

# TIGERS DROP TWO TO XAVERIANS

DAL GIVES VAUNTED X-MEN RUN FOR IT PROPPER, WHALEN, WOODWARD SHINE

St. F. X.'s power-laden basketball team made that University's invasion of Dalhousie a complete success last Saturday night when the cage squad downed the Dal Varsity, 52-42, in the Dal gym. The visitors jumped off to an early lead and never relinquished it although the Tigers closed the gap to two points midway through the second half. Led by the brilliant Hank Propper and Lorne Whalen, the Xaverians used their fast break to good advantage and bottled up the Dal attack with a tight man-to-man defense when the Tigers started to move.

The first half was slow and was saved from being a complete bore by the great performance of Propper. This operator not only does a bulk of St. F. X.'s scoring, but sets up numerable other scores with his fine passing. It wasn't until Propper left the game late in the first half that the Gold and Black could do any consistent scoring in the first period. The winners held a 24-to-10 advantage at the end of the first twenty minutes of play.

At the start of the second half, the Tigers looked like a much different team, however, as they started to drive and hit consistently. Paced by the outstanding play of Charlie Connolly and Don Woodward, the losers closed the margin to two points. But with the Xaverians leading 28 to 26, Propper again sparked a new attack for the winners, and they hit for ten straight points to settle the outcome. In the final five minutes the two teams gen-

erally matched each other point for point. Dal's star performer in this game, Charlie Connolly, had to retire late in the second half when he sustained a charley horse in his right leg.

Three men, Propper and Whalen of St. F. X. and Woodward of the Tigers, tied for top scoring honors with 15 points each. Woodward, excelling on passing and dribbling, was a vital cog in the losers' attack. Connolly was all over the floor and proved a tower of strength for the Tigers on both offense and defense. In addition to Propper, Whalen and Kyte were particularly noticeable for the Anigonish squad.

The Line-ups: St. F. X.—Propper 15, Whalen 15, Kyte 8, McLean 5, Hanusiak 3, Mifflin 2, McNeill 2, O'Sullivan 2, Bond. DAL — Woodward 15, Connolly 7, Pritchard 6, MacDonald 5, Morrison 1, Rogers 8, Tanner, MacKay, Gossac, Mahon.

## Juniors Leap First Hurdle In Nova Scotia Play downs

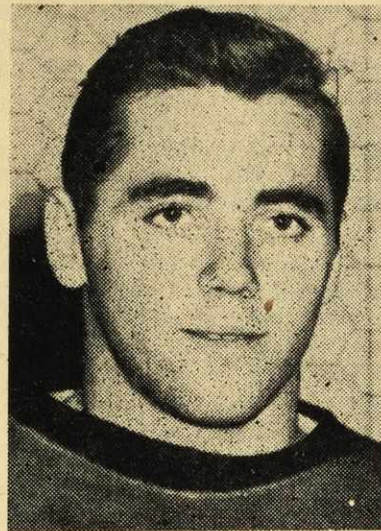
The Dal Junior Tigers won the first game of a two-game, total point playoff series for the Nova Scotia Junior championship last Monday night when they defeated the Acadia Juniors, 31-24, at Wolfville. The Axemen made good use of their small floor, and effectively squelched Dal's attack. But the winners had too

much power to be completely stopped, and won going away.

Leading at the half, 14-11, the Axemen faded in the second period, led by Dee Shaw, Dal took the lead and never relinquished it.

The second game of the series will be played at the Dal gym Saturday afternoon.

## Wee Willy



Shown above is Wee Willy Robertson, the left wing flash of the Dalhousie hockey Tigers (and the Halifax Crescents), who was knocked out of hockey with a broken leg in the first period of the game between Crescents and St. Mary's the other night. Willy has been slowed right down to a limp as he hobbles about on cast and cane. The loss of Robertson means the loss of a great deal of the Tiger's scoring punch, but his team-mates have set themselves the objective of winning the Maritime championship without him — and for him.

## KINGSMEN CRUSH PINE HILL

The King's Blues virtually assured themselves of the Dalhousie Interfaculty Hockey League championship Monday as they skated to an easy 9-1 win over the Pine Hill. The theologues failed to organize an attack at any time and the Kingsmen broke up their plays and initiated offensives of their own with ease. Doc Morrisson, fleet King's wingman, was the outstanding figure on the ice, leading his team to victory with three goals and two assists. Ross Hamilton scored the only goal for Pine Hill on a passout from behind the cage which deflected in off goalie Doug Troop's back.

By virtue of their win, King's takes a 9-1 lead in the two game — total goal series for the league honors.

FLASH — Led by Doc Morrisson with two goals, King's captured the Interfaculty hockey title at the Arena Thursday as they defeated Pine Hill 5-1. Other King's goals went to Buck MacKillop, Tim Harley and Gordie Read.

SUMMARY  
First Period;  
1. KING'S — Morrisson (Wilson) 1.00

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## DAL PROTESTS GAME ON DISPUTED GOAL ST. F. X. USED GOALIE AS GOAL JUDGE

St. Francis Xavier, in a bitterly fought battle at the Forum at the Halifax Forum Saturday, eked out a 7-5 win over the Dalhousie Tigers to tighten their hold on first place in the Intercollegiate Hockey League standings.

The score at the end of the first period was 2-1 for Dalhousie, with Reardon and Malloy the marksmen for the Tigers and big Dunc MacIntyre for St. F. X. MacIntyre's goal was a screened shot from the wing which bounced off an arm and Leslie had no chance. Shorty MacDougall great style for the Xaverians.

The second period was scoreless, and Leslie and MacDougall were rising to the harder shots to handle, but MacIntyre and Cleary were ever dangerous on the St. F. X. attack.

Robertson's disputed marker was the first action in a scoring way in the third period. Willy got the puck in front of the net and fired from point blank range. The puck bounced off the boards behind the net and the light went on. Then it went off. It appeared that Marty MacIntyre, the St. F. X. regular goal-keeper was the goal-judge, which violated the C.A.H.A. rule that a member of a team shall not be permitted to goal-judge. After a tremendous rhubarb, referee "Rock" Sullivan faced the puck in the corner amid a chorus of boos, and the game was continued. A few minutes later Churchill-Smith scored the neatest goal of the game as he was left uncovered in front of the net after Willy Robertson had made a brilliant play to set him up. Then came a penalty to MacMillan for tripping. It was an odd penalty because Rosie kept possession of the puck during the whole play. Nevertheless, he went off, the Dalhousie defence fell to pieces, and St. F. X. pumped in three goals to take the lead 4-3 with about four minutes left to play. The stunned Tigers recovered, and after several near misses "Windy" passed in the tying goal. The large crowd came close to going wild, but they composed themselves for the overtime which was now inevitable.

The tired Tigers fell apart in the overtime. The first goal came as Chaisson fooled O'Neill as Windy was trying to stickhandle

out of his own zone. Chaisson passed to Cleary, who had no one to beat but Leslie. The Tigers went wide open trying to get that one back and the Xaverians scored twice more on breakaways. Robertson got one back, but the game was gone.

Superior conditioning told in the latter stages of the game, but the Dal team, and the hundreds of supporters who cheered them on feel that the final score should have been 5-4 for Dal on Robertson's goal which would have made the overtime unnecessary. Dunc MacIntyre and Shorty MacDougall were the outstanding men on the ice, but Leslie matched the respected MacDougall shot for shot until the third period decay which affected the whole team.

### SUMMARY

- First Period;  
1. DALHOUSIE — Reardon (O'Neill)  
2. St. F. X. — MacIntyre (Scat-alone)  
3. DALHOUSIE — Malloy (Reardon) shots — by Dal 14, by St. F. X. 10.  
Second Period;  
Scoring — none.  
shots by Dal 12, by St. F. X. 12.  
Third Period;  
4. DALHOUSIE — Churchill-Smith (Robertson)  
5. St. F. X. — MacDougall (MacIntyre)  
6. St. F. X. — MacDougall (MacIntyre)  
7. St. F. X. — Cleary (MacIntyre, Chaisson)  
8. DALHOUSIE — O'Neill (Graves) penalties — Woodford, MacMillan, Chaisson.  
shots — by Dal 8, by St. F. X. 10.  
Overtime Period;  
9. St. F. X. — Cleary (Chaisson)  
10. St. F. X. — Chaisson.  
11. St. F. X. — Chouinard.  
12. DALHOUSIE — Robertson (Churchill-Smith) shots — by Dal 3, by St. F. X. 6.

## Dal Gals Edge Mt. Allison In Closely Contested Game

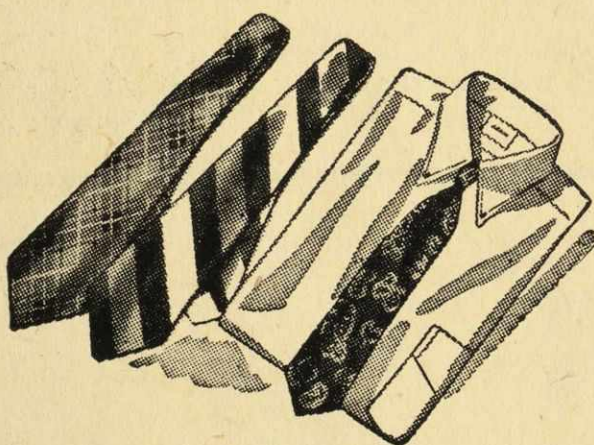
The Dal Tigresses clawed their way to a very fine 17-16 win over the newly crowned Maritime champions, Mount Allison. Throughout the game the tendency was towards fast action and the uncertainty which had

been noted in Mt. A's second team was not to be seen in their varsity outfit. The guarding throughout the game was excellent - Betty Petrie for Dal was on top of the ball at every opportunity, while Tubbs was Mt. A's outstanding guard. The score at the end of the first quarter was Mt. A 4 Dal 3. However Dal enjoyed an edge in the scoring in the second period, and the score at the half became 9-8 for the Tigresses.

After the third quarter had produced only two baskets, one to each team, both sides cut loose in a scoring way in the final frame. The period was rough, and some of the players seemed to spend more time on the floor than on their feet. However, the best Mt. A. could get on the exchange was a split on the points, and the game ended with Dal cut in front by one point still, 17-16.

2. KING'S — Markey (Coles) 5.35  
3. KING'S — Piggott (Morrisson, MacKillop) 15.42 penalties—Wilson, Flewelling.  
Second Period;  
4. PINE HILL — Hamilton 1.10  
5. KING'S — MacKillop (Morrisson) 3.15  
6. KING'S — Morrisson 10.08  
7. KING'S — Read (Flewelling) 13.45  
8. KING'S — Harley (Read, Murphy) 17.20 penalty — Slaven.  
Third Period;  
9. KING'S — Coles 5.13  
10. KING'S — Morrisson (Piggott) 17.00 penalties — Morrisson, Leight.

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