



ADDRESS TO ALUMNI

APRIL 26, 1969

by

DR. H. J. LABELLE

I believe that I have been invited here today to justify in some way the continued existence of Saint Mary's as an institution founded to promote Catholic higher education in the Archdiocese of Halifax.

This is a large question and goes a good deal beyond the question of how an institution which calls itself Catholic can tolerate some of the unsavoury activities which have occurred from time to time on this campus.

Perhaps in order to put the whole question into perspective, it might be well to say a word about the generation gap which, whether you admit it or not, is profoundly real. In fact, the generation gap not only exists between children and parents, and perhaps in many cases between parents and university teachers and administrators; but it exists within the generation itself.

We used to think in terms of twenty-five years as constituting a generation. Today I suggest that that gap can be narrowed to at the most five years, and in many cases only three. Hence, it follows, that on our very campus there is a generation gap between the freshmen coming in and the graduates who are leaving. It is also true that even among the graduates of any given year the attitudes which separate the first-year men from the senior men persist all the way through college and are carried out into the broader society.

And what is the significance of this generation gap? Simply, it means an attitude towards society, towards authority, and also towards religion, so profoundly different from your own thinking that you are simply appalled when you try to assess such attitudes in terms of your own categories and profound convictions.

The disgusting display which we witness at times on college campuses, the promiscuity in sexual morals, and the attempt to sweep away all the well established systems of values which were the signposts of our own life, and constituted our security, are really only peripheral to the more profound malaise of young people today.

LUCKY WINNERS



Leo Belliveau (right) presents checks to lottery winners. Left to Right, L. Smith (\$250.00), James Surrette (\$1000.00), Doane Hallett (\$100.00).

There has always been a tendency to anarchy in the adolescent. They chafe under the restraints of authority and established norms of behaviour. Frankly, if you are honest with yourselves, you will also admit that the percentage of young people who indulge in objectionable conduct has not much changed excepting that today young people are somehow or another protected by society from the consequences of their own irresponsibility.

You men here have daughters and sons who are either preparing for college or are about to enter college, or have gone through college and you would like your daughters to remain virgins and your sons to remain pure. This has always been a concern of parents, certainly as long as I can remember, and I assure you that the success in the past has not been much better than the success today.

Frankly, this is not what disturbs me in the conduct of young people on this campus but rather the obvious bewilderment of young people in the face of ideals implicitly proposed by our society, a lack of relevance which they observe in religious teaching and in educational processes. Deterioration in this area begins not in the universi-

ties but as early as junior high school and before.

I have had young people in junior high school come to me and declare openly that they were agnostics, and I assure you that this was no childish pronouncement. Whether they knew the full significance of the word or not, it still seemed to me that these young people were totally disillusioned with the attitudes as well as the teachings of those whom they were asked to respect and to obey. By the time young people reach university age, I would suspect that fifty percent of them have either fallen off to some extent from their traditional religious obligations, or in many cases have not attended to those obligations for some years during their high school education.

They came to Saint Mary's asking us to show them why they should conform to a society for which they have no respect. Implicitly what is constantly dinned into them is the fact that they must prepare themselves for the kind of society which we have created for them and we ask them to accept the principle that educational institutions are somewhat like an enormous hopper into which they are poured, so that when they come out the other end they are

well adapted to the technological society which has shaped our own value system.

Paradoxically it is this system of values which the University is striving to combat. A little reflection will show that you are products of a Bourgeois culture which places a high value on material success and middle-class privileges. In turn, this philosophy is the bulwark of decadent institutions. The university in this set up is no longer expected to educate but rather to bolster materialistic values with an overlay of legalistic religious practices. I assure you, it is no small task to reverse attitudes and to help young people find their own identity. Religion is not their target. It is rather the contradictions apparent between Catholic ideals and the total acceptance of a materialistic system of values. Many of the attitudes which you yourselves acquired during your younger years have changed today, and young people are fully aware of the changes sweeping through the contemporary Church and society.

This brings us to the point which I began with—namely, the justification for a university like Saint Mary's as distinct from any secular university in Canada. We have been accused of conducting an institution not significantly different from such universities. Instances are alleged such as the abolition of the obligation to attend daily Mass, the freedom to take Theology or not as the young person may see fit, the minimizing of such subjects as Philosophy as an obligatory subject, the hiring of professors who couldn't care less about Christian objectives, and even the impossibility of ridding ourselves of professors who are militantly anti-Christian.

I could take each one of these allegations and try to justify our policy. But perhaps it would be better to make a more general statement about Saint Mary's which will implicitly explain such developments. Last week I had a conversation with a non-Catholic professor on our staff, and I asked him the question which you would put to me—"How do you feel about teaching at a Catholic university and in what way does it differ from any other university which we choose to call secular?" His answer was to me very informative and perhaps heightened the difficulty of articulating this difference. There is no use in talking about Christian ideals as characterizing Saint Mary's. What is important is the product and the actual effect which we have on our students passing through our hands. This is very difficult to assess, but one thing is sure, there is no student on this campus who does not know that there is a point at which they can bring about a confrontation with this Administration in their demands for freedom to challenge those ideals.

We offer them every opportunity to learn the relevance of religion in their lives, to

assess the value systems of society, and insofar as we are able, we try to help them find the answers to the problems which most young people are seeking. Moreover, we are striving mightily at the present time to improve teacher-student relationship so that students can express themselves freely and without embarrassment on their own personal problems.

You would perhaps also be pleasantly surprised to note that so many of our so-called non-Catholic professors are as deeply concerned about values as is the Administration itself. On the other hand, there are Catholic teachers on this staff who possibly could be called good Catholics but in my opinion exert an adverse influence on students. Hence, if we are to judge a university campus in terms of Catholicity or secularism, we must look to the ideals of the institution and the practical means they take to attain them.

It is also important to understand the impact that government concern for education has had on institutions like our own. Private schools could once go their way and sift both faculty and students ruthlessly. Today legal process must be considered, and students themselves are protected by the law. I pass no value judgement on this new situation, but it is a factor which must be reckoned with.

Furthermore if the conduct of students on our campus is disturbing you, you must remember that student concern is symptomatic of our society which has been slow to reform its institutions, most of which are inadequate to meet contemporary needs. This is no passing phase. Student protests are welling up from the very guts of our culture and we must be in the vanguard of reform. Admittedly reform movements have always been exploited by venal people, and student unrest is no exception. In the light of such remarks I would make an appeal to our alumni to help us do the job.

Our task is perhaps the most important responsibility which has ever been confided to a group of men. We need understanding and support. Let us not write off an institution because a small percentage of radicals manage to project an unsavoury picture to the community. It should be your task to support what we are trying to carry on at your Alma Mater by helping disaffected old-time friends to understand our problems.

Finally, there are other facets to this question, such as the part which the news media play in projecting a false image of the University. I have said nothing about the reaction of the vast majority of our student body against the small number of disaffected students. They have shown their disapproval by rejecting the policies of the former Student Council and electing a slate of reasonable and concerned young men and women.

ALUMNI EXECUTIVE

1969-70

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Participation Graham Walker

Student Loans Jim Ternan

OBITUARIES

We extend our sympathy to the families of:

J. E. Ahern
Dr. John P. Martin
William J. Floyd
Rev. Hector Daly, S.J.

NEW ALUMNI

The following by virtue of the degrees they received have become members of the alumni Association.

Doctor of Laws (honoris causa): Robert Lorne Stanfield.

Doctor of Laws (honoris causa): Ralph Thomas Vaughan.

Doctor of Letters (honoris causa): Elizabeth Emily Stewart.

Bachelor of Arts

William John Adams, Robert Joseph Aikens, Keith Charles Allen, Norman M. Anderson, Robert Murray Armstrong, James Albert Baglolo, Ralph James Barnes, Reid David Barry, Eric Munro Beddis, James Raymond Bent, Frank Stanley Boyd, William S. Brown, Richard Michael Butler, John Hugh Callaghan, Michael L. Cannon, Carlo B. China, Eileen Maria Cody, Helen Agnes Conrad, Wayne William Joseph Cormier, William Francis Dinneen, Edward James Donnelly, John William Dudley, Wayne L. Edgar, Charlene Anne Foley, Michael Francis Gallagher, Frederick Francis Garner, Ronnay Angus Gillis, Leonard Girard Gougeon, Michael Joseph Grace, Evangeline Graham, Daniel Grubell, Donald Richard Hackett, Francis Patrick Hartigan, J. Aidan Hennebury, William Simon Hilberdink, Errol William Hughson, Terrence Johnston, Andrew Jordan Jones, Richard Alban Julien, Robert Louis Landry, Raymond Frederick Larkin, Ross Peter Legere, Janet Claire Livingstone, Gary Robert Longard, Blair Ferguson Robert Lopes, Barbara Ann Patricia Mary MacAdam, Alvin Joseph MacDonald, Grant V. MacDonnell, Paul MacKenzie, William Gordon McMillan, Edward J. Markson, David Emery Mercer, Larry David Miklos, John S. Mills, Terrence R. Montague, Richard Morley, Richard Morrison, James Mulcahy, Lorraine Murphy, Frederick Kenneth Murrant, John Lewis Murray, Timothy Mynahan, Brian Michael O'Byrne, Thomas Gerard O'Leary, Bryan Harold Olsen, John Osidach, Michael O'Sullivan, John Primrose Parker, Dennis Fleur Peach, Marcel Edward Patrick Pettigrew, James Louis Phillips, Donald Joseph Pietras, James Wilson Poole, Dennis Anthony Reardon, Jerome Lawrence Redmond, Clayton A. Rice, Christopher Robert Rose, Harvey Ivan Sazunic, Lawrence William Scaravelli, James David Schmitt, Joseph B. Senecal, N. Douglas Smith, Robert T. F. Smith, James H. Stewart, Vera Bernice Stone, Louise Gillespie Stringer, Brian David Sweet, Charles Wayne Thorne, Stephen George Tibbetts, Ernest H. Turek, Alexander Van Gulp, Francis Joseph Vorstermans, John Coulter Walton, Michael-Wetzel, Elbert William White, Raymond Fulton Whitman, Frederick Owen

Williams, Gary G. Winters, Wolfgang Rudolf Ziemer.

Bachelor of Science

Douglas William Bain, Harold G. Boudreau, Peter Finbar Bovell, Kenneth Earl Comeau, Russell John Deveau, Coral Gaudet, Gerard H. Grassby, Patrick M. Griffin, Bernard Joseph Hughes, John Francis Keough, Michael John Langan, Robert Michael LaPierre, Alexander Bohdan Lew, Duncan Hugh MacKay, Ian Douglas Macaulay, Warren Irving Quigley, Kimbal A. Rector, J. Christopher Reilly, Brenton Allan Sabeau, David Youngusband Smith, John A. Sullivan, Ernest Dennis Yabsley.

Bachelor of Commerce

Peter Philip Barkhouse, Nicholas Savas Betts, Maynard Elliott Brown, Kenneth William Burns, David A. Butcher, Nigel Forrest Byars, John Armand Carlos, Eugene Gerard Carew, John Douglas Chalmers, Stephen Tik Ping Chan, William Joseph Chisholm, Gerald H. Clayton, Peter John Cummings, Paul W. Curran Michael Gaston deVerteuil, Charles Garfield Dixon, Bernard J. Downey, George W. Duquette, George H. Emerson, Harold Phillip Flam, Paul Joseph Foley, Richard Edward Franklin, Paul Francis Gawdunyk, Paul Gene Goodman, Roger Warren Guy, Ronald George Harnish, Andrew Douglas Hartt, Hamish P. Herrera, Fred Joseph Hubley, Stanley Gordon Johnson, James Barry Johnston, Douglas Gilbert Kane, Robert Arthur Kaye, John C. Landry, James I. Learmouth, J. David MacDonald, Russell John MacInnis, James A. MacPhee, Christian Derek Maingot, Jose Luis Aranas Marinas, John Christopher Pelham, Wallace George Peters, Gregory Allan Ross, David Paul Saxton, Gary Shore, Gilbert Bernard Smart, William Gordon Spears, Arthur Jobe Taylor, Richard Tenderenda, Brian Ronald Turnbull, George Allistair Unsworth, Gregory Michael Walsh, Frederick Gerard White, William J. Wienand, Michael Peter Woods.

Bachelor of Science and Diploma in Engineering

D. Leslie Burke, Yau-Nam Cham, Barry J. Drew, W. Gregory Haverstock, John Francis Henman, Ross Willard Miller, Wing Tak Ng, Gerald James Ternan, John Douglas Ward.

Diploma in Engineering

Victor J. Belliveau, Rodney James Bossy, James Leo Brooks, Gilbert Siu Wong Cheung, Donald Seymour Compton, Kenneth George Hamilton, Edward William Leahey, David Leo MacDonald, James Robert Matthews, Faramarz Navi, John Henry Owen, Patrick William Phelan, J. Gerard Upton.

Bachelor of Education

Neil Patrick Bowers, Ozzie Gerard Burke, Clement Joseph Burt, George James Burt, Joseph Harold Callaghan, Paul Ritchie Campbell, Wilbur Joseph Chaffey, Daniel John Clarke, Michael E. Cooper, John Gary Copp, Eric Morris Curry, Robert Vincent Davies, Boutros E. Dib, Louis H. Dickinson, Edward Joseph Doherty, Michael Francis Doherty, Carol Ann Doiron, Robert David Donovan, Donna Erania Dort, Chesley William Farwell, Cyril Joseph Feeney, Neil Francis Fitzpatrick, Thomas Joseph Foley, Edith C. Fraser, Rex Ernest Fulcher, Peter Richard Geary, Bernadette Giguere, Bomy Godrej, Brian Joseph Grandy, Edith A. Hanington, Donald Joseph Harris, Edward Gordon Hollett, Robert James Holmes, Arthur Sylvester Horne, Neil Deryk Horswill, Ronald Adrian Hughes, J. Edward Kazamel, Ernest B. Larkin, Roger Marc LaRocque, Raymond Marc LePage, Maureen A. Lewis, Anne Marie Lockman, Stewart Patrick McBrien, Elizabeth Ann Macdonald, Gordon Edward MacDonald, John Alexander MacDonald, John J. MacDonald, Vincent James MacLean, Gerald Joseph Anthony Mahar, Peter John Martin, Nancy Maxwell, Margaret Mary O'Neill, David Owen Orr, Thelma Agnes Pond, Paul Alfred Puma, Dennis P. Purcell, Frank M. Regan, Deanna Romo, Bernard Michael Ryan, Joseph Vincent Scott, Hazel MacLeod Hefler Sheehan, Jeremy Joseph Simms, Arthur Louis Wamback, Douglas Roy White, Robert Warren Woods.

Master of Social Work

Gregory Bowers, Lionel Cameron, Peter Doiron, Mary Gillespie, John LaRocque, Normand Levasseur, Bernard MacDougall, Maureen O'Neil, Etienne Theriault, Paula Vickers.

Master of Arts in Education

Richard H. MacLean, Stuart L. Morse, John Baptist Wong, S.J.

Master of Arts in History

John Alton MacLean

TEN YEARS AFTER

Rev. Ronald Barnes, S.J. is working on a Doctorate in Psychology at Duquesne University.

Gerald R. Burns is a Medical Doctor pursuing higher studies in Medicine.

Kevin Burns is Assistant Superintendent at the N. S. Youth Centre at Brookside, Colchester County. He is married to the former Barbara Giroux. They have two boys.

Frank Cronin is a professor of Philosophy at St. Thomas College, Chatham, N. B.

Burriss Devanney is a teacher at St. Patrick's High School, Halifax.

Richard Godbout is a medical Doctor with RCAF until June, 1969. He is going to Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal for Residency in Diagnostic Radiology. He is married to the former **Nicole Groleau**. They have two children.

Jack Greenough is a teacher at Caledonia Junior High School, Dartmouth. He is married to the former **Shirley T. Gavin**.

Betty L. Hanrahan is teaching in the education dept. at SMU.

Larry Hayes is a lawyer practising with McInnes, Cooper and Robertson. He is an alumni representative on the Board of Governors of SMU and secretary-treasurer of Medical Legal Society of N. S.

Grant MacDonald is a teacher in the city of Dartmouth. He is married to the former **Josephine MacIsaac**. They have four children.

Charles McGuire is assistant to the Director of Adult Studies at SMU. He is also an alderman. He is married to the former **Rebecca Curran**. They have three children.

Wilfred McLean is a teacher of English at Prince Andrew High School, Dartmouth. He is married to the former **Carol Warner**. They have four children.

John Nause is doing post-graduate work in English at Dalhousie.

Anita O'Regan is Guidance Counsellor at St. Catherine's School, Halifax.

Tom Osborne is Regional Personnel Adviser—Atlantic Region, Dept. of Manpower and Immigration. He has worked on special projects at all major cities of Canada—Personnel Director, Immigration and Indian Affairs — British Columbia and the Yukon. He is married to the former **Mary Keating**. They have five children.

Lillian Mae Parker is a Junior High School Teacher at Westmount School, Halifax.

Edgar Burton Fraser is Vice-principal at LeMarchant School.

James V. Gavin is Division Engineer with Dept. of Highways N. S. in Antigonish. He is married to the former **Catherine Elizabeth Murphy**. They have two children.

Mike Tingley is programmer Engineer with IBM Kingston, N. Y. He has an M.Sc. from Tech. and attended Syracuse University on Ph.D. studies. He taught at Tech 1965-66. He is married to the former **Olive K. Read**. They have two sons.

John Michael Collins is Manager—Industrial Pump Division for Maritimes with Robt. Morse Corp. He is married to the former **Mary Jane Graham**. They have four children.

Brian Flemming is associate Lawyer with Stewart, MacKeen and Covert. He is married to the former **Janice Merritt**. He had the Mackenzie King travelling Fellowship in

**Mr. Lloyd J. Melanson,
5250 Smith St.,
Halifax, N.S.**

Europe 1962-63. He obtained his LL.M. at University of London, England, 1964. He is well known in Canada for his writings in learned journals on the International Court of Justice. Since 1965 he has been lecturing in Law at SMU and Dalhousie.

Anthony Ho Kiu Ma is planning director for Youngstown, Ohio. He is married to the former **Barbara Sennewald**. They have one child. Since leaving SMU he has obtained an MBA from Western University and M.Sc. in Civil Engineering from Case Institute of Technology in Cleveland.

Ronald Wong is practising Law in Hong Kong. He is married.

Peter Fraser is Manager Cincinnati and Indianapolis offices of Canadian Government Travel Bureau. He is married to the former **Carol Genereux**. They have four sons.

Granville Kelly is Supervisor—Eastern Canada—for Prentice-Hall of Canada, Ltd. He is married to the former **Joan Margaret Sheridan**. They have three children.

Arthur Donahoe is practicing Law with Blois, Nickerson, Palmeter and Bryson. He has been Research Assistant to Conservative MPs and executive assistant to Senate Opposition Leader in Ottawa.

Wilbert V. Martel is marketing teacher at Prince Edward Collegiate Institute, Picton, Ont.

Darrell Charles Davis is a teacher of History at St. Patrick's High School. He is married to the former **Theresa Flood**. They have two sons.

John F. Johnson is Principal of St. Andrew's School, Halifax.

Mrs. Mary Anna (Conrad) MacDonald is a teacher of Literature at Bedford Junior High. She is married to **James Alexander MacDonald**. They have two sons.

Robert Arthur O'Connell is Superintendent of Schools, Amherst, N. S. He is married to the former **Phyllis Mary Bonang**. They have a daughter and a son.

Douglas H. Rodwell is Principal of Alderney School, Dartmouth. He is married to the former **Amy Isabel Walker**. They have three children.

Mrs. Marie (Himmelman) Smyth is a music teacher. She is married to **Angus J. Smyth**.

Rev. Gerard Bates is Pastor at Parrsboro, N. S.

Rev. Elmer MacGillivray is Student-counsellor in Willowdale, Ont.

Mrs. Joanne M. Nugent is a teacher at St. Francis School, Halifax.

This list is not complete because we did not have the addresses of the others or because they did not send a reply to our request for information.

SNIPPETS

by M. J. O'Donnell, S.J.

Donald Murphy married **Deidre Ann Harrison** on May 31st.

William Dawson Gerrior married **Audrey Ann Gray** on June 6.

Robert James Holmes married **Janie Marie Burke** May 24.

Laughlin Charles McKenzie married **Susan Elizabeth Pelham** June 7th.

Kenneth Alfred Carter married **Geraldine Theresa Parsons** May 2.

Robert Leith Ahern married **Julia Marlayne Young** May 24th.

Cyril Joseph Feeney, Jr. married **Barbara Frances Hewitt** in Boston May 24th. Mrs. Feeney is a graduate of Mount St. Vincent's University.

Bernard Vaughan Brackett married **Linda Joyce Utting** May 24th. Mrs. Brackett holds a B.Sc. in Chemistry from Mount St. Vincent's University. Mr. Brackett is studying towards a Master's degree in nuclear Chemistry at McMaster University, Hamilton.

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HALIFAX, N.S.

James Michael Anthony Brownlow married **Maureen Wilma O'Neill** May 24th. Mrs. Brownlow is a graduate of Mount Saint Vincent University and the Maritime School of Social Work.

Martin Robert Kunz married **Hazel Carolyn MacEwen, R.N.**, May 24.

Robert Hilary MacGillivray married **Linda Diane Sweeney** May 17.

James Lawrence Hartley Smith married **Jacqueline Marie Campbell**.

Jean-Marc Bouchard of Port Alfred, Que. married **Carole Conrod** in Germany March 15.

Kenneth Hugh Horne married **Sharon Elizabeth Clarke** May 10.

Gregory Joseph Tanner married **Sara Elizabeth Reardon** March 22. Mrs. Turner is a graduate of Mount Saint Vincent University and the Halifax Infirmary School of Nursing with a B.Sc. in nursing.

Andrew Douglas Hartt married **Jennifer Mary Owen** May 17. Mrs. Hartt is a graduate of Dalhousie.

Richard J. Demers is living in Toronto. He is married and has three boys. He is teaching Economics and Marketing at Georges Vanier Secondary School.

Jed. Hawco has returned to Newfoundland to set up a law practice.

I met **George Reardon** and his family when they were in Halifax recently. George is living in Truro.

Michael Merrigan has a son attending SMU.

Michael Craig won the championship of the Trap shoot held at the Halifax Gun Club April 4.

I took my radio for repairs to the Argyle Radio and T.V. **Albert** and **Roger Sumarah** operate the shop. Both are married. **Albert** has a son. Brother **Robert** is taking a course in Bacteriology in Toronto.

One day on Barrington St. within five minutes I ran into three alumni. They were **Fred Roberts**, **Maurice Fougere** and **Tom Osborne**.

Edward J. Burke announces the opening of his Law office in New York.

In March **Dennis Biggs** paid a visit to the university. He is living in Oshawa.

Oscar Delaney on a vacation trip from the Magdalen Islands dropped in at the university.

Buddy Garagan is living in Edmonton. He is married to the former **Patricia Anne Cameron**. They have a daughter and twin sons.

Thomas F. Meagher has been appointed personnel officer at Dalhousie.

Frank Romo has left the army and is teaching High School at the Peterborough Collegiate and Vocational School, Peterborough, Ont.

Dick Nolan has moved to Antigonish. He is working in Port Hawkesbury.

Raymond Hansen is married to the former **Linda Margaret Pettipas**. He is working for the Federal Auditor General.

Roman Labecki has been working in Bridgewater for Children's Aid Society.

John Richard graduated in Law at Dalhousie in May.

Peter Aucoin has received a Canada Council grant to pursue his doctorate in Political Science. He will study at Queen's.

Dean Wm. Bridgeo has been named a Director of CJCH Limited. He is also Chairman (Atlantic Region) of the Chemical Institute of Canada.

Fr. John Power is spending several weeks in Texas this summer. He received a Canada Council Grant to continue his work on Alexander Pope.

Three professors had sons graduate this year from SMU. **Jim Ternan's** son **Gerald James** received his B.Sc. in Engineering. **Al Sabean's** son **Brent** received his B.Sc. **Joe Vorsterman's** son **Frank** received his B.A.

Jim Ternan has a daughter at SMU.

David A. McDonald is doing an M.A. in Theology at the University of Toronto.

Gerald Hubley is administrative assistant to the superintendent of schools, Dartmouth.

Ed. Craig is with the Provincial Government in the dept. of Finance.

Rich. McCluskey is a salesman for some drug company.

Mike Carney is with Nova Scotia Light & Power.

Dr. Kevin Clancy has taken a position in the Mathematics Dept. of Carleton University.

Michael Vaughan is teaching at Five Islands, N. S.

Two appointments made by the Nova Scotia Power Commission involved alumni. **Gordon Mader** was appointed Director of Engineering and Thermal Production. **L. B. Murphy** was appointed Manager of Engineering responsible for all design and construction functions assigned to the Engineering Department.

Rev. Francis Gogan was ordained to the priesthood on May 24, in St. Joseph's Church, Halifax.

Rev. Charles Pottie, S.J. was ordained to the priesthood June 7 in Willowdale, Ont.

Robert Ruotolo was elected President of the Nova Scotia Association of Social Workers.

Rt. Rev. W. H. Smith has resigned as Vicar General of the Halifax archdiocese and as Pastor of St. Thomas Aquinas parish.

Joseph E. Reardon was elected president of the Charitable Irish Society. He succeeds **Dr. F. J. Barton**.

Ted Wholey is in the armed forces in Vietnam.

Fr. Louis Caissie is back from Peru for a few weeks.

Douglas M. Casey was elected president of the Home of the Guardian Angel.

Al. Keith has been named assistant football coach at SMU.

John Cameron Lovett was admitted to the Bar of Ontario in March.

John O'Dea visited the university during the Easter holidays. He is working towards his C.A. in Montreal.

Alvin J. Nadeau is assistant Brewmaster of Oland's brewery.

Brian Flemming was selected as a judge of the Jessup international moot court held in Washington.

Doane Hallett has been appointed chairman of the annual education and fund raising campaign for Nova Scotia division of Canadian Cancer Society.