D.J. O'CONNELL

G.L. THESING

SDU Economics, Mathematics Appointments Announced

Msgr. G.A. Macdonald, president of St. Dunstan's University, recently announced the appointment of D. Joseph O'Connell, MA, and Gary L. Thesing, MA, to the SDU staff. Mr. O'Connell is in the economics department and Mr. Thesing is in the mathematics department. Both men have been at SDU since the college year began in September.

Mr. O'Connell was born in Sydney, N.S. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree from St. Francis Xavier University and his Master of Arts degree from the University of Toronto.

He also took an additional three years of post-graduate study, two at the University of Toronto and one at the University of Ottawa.

Mr. O'Connell is a former manager of the Sydney credit union and credit manager of Eastern Co-operative Services, Sydney. He taught for two and one-half years at St. Francis Xavier University and for two years at Mt. St. Vincent College in Halifax. He also previously taught for one year, 1951-52, at SDU.

He is a past president of the National Association of Canadian Credit Unions and a past international vice-president of the Credit Union National Association. In these positions he was guest speaker at the Rhode Island Credit Union League in 1962, and at the 25th anniversary of the Saskatchewan Credit Union League in 1963.

Mr. O'Connell was also chairman of the committee representing credit unions and co-operative credit societies which appeared before the Royal Commission on banking and finance in Ottawa in 1962.

Mr. Thesing is a native of Dodge City, Kansas. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree from St. Mary of the Plains College, Dodge City and his Master of Arts degree from Notre Dame University, South Bend, Indiana.

He has also taken courses at Wichita University, Emporia State College and Colorado University.

Mr. Thesing had three years teaching experience in the United States before coming to SDU. He also spent one year in the employ of Boeing Aircraft Co., Ltd.

He was president of the student body at college, and as a teacher was one of a select few chosen out of more than 500 applicants by the National Science Foundation for a year's study at Notre Dame.

Mr. Thesing is a member of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics and of the Mathematics Association of America.

Native Islander Priest Retires

Monsignor A. L. McIntyre and Rev. Athol Murray, a college friend he had not seen for 46 years, got together recently in Nelson, BC. for a happy reunion which was also the retirement reception for the Monsignor who has long since been known affectionately as "Father Mac", parish priest at St. Mary's Roman Catholic church for the past 25 years.

"The Prospector," in Nelson notes that "it was a gala occasion when the two friends met again after the long separation—Father Murray is the head of Notre Dame College at Wilcox, Saskatchewan—Mount Baker auditorium was filled to capacity as Catholic and Protestant friends of "Father Mac" gathered to pay tribute to the beloved Monsignor on his retirement.

Monsignor McIntyre has had a most interesting career, and The Guardian is grateful to his nephew, Rev. Wendell McIntyre, St. Michael's College, Toronto for the following story on the life of this most unusual man:

He was born at Selkirk, P.E.I., on July 15, 1882, to Peter McIntyre and Catherine McCormack. He was a member of a family of 12—seven boys and five girls. Now only two remain of that family, Rt. Rev. A. L. McIntyre, and Michael McIntyre on the homestead at Selkirk. Peter McIntyre, the father, was a nephew of Bishop McIntyre, the third or fourth bishop of Charlottetown.

SDU GRADUATE

Rt. Rev. A. L. McIntyre received his early education in the local school at Armadale, and entered St. Dunstan's University in 1900, graduating from this institution in 1907. Following graduation, he went west' and worked at several forms of employment—railway building, lumbering, skipper on a steamer, school-teaching, construction work.

After enrolling in the first class at St. Augustine's Seminary in Toronto, he was ordained to the priesthood on May 12, 1918 for the Archdiocese of Vancouver, B.C.

Following ordination, he returned to the west, and for twenty years labored as a missionary, travelling the interior of B.C. on foot, on horse, by canoe, bringing the word of God to thousands yet unacquainted with religion in any form.

He built three churches during his missionary period. In 1939 he succeeded Rt. Rev. J. C. MacKenzie (also an Islander) as pastor at St. Mary's Church in Cranbrook, B.C., where he now resides in well-merited retirement.

MONSIGNOR IN 1949

He was named Monsignor in December 1949 by His Holiness Pope Pius XII.

Msgr. McIntyre has paid several visit to his home in Selkirk, and, only this past summer, spent six weeks on the Island which he still holds in great affection. He was an honored guest at this year's annual meeting of the St. Dunstan's Alumni Association.

In response to a request made by himself to his bishop, he was relieved of his pastoral duties as of July 1 of this year. However, as he declares, "there are still many things I can do here at St. Mary's, and I am going to do them."

Teams Tie In Duplicate Bridge Play

Teams of Rogers - Rogers, playing North and South, and Forsythe - MacLeod, playing East and West, led in duplicate bridge play at the Charlottetown Hotel this week with 109 points each. Fourteen tables were in play. Standings are:

NORTH-SOUTH	
Rogers-Rogers	109
Bell-Larabee	103
Duffy-MacMillan	97
Green-Farmer	96
DeBlois-Buntain	94
EAST-WEST	
Forsythe-MacLeod	109
Miller-Gaudet	103
Hambly-MacDonald	100
Cotton-Palmer	93
Cuticliffe-Cuticliffe	93

Men Convicted Of Selling Liquor

In city police court yesterday Arthur Alton Chandler and William Alfred MacLeod, both of Charlottetown, were each fined $200 and costs or three months for illegally selling liquor, by Magistrate A. J. Haslam QC.

Charles W. Young, Vernon, and Charles Ostridge, Mt. Stewart, were each fined $10 and costs or five days for failing to stop at a red traffic light. The latter was also fined $10 and costs or five days for driving a car with defective brakes.

Charged with possession of stolen goods, Wilfred Thomas Hughes, Charlottetown, was remanded until Dec. 8.

Ernest M. Barrett, Charlottetown, charged with assault was remanded until Dec. 19.

For speeding, George Joseph Proctor of Hunter River was fined $12 and costs or three days.

Ralph Edward Arsenault of Charlottetown was remanded until Nov. 25 for vagrancy.

A Charlottetown man was fined $5 and costs or two days for failing to stop at a stop sign.

Allied Youth Post Organized At C. Queens

Central Queens Regional High School recently organized an Allied Youth group. This is the first time such a group has been organized in this school.

On Nov. 23 the group had Keith Ellinwood, an authority on alcohol problems, address the assembly. Accompanying Mr. Ellingwood was David Boswell, director of physical education and alcohol studies for the province.

The sponsor for the CQRH AY is Eugene Wynne.

The following students were appointed to the respective posts: president, Wayne MacPherson; secretary-treasurer, Louise Sellar; projects, Kendell MacKenzie, publicity, J u l i a Knox; membership — Leith Orr, socials, Rose Marie Gallant.

St. Augustine's Home And School Holds Session

SOUTH RUSTICO —St. Augustine's School H o m e and School Association held its monthly meeting recently in the school with regular reports from the various committees being heard.

The meeting decided to hold the next association meeting in January bacause the teachers are busy preparing for the Christmas exams and activities.

The meeting was then addressed by the school principal Sister St. Marguerite, who requested a projector for the school, which was approved by the association.

The highlight of the meeting was an address by Mrs. Norman MacRae, RN, who spoke on the beginning of public health nursing on P.E.I. and outlined the duties of a public health nurse. She was thanked by the principal.

PAMELA KEIRSTEAD

Appointment Announced To PWC Staff

The appointment of Pamela Keirstead to the staff of Prince of Wales College was announced recently. Miss Keirstead joins the English Department, and is also Assistant Dean of the women's residence, Montgomery Hall.

In addition, she is also devoting a great deal of time, interest and energy in assisting in the Physical Education Department of the College. She is active in coaching the girls' basketball and volleyball teams. It is her hope that there will develop sufficient interest in volleyball to warrant a women's league on the Island.

Miss Kierstead, whose home was previously in Toronto, graduated from the University of New Brunswick with the degree of Bachelor of Arts. After a period of working as a journalist in Ontario, Miss Keirstead decided to maintain the occupational pattern set by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Keirstead and her brother, all of whom are teachers.

In addition to her interest in writing, she is a keen fan and participant in athletics, especially tennis, badminton, basketball, and volleyball.

Y's Men's Club Will Sponsor Scout Groups

MONTAGLE — A group of Montague Boy Scouts motored to Charlottetown last Saturday to swim at the YMCA pool. This was made possible through the local Y's Men's Club and weekly swimming privileges have been scheduled for the winter months.

It was announced by Arnold Wightman, chairman for the Boy Scout committee, that the Montague Y's Men have agreed to take over the sponsorship of the local Boy Scout and Cub groups.

Taxpayers Trying To Meet Deadline

Taxpayers in the city of Charlottetown will endeavor to beat the Dec. 31 tax deadline and a noticeable upswing in tax collections is expected by city officials.

Collections to date this year are $1,111,109 compared to $1,110,675 in 1963, the city tax office said yesterday morning.

However, Comptroller John Butler said several larger taxpayers, whose assessments had been appealed, are expected to pay their amounts before the end of this month and for this reason he anticipated a noticeable increase by the end of November.

Another important factor in tax collections is the coming civic election next February. Only citizens whose taxes are paid in full can vote in the election—or for that matter even nominate themselves as candidates.

In the coming election, residents of Wards 1, 2 3 and 6 will vote for Water Commissioners and for Mayor. Those in Wards 4 and 5, in addition to voting for Mayor and Water Commissioners will also vote for City Councillors with two seats in Ward 4 and three in Ward 5.

The legislative session of 1963 amended the city of Charlottetown Act of Incorporation and extended the term of Mayor and five Councillors in order to provide for a 'continuity of government' by assuring there would not be a complete 'green' Council. This year elections were held in Wards 1, 2, 3 and 6 for Councillors only.

A breakdown of the civic tax collections so far (with last year's figures in brackets) is as follows: real estate $622,658 ($599,914); motor vehicle and business, $316,247 ($335,421 — this also included personal property tax which is no longer assessed); education $52,418 ($60,038); arrears $119,785 ($115,299).

ANCIENT CEMETERY

The Jewish cemetery in New York City, which dates back to 1682, is believed to be the oldest in the U.S.

Acadia Alumni Of Province To Meet President Thursday

Thursday evening at the Confederation Center, Charlottetown, the Acadia University Alumni of the Island and a number of friends of the university will honor President Dr. J. M. R. Beveridge at a "Meet the President" reception and dinner at 6:30 p.m.

Accompanying Dr. Beveridge will be the executive vice-president, Mr. Norman Moore and Rev. Dr. I. Judson Levy recently appointed chaplain of the university.

Under the leadership of Mr. Moore, the university is in the midst of a five year campaign to raise more than $7,000,000 for urgently needed enlarged facilities to provide higher education for a constantly increasing number of students now totalling almost 1,400. The campaign was launched in 1963 and a substantial part of the objective has been realized. A new library was recently completed and in the plans for the future are a new dining hall and a new men's residence.

Dr. Levy is well known in the province having served as pastor of the First Baptist Church in Charlottetown from 1940 to 1947 and has since filled important pastorates throughout Canada. Long identified with youth work Dr. Levy brings a wealth of experience to Acadia as he assumes the role of university chaplain.

MADEIRA DISCOVERER

The Portuguese explorer Gonsalves Zarco is recognized as having discovered the island of Madeira in 1420.

FIRST AID INSTRUCTORS' COURSE FOR TEACHERS

A First Aid Workshop for both elementary and secondary school teachers will be conducted in Charlottetown by the Prince Edward Island Red Cross, beginning at 1:00 p.m. Monday, December 28, 1964, and concluding at noon on December 31, 1964.

A teacher successfully completing the course will become a qualified First Aid Instructor.

All teachers who plan to take the course are requested to inform the Department of Education, Charlottetown, no later than Saturday, December 5, 1964.

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