students or more commonly, CFCCS, is an organization comprised of all catholic students registered in thirteen of the Catholic colleges in Canada.

The purpose of this organization is to aid in the integral formation of the Catholic student by stimulating spiritual, intellectual, social and cultural endeavors.

During the past two years CFCCS has been concerned, nationally, with one project, the fostering and furthering of a greater appreciation of higher education among high school students. Saint Mary's students in furthering this aim have visited more than twelve high schools, outlining to the students the advantages of a higher education and appealing to them to follow in our footsteps. We have also approached many parent organizations and have received a very great amount of support from them. Some other projects taken on by CFCCS in the past year have been:

The establishing of a Catholic student magazine, "Forward," which will serve as an outlet for

the Catholic student writers, and also will acquaint the student with student life in the Catholic colleges across Canada.

The exchange of ideas among member colleges on the running of campus organizations, college papers, and Catholic student opinion on matters of national importance.

Saint Mary's was host this year to the Maritime Regional Convention of CFCCS, which proved to be very successful. Among the topics discussed at this meeting were: a much closer liaison between CFCCS and Newman Clubs, an increase in membership, recognition by the Canadian Council of Bishops and briefs to the Government on matters pertaining to the Catholic student.

Through the Campus Chairman, the National Executive of CFCCS would like to thank the students for their contributions to the welfare of the Federation, and hope for continued assistance in the future.

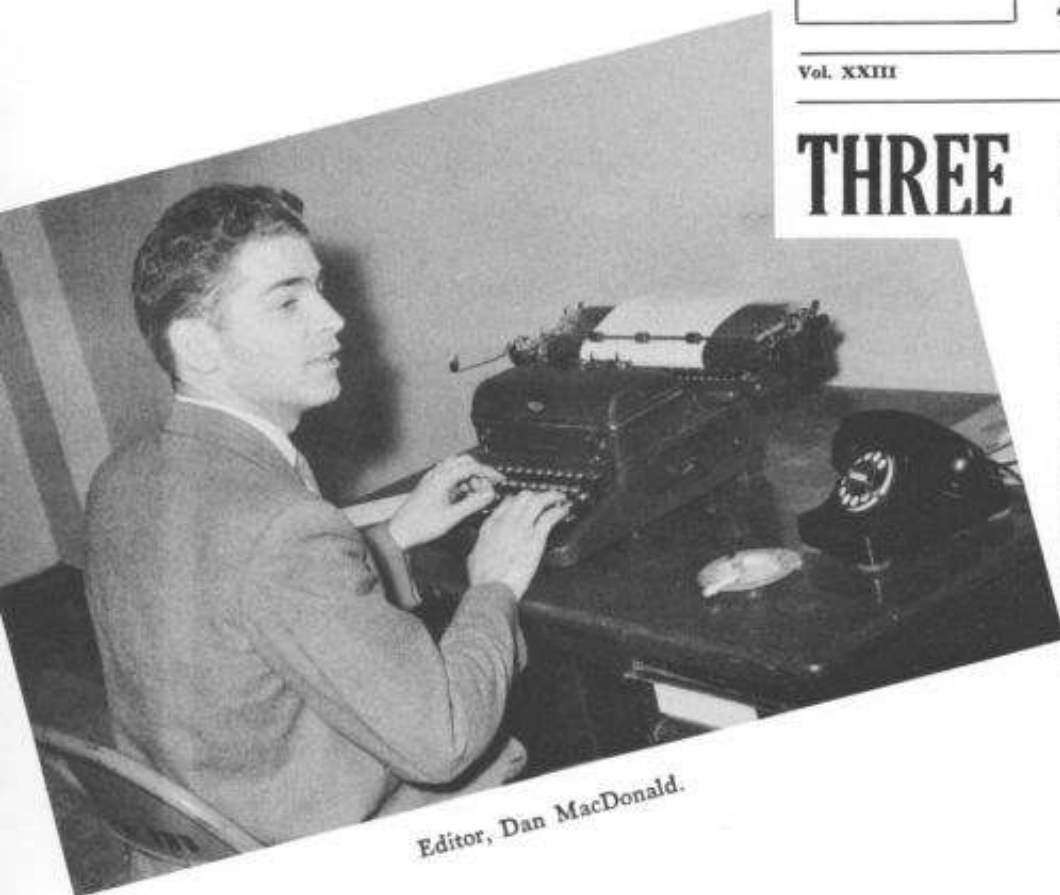
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Editor, Dan MacDonald.

The Journal, official undergraduate news paper of Saint Mary's University, presented the first issue of volume XXII on October 15, 1956. With an almost completely inexperienced staff, the paper endeavoured to present the

Saint Mary's Man—1956-57. Designed primarily as an organ through which the student might express his opinion, this publication made it a policy to bring before its student readers both sides of every argument. Early in the year a new column was introduced into these pages. This was the Student Opinion Poll and included, each issue, the views of different students, from all years, on a topic of current debate.

As the first semester began, the Council was faced with a major decision—whether there should be a new Science Society formed or not. The second issue reported the Council having approved the Society. At the same time the sports page was filled with stories of the victories of a miracle football team. The

A part of the busy Staff. FRONT ROW (Left to Right): B. Melanson, J. Reyno, D. MacDonald, K. MacPherson, F. Dockrill. SECOND ROW: A. MacNeil, M. Carter, J. Wheelley, M. Toner, K. Tappen, K. Cleary, A. Toner, T. Flinn, P. Moriarty.



ATHLETES INVITED TO S.M.U.

students were so excited about these athletes that the Journal felt it necessary to send its own reporters with the team as it made its way to the championships. November 12 issue stated the team had lost in a bid for the Eastern Canada Crown, but was victorious in taking the Maritime Junior Football Championship.

As the football season closed the Playshop came into prominence with the start of rehearsals for **THE DESPERATE HOURS**.

Saint Mary's students made large contributions to the Hungarian Student Relief Fund with the announcement that three Hungarian students were to be invited to S.M.U.; the Science Society had held a very successful International Night and students were reminded that the mid-term examinations started on January 14, in the fifth issue of the Journal.

Production had slowed to a minimum as the month of January opened. Therefore the Journal did not publish during this "semi-yearly cramming" period. It was not until February 14 that the Journal reappeared, carrying news that the gym would be completely finished by July.

Subsequent issues told of the March 17 show by the Playshop, student opinion on the "new" cut-system, and other items of interest written about this most interesting person—the student.

With the filing of volume XXII in the records, the Journal completed its first year of operation as a bi-monthly paper. Saint Mary students had certainly provided enough for bi-monthly publication. Santamarians were particularly active during '56-'57.

Looking at the finished product.



Going over some copy

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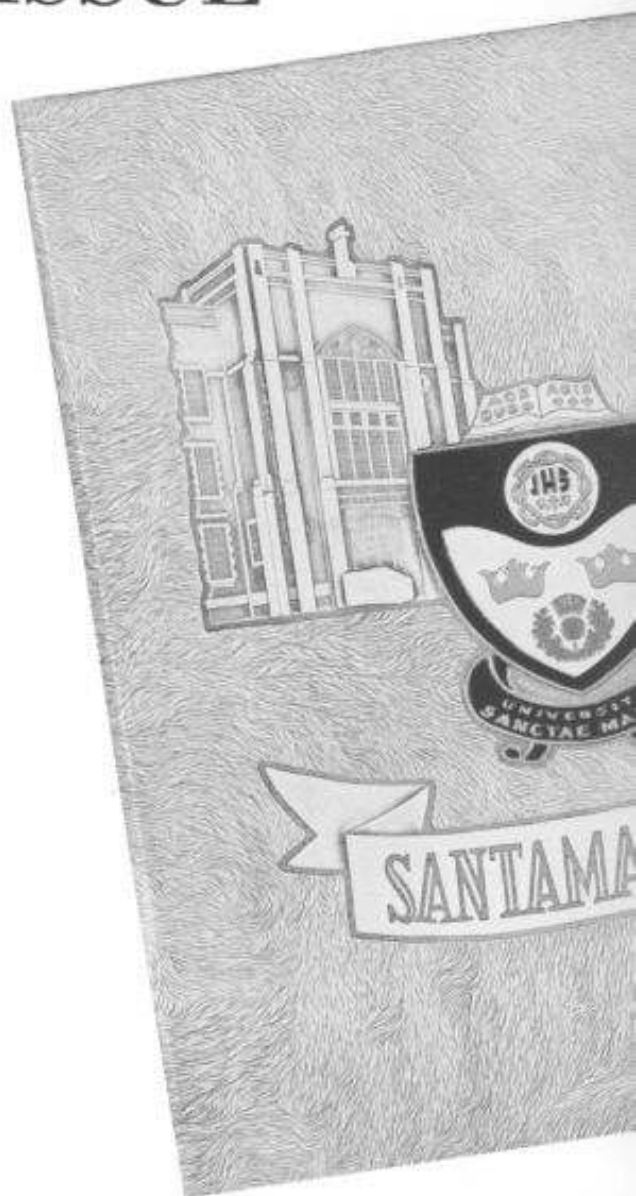


Co-Editors: Al Rorai and Robin Falconer.



John Nause and Phil Sapp, two of our "artistic" layout men.

WE'RE BEHIND THIS ISSUE



Bound with a newly-designed cover and end sheets the "Santamarian '57" will stand out as one befitting the '57 class. Emphasis was placed upon pictorial representation rather than lengthy text in recapturing the memorable occasions in our college careers.

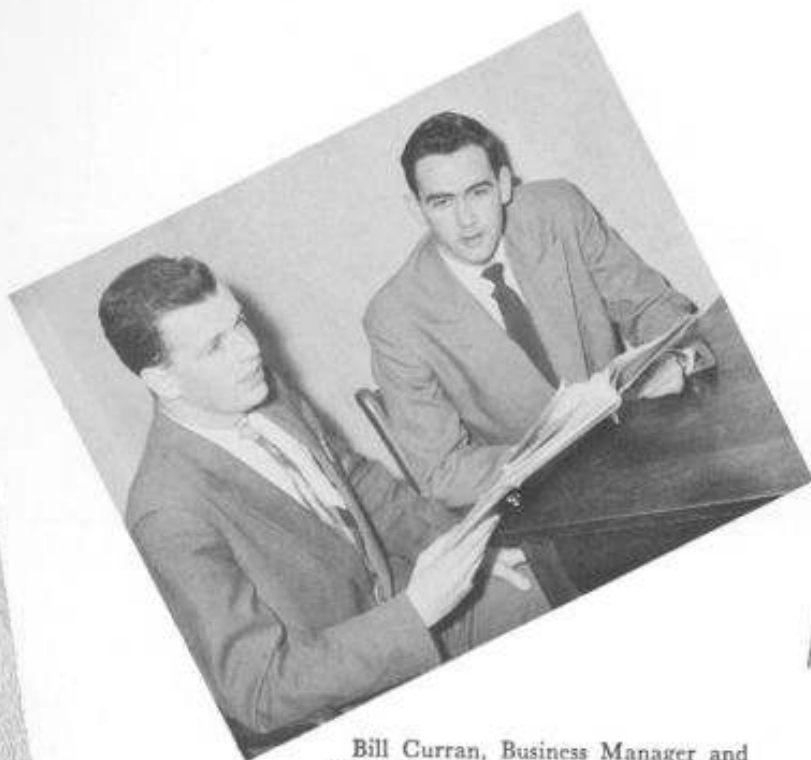
In October, Robin Falconer and Al Rorai were elected Co-Editors. Bids were solicited immediately and by the latter part of November, actual work was in progress. By the middle of March, the book was completed and sent to the publishers for printing and eventual delivery.

Our thanks go to all who helped in producing this yearbook; the University who greatly facilitated our task by donating an office exclusively for our use and whose grant was most helpful, our advertisers and patrons who were most generous and finally to our publishers, Yearbook House, who guided us through many a predicament.

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Santamarian '57



Bill Curran, Business Manager and Assistant, Frank Hanlon discuss new methods of extracting assessments from the senior class.



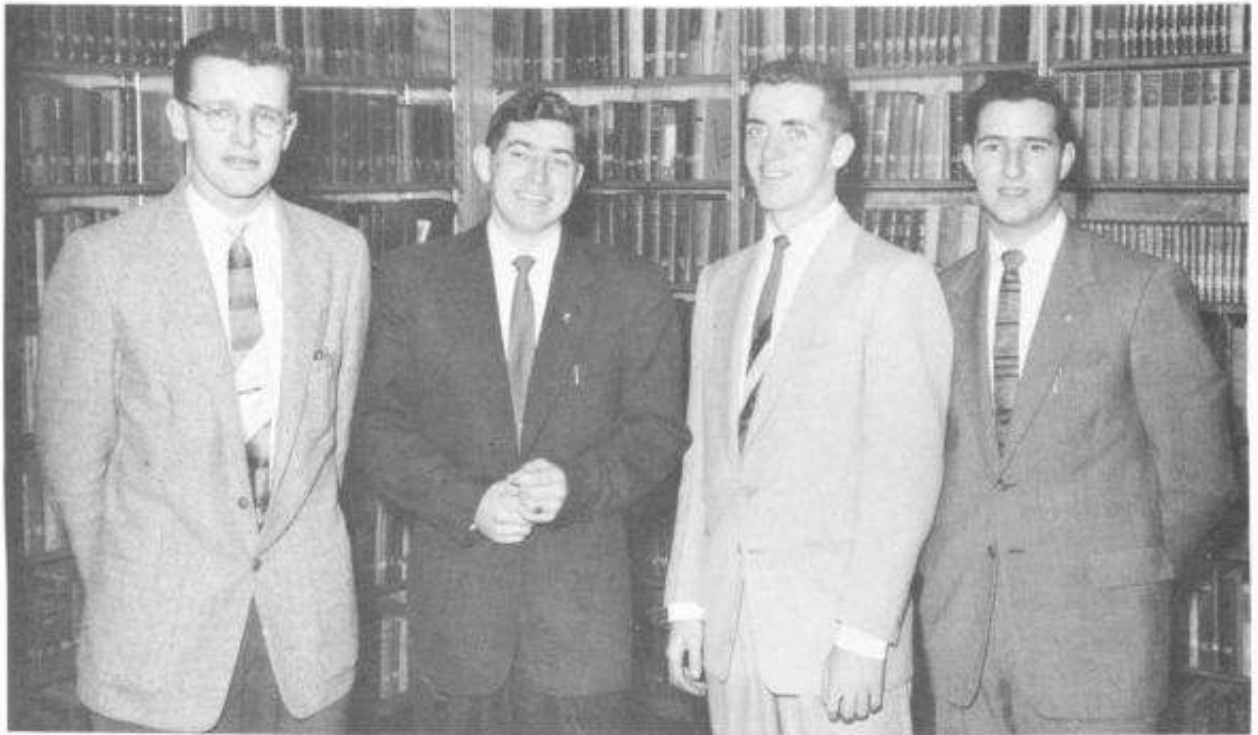
Ted Flinn and Don Murphy critically examine some of the photos submitted by our photographers.

Prof. Allan Sabean, our Photographer-in-chief.



Some of the busy Staff, FRONT ROW (Left to Right): Frank Hanlon, Bill Curran, Robin Falconer, Al Rorai, Dan Macarron, Don Murphy. SECOND ROW: Jim Riordan, Robert Hoganson, Jerry Richards, Keith Tappen, Fred Dockrill, Ted Flinn, BACK ROW: C. Williams, Terry Burns, Louise Caissie, Pat Moriarty, Jerry Doyle. ABSENT: Bob Brooks.





(Left to Right): Bob Hanrahan, Kevin Cleary, President, Ed Burke, Louis Caissie.

Saint Mary's University Playshop

After a virtual re-birth in January, 1954, the Saint Mary's University Playshop presented the smash hit "Stalag 17" the following April, and ever since then the local thespians under the dynamic leadership of Rev. H. J. Labelle, S.J. have carried out explicitly the second article of the Constitution which reads:

"The purpose of the organization shall be threefold:

- 1. To provide a vehicle for those interested in Dramatic Art.*
- 2. To develop poise and good diction.*
- 3. To provide a satisfactory knowledge of all phases of stage production."*

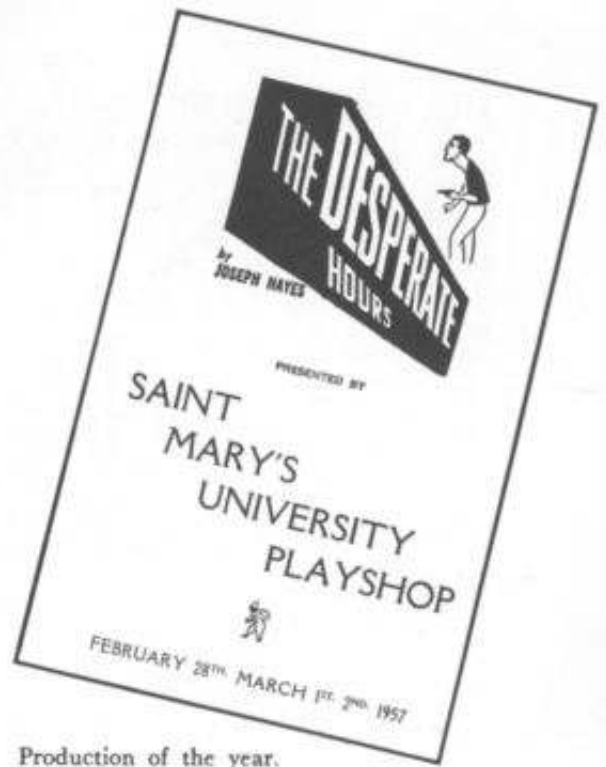
In the last three years the Playshop's major productions have included "Journeys End", "Harvey", "Where Are The Irish" (written by two members), "My Three Angels" and "Peg O' My Heart".

This year, under the capable Executive consisting of: Kevin Cleary, President; Ed Burke, Vice-President; Louise Caissie, Secretary; and Bob Hanrahan, Treasurer, The Playshop presented an entertaining and extremely ambitious program. The main production was "The Desperate Hours", directed by Rev. Father H. J. Labelle, S.J. and the setting was noted as one of the most difficult and successful ever built on a local university stage. Minor productions of the season included three on-act plays. Staged before Christmas, and the annual St. Patrick's Day show.

Back Stage



Father H. Labelle, S.J., Director of the Playshop, listens attentively for possible flaws in a dramatic scene out front on stage.



Production of the year.



The stage crew under the supervision of Father Stuart, S.J. was an invaluable asset.



"Even your English Prof. won't be able to identify you." Putting on the "war paint."



"Stand by to turn on the blue lights on line 48."

THE DESPERATE HOURS




"Look, it says here that they beat up a farmer south of the prison before daybreak." Town Sheriff, Jerry Richards with detectives Art McNeil and Jim Flagg.



"If it concerns you, it concerns me." The romantic pair, Gail Nobury and Don Murphy.



Don Murphy quite perturbed he is shot by Oldfield.



"Yeah, this is Mr. Robish, put her on." Co-star Bob Hanrahan in one of his superb passages.



Dan MacDonald as Mr. James holds the audience spellbound as the plot approaches the climax.



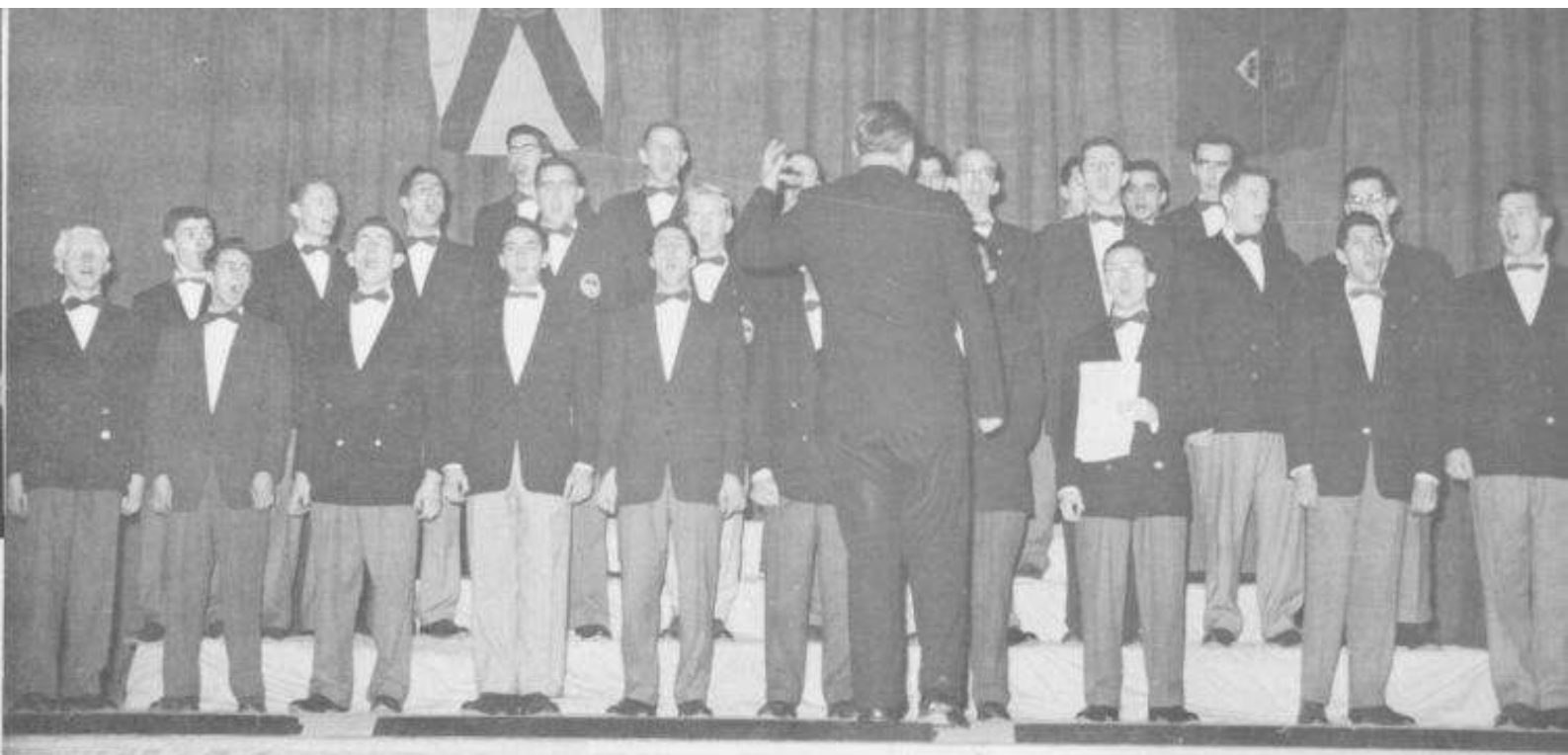
Hanrahan wears a determined look as he threatens Donna MacDonald.



A dramatic moment. The family makes a desperate bid for freedom.



She did, did she?



One of the several fine performances.

Glee Club

The Glee Club meets twice each week to interest students in the singing of two, three, and four-part harmony. Its membership is open to all who are interested in music.

The Glee Club has come to be a very active group on the campus. Father Joseph Mills, Director for church music and Mary D. Girroir, taking care of secular music spent many hours training these men in the art of vocal harmony.

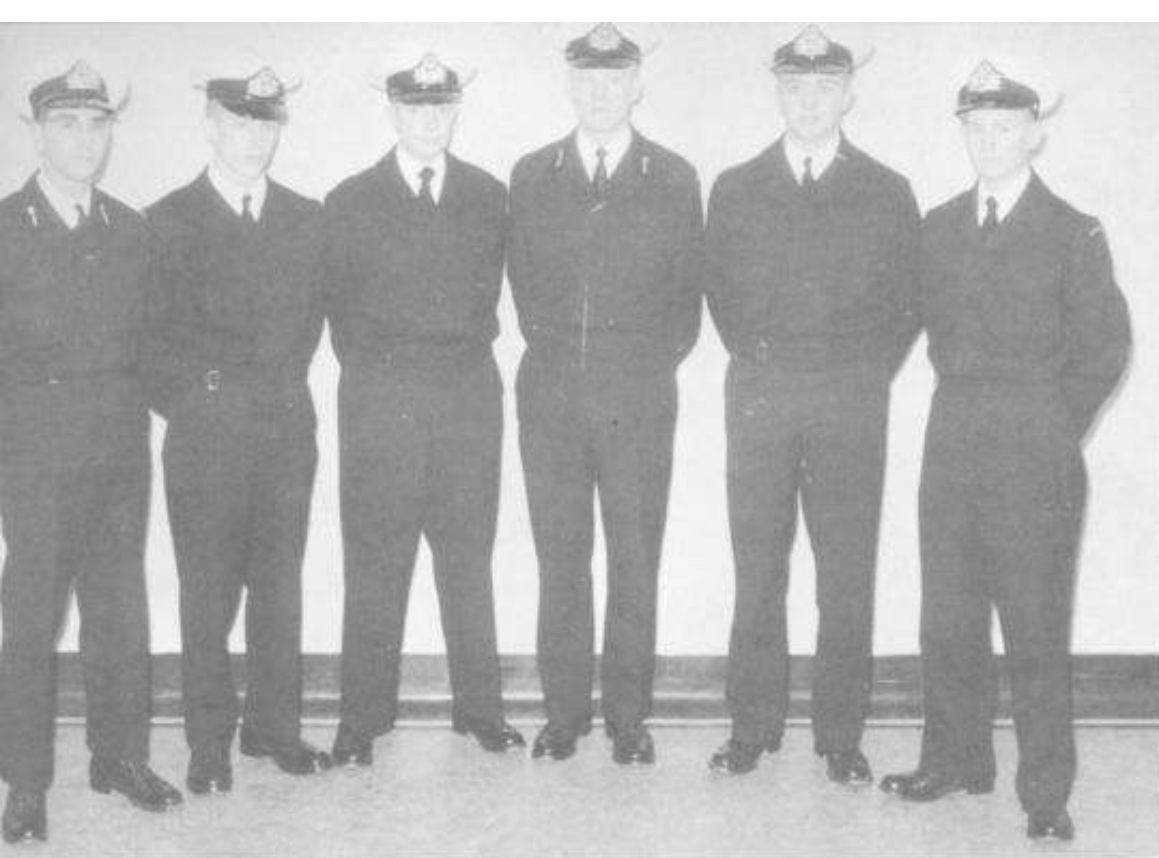
This year the Glee Club made several local appearances. Three of these concerts were with the University Playshop in their Irish Night presentation, at the International Show and the Engineer's Talent Night.

The University is grateful to the Glee Club for their many services on such occasions as the Convocation Exercises, singing the Mass on various feast days and performing at informal University gatherings.

We are proud of these men of song who give their time freely to do religious as well as secular music in the name of St. Mary's.



Practice makes perfect.



L-R: Cadets: Y. Pinet, J. Stuart, L. Helpard, D. Gillis, W. Short, B. White, Missing J. Reyno, B. White.

U.N.T.D.



The boys throw a couple of "pebbles" overboard.

Lt. Cmdr. Charters, C.O., U.N. T.D. congratulates Officer Cadet Yves Pinet on having been awarded the Dept. of National Defense "Telescope" for recording the highest technical exams in Canada.



The Captain drops in for a spot of tea.





C.O.T.C.

FIRST ROW (Left to Right): R. Sing, P. Fraser, H. Pheeney, H. Carroll, A. Lacey, B. Martin, J. Trainor.

SECOND ROW: W. Weagle, J. Ritchie, G. Chaisson, J. Whelley.



Building bridges in British Columbia.



Paul Murphy learns to drive in a big way.



"Lieutenant Frontain calling."

"Night Patrol"

"Sunday morning, time out from maneuvers."



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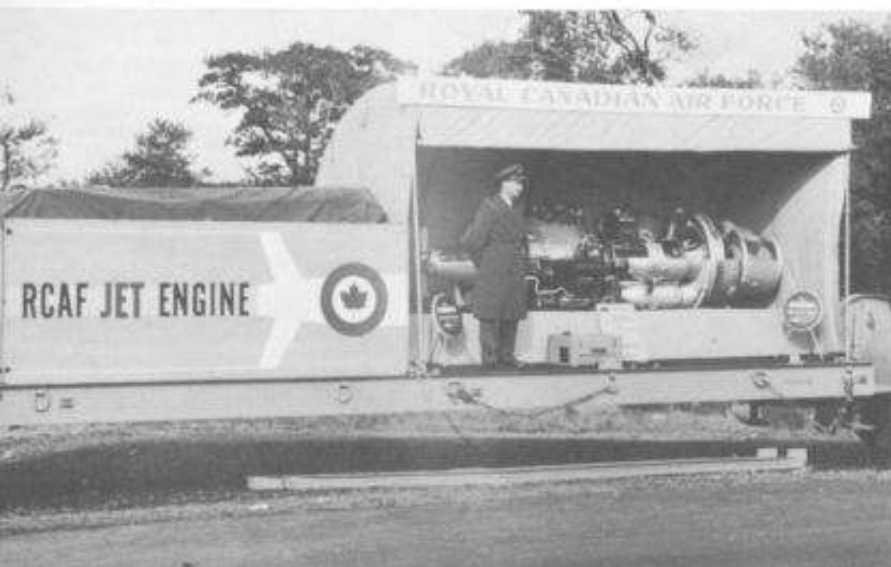
(Left to Right): P/O J. Riordan, P/O R. Falconer, F/C J. Kennedy. MISSING: F/C D. Fortier, F/C R. Hazel, F/C R. Wayland.



Pilot Officer, James Riorden, about to take off.



Our Vice-President, Father Belair, welcomes alumnus and "battle of Britain" veteran, Air Commodore Reyno back to St. Mary's.



Air Force visits our campus displaying their renowned Orenda jet engine.



S.T.M.



Athletics

VIARY'S





. . . Leach . . . 45-yds . . . O'Leary . . .
TOUCHDOWN!



FATHER MACGILLVARY
Coach

The "Big Red Team" under the inspiration and leadership of new coach, Father Elmer MacGillvary experienced a season of glory and achievement that will not be forgotten among gridiron fans for a long time to come. Combining a rare blend of speed, power and aggressiveness they captured two titles: The Nova Scotia Junior Canadian Football League Championship and also the Maritime Championship. Wherever they played they captivated the hearts of the fans with their razzle-dazzle and spirited play. They made Canadian football history when they travelled west to be the first Maritime football team to enter official playoffs for a national title.

The squads moxy and spirited play became

contagious spreading to the student body. There were few voices in classes the morning after a game that didn't betray signs of complete exhaustion from cheering their team on to victory. The months of October and November 1956 saw the Saint Mary's spirit rise to new heights. Enthused students followed their team as far west as Montreal.

On the night of November 7, things reached a climax. When the Saints came marching home after winning the Maritime Junior Title in Chatham, N.B., they were met with a welcome and an ovation that was unprecedented in the School's history.



'A tense moment.'

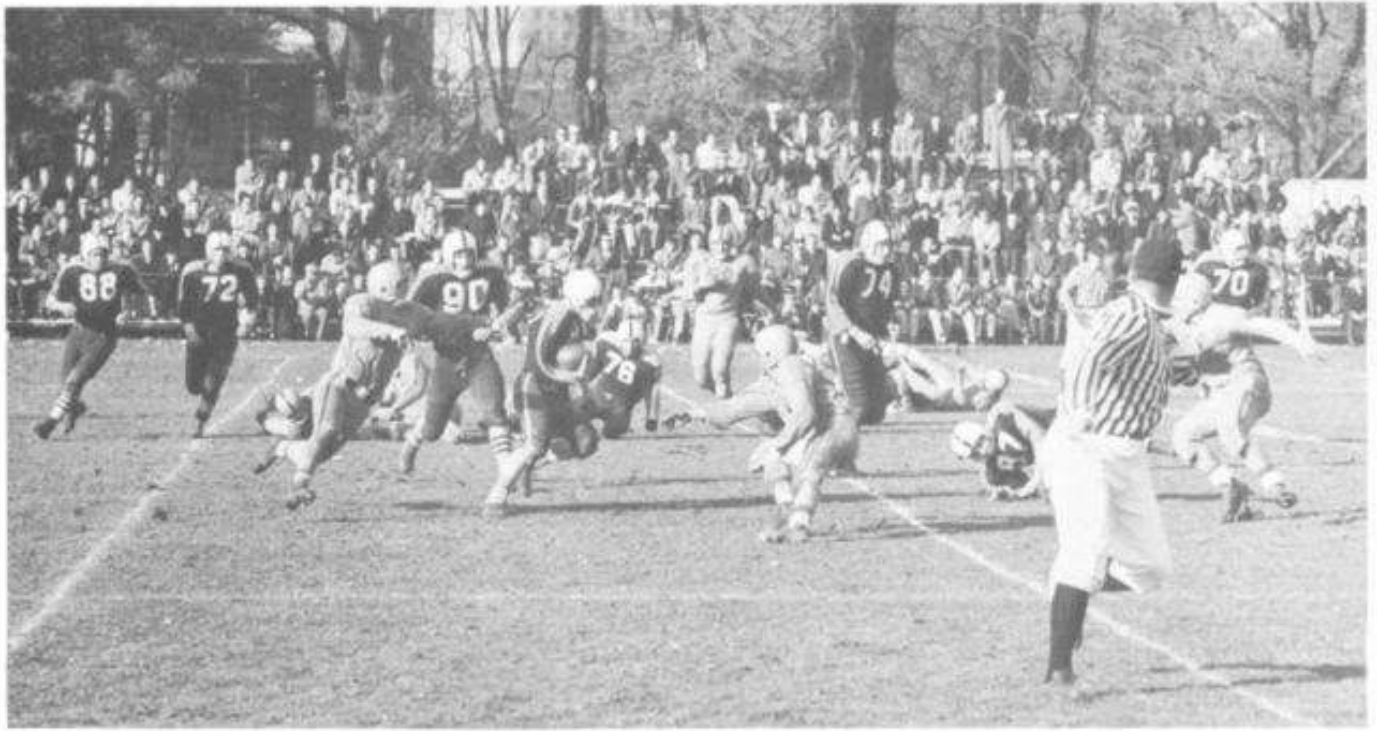
GAME SCORES

Saint Mary's	35	7	Shearwater
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Saint Mary's	33	20	Saint Thomas
Saint Mary's	0	56	Notre Dame de Grace
Saint Mary's	20	7	Cape Breton

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FIRST ROW (Left to Right): P. Fraser, e; B. Fleming, hb; G. Leach, qb; Father MacGillvary (Coach); R. Barnes, fb; J. Richard, t; D. MacKinnin, hb; E. Burke, c. SECOND ROW: R. Keast, e; F. Gervais, hb; T. O'Leary, hb; R. Hartland, t; G. MacClare, fb; J. Power, hb; W. Power, g; D. Warner, g (Assistant Coach); J. Mercier, t. THIRD ROW: F. Cronin, hb; K. MacPherson, t; T. Murphy, e; R. Mann, t; P. Josey, g; G. MacDonald, g; B. Devanney, g; R. Barrett, t. FOURTH ROW: K. Cleary (Manager), B. Melanson (Assistant Manager), J. Power, e; D. Sinclair, e; T. St. Onge, fb; W. MacDonald (Trainer).





Barnes whips around right end for 20-yds

The slap of the pigskin, the crash of opposing lines, a gaping hole, a fake and Barnes dashes through for twelve yards: Saint Mary's are on their way for a victorious '56 season!

The curtain-raiser against Shearwater revealed that this year's cast was loaded with track stars. Leach, Barnes Heffernan, O'Leary, Flemming and McClare needed only a whole through the middle or an opening around the end to show off their fleetness of foot. Even a torrential downpour of rain failed to slow them up. The "Big Red Team" opened the season with a 35-7 victory.

The Red Feather game, played under the lights at Wanderer's Grounds was the most thrilling football game of the year in Halifax. With S.M.U. trailing 20-16, two minutes to go, third down, fourth quarter, Leach faked a placement, passed 20-yards to Fraser and Big Pete lunged over the goal line for a life-saving touchdown, and a 23-20 victory.

Three touchdowns by Greg McClare in the Dartmouth Ball Park swamped Shearwater 20-6 in the next game.



Murphy boots another field goal.

Cronin comes in low and hard.



Warner about to set Cape Breton for a 5-yd. loss.



"I've got it". Hartlen recovers a fumble.



MacLare bucks for 10.



O'Leary breaks loose around right end



"He's over!"

"A well-deserved trophy."



For more than two hours on the sunny afternoon of October 25, Father MacGillivray's men played football with savage fury and perfection. Offense and defense could make no mistake. Leach hit the target eleven out of fifteen tries. O'Leary, Murphy and Gervais dazzled Fans with spectacular fingertip catches. Warner, Mercier, Rechar and Power made the Zulu line buckle and sag. Burke, Cronin and MacPherson delivered shattering blocks and tackles. Zulus, beaten on the ground, took to the air, only to have passes knocked down or intercepted by Sinclair, Hartlen and Barnes. End sweeps choked, passes smothered, the defending champions Cape Breton sank under a 49-0 score. The magnificent Big Red Team had its finest hour in Chatam, N. B. playing for the Maritime Junior title against Saint Thomas College. For three quarters of the game, the Tommies made the Saints eat dirt. But a tackle by Power, a Tommy fumble, a Saint recovery, and SMU swung into high gear. Trailing 20-7, MacClare plunged for two touchdowns, and a pressure convert by Murphy tied the game. In overtime the Big Red Team just kept rolling to a 33-20 victory and the right to play Montreal for National honors. Journeying west to Montreal the Saints were overwhelmed in their only defeat of the season, against a much more experienced Notre Dame de Grace team. Falling behind early in the game, quarterback Leach was forced to risk the ball on passes which were frequently intercepted for touchdowns. Nevertheless Quebec fans were impressed by the fine hard tackling of the first Maritime team they had seen. Cronin, O'leary, Murphy merited mention in the Montreal game. Returning defeated but undaunted the Saints met Cape Breton for the Nova Scotia Junior Championship. In the second half, the Saints speedy backs broke loose and racked up a 20-6 victory. Tom Murphy demonstrated the cool finesse of a fine kicker as he garnered 8 points. '56 will always be remembered! Remembered as a season of glory—a season of thrills—a season made glorious, made thrilling by enthusiastic student spirit, a superb team of 30 Saints, and a soft spoken rookie coach by the name of Reverend Father Elmer MacGillivray, S.J.

Individual Scoring

<i>McLare</i>	42
<i>Barnes</i>	38
<i>Murphy</i>	34
<i>Leach</i>	18
<i>Hefferman</i>	12
<i>O'Leary</i>	12
<i>Fraser</i>	6
<i>Gervais</i>	6
<i>Flemming</i>	6
<i>Power</i>	6

Track



(Left to Right): Lloyd Robinson, Brian Flemming, Leroy Hefferman, Ron Barnes.

Track, this past summer at S.M.U., experienced its best season ever. Working under Coach Leigh Miller the team participated in three meets: the Highland Games at Antigonish, the Nova Scotia Trials at Wolfville, and the meet at Amherst.

Every outing spelled win for the relay team as they went undefeated all summer. Their best time was 3.41 for the mile. The relay team consisted of: Lloyd Robinson, Leroy Hefferman, Ron Barnes and Brian Flemming.

Individually the boys made an excellent showing. Big Jim Warner ran the 100-yard dash in the fast time of 9.9 at the Highland Games and at the Olympic Trials in Ontario ran the 100 meters in 10.7. Lloyd Robinson was brought to nearly peak form by Coach Miller during the summer. Winning the mile, he proceeded to place second in the 440. His time for the mile was a new Highland Game record, 4.34.3. Later at Amherst he won both the mile and the 880.

Leroy Hefferman, being under 20, competed in the Junior division. At the meets he was invincible in the 220 and the 100 yards.

Ron Barnes, together with Lloyd Robinson, made up the backbone of the middle distance men. He displayed great potential. He placed third at the trials in Wolfville and at Amherst he picked up second in the 440 and second in the 880.

Brian Flemming is the newest addition to the team. He gave every indication of becoming a star in his performances placing third in the 100 yard dash at Wolfville. His track ability also contributed to the relay victories.



First game of a long season, big Brian Ross, ace jump shot man lets one fly against St. Dunstan's.

BASKETBALL

The University basketball team, led by its able and colorful Coach, Frank Baldwin, came up this year with a very successful season. The team started practicing early in October, and by mid-November a strong team consisting of both new blood and experience was rounding into shape.

The Saints opened their season with an exhibition series with Saint Dunstan's University of Charlottetown and outscored the Islanders by a 106-103 score.

On November 24 the opening game of the Inter-Collegiate League was played at the University gymnasium with the opposition being supplied by the University of King's College. The Saints proved their worth and defeated the Kingsmen 61-57.

The Big Red team had the acid test against the strong Dal aggregation. Weakened by the loss of their three starters, St. Mary's lineup was shuffled and Coach Baldwin came up with a winning combination. The Saints humbled the Tigers 66-56.

However, the powerful St. F.X. squad was too much for the Saints. They put up a good fight and held the Xaverians to a five-point lead at half time, but the X-Men pulled up a big score in the second half. The League concluded before Christmas when the Saints overpowered the Axemen 59-45.

Saint Mary's went back into action February 1, playing host to St. F.X. The game was a fast, furious affair and was decided in the dying minutes of play with the visitors winning 72-66.

In their second encounter with King's, the Saints played a high-scoring game and toppled the King's quintet 85-66. This gave St. Mary's the honor of having scored the most points in any one game for the whole schedule.

After two games against Tech with the Saints successful 59-50 and 58-41, the return game with Dalhousie was one of the most exciting of the season. After the smoke had cleared, St. Mary's had again defeated the Dal men 41-39. The schedule ended on a sour note as the Santamarians were dropped by Acadia in Wolfville, with a score of 60-41.



Number five, Billy Mullane, rolls it over the rim for another deuce in a tight game with the X Men.



Teamwork is the keyword in a typical S.M.U. pattern play, as Mullane passes off to Falconer in the Pivot in a tight game against St. F.X.

"Where did that come from?" George Leach wears a look of astonishment as he stars at the ball suspended in mid air.



Lanky Robin Falconer eludes the Xaverian defense and puts up a one-hander in a weekend tilt.



"Time Out"! Frankie casts a fast look at the clock as he instructs the boys how to come from behind against Acadia. They did, at this stage of the game, they trailed 42-38 and went on to win 59-45.

BASKETBALL RECORD—'56-'57 SEASON

S.M.U. 61	St. Dunstan's	56
S.M.U. 45	St. Dunstan's	47
S.M.U. 61	Kings	57
S.M.U. 66	Dalhousie	56
S.M.U. 40	St. Francis Xavier.....	73
S.M.U. 59	Acadia	45
S.M.U. 66	St. Francis Xavier.....	72
S.M.U. 59	N.S. Technical	50
S.M.U. 85	Kings	66
S.M.U. 58	N.S. Technical	41
S.M.U. 41	Dalhousie	39
S.M.U. 41	Acadia	60
	682	662



Leach outfoxes the flabbergasted opposition, and rushes headlong down-court for a jump shot.

INDIVIDUAL SCORING

B. Ross	188
W. Mullane	167
G. Leach	92
R. Falconer	56
J. Richards	28
B. Carew	23
T. Burns	20
R. Cooper	2



Leach checks Acadia in a dramatic semi-final game at Wolfville.

The semi-finals of the N.S.I.B.A. between Saint Mary's and Acadia provided the best and most thrilling basketball of the year. Both teams finished the schedule with identical records of seven wins and three losses. Playing before the largest crowd of the year, the Saints took the first game by a score of 52-41. The next two games were played at Acadia. After a valiant battle in which the lead changed hands time and time again the Saints lost the series two games to three. An indication of the keen play was shown by the total series score 162 for Acadia and 161 for Saint Mary's.

SEMI-FINALS RECORD			
S.M.U.	52	Acadia	41
S.M.U.	48	Acadia	55
S.M.U.	61	Acadia	66



"Who says we're not rebounding?"

(Left to Right): Frank Baldwin (Coach), Basil Carew, John Richard, George Leach, Bill Mullane, Robin Falconer, Roy Cooper, Brian Ross, Terry Burns, Ma Ho Kui, Harold Pheaney (Manager).





The teams leading goal getter "Lefty" Gallagher slips one behind Dal goalie Gayamack to boost the home score in another Saturday afternoon.

HOCKEY

The story you are about to read is true. The names of the participants involved are authentic, no details have been altered, however incredible the narration may appear.

Wins did not come easy to the S.M.U. varsity this year as the team failed to enter the winning column in any of their Inter-Collegiate attempts, although they tied one. 1956-57 was the least successful season ever experienced by the Maroon and White; the one-time powerhouse of Atlantic Inter-Collegiate hockey suffered the longest slump in its history. In eight games they succeeded in scoring only 26 goals with 60 being tallied against them.

As it often happens in body-contact sports the score frequently does not indicate the play. This was the case with the Saints this year. Despite their poor year they provided the fans with a colorful and exciting brand of hockey. It could be said that they were a third-period club, of the eight games played five were lost in the final stages of the game.

The team was piloted by two ex-Santamarians who made their mark in Canadian hockey circles: "Dugger" McNeil and Father Elmer MacGillvary. A bright spot this year was the performances of rookie goalie, Reg McDougald and that of the first line composed of Hartley, Gallagher and O'Regan. The latter three mentioned provided the major scoring power for the team as their line collected 17 of the 26 goals scored.

Indications point to a much more successful season next year. The team this season was for the most part made up of underclassmen and will be losing only four out of fifteen to graduation.

Although our team failed to land a play-off berth or even win a game, they competed in the fine St. Mary's tradition by giving their best, asking no quarter and giving none in return.



Our high-scoring first line: (Left to Right): Jim O'Regan, Tommy Hartley, Freddie Gallagher.

GAME SCORES

<i>S.M.U.</i>	1	<i>Dalhousie</i>	6
<i>S.M.U.</i>	4	<i>Acadia</i>	5
<i>S.M.U.</i>	3	<i>Dalhousie</i>	5
<i>S.M.U.</i>	3	<i>N.S. Tech.</i>	9
<i>S.M.U.</i>	4	<i>St. F. Xavier</i>	11
<i>S.M.U.</i>	3	<i>Acadia</i>	5
<i>S.M.U.</i>	7	<i>N. S. Tech.</i>	7

INDIVIDUAL POINTS

<i>F. Gallagher</i>	12
<i>T. Hartley</i>	10
<i>W. Keddy</i>	8
<i>H. McGuire</i>	4
<i>K. Thorne</i>	4
<i>D. Sinclair</i>	3
<i>E. Dalton</i>	3
<i>F. Kelley</i>	1
<i>F. Hanlon</i>	1
<i>D. Reardon</i>	1

FRONT ROW (Left to Right): J. Miller, D. Reardon, T. Hartley, R. MacDougall, H. McGuire, J. O'Regan, T. Gallagher. BACK ROW: Father MacGillivray (Assistant Coach), R. Leblanc, F. Kelly, J. Mercier, E. Dalton, F. Hanlon, K. Thorne, B. Reid, D. Sinclair. MISSING: Coach "Dugger" McNeil.





Kelley's stick is high in triumph as he slips one behind Gaydamack.



Sinclair passes to Dalton as he streaks in over the blue line.



Reg goes down to make another brilliant save against Dal.



MacDougall comes in ur



Hartley is momentarily hung on.



A dazzling pattern pass, O'Regan to Reardon as they go in with one man back.



calls for it for the out.

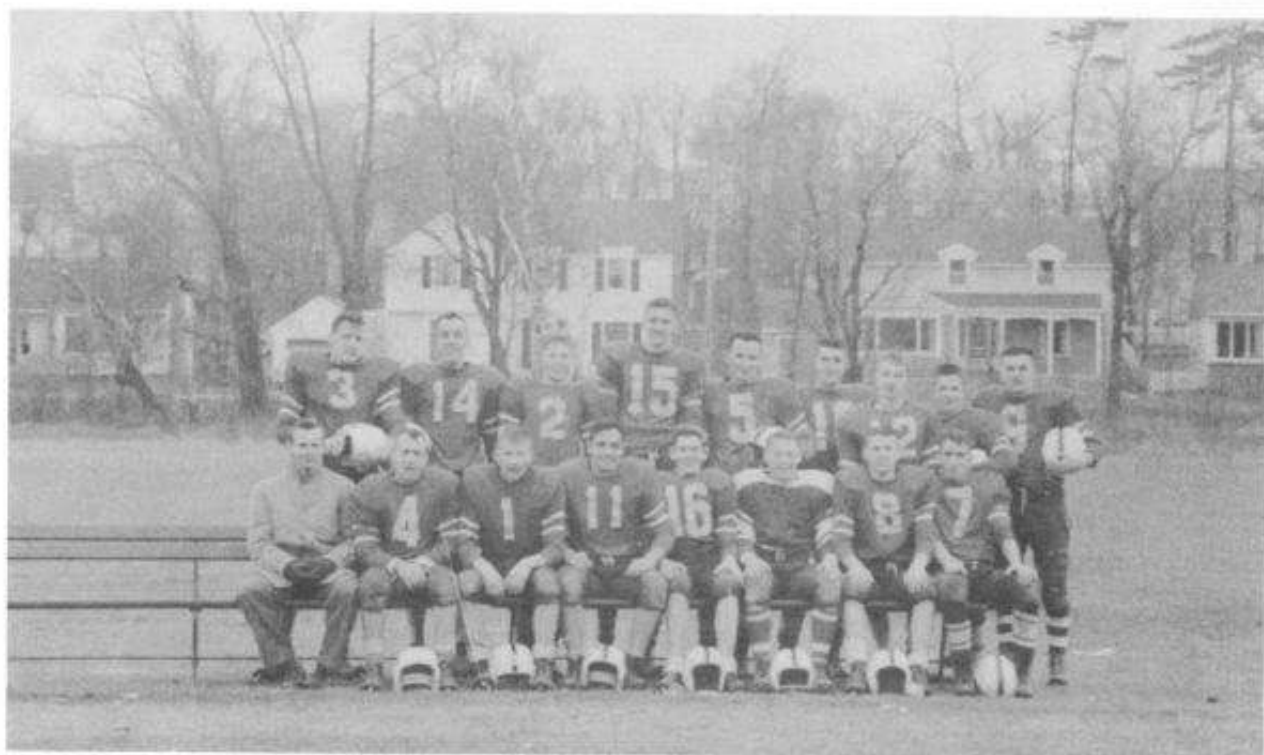


"Where's the puck."

"He shoots, he scores!" McGuire makes the game a bit closer against Acadia.

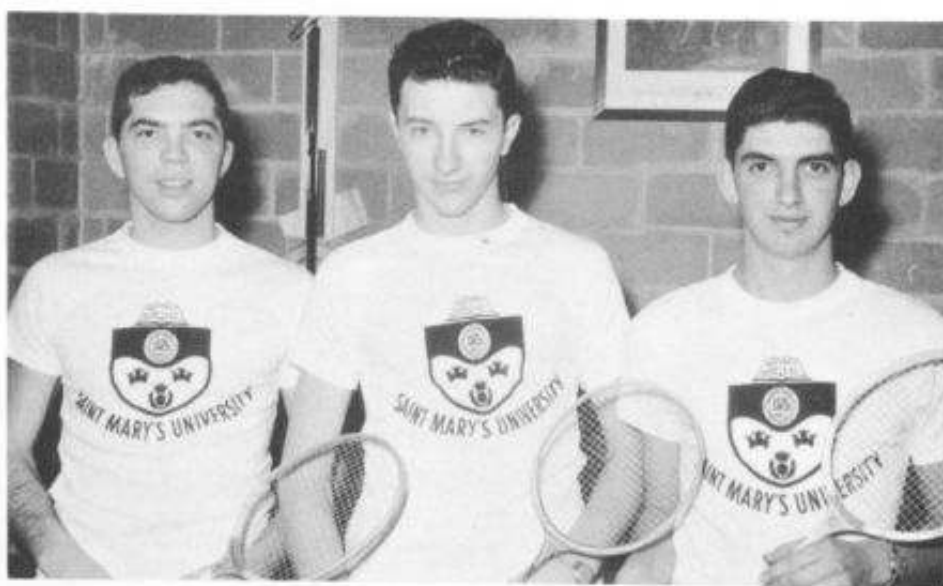


INTER-FAC FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS-COMMERCE



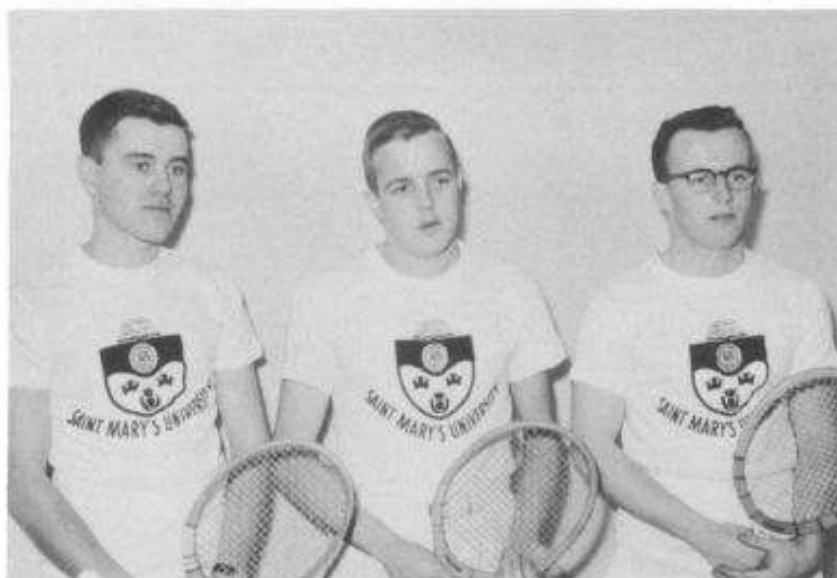
FRONT (Left to Right): D. MacKinnon (Coach), T. Hartley, J. Flagg, J. Richards, B. Commerford, P. Card, T. Hoganson, D. O'Brien. BACK ROW: Jim Trainor, P. Crane, A. Ahearn, G. Walker, T. Muise, S. Al Molky, F. Hammond, A. Donahue, D. Reardon.

VARSITY BADMINTON



Louis Cuccia, T. Tingley, Phil Sapp.

Varsity Tennis



(Left to Right): Louis Beaubien, Claude LaFlamme, Basil Carew.

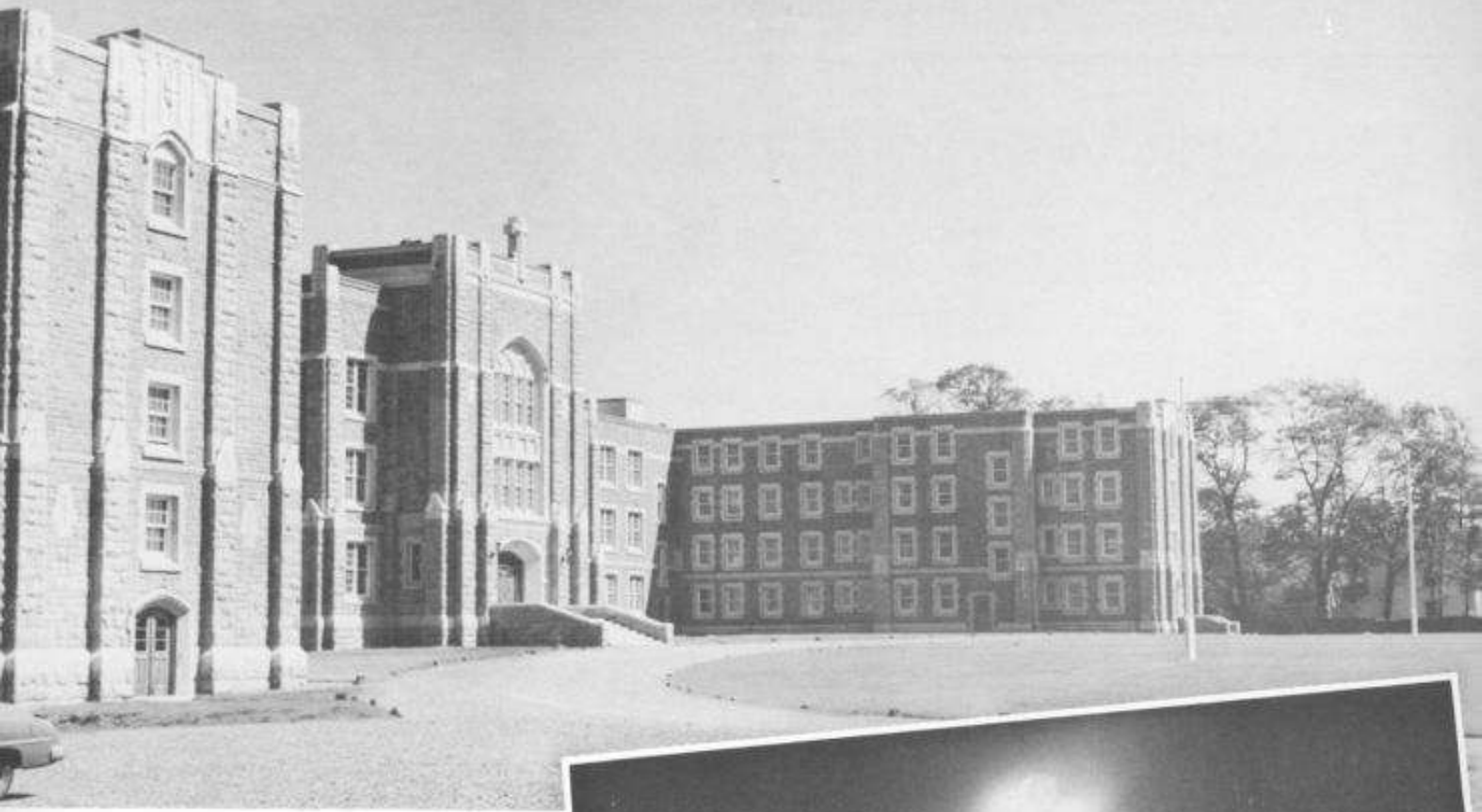


" . . . and we won't take that from anybody." The man behind the Athletic scene at S.M.U., Athletic Director, Father Michael O'Donnell, S.J.



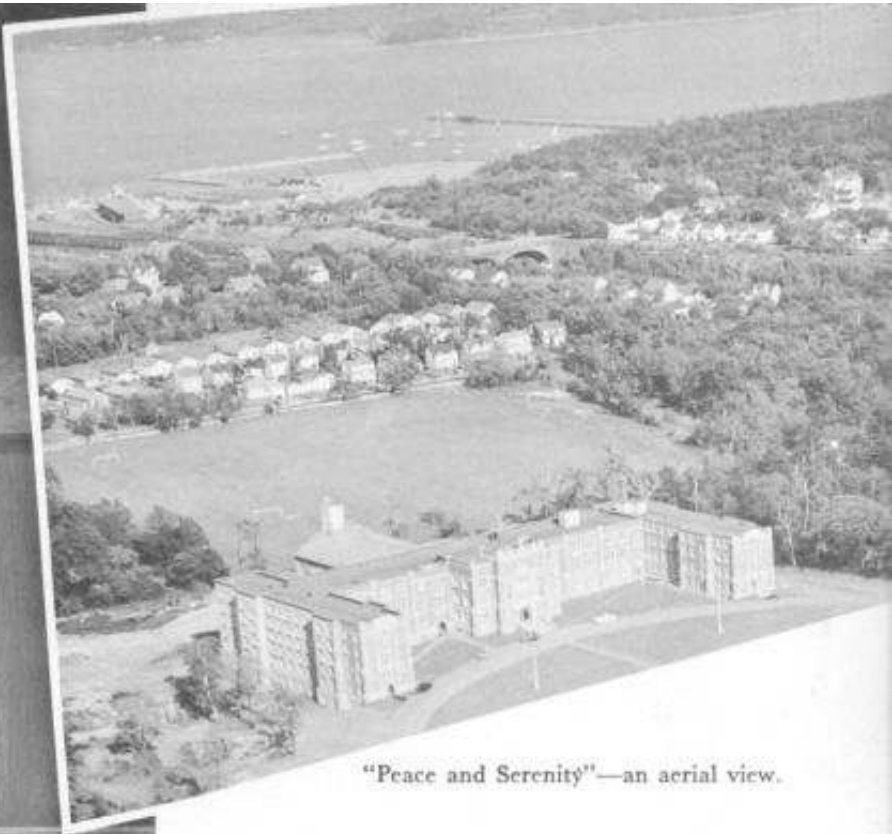
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The Library



Librarian Father Stewart and Assistant, Miss Foley.



Miss O'Neill tabulates a list of over-due books.



Last half hour of a lunch period finds students at various levels of intellectual activity covering everything from the Post to Plato.

A section of the Horne Memorial Library.





After Hours

*St. Mary's University
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ANNUAL BALL

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January 28, 19

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**ENGINEERS'
BALL**



*Saint Mary's University
Commerce Society*



ANNUAL BALL

Annual Society Balls





"Not bad, Pete!" Pete O'Brien hits the bulls eye at the Engineer's Stag while Dick McAuly and Frank O'Conner look on.



"Three gentlemen of distinction". Professor Ryan with Paul Murphy and Gil Frontain at the Engineering Stag.



"Now wait a minute!" Father Malone makes a point at the Sodality stag as Rod Jessome and Gil Losier contemplatively ponder it.



An attentive group as "Catholic Leadership" is discussed at the Sodality Stag.



Discussion over, the boys live it up. The Sodality stag staged at Tantallon on St. Margaret's Bay proved to be beneficial as well as entertaining. Catholic leadership was avidly discussed and many friendships made as candidates met veteran Sodalists.

*And every girl
was a Cinderella*



Baz and Graham at the C.O.T.C. Ball.



"Here's to International Relations!" Carlos Ruiz and friend (ain't she sweet?) at the foreign students' New Year's Party. (That's ginger ale of course.)



"The Victory Stomp." We all lived it up when the boys brought home the goods from Chatham.



Some of the Executive conferring with ex-Nova Scotia Premier, Hon. Henry Hicks and Hon W. H. Winters, Federal Minister of Public Works, (Left to Right): John McGillvary, Jim Flinn, Jim Trainor, Hon. Henry Hicks, Pat Moriarty (President of the Liberal Club) and Hon. W. H. Winters.



Jim Flinn delivers the Liberal platform to the student body in his quest for the "Premiership" of the annual Mock Parliament.

The Liberal Club

The first official organization of Liberals on the Saint Mary's campus took place this year under the guidance of the Young Liberal Association of Nova Scotia. Elections took place before Christmas and the Executive elected was as follows: President, Pat Moriarty; Vice-President, Jim Flinn; Second Vice-President, Fred Dockrill; Secretary, John McGillvary; Public Relations, Vernon Driscoll; Information, Hughie Randall and Jean Mercier.

Monthly meetings were held in which policies were discussed and the Club were very fortunate in obtaining several prominent Liberal politicians as guest speakers. James Trainor was chosen to represent the University at the Canadian University Liberal Federation held in Ottawa in February. It was an active and successful first year for the Liberal Club.



National Party President, George Hees, M.P. and other Tory officials pay a visit to the campus. (Left to Right): Graham Walker, Gordon Sedgewick, the permanent Executive Secretary of the Young Progressive Conservatives of Canada, George Hees, M.P., Bob Hanrahan, (Campus President) Mark MacManus, and Peter McDermaid, National President of Young Progressive Conservatives.

The Progressive Conservative Club

1956-1957 has been a most successful year for the St. Mary's Progressive Conservative Club. Under the leadership of President Bob Hanrahan and Vice-President Graham Walker the Club has assumed a major role in the political life on the campus. Well organized and co-ordinated, the Club worked in the Provincial elections and gained a great deal of political knowledge and experience. Frequent meetings were held throughout the school year where Party policies were formulated and discussed.

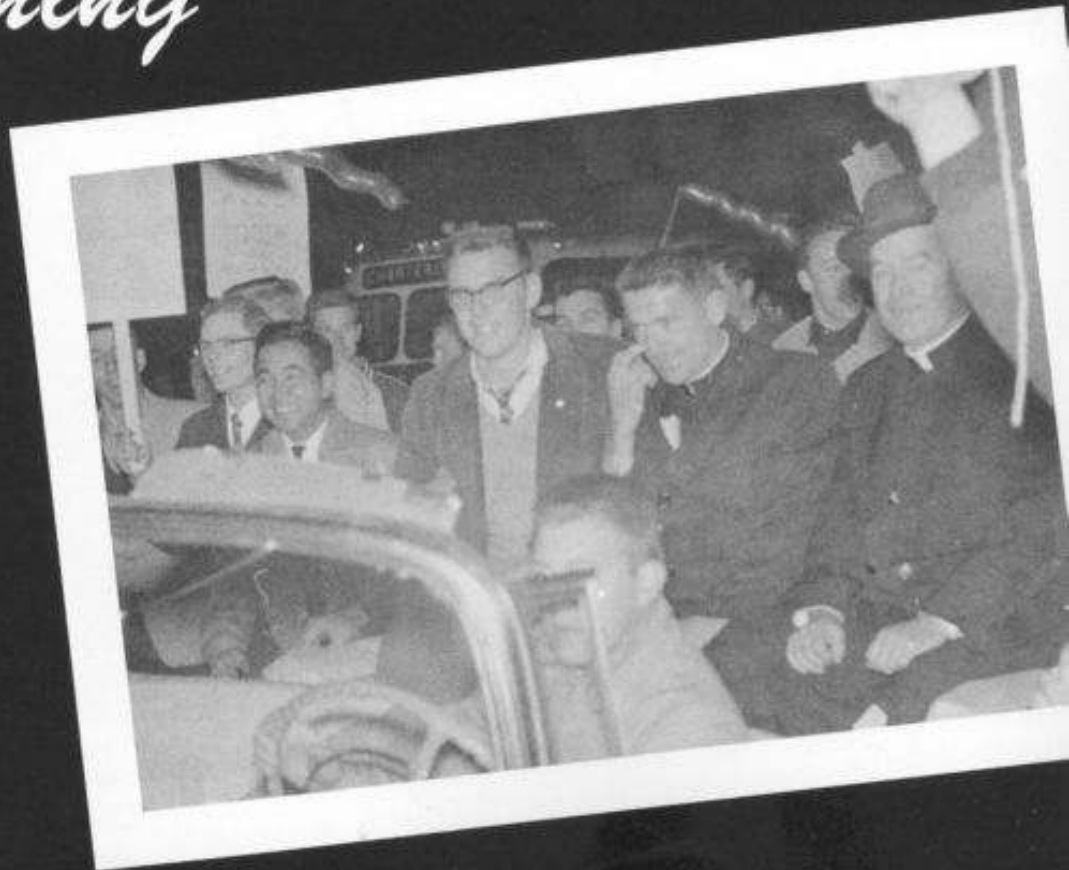
In December, the Club sent two voting delegates to the Progressive Conservative National Convention which was held in Ottawa.



Conservative candidate Graham Walker sets down his party's policies for student approval in his campaign to lead his party to victory in the Mock Parliament.



Homecoming Night



Victory Parade



International Night



Scotland



Gold Coast





Newfoundland



Latin America



Hong Kong



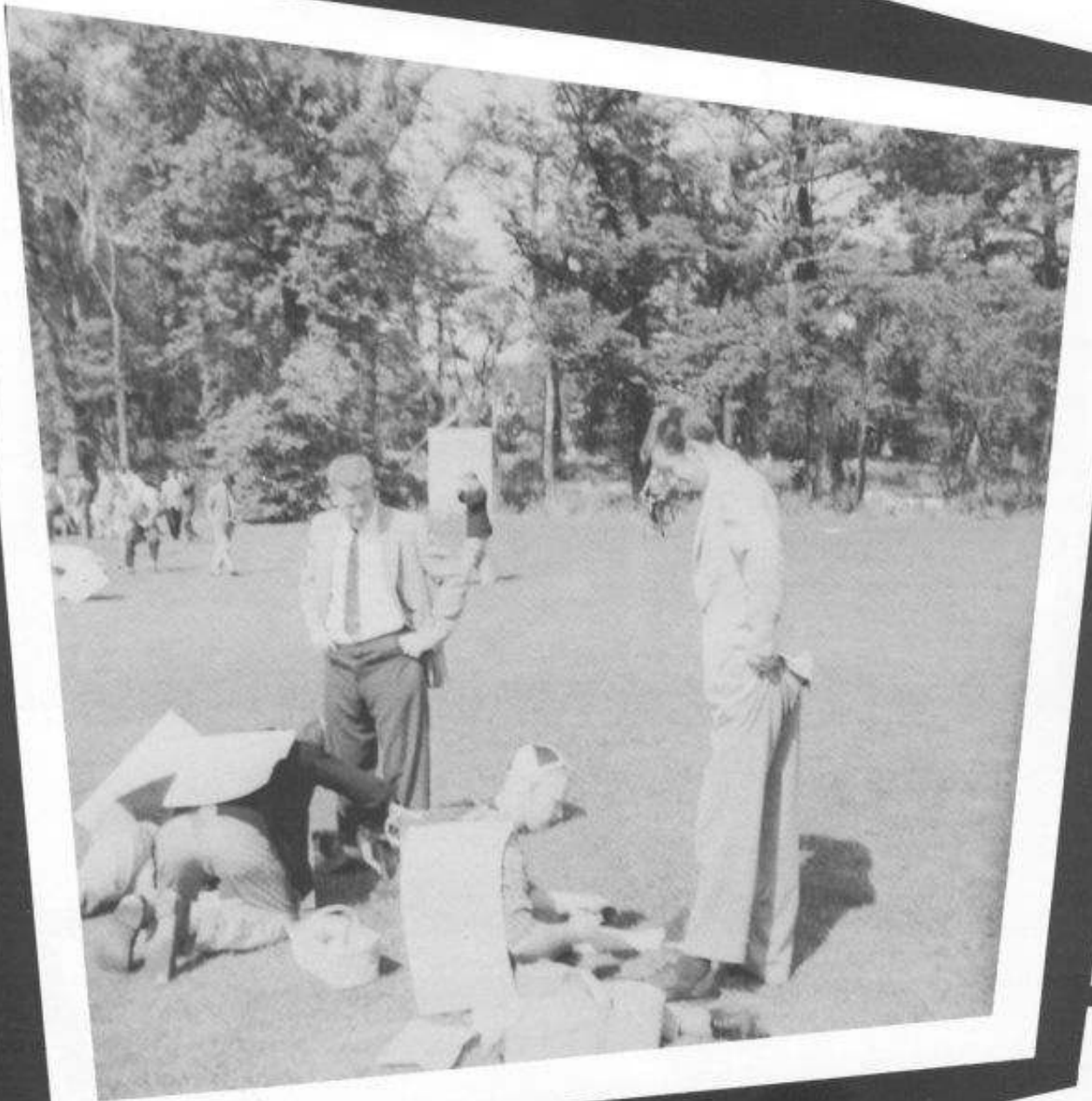
Indonesia

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Acadia



Courtesy of the



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Initiation



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Automation pulled a pretty good prank when it invented what is called "The Mechanical Frank".

Around the Campus

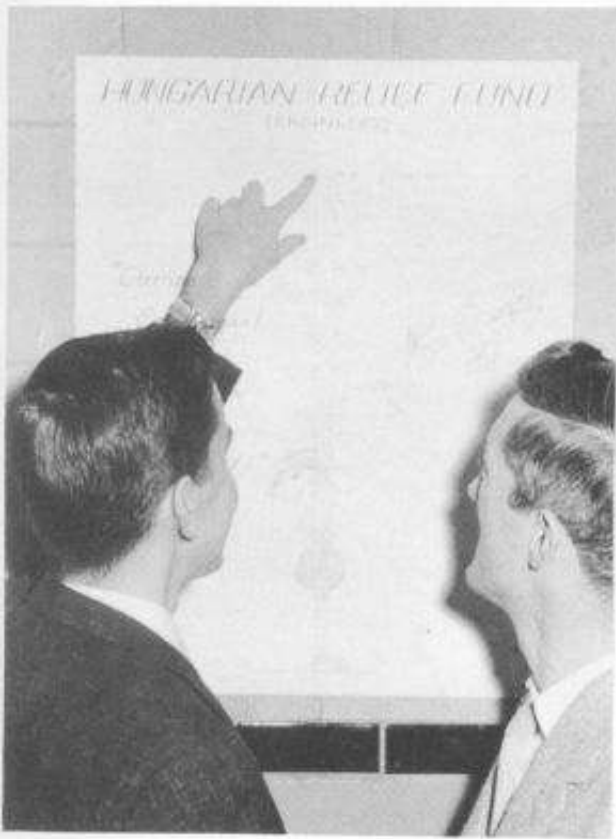
Thirty-three volumes of knowledge, great. Four years will do it, but it may take eight.



This is the room where we eat our snacks, Amidst the realm of cues and racks.



We showed our stuff,
A fin was enuff.



Now hurry on boys, tut, tut, tut,
Cause if you don't, you'll get a cut.

Father Topp in discourse,
On Philosophy, of course.



The lights will go out and darkness
will lurk,
But there on the roof you'll see
Father Burke.

Grad Executive '57



(Left to Right): Blake Wayland (Secretary-Treasurer), Yves Pinet (President), Edgar Malay (Vice-President.)

Student Council Awards

Awarded for distinction in extra-curricular activities.

GOLD M

Edward Burke
Kevin Cleary
Albert Rorai

SILVER M

James Flinn
Thomas Muise
Donald Reardon
Graham Walker



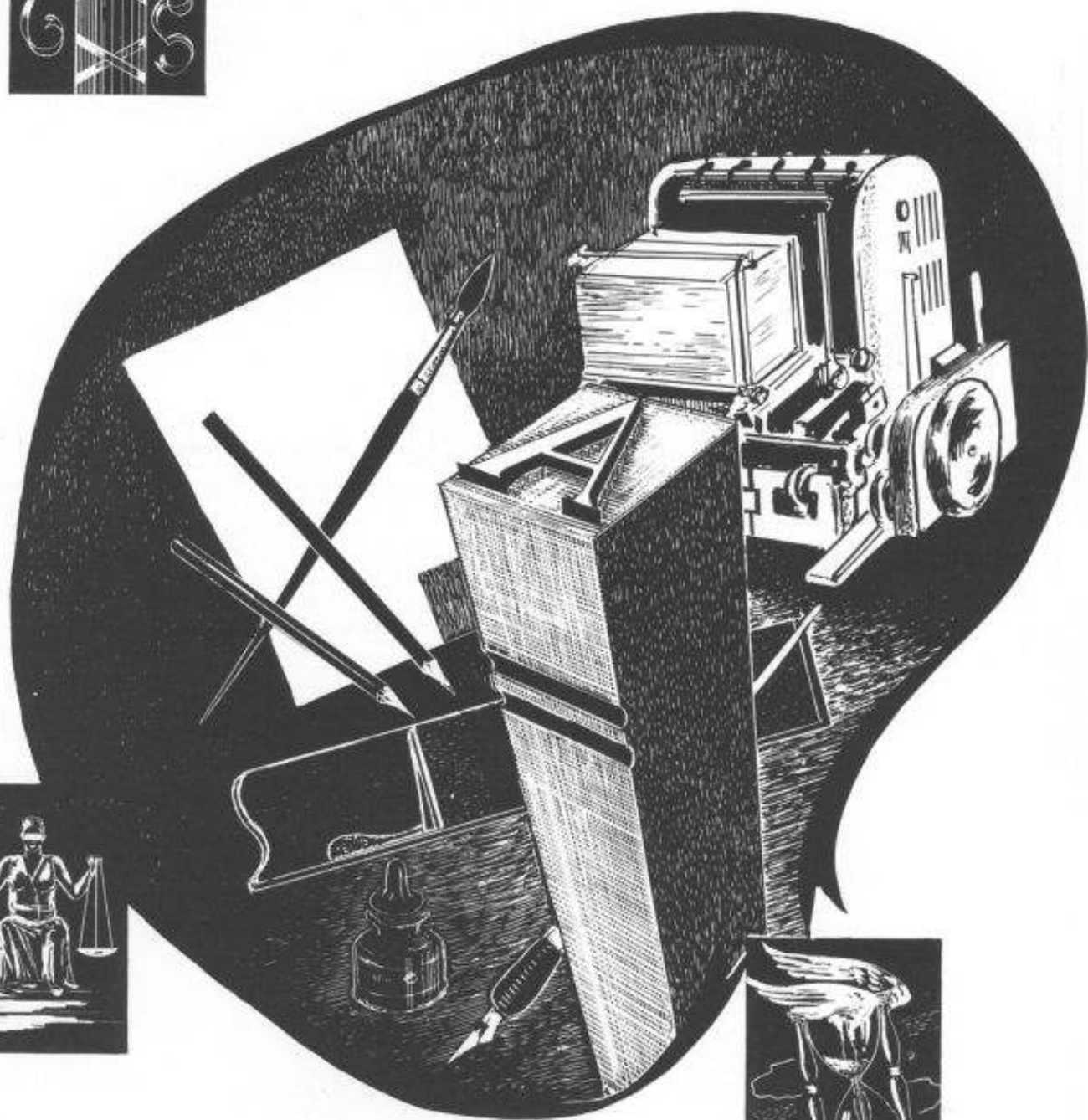
THE HILLS AHEAD

*The hills ahead look hard and steep and high,
And often, we behold them with a sigh.
But, as we near them, level grows the road;
We find at every step, with every load,
The climb is not so steep, the top so far . . .
The hills ahead look harder than they really are.*

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S.M.U. Diary

- Sept. 19—Orientation for freshmen begins.
- Sept. 25—Classes begin. New President and Dean change scenery. New Science recruits swell enrollment.
- Sept. 28—Freshman dance concludes initiation. Frosh learn social graces from upperclassmen.
- Oct. 3, 4, 5, Retreat—Father Farrell from Darjeeling, India, retreat master.
- Oct. 2—President Burke announces ambitious programme for Arts Society.
- Oct. 5—First Arts football dance, financial and social success.
- Oct. 7—SMU gridders romp over Sherewater in opening game played in torrential rain.
- Oct. 14—Inter-fac football gets under way. Commerce and Engineers play 1-1 tie. Council co-sponsors hike with Mount. MSV Ladies prove fine hostesses.

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S.M.U. Diary

- Nov. 4—Saints humbled in Montreal in bid to capture eastern Canadian title. Lose 56-0 to Notre Dame de Grace.
- Nov. 6—First Ball of year. Commerceman provide fine time for all.
- Nov. 7—St. Dunstan's topped by Baldwin's men in curtain raiser of basketball season. Ross in top form. Score 61-56.
- Nov. 14—Grad Father Jim Casey recounts tragedy at Springhill to student body. Students donate \$300 for relief fund.
- Nov. 17—SMU lose to St. Dunstan's on island but win total point series, 106-103.
- Nov. 21—Student placement programme in full swing under Pinet. Two oil companies here today. Curran swamped with offers.
- Nov. 24—Nova Scotia College Basketball League opens with Saints edging Kings 61-57 in thriller.
- Nov. 29—Saint Mary's join Dal, Kings, and Mount in "Bring Back Christ to Christmas" campaign. O'Leary committee chairman.

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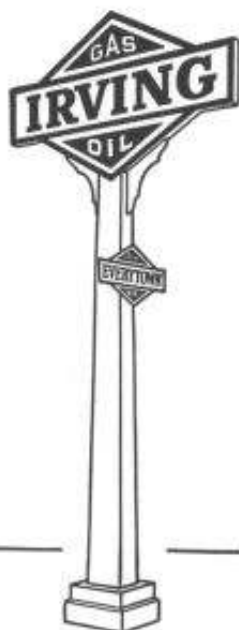
S.M.U. Diary

- Oct. 16—Journal makes initial appearance. MacDonald proves capable editor.
- Oct. 17—St. Mary's rally in last minute to edge Cape Breton. Leach to Frazer pass wins Red Feather game 23-20.
- Oct. 23—Council approves formation of new Science Society. Fleming and Ruiz head new executive.
- Oct. 26—Sodalists flock to St. Margaret's Bay for annual stag. Discuss leadership and Catholic action. Flinn and Loisier provide entertainment.
- Oct. 28—Big Red team comes from behind again to win Maritime Junior crown against St. Thomas in Chatham, N.B.
- Oct. 29—Champs feted at Victory Night. Nurse, Jean Stewart, chosen Homecoming Queen. SMU spirit prevails.
- Oct. 31—MSV Ladies again entertain Santamarians at Halloween Hop. Naughty and nice affair.
- Nov. 1—All Saints Day, no classes.
- Nov. 2—Sodality holds first day of adoration. Father Keenan officiates. Engineers stag staged.

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S.M.U. Diary

- Nov. 25—Commerce win football championship by 33-0 win over Engineers.
- Dec. 1—Cagers upset highly rated Dalhousie team 66-56.
- Dec. 2—Science's International Night draws raves. Mambos, bongos and chansons bring cosmopolitan atmosphere to College.
- Dec. 3—Annual CCSMC mass held at Basilica.
- Dec. 5—Engineers Ball—as always, terrific.
- Dec. 7—President and Council inaugurate scheme to bring Hungarian refugee students to SMU.
- Dec. 8—Feast of patroness of the University—Immaculate Conception. Pontifical high mass celebrated by Archbishop Berry.
- Dec. 14—M.I.D.L. debators, Weagle and B. MacDonald, lose squeaker to Acadia. Christmas vacation begins.

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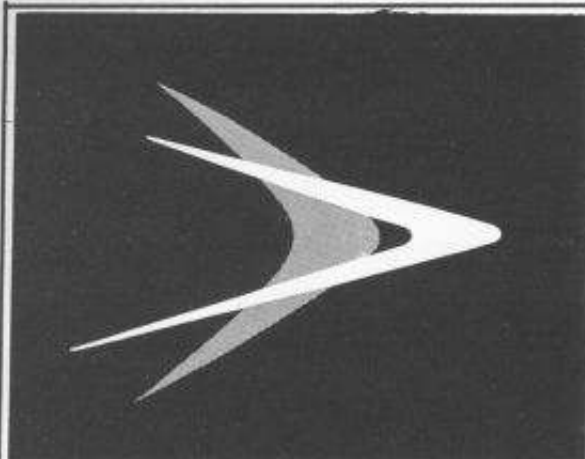


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- Jan. 3—Holidays over; return to books.
- Jan. 7—Cramming begins for exams.
- Jan. 10—Hungarian drive continues. Thermometers make first appearance in basement. Arts take early lead.
- Jan. 14—Studying pays off—for some—exams begin.
- Jan. 29—Arts hold colorful ball at Nova Scotian Hotel.
- Jan. 30—Annual blood drive proves huge success as 65% turnout.
- Feb. 1—First Friday, continual day of adoration in chapel.
- Feb. 4—To be or not to be? Where are the marks?
- Feb. 5—Mount Allison edges Art Donahue and Graham Walker in debate. Split decision on resolution that change of government in N. S. is going to be beneficial.
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- Feb. 6—S.M.U. hoopsters swamp King's College 85-64.

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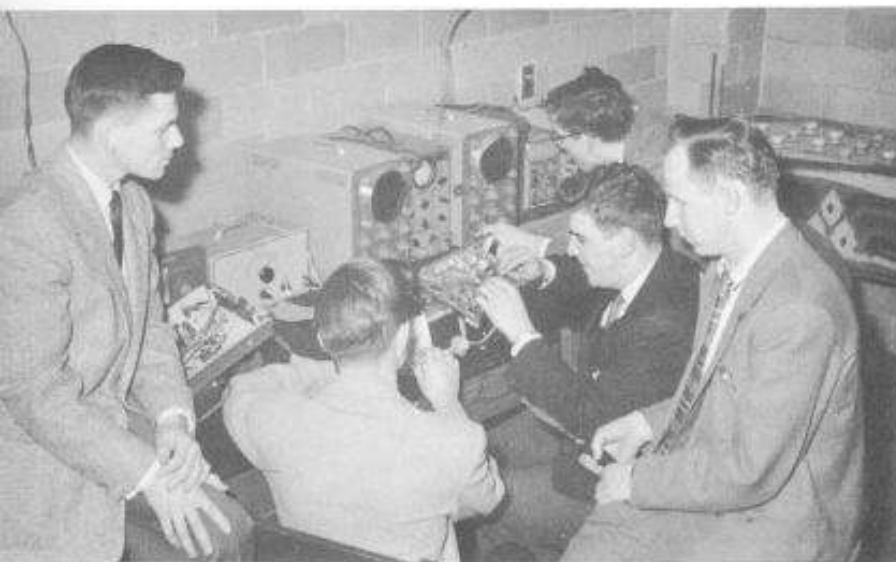
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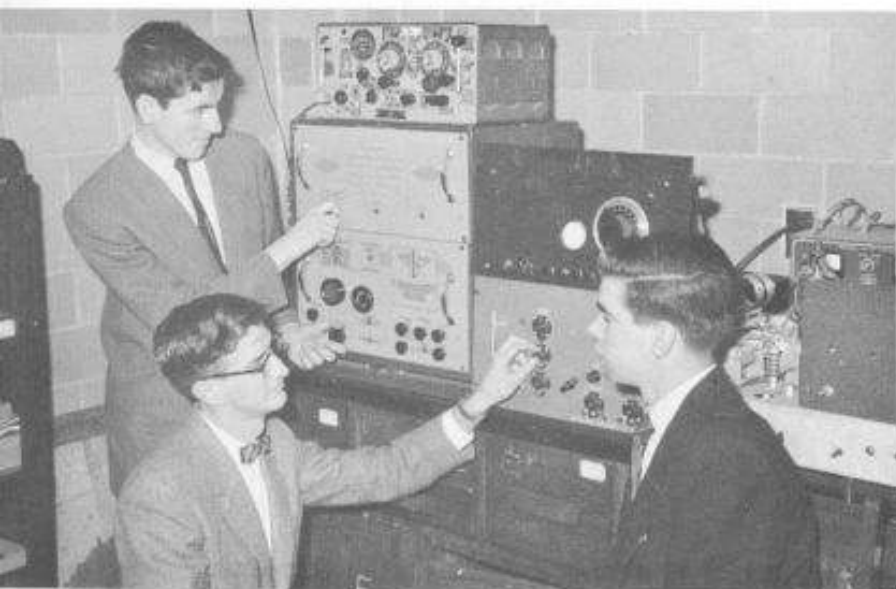


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Jim Riorden was elected its President and under his leadership the club has accomplished many worthwhile projects. Perhaps it may come as a surprise that S.M.U. has its own radio station. The club has founded radio station VEIAEJ and has been communicating with the far corners of the earth for some time. Russia included. A favourite pastime of the members is communicating with other Universities on the continent.

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- Feb. 27—Saints bow to Acadia in Wolfville 66-61 in a thrilling semi-final series.
- March 7—Mock Parliament today. Liberals stave off Conservative threat.
- March 8-10—Closed graduation Retreat proved very successful under the guidance of Father Mitchell.
- March 17—Saint Patrick's Day. Holiday and Irish Night production at St. Pats High.
- April 17—Easter Vacations Started.
- April 24—Students returned to class for last lap of academic year.
- May 3—Final exams began.
- May 16—Exams are over and the grads prepare for their stag.
- May 17—Senate Meeting.
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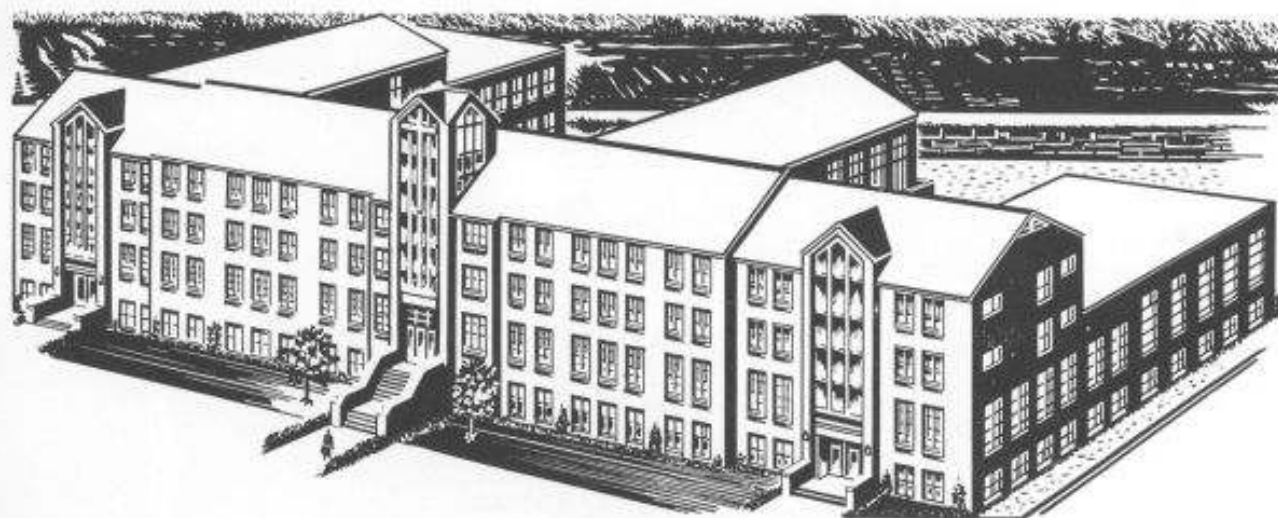
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