



# '69 EDITION LOOKS GOOD

## Tiger Coach

Dick Loiselle is the new Head Football Coach of the Dalhousie Tigers. Harvey Scott, former Head Coach, is now the chief mentor at the University of Alberta.

Loiselle has a wealth of sports experience and has been an assistant Coach with the Tigers since 1964. He began his football career with Bishop Bradley High School in Manchester, N.H. where he was team captain in his senior year, got the nod as a member of the All-State team in his junior and senior years and in his final



year reached the pinnacle of success in High School Football when he was named All-American.

After graduation he played two years with the University of New Hampshire and in 1961 moved to St. Mary's University where in his first year was named Most Valuable Player.

After several years with the

Experience will be one of the assets of the offense and leading the Bengal attack will be 200-pound halfback Bob Lewington. Lewington has had an outstanding career with the club, having been named Dal Rookie of the Year in 1967 and Most Valuable Player in 1968. He led the team in rushing the first season and last year received recognition from other teams in the conference when he was named to the All Conference team.

John Farrell, 1968 Rookie of the Year, shared the quarterbacking duties last season and is

expected to be a candidate for All Conference honors this season.

The Tigers have a host of big tough linemen including Eric Thompson, an offensive guard that won the team award for Most Valuable Lineman in 1967, Dave Amirault, another offensive guard who won the lineman award last season as a rookie and John Candiotta, a defensive end in past years who has slimmed down to 206 pounds and will play offensive end.

Centre Norval Dunfee, another junior has in Loiselle's words

"reported in the best shape of his career at Dal", while the Tiger coaching staff is looking for improved performances from halfback Bruce McLellan.

Tackle Peter Longarini will anchor a defence that has shown improvement particularly in the past two seasons. Longarini weighs in at 240 and after only one season with the club, Loiselle says, "He is one of the best defensive linemen in the league". Prior to joining Dal in 1967 he was a top performer at the Hamilton Tiger Cats rookie camp.

Fred Tokaryk has added 20 pounds to bring his weight to solid 235 and he is expected to be tough at defensive tackle while experience will be the watchword with Bill McLeod as he starts his third year at defensive halfback.

Back from the 1967 squad are centre Walter Thompson, defensive tackle Hugh Nicholson and defensive halfback Ken Minaker. Minaker was one of the heroes for the Tigers in their upset win over St. Mary's in 1967, intercepting two passes.

## NEW FACES

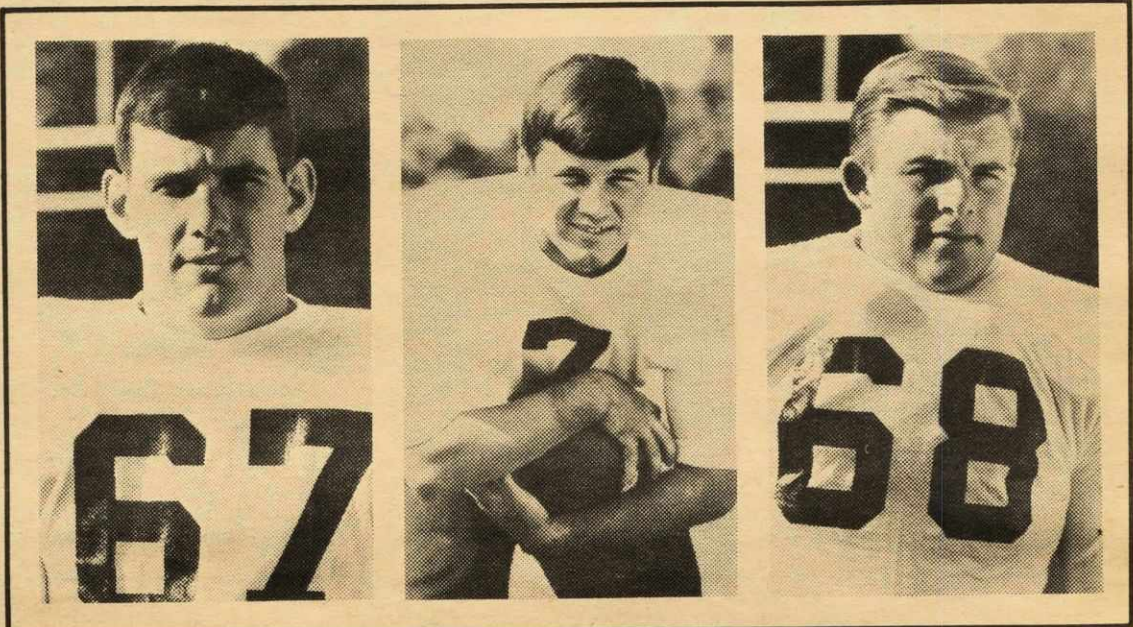
The quality of the football teams at Dalhousie has increased significantly during the past two years. This is due, in part, to the increased player recruitment from areas outside the Halifax area. Many players have stood out in their rookie years. Tigers such as Lewington and de la Mothe have become familiar names among many Dal football fans. Here are some new rookies to watch for.

Rick Rivers (6', 180 lbs.) from Hamilton Ontario is a quarterback who played with Burlington Braves and was invited to the Hamilton Tigercat Camp two years in a row.

Alan Alexander (6', 215) is a fullback and is also from Hamilton via the Burlington Braves. A member of the Montreal Alouettes Football Camp. Tom Cross (6', 185) is a half-back from Dartmouth who played for Prince Andrew High School.

Bud Snow (6', 210 lbs.) is another fullback from Hamilton and is a real threat to any defense.

City of Halifax Recreation Department, Loiselle was appointed last year as a full time member of the Dalhousie Athletic Department.



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