

THE Maroon & White

The Quarterly Publication of The Saint Mary's University Alumni Association

Editor, Kevin J. Cleary, '57
President, Dr. Michael Larsen, '66
Vice President, Frank Gervais, '58
Treasurer, Bernard Kline, '50

POSTES CANADA POSTAGE
No. 605
HALIFAX NOVA SCOTIA



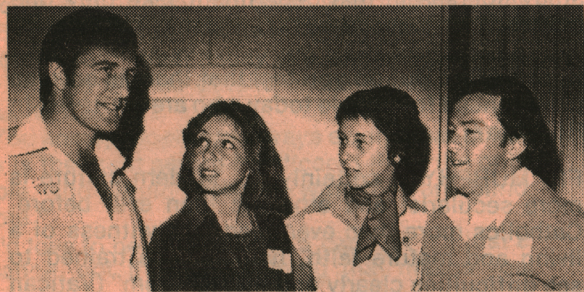
VOL. NO. 31

OCTOBER, 1977

NO. 1

SUMMER HOME COMING '77

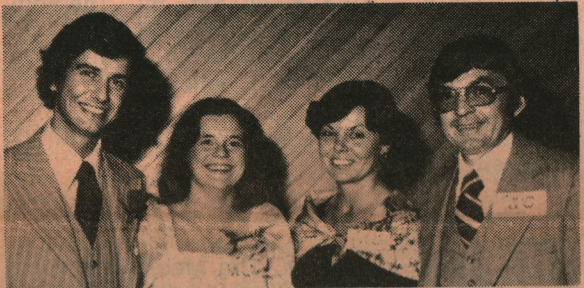
One hundred and eighty alumni, their families and friends attended the various events that took place during the Summer Home Coming held on August 11, 12 and 13, 1977.



Rick and D.A. Franklin, Kim and Tim Ripley

The programme began with a Nostalgia night replete with year books, class pictures, photographs of Windsor Street and of the various stages of development of the present campus, film clips of past athletic events and team pictures.

The Nostalgia night was so successful that the Friday morning tour of the campus and visit to the Nova Scotia and Centennial Art Galleries were cancelled because everyone slept quite late.



Paul and Sabrina Rhindress, Pat and Duncan McEachern

The Friday night supper dance with the "Music Men" proved that the re-cooperative powers of Santamarians does not decrease appreciably with age. Many of the more active veterans of Thursday night stepped out dance-for-dance with those Alumni who took in that event only.

The weather cooperated on Saturday for the Harbour Cruise and the barbeque. RAY GILL and Saga Foods maintained the high standard of food and service which they set on Friday night for the out-door cook out which followed the Mass offered in the Jesuit Chapel. Fathers O'Donnell, Hennessey and Murphy concelebrated and Father Hennessey delivered an appropriate and short homily.

By 8:00 p.m. the weather had closed in again preventing those touring the Burke Gaffney observatory from viewing the planets. However an interesting illustrated lecture was presented following the tour.

Those who participated in the Home Coming felt that it was very successful and large part of the credit for that success goes to Ed Malay, Nick Walsh for organizing the Dinner Dance; to Heather Harris and the Athletic Dept. for the Nostalgia night; to Miss Debbie Chow Alumni Secretary and Mrs. Lynn Totten Development Secretary.

Out-of-town guests who attended the various activities were:

Rick & D.A. Franklin, Toronto, Ontario
Kevin & Aileen Carrol, Barrie, Ontario
Duncan & Patricia McEachern, Kittery, Maine
Greg & Helen McClare, West Hill, Ontario
F.L. & Mrs. Corcoran, Moncton, New Brunswick
Peter & Mrs. Heenan, Ottawa, Ontario
Allison & Patricia Toner, Grand Falls, New Brunswick
Gerry & Gail Hurley, Pittsfield, Massachusetts

DIOCESAN CLERGY LEAD ALL THE REST

The Catholic Clergy of the Archdiocese have the distinction of being the occupational group with the highest level of participation in the 175th Anniversary Alumni Fund campaign. They account for 10% of the number who have contributed to the Fund to date. This is very encouraging and should stimulate other occupational groups to put forth efforts to match the degree of participation of the Catholic Clergy.

RELIGIOUS STUDIES AT ST. MARY'S

Is Religion Still Being Taught At Saint Mary's? An Interview with Father Lawrence F. Murphy, S.J., Chairman of the Department of Religious Studies.

K. CLEARY: What changes have you seen in the teaching of religion at Saint Mary's?

FR. MURPHY: Quite a few! When I first came here in 1963, we had about 500 students, all boys, and they all had to take 3 courses in Theology and 3 in Philosophy, a large part of their degree. The Department was called the Theology Department and the full-time staff were two Jesuit priests (Hoffman and Murphy). Other Jesuits taught a course or two. Father Hennessey even taught a course on the Virtues! The only layman on staff taught one course. These courses were all Theology courses and dealt almost entirely with Catholic Theology. The courses were imitations of seminary courses and mostly dogmatic (Church, Sacraments, Christology). Another point, the faculty was quite competent in my opinion, but none had professional training on the doctoral level. In 1966, the three compulsory courses were dropped. This was quite a shock. I went away for doctoral studies from 1966-70 and when I came back, the world seemed to have overturned. First of all, the charter of the University had been changed and its Catholic character put in question. At least it seemed so. Secondly, the Department had changed its name to Religious Studies. The Staff was now made up equally of laymen. Several had doctorates. The Chairman was a layman. More important, the course offerings were much broader including 18th century religion, Eastern religions, Protestant theology, Atheism, Religion and Culture. Add the fact that the student enrollment was up to around 2500, along with the presence on Campus of hundreds of beautiful girls, it was certainly a different world.

K. CLEARY: How did you feel about all these changes?

FR. MURPHY: I would be less than honest if I claimed that I adjust to change any better than anyone else. So it was a difficult adjustment in many ways. But Pope John and the Second Vatican Council had demanded of Catholics a radical updating (aggiornamento), a change of attitude. Upon reflection, I came to see that the new situation in the Religious Studies Department corresponded quite well in many ways to what the Church wanted: dialogue with Protestants, openness to the values contained in other religions, sympathy to the world and its problems, familiarity with science and its contributions, the honest attempt to grapple with Atheism. The University, not the seminary, is the best locale for this.

K. CLEARY: Do you feel the old program was bad then?

FR. MURPHY: No, I do not. It is foolish, I feel, to condemn the past because it was not the same as today. I have never heard complaints about the old courses in Theology. I'm sure there were some. I feel the courses were good. However, what was good for the fifties is not necessarily good for the seventies. And I would have to say that those courses, like the Church of the time as Vatican II indicated, were rather narrow in their perspective.

K. CLEARY: So you feel then that the changes were necessary.

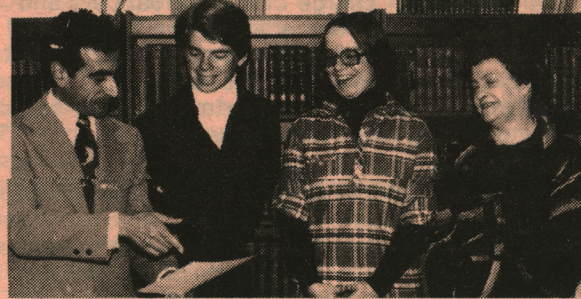
FR. MURPHY: Very much so. And inevitable. Take the question of the three compulsory courses in Theology. Now these courses, as I knew them, were never proselytising, preaching, catechism. They were attempts to do what theologians have done since the thirteenth century in the Universities of the West. They supposed faith but sought understanding. The emphasis was on understanding, an intellectual pursuit. Not all Christians, even most, feel the

Cont'd on next page

DALTON SCHOLARS NAMED

Dr. Joseph Jabbra, Chairman of the Political Science Department, announced on behalf of the department the first awarding of the "William J. Dalton Political Science Scholarships."

The Fund was established in October, 1976 by friends, colleagues, and former students of the late Dr. Dalton. His widow, Mrs. Catherine Dalton, presented the awards to Senior Honours student R. Camille Cameron and to third-year student Randall Balcome.



Dr. J. Jabbra, Randall Balcome, R. Camille Cameron, and Mrs. Dalton

Miss Cameron is the daughter of the late Mr. & Mrs. William Cameron. She is a graduate of Prince Andrew High School of Dartmouth, Nova Scotia.

Randall Balcome is majoring in Political Science and is the son of Mr. & Mrs. Percy Balcome of Wolfville, Nova Scotia. He is a graduate of Horton District High School.

ALUMNI WIN AWARDS AT NOVA SCOTIA TECHNICAL COLLEGE

Three of the twenty-two Saint Mary's Alumni who graduated from Nova Scotia Technical College in May received awards at the Convocation.

KEITH ANDERSON, Dip. Eng. '75, a graduate in Electrical Engineering, was awarded the "Alumni Medal".

PETER GREGSON, Dip. Eng. '72, a Master of Engineering Graduate, received a National Research Council of Canada Scholarship.

MRS. JACQUELIN D'EON, B. Sc. and Dip. Eng. '75, a graduate in Chemical Engineering, received a Jannock Industries Scholarship.

Other Alumni graduating were, in Civil Engineering: PAUL AMARANDOS, Dip. Eng. '75, PAUL ARSENAULT, B.Sc., Dip. Eng. '75, ARTHUR BALL, Dip. Eng. '74, DONALD BURNS, Dip. Eng. '75, DAVE HORSHAM, Dip. Eng. '74, BRIAN JOLLIEMORE, Dip. Eng. '74, BARRY LAMPIER, Dip. Eng. '75, KENNETH LANGILLE, Dip. Eng. '75, BERNARD LYNCH, Dip. Eng. '73, PETER MERRITT, Dip. Eng. '74.

In Electrical Engineering: VICTOR THIBODEAU, Dip. Eng. '74, KRISHAN VERMA, Dip. Eng. '75.

In Mechanical Engineering: PETER ARANY, B. Sc., Dip. Eng. '74, GARY LAJEUNESSE, B.A., Dip. Eng. '75, JOHN MACLEOD, Dip. Eng. '74, DANA SPONAGLE, Dip. Eng. '75.

In Industrial Engineering: CAROLYN BEAL, B. Comm., B.Sc. '73, GORDON CRUMPLER, Dip. Eng. '75.



Dave Murray, John Lucier, and Gerry Hurley home coming '77

JOHN CUNNINGHAM - MEDIA MAN

by Heather Harris



JOHN CUNNINGHAM IS PROGRAM DIRECTOR FOR RADIO STATION CFDR, DARTMOUTH, JOHN WAS INTERVIEWED BY HEATHER HARRIS, VANCOUVER.



John Cunningham

HEATHER: WHAT'S YOUR JOB AT CFDR, JOHN?

John: Well, Heather, I'm Program Director and very generally speaking that means being responsible for everything that goes on the air. It takes in primarily being in charge of the announcers and the music format of the radio station. To a lesser degree it involves being in charge of news presentations, commercials and this sort of thing - although they each have department heads so I really don't have much to do there.

HEATHER: IS IS SORT OF LIKE COORDINATING?

John: As an example, the music format of each radio station is pretty well established. You can usually tell when you turn on a radio, what station it is by the piece of music being played at the time. It's well laid out that way. Where the music decisions come in is with new music. We try and decide are we going to accept and play a certain piece of music or are we not, if not, why not.

HEATHER: HOW DID YOU GET INTO RADIO?

John: It goes way back. I started at St. Pat's High School in Halifax in about grade ten. They had a radio program on CJCH on Saturday afternoons called "Teen Review." I got in there doing the St. Pat's High School News. Radio is something that had always interested me. My father had been in radio, before I was born, in Saint John as a newscaster at CHSJ. Anyway, I auditioned for this St. Pat's job. I used to have to write up the news and so I found out what was going on in all different areas at St. Pat's. There were representatives from the different schools - like Queen Elizabeth High. St. Pat's was stocked with people who later went to St. Mary's! Clary Flemming was the guy who was in charge of the program. Clary went into broadcasting and was the manager here at CFDR for awhile. He has his own business now in Halifax.

HEATHER: ANY OTHER SANTAMARIANS AROUND THERE?

John: Yes, indeed - Freddie Walker was on that show. He was a high school student at South Armale and he was in charge of writing the sports for "Teen Review". He went on to CBC. I think he's in Montreal now.

HEATHER: I THOUGHT MAYBE YOU HAD STARTED IN RADIO WHEN YOU WENT TO ST. MARY'S, BUT YOU WERE WELL INTO IT BY THAT TIME.

John: Yes I was. I had moved into Fred Walker's sports slot after he graduated from high school. That's where I learned about sport announcing. The people that they had in the sports department of CJCH at that time were people like Gerry Regan, Pat Connolly and Don Goodwin. So I had a chance to work with three of the biggest names in sports broadcasting.

HEATHER WHAT ABOUT ST. MARY'S?

John: I was in a general Arts course. CFDR opened while I was at St. Mary's. At first they only had a day time license which is the usual procedure. Clary Flemming was appointed general manager. I was talking to Clary and he said that school was fine - but it didn't pay very much. CFDR had its full license by that time, so I got a job on the night shift.

HEATHER: DIDN'T YOU TAKE A B.Ed. SOMEWHERE ALONG THE LINE?

John: Yes I did. I thought radio was fine, but I was interested in teaching. At that time I didn't think I wanted to make a career of radio. I felt then that it would be a good part time thing and a great hobby. I got a great kick out of it so it was fun for me. I got a job teaching at St. Stephen's school in Halifax and I taught for three years. While I taught,

I never really left radio, although I cut back an awful lot. I did some weekend shows and summer shows. It was just too much and I came to a point where I had to make a decision for radio or teaching.

HEATHER: JOHN CUNNINGHAM - DO YOU MEAN TO TELL ME YOU DECIDED TO OPT IT FOR FUN IN RADIO RATHER THAN HARD WORK IN SCHOOL TEACHING?

John: Seriously, teaching was a profession in which I got a lot of satisfaction. My impressions of radio had changed from that "hobby" kind of attitude. It wasn't a matter of leaving teaching as much as it was of moving more into radio - if you understand what I mean. I enjoy radio - I love it, and I'm not sorry I made that move in any way.

HEATHER: IT'S INTERESTING TO LISTEN TO YOU BECAUSE YOU CAN SEE THAT CHANGE WHERE RADIO WAS REALLY A FUN HOBBY AND THEN IT DID EVOLVE INTO A REAL PROFESSION IN COMMUNICATIONS FOR YOU.

John: I suppose I grew into radio and I came to see how much could be done. I felt I could offer more to radio. It's something where you can get involved in the community - you do things like cover city council and meet the people making the decisions in your community. For instance we've all watched Dartmouth grow - it's really quite a city - and we like to think CFDR has helped with that growth. Radio helps the community keep in touch with one another.

HEATHER: AS WELL AS SERVICING THAT COMMUNITY, CFDR CONTRIBUTES TO THE ST. MARY'S COMMUNITY AS WELL.

John: I think that we could probably have a meeting of the Alumni Association without too much difficulty. We have quite a few Santamarians here. Our president and general Manager, Arnie Paterson, went to St. Mary's for arts and journalism. He's a prominent member of the community and founded CFDR in 1962. Our News Director, Rob Smith, is a history graduate. Our morning man, who is probably the best known radio announcer in eastern Canada - Gerry Parsons - took commerce at S.M.U. Joe Hanratty is a more recent graduate of St. Mary's and is an announcer here. Joe is married to Betty Mills, who also went to S.M.U. Also one of our salesmen who comes to mind is Gerry Mulcahy. Gerry took commerce and was a star hockey player at S.M.U.

HEATHER: THANKS, JOHN. ALSO A "THANK YOU" FROM THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION. YOU'VE REALLY HELPED OUT WITH PUBLICITY FOR HOMECOMINGS AND OTHER ST. MARY'S EVENTS - AND THAT'S MOST APPRECIATED.

OBITUARIES

We extend sympathy to the families of:
Monsignor J.H. Durney
Mr. C. Dudley Chisholm
Mr. John F. Wyllie
Rev. Lionel Stanford, S.J.

MARRIAGES

Glendon William Potter and CHARMAINE LOUISE TANNER, B.A. '75 on August 19, 1977 at the Holy Trinity Church, Middleton.

ROLAND MARTIN GAUDET, Dip. Eng. '72 and Marilyn Louise Murray on July 16, 1977 at the Immaculate Conception Church, Dartmouth.

PAUL MELVILLE RHINDRESS, B.Ed. '77 and SABRINA ANN ROBERTSON, B.Ed. '77 on July 23, 1977 at the Trinity United Church, New Glasgow.

STUART GRAY FRASER, B.Comm. '76 and Barbara Marilyn Barker on August 19, 1977 at the Trinity United, New Glasgow.

BRIAN CURRIE YOUNG, B.A. '72, B.Ed. '73 and CAROL ANN BRENNAN, B.A. '73 on September 3, 1977 at the Canadian Martyrs Church, Halifax.

Patrick Joseph MacMullin and HEATHER ANN MACFADDEN, B.A. '72 on August 13, in St. Pius X Church, Halifax, 1977.

DANIEL JOSEPH MCCARTHY, B.Comm. '76 and NANCY ELAINE FLANDERS, B.Comm. '76 on August 6 in Brunswick Street United Church, Halifax.

FRANK M. HOULIHAN, B.Comm. '76 and LESLIE COLLEEN SIMPSON, B.Comm. '77 in May, 1977 in the Rockingham United Church, Halifax.

MICHAEL PREST, B.A. '75, B.Ed. '76 and Judy Caswell on Sept. 1, 1977 in St. John the Baptist Church, Halifax.

JOHN GALLINAUGH, B.Comm. '74, B.Ed. '76, and CINDY BRITTEN, B.A. '77, on August 6, 1977 at the Canadian Martyrs Church, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

David Magee and KAREN SCOTT, B.A. '74 on June 30, 1977 at Old City Hall, Toronto, Ontario.

EDITORIAL

The Maroon & White publishing and mailing costs during the fiscal year which ended on February 28, 1977 were greater than the total revenue received from membership dues for that period.

This year these costs have escalated even further and, due to more effective work in up-dating our mailing lists, our distribution has increased appreciably.

To maintain this vital link with and between alumni in the face of such mounting costs it has been decided to publish the Maroon & White on newsprint rather than the more expensive book stock.

Religious Studies - Cont'd from front page

need for theology. Now in the world of today, unlike the Middle Ages, professions are so specialized, knowledge is so vast, science has learned so much, that few students can afford three courses in Theology in their university programmes. Very few still do. We have some majors. But the vast majority of students who study courses in this department take only one course.

K. CLEARY: But do you feel that there is an even greater need for people today who are educated in Religion?

FR. MURPHY: I certainly do. Modern culture is more secularist and atheistic than ever before. Catholics more than ever need "the witness of a living and mature faith, namely, one trained to see difficulties clearly and master them" (Vatican II). But students today more than ever before are conscious of freedom. You could not force them to take religion even if you wanted to. And from my viewpoint, the remarkable document of Vatican II on religious freedom indicates that such an approach is not desirable. We provide in our department, as best we can, with limited resources of a faculty of four, an opportunity for students to study religion in many ways. One of these ways is the way of Theology. My courses on the Bible, Jesus of Nazareth, Problems of Contemporary Catholicism are all Theology courses. But I feel that an unbeliever could take these courses and learn about Christianity without feeling pressured to believe.

K. CLEARY: Is Saint Mary's still a Catholic University?

FR. MURPHY: This is not an easy question to answer in a few words. And it will not be decided by our department alone. The Media talk about Protestant pubs and Catholic pubs in Belfast. How two pubs differ, I don't know. Perhaps their denizens have different tastes, interests, or prejudices. But a university is constituted by scholars and students seeking the truth in different ways but always in freedom, respect and dialogue. If a Catholic university means a ghetto where Catholics are fed only Catholic ideas in a sheltered hothouse, this is sad. Equally sad is the secular university which feeds its students only secularism. Christians have no monopoly on faith and dogmatism. Now a person has to preserve his identity, but growth only takes place in the clash and dialogue of ideas and values. Saint Mary's is committed by its charter to give special attention to the Christian values. Surely one of these is the importance of religion. As long as there are people on campus who believe in and study the Christian vision of life and values, I feel Saint Mary's will remain true to its founder's aim and its Catholic tradition of 175 years.

ALUMNI FUND

The 175th Anniversary Alumni Fund was launched in May and first returns are most encouraging. Sufficient funds are on hand to establish the three scholarship trusts—Alumni Christian Brothers of Ireland Scholarship Fund. The Alumni Jesuit Scholarship Fund and The Alumni Scholarship Fund. The first awards will be made next year effective for the 1978-1979 academic year.

The initial response was very good but summer vacation period did bring a noticeable decline in the number of returns. Hopefully, now that the summer is behind us and we have again settled into our regular routine, perhaps we can take action and make our contribution to the Fund by returning a pledge card.

A number of members have verbally commented that they intend to contribute to the Fund and we are all guilty of procrastination. Why not fill out your pledge card today and drop it in the corner letter box?

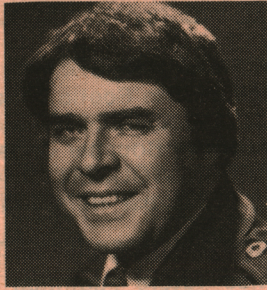
Your University needs the money which the Alumni Association has undertaken to raise. Will you do your part by making a contribution?

You may earmark your donation for any of the designated objectives, or, if you wish, you may select another area of interest to be the recipient of your donation.

How much should you give? Only you can answer that question. Be assured that your contribution is needed and will be put to good use in advancing the work of your University.

MORE GOV'T AID URGED FOR BLIND

By Jenny Jackson
*(The Vancouver Sun:
Thurs., Sept. 1/77)*



ROBERT MERCER
... "driving car just a nuisance"

Robert Mercer has been almost totally blind since birth. But he says it's not as bad as most people think.

Mercer, 29, was recently appointed new director of the B.C.-Yukon region of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind and, like all other CNIB regional directors, he is legally blind.

Mercer said Wednesday it's annoying seeing only shapes and no details or distances, but no cause for despair.

"You know, people are always saying that blindness is the most severe handicap. I think the only people who would disagree with that are blind people."

"I'd love to be able to drive a car. But it's just a nuisance, not the sort of thing that makes you give up."

The youngest CNIB director in Canada, Mercer has his work lined up, starting with a few prods at the provincial government.

He said B.C. is the only province in which not all blind students receive funding for school.

"Sometimes they get it, but very often not," he said.

He said the CNIB needs more government support, not only in financially but in cooperation in services.

"We can't be everything to every person... and we can't do it alone."

He said Canada Manpower is now finding more jobs for blind people because CNIB insisted they do more.

"It used to be very separate. Blind people would go to Manpower and then be sent to CNIB."

Mercer would also like to improve the taped-book libraries in the region. Burnaby, have been really good but others have done nothing at all."

Mercer said CNIB tries not to be paternalistic towards its clients, but sometimes older clients need a little emotional support.

More than half the blind people in B.C. are over 65. They have trouble finding work and often lead a pretty bleak life.

"The (CNIB) visits mean a lot to them," he said.

The Institute played a significant part in Mercer's life, too.

Born in Sydney, N.S., the only place he could go for adequate schooling was 250 miles away at the Halifax School for the Blind.

"I don't think my parents completely understood the problem," Mercer said.

"Their attitude was that if there wasn't an appropriate school in Sydney, then I wouldn't go to school."

"The man from the CNIB finally persuaded them - it took several visits - that if they wanted to make me happy in the long run, they should send me to Halifax."

He went on to St. Mary's University, also in Halifax where he graduated in 1971 with a Bachelor of Commerce degree.

In 1975, he became director of the CNIB Saskatchewan division.

The B.C.-Yukon division, with about 4,000 blind people, is quite a challenge, Mercer said.

"But once I get too comfortable, I should be moved."

(Reprinted with Permission of The Vancouver Sun)

By A.A. Irwin
[The Atlantic Advocate, Sept., 1977]

Practically every day, we hear of a new development in the field of engineering, a new solar heating device, outer space discoveries, energy savers and, in Halifax, we have a unique situation in the profession.

How many fathers in North America have two daughters as well as himself in the engineering field?

Ray Beck, Halifax port manager with the National Harbors Board, is a graduate of St. Mary's University and the Nova Scotia Technical College in civil engineering. He is the father of four girls and a boy. The oldest daughter, Genanne Simms, is a graduate engineer and mother of three boys and is working as a civil engineer with a local company in Halifax. The youngest daughter, 19-year-old Eileen, will begin her second year in engineering at St. Mary's next fall.

ALUMNI HOCKEY GAME

It's time to dust off your S.M.U. banners, polish up your cheers, and come on down to another thrill-packed Huskies hockey game. No, it's not a classic University of Toronto vs. S.M.U. battle this time, nor is it another St. F.X. vs. S.M.U. barnstormer, it's a S.M.U. vs. S.M.U. duel. That's right—S.M.U. vs. S.M.U.! The old and new will clash October 28th at 8:00 p.m. in the Alumni Winter Arena. Saint Mary's Alumni Veterans and Rookies will don their Maroon & White uniforms once more to challenge the 1977-78 Varsity Huskies in what well could be "The Game of the Year."

Stacked with talented players like Terry Cooper, Chuck Goddard, Puddy Reardon, Art Flynn, Wally Shaw, Bob Dauphinee, Al Keith, Denis Gates, Terry Montague, Wayne Keddy, Ken Martin, Bill Doherty, and Brian O'Byrne; the Alumni squad hopes to show their younger counterparts a trick or two, but Bob Boucher & Co. believe their opponents' skills have rusted with inactivity and have no doubts about who the outcome will favour.

The hockey game will be followed directly by a buffet dinner with a sock-hop in the residence cafeteria. Tickets for the buffet dinner and sock-hop are now available at the Alumni Office for \$3.50 per person.

A great opportunity to preview this season's team and to see how the years have "matured" former Huskies. Don't forget—October 28th at 8:00 p.m.

ALUMNUS APPOINTED

GENERAL MANAGER

Robert Shaw,
B. Comm. C.A.



The appointment of Robert W. Shaw as General Manager of Clayton Developments Limited was recently announced by S.E. Acker, President of L.E. Shaw Limited and its wholly owned subsidiary, Clayton Developments Limited.

Bob has held several positions with Clayton since joining the firm in 1971, the most recent as Chief Administrative Officer. Prior to joining the firm he was employed with Peat, Marwick, Mitchell and Company in Halifax.

Bob was President of the Students' Council in his senior year at Saint Mary's University and was presented with a special Senate award for his outstanding contribution to the University. He graduated Cum Laude in Commerce in 1968.

In 1971 he was elected President of the Alumni Association and in 1972 he was elected as one of the Alumni representatives on the Board of Governors of the University and served in that capacity until July 1976. He is married to the former Gretchen Allen and they have three children, two girls and a boy.

PATRONIZE

THE ANNUAL DINNER

Thursday, December 8th 1977

General Chairman	Table Host Chairman
Frank Gervais	Paul Dyer

A FAMILY OF ENGINEERS



Both daughters say their father has never tried to lure them into the engineering profession but both feel that being with him a lot and overhearing conversations with others in the same field possibly did have some influence on them.

Eileen enjoys math and science and, being a curious type, always wonders why and how things work and this is probably the main reason she chose engineering. She spends much time with her father during their free hours and therefore has the opportunity to see many of his engineering problems. She has not decided in which field she will specialize, but, it looks as if it will be either civil or geological engineering.

Genanne first began thinking about the profession when in Grade 10 and many of her friends thought this was a strange path for a girl to follow. She was the first female to graduate in

A REAL CHRISTIAN GENTLEMAN REVEREND BROTHER CHARLES ANGELUS LYNAM, C.F.C. 1897-1977

By Reverend William Pepper, P.P., B.A. '33

The Church of Halifax in the 30's was blessed with a wise and holy teacher in the person of Reverend Brother Charles A. Lynam, who taught mathematics and philosophy at St. Mary's College, Windsor Street, Halifax, Nova Scotia. Brother Lynam, to all who knew him and came under his influence, was a most dedicated religious whose whole life and work was "For the Greater Glory of God" and like that Great Teacher, Jesus, on Whom Brother Lynam modeled his life, he was meek and humble of heart.

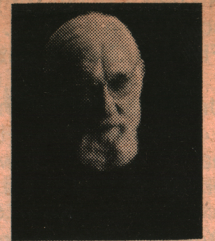
We who were privileged to come in contact with Brother Lynam in the classroom or on the handball alleys learned from him what it meant to love God above all things and our neighbor as ourselves.

On September 8th, 1897, the Feast of the Birth of Mary—Charles Lynam entered the Religious Order of the Irish Christian Brothers in Ireland to prepare himself to be a religious and a teacher of young christian boys and men. On September 8th, 1977—The Feast of the Birth of Mary—at Iona Preparatory School—Wilmot Road—New Rochelle, N.Y., U.S.A. Brother Lynam now retired for some years from his teaching duties celebrated the Eightieth Anniversary of his entrance into the religious life.

On this occasion we, who knew him and were taught by him, join with the members of his Religious Order in thanking the Lord for the graces conferred on the Jubilarian during the past eighty years and we from down east send him our congratulations for what he has attained and achieved during the past 80 years and pray that the future still has a few more good days for him.

FR. BURKE - GAFFNEY

ADDRESSES WORK SHOP



Rev. M.W. Burke-Gaffney, S.J.

Reverend M.W. Burke-Gaffney, S.J., Professor Emeritus in Astronomy, was a guest speaker this summer at a public workshop on "Ministering to the Elderly and Shut-Ins" held at Mount St. Vincent Motherhouse in Halifax.

The famed astronomer, who is now a patient at St. Vincent's Guest House, gave a humorous presentation from his wheel chair.

"It was on my eightieth birthday that I realized that I was getting old," he said.

Father compared his life at the Guest House to a novitiate for death, where he lives close to death, dying and senility, never knowing when "my turn will come." He attributes his serenity in the face of aging and its implications, to his training as a religious.

"Faith moves mountains," said Father, "but we are not told 'how long' it will take. Just because something is a mountain in my mind, I am not excused from attacking. Often our spirituality today is to be found in conflicts. There is a need to face them, knowing that if we don't meet God in the conflicts, we may not meet Him."

engineering from St. Mary's and began with a class of almost 100 students which was eventually reduced to 35 by graduation day.

Her husband is a teacher (Mike holds a B.Sc. from St. Mary's) and many wonder how she always appears to have so much energy, working as an engineer, bringing up three boys, ages one, three and four, and still take part in organizations. She is chairman for the student affairs committee for the Association of Professional Engineers of Nova Scotia. Her hobbies are gourmet cooking, crafts, and making clothes.

Ray Beck, a good-natured man, spends much time with his family. His hobbies are photography and stamp collecting. He has been with the Harbors Board for 31 years.

The Beck household will be one of the very few on the continent where most engineering problems can be solved with father and daughters sitting around the kitchen table.

[Reprinted with permission of The Atlantic Advocate.]

Had a letter from GIBBY CORREIA, B.A. '54 from Saint John, N.B. He is very proud of his son, Christopher's graduation from High School. Why shouldn't he be? Chris won the Governor General's medal, prize for excellence in Social Sciences, Milledgeville North High School trophy for academic excellence and for social activity contribution. He was also Valedictorian. Chris applied to McGill, UNB, Dal and SMU. He chose SMU for his university after being accepted at all four universities. That saved GIBBY "from breaking his arm." GIBBY enclosed a substantial contribution to the Alumni Campaign.

Also had a letter from ROGER HENDERSON. He and other Trinidadians want to establish a branch in Trinidad.

GORDON GEORGE, S.J. has completed his work in Rome and is now stationed in Pickering, Ont., where he will give retreats and aid in the final year of formation of Jesuits.

ROGER LARADE and EARL SMITH have joined the Jesuits at Guelph, Ont.

Among the Jesuits visiting St. Mary's this summer were: GREG. CARRUTHERS, Winnipeg, Manitoba, PATRICK MALONE, Rome, NEVILLE O'NEILL, Garden Village, Ont., JOHN BELAIR, Montreal, EDWIN MERCHANT, Guelph, Ont., RAYMOND OLIVER, Guelph, Ont., JOHN LYNCH, Beardmore, Ont., HENRY NUNN, India, JOHN HALEY, Guelph, Ont., VINCENT MURPHY, St. John's, Nfld., DAVID CREAMER who was ordained last spring, Toronto, Ont., WILLIAM ADDLEY, Toronto, Ont., GEORGE LEACH, Toronto, Ont., CYRIL O'KEEFE, Montreal, JOHN HALL, Montreal, MICHAEL WEAGLE, Moose Jaw, Sask., CHARLES POTTIE, Toronto, JOSEPH JOHNSON, Toronto, PETER LARISEY, Ottawa, EDWARD GRANVILLE, Toronto.

A year ago last July while I was in Montreal to see the Olympic games (as a spectator) I was walking along Queen Mary Road when I was accosted by two other alumni who were visiting Montreal for the same purpose. They were KEVIN AND EILEEN (O'LEARY) CARROLL. It was a happy surprise!

At the games I was watching Basketball and spotted RAY MCDUFF from Yellowknife, NWT. He had to return home earlier than anticipated. He had a ticket for Boxing he would not be using so he gave it to me. The ticket admitted me to the Finals—Great Bouts.

PAT CROSBY, Ottawa, Ontario visited the University this summer.

JIM O'REGAN, Halifax, pulled up his car in the parking area and went out of his way to have a short chat with me.

MIKE WHITTLETON, who is teaching a trade at Queen Elizabeth, will also be taking a course at SMU.

CYRIL MYATT and his wife Theresa (Campbell) who now live in Florida visited family and friends in Dartmouth area.

JIM RADFORD, B.Comm. '52 was on campus to assist his nephew Paul Arsenault in registering for Commerce.

GREGORY LONGERAN, B.Sc. '70 visited here after doing graduate work at U.N.B. He is working on the Spruce Budworm problem.

EDWARD LEAHEY has completed his course as a medical doctor and has gone to Texas (in his new Porsche) to specialize.

FATHER WILFRED MYATT, a Eudist father, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood on Sunday, September 11 at St. Peter's Church, Dartmouth. Father Myatt is at St. Vincent's Guest House, Halifax.

WAI PING LAM, a graduate and former faculty member of SMU, became a full professor at University of Windsor recently. Professor Lam was the first graduate of SMU in Commerce to obtain a Doctorate in Accounting. His Ph.D. degree is from Michigan State University. He had a short visit to Halifax this summer.

DERMOT DOBBIN visited the University from Saint John, New Brunswick.

GERRY CAMERON, B.Sc. '71, a former hockey player for St. Mary's, is now working as a chemist at Wampole Pharmaceutical in Perth, Ontario.

DONALD M. MURPHY, B.Comm. '71 is a Sales Representative for London Life Insurance Company, Halifax, Nova Scotia.



Heather Harris, Tom Sweet, Darryl Burgess and Father Hennessey.

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



E.C. "BAMEY" THOMAS, Dip. Eng. '34, former Dean of Engineering, and his wife Isabel (Marshall) visited family & friends this summer locally. He is living in Calgary, Alberta.

FATHER WILLIAM BURKE, S.J. attended a meeting with fellow Jesuits, including the Superior General, Father Arrupe, in Sri Lanka, the former Ceylon, earlier this year. Father Burke is Provincial in Darjeeling, India.

BROTHER WILLIAM PENNY, B.Sc. '37, now located in California, visited with family and friends during August and golfed with CHRIS GRANT, GEORGE HALEY, JOHN MACINTYRE AND DR. FRED BARTON at Chester and Dartmouth.

TERRENCE MARTIN, B.Comm. about '42 visited this summer.

MILTON VACON, B.Comm. '76 is the field representative for Irwin Dorsey Ltd. Publishers of University Books. They deal mainly in the Business Education area. He is located in Halifax.

DARRYL MAXWELL, B.Comm. '72 is with the Department of National Revenue; customs and excise branch in Ottawa. Darryl is married and has one child, a girl.

ED. HEBERT, B.Comm. '71 has been playing hockey for six years in Europe. He played for West Germany last year. Ed's wife Nickie is teaching in West Germany. They have one child.

KEN CRAWFORD, B.Comm. '69 is practicing law in Halifax.

GREG and Lynda VAUGHAN, B.Comm. '70 were this year's winners of the husband and wife golf tournament held at Brightwood.

BRUCE SMITH, B.Comm. '73 made "the Halifax Loyalist" in July for his astute P.R. in giving the City's story during the then labour relations situation.

MIKE GUILFOY, B.A. '72 is President of the Local of the Union in the Westinghouse Plant in Massachusetts. He is working and completing his M.A. in Mathematics at Boston University.

WILLIAM C. THOMAS is flying the supersonic F-4J jet with a fighter squadron in the Far East. He is stationed on the USS Midway.

ROY DOIRON, B.A. '74, B.Comm. '76 is a marketing representative with Burroughs Business Machines Ltd. in Halifax.

JOSEPH LAPPIN, B.Sc. '76 is studying Law at Dalhousie.

PHIL DUFFY, B.Ed. '72 is working with the Department of Corrections in Ottawa.

EVERETT KELLY, B.Comm. '56 is Financial Officer at the Atlantic School of Theology.

MIKE SAYEAU, B.A. '69 is Director of Personnel and Industrial Relations with Best Foods, a division of C.P.C. International, in Englewood Cliffs, N.J.

GEORGE A. UNSWORTH, C.A., B.Comm. '69 has been admitted to partnership in Touche Ross & Company, Chartered Accountants.

DAVID HOPE, C.A., B.Comm. '61 met CY HANNON, B.Sc. '61, in Boston Airport in May. Cy is Plant Manager with Rockwell in Portland.

TERRY DONAHOE, B.Comm. '64 recently appeared on the hour long C.B.C. National Programme "On the Evidence". He represented the Plaintiff in the action. Another Alumnus, DAN MACDONALD Arts '57, played the part of the Defendant in the action.

JOHN RICHARD, B.A. '61 and his wife Jane and son Kennedy were vacationing in Halifax in July. John has a law practice in Bathurst, N.B.

REVEREND AL BROWN, B.A. '60 is Pastor of the First Baptist Church in Cranford, N.J. He is also Financial Aid Officer at Kean College.

BRIAN E. SMITH, B.A. '75 is working toward a Master of Arts degree at Washington State University. He was a teaching assistant in speech at W.S.U. during the past academic year.

JOEL ATTIS, B.A. '70, JOSEPH ROBERTSON, B.Comm. '74 and WILLIAM M. THOMPSON, B.Comm. '74 received the Bachelor of Laws degree from the University of New Brunswick in May.

JAMES FRASER, B.A. '74, B.Ed. '75 is editor of "Fencing Nova Scotia," the newsletter for the Provincial Association. He is on leave of absence from the Harve Boucher Consolidated School.

TERRENCE WOODEN, B.A. '74, B.Ed. '75 is teaching at Forrest Hills Junior High School in Halifax County.

FATHER HENNESSEY was in Metegan recently to baptise future Alumnus Christopher Keith Hotchkiss.

CAMERON CROWELL, B.A. '71 reports on the happenings in Queen's County for the Halifax Herald.

MIKE PREST, B.A. '75, B.Ed. '76 is teaching in Special Education at George P. Vanier Junior High in Westfall, N.S.

JAMES BARRETT, B.A. '69, IAN DONAHOE, B.A. '71, B.Ed. '73, IRENE HEALEY, B.A. '73, VAL LEBLANC, B.Comm. '74, BARBARA MAC-ADAM, B.A. '69, B.Ed. '70, DANA MACKAY, B.A. '72, JOHN RAFFERTY, B.A. '71, B.Ed. '73, PETER ROSS, B.A. '70 and DAVID RUBIN, B.Comm. '74 were among those who received the Bachelor of Laws Degree from Dalhousie University in May, 1977.

ROSS HAYNES, B.Comm. '72 is active with the Canadian Bar Association's Committee on Public Education. He is practicing law in Halifax.

RAY GILL, B.A. '74 is director of Food Services at Saint Mary's for Saga Foods.

DR. DENIS FALVEY, B.Sc. '70 and DR. HANDRICK FONG, B.Sc. '73 were awarded the Degree of Doctor of Medicine at the May Convocation of Dalhousie University.

WILLIAM LINTON, B.Comm. '75 and LAWRENCE MURRAY, B.Comm. '74 were awarded their C.A. this past spring. We missed them in the June issue.

The wedding of JOHN GALLINAUGH, B.Comm. '74, B.Ed. '76, and CINDY BRITTEN, B.A. '77 provided an occasion for a number of out of town Alumni to return to the campus. Among those present for the festivities were: PETER STEVENS, GREG REDDING, MICKEY RYAN, PAUL STEWART, KEVIN and BONNIE CONNOLLY, PAUL BENSON, PETER HALPIN, DENNIS BYRNE, JACK LUSHD, BRENDA PILKINGTON, MICKEY FOX, DANNY BRUCE, MARGIE HOPKINS, TAPS GALLAGHER.

MARY J. POWER, B.A. '70 married Richard Brackett and lives in Pasadena, Newfoundland.

MICHAEL HORNBY, C.A., B.Comm. '68 announced, on September 6, 1977 the opening of an office for the practise of Chartered Accountancy under the name of Hornby & Tinkham in Dartmouth, Nova Scotia.

ROBERT IRWIN, B.A. '76 is teaching Grade I at Chate School in Northern Alberta.

JUDY MULLALY, B.A. '76 is working in Fort McMurray.

ANNA HARRIS, is a guidance counsellor in Fort McMurray.

DAVID MORIARTY, B.A. '68 is flying with Air Canada.

MICHAEL CANNON, B.A. '69 has changed jobs from the N.H.L. Players' Association to involvement with the Toronto Blue Jays baseball organization. He also was recently married (on 23 August) to a nurse from Toronto.

DICK MUISE, B.Sc. '71 is opening a MacDonald's Franchise in New Minas.

BIRTHS

A daughter to Ian and Donna Leadley (nee Thibodeau) of Halifax on June 29, 1977.

A son to Richard and Peggy Morley (nee O'Neill) of Ontario on July 7, 1977.

A daughter to Rodger and Karen Middleton (nee MacLeod) of Halifax on June 29, 1977.

A son to Billy and Kathy Greenwood (nee Mann) of Halifax on July 27, 1977.

A son to Dr. and Mrs. Michael Antle (nee Christine Hartling, R.N.) of Riverview, New Brunswick on July 25, 1977.

A daughter to Paul and Marie Christie (nee Day) of Dartmouth on August 18, 1977.

A son to Paul and Pauline O'Leary (nee Shideler) on August 8, 1977 in Ottawa.

A son by adoption to Bruce and Colleen Clark on June 18, 1977.

A daughter to Gerry and Lucille Cameron on August 18, 1977 in Perth, Ontario.

A son to Bruce and Margaret Hopkins (nee Jollimore) on May 12, 1977 in Halifax.

A son to Michael and Debbie Baker (nee McGowan) of Burlington, Ontario on August 26, 1977.

A son to Keith and Mary Ann Hofchkiss on August 6, 1977.