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## Climo Trophy Given Outstanding Athlete

The Climo Trophy is awarded each year to the Dalhousie sportsman who most exemplifies team spirit and is an outstanding athlete. Not necessarily given to the highest scorer it is awarded to the player on some Dalhousie team who, in the considered opinion of the committee, most represents the ideals of fair-play and general sportsmanship in his athletic activities.

The award was donated by a Halifax photographer, C. H. Climo, in order to further good sportsmanship at the university.

The winner of the award, announced on Munro Day, marks the highlight of presentation of the athletic awards.



Joanne Murphy  
Meds



Mary Chisholm  
Law



Sally Roper  
Pine Hill

## Honor Award Given Outstanding Student

The highest tribute that can be given to any undergraduate at Dalhousie is the Malcolm Honor Award, presented in honor of the memory of James Malcolm who lost his life in 1903 while trying to save the life of a swimming companion.

James Malcolm was a great athlete and a student who won the respect of his fellow scholars because he was a gentleman on the football field and off it. In 1927 an award was established to "perpetuate his memory".



Sheila MacDonald  
Arts & Science



Gerry Grant  
Engineers

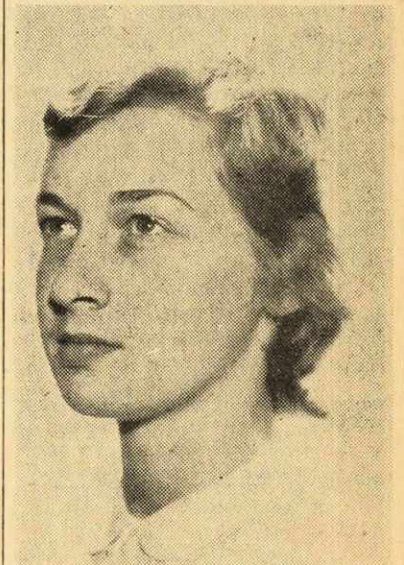


Donnie MacLeod  
Pharmacy

## Bob Walter Award Given To Engineer

Among the more coveted honors presented annually is the Bob Walter Award, which is given to the graduating Engineer chosen by his fellow students for the greatest all-round merit. Recipients must excel in four distinct departments; executive ability, sports, general popularity and academic standing.

Bob Walter, in whose memory the award is given was one of the most popular Engineering students at Dal before the war graduating in 1940. A few months later he was dead as the result of a hunting accident, and the Engineering Society subsequently established the award in memory of his outstanding qualities.



Ann Ruth Harris  
King's



Barb Davison  
Dentistry

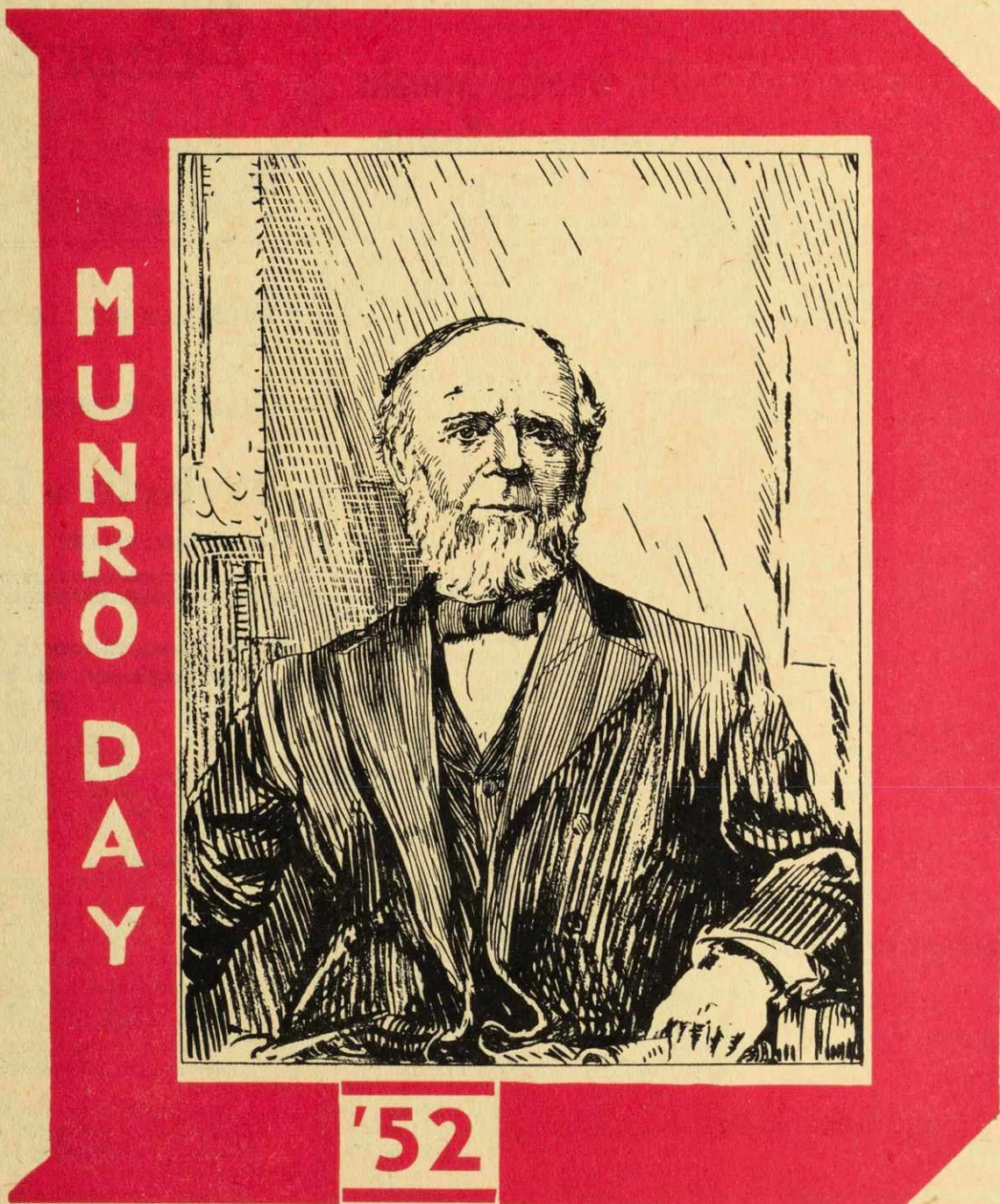


Estelle MacLean  
Commerce

## Pan Hellenic Award Presented Freshette

Emblematic of all-round merit the Pan Hellenic Award is presented annually to the outstanding freshette. Recipients must excel in four departments: athletic participation, executive ability, academic standing and general popularity, thus ensuring the "all-round" nature of the award.

Presented by Pan Hellenic, the executive organization to which the two women's fraternities on the campus belong, the award is a silver cup with the year and the name of the winner engraved on it. Freshette prizes.



## George Munro First In Long Line Of Dalhousie Benefactors

On July 9th, 1891, the Students of Dalhousie presented a petition to the Board of Governors asking that a day be set aside as a permanent memorial to George Munro, one of Dalhousie's earliest and most generous benefactors. At a particularly crucial period in Dalhousie's history George Munro was a tower of strength to the University. But for his generosity, and the interest he generated throughout the province in Dalhousie, the University might have been compelled to close its doors. Apart from smaller gifts, George Munro endowed four University chairs in all the then existing faculties, which still bear his name, after almost three quarters of a century. A distinguished Nova Scotian as well as a generous patron of Dalhousie, this province can well remember annually the man who did more for this University than any other man in its history.

The alacrity with which the Board of Governors responded to the request of the students of the University is adequate testimony of the respect in which he was still held. His contemporaries in the University may have been forgotten by that time, but his memory was still alive in the grateful minds of the University. The Governors set aside the third Wednesday of January of each year as "The George Munro Memorial Day," which was celebrated as such for forty years, after which the name was shortened to "Munro Day," the name which it now bears.

In 1928, when the name was changed, President Stanley MacKenzie reviewed the history of Dalhousie's benefactors before a gathering which included men who themselves had played no small part in the shaping of the destinies of the University. Present on that occasion was the then Right Honourable (later Viscount)

R. B. Bennett, one of Dalhousie's great benefactors, who himself paid tribute to the memory of the man whose name the day bears.

Since that date the memory of all our benefactors has been associated with Munro Day and no Dalhousie student who takes advantage of the occasion should forget the men who made this University what it is, and the fact that but for their generosity, Maritime education would have suffered severely. In 1938, according to the official records the Senate again considered the holiday, and decided that it should be held on the second Tuesday in March of each year. On Tuesday Dalhousie students will have the traditional holiday before exams; more than that, they will celebrate the fact that the University has been able to depend for almost a century upon the magnanimity of men like George Munro.