

Special Meeting of  
D.G.D.S. October 13  
12:15 p.m.  
Room 218, Arts Bldg.  
Nominations for  
President

Freshie-Soph Dance  
Friday, Oct. 9  
No Beanies Man,  
Just Be There!

# BACK TO THE GRIND

## Payroll Bounces With Fourteen New Profs

"The special reason," said Dr. Kerr last Tuesday "for Convocation is to introduce new members of the staff and to welcome new students." If the former was made somewhat awkward because of the absence of a number of professors, the latter was made especially warm by the President as he stressed the uniqueness and vitality of the individual student.

Fourteen new professors and lecturers have arrived this year in the faculties of Arts and Science, Law, Dentistry and Medicine. Especially to be noted is the appointment of Dr. Kenneth Rozee to the Faculty of Medicine. Dr. Rozee was the recipient last spring of Dalhousie's first Ph.D.

It was also announced that F. R. Hayes (Head of the Biology Department) is to be the director of the new Institute of Oceanography. Concurrent appointments to the Institute also include E. H. Anthony (Ph.D. Cambridge) and Dr. Teal (Ph.D. Harvard). Comparable to the Oceanography Institute at the University of British Columbia, it has been founded for both teaching and research.

In Dr. Kerr's closing address, in addition to his emphasis on the freshening of the University spirit through the influx of youth every fall, he also exhorted the new students to steep themselves in the his-



This photo was taken an instant after a group of Freshmen found a bodiless foot in a shoe. The gentleman in front fainted dead away and the unfortunate Frosh has yet to be found. —Photo by Acker

## THE SPIRITS RIDE AGAIN

Screaming freshmen once again herald the fall, and once again those malevolent hounders of the dispirited, the comzealously begun their labours of lighting small fires under the obviously uninterested. The name "Pepcats," for those who are wondering, has been retired in favour of something more dignified (!!!?)

♦ Aided and abetted by an enthusiastic freshman class, a winning football team and Fraternity Open houses and further fortified by a year's hard-earned experience, the committee's efforts have gotten off to the most successful start in years. For once a year has begun with a full set of cheerleaders' uniforms on hand, and the band has the best supply of equipment it has possessed in many a day. The organization is further blessed with the persons of Sharon Wood, sophomore cheerleader director, and Tommy Vickery, band leader. Both bring a tremendous amount of experience and enthusiasm to their jobs, and they are largely responsible for the fine endeavors exhibited at last Saturday's game.

The spirit committee itself is in for a complete revamping this year, and to that end a meeting has been called for Thursday at noon. A plan of attack for the coming year and the election of a complete executive are the major tasks of the gathering, so anyone interested in some good rabble-rousing had best put in an appearance.

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## Brand New World Beckons Processed Frosh

Picking his way through the cunningly arranged tables around the great seal in the Arts and Administration Building last week, Dr. Grant was heard to remark that "this place looks like a processing plant for packed meat." Without doubt its significance is lost in the vast myriad of qualifications. One cannot feel, however, it is too harsh to say that last week's look at the canning factory was somewhat limited in scope. But if freshman week is no more than "an excellent time to meet both freshmen and upperclassmen" then this fall as always it was an unqualified success.

Monday and Tuesday saw long lines of wary frosh indifferently making their way through the maze of preying organizations. And it was impossible not to be impressed with the sauveness of the class of '63 in delicately sidestepping anything that might be even remotely connected with a direct question. In fact, it is equally impossible not to yearn for the flustered freshman who gratefully signed everything and who feverishly prayed that around the next corner he would find no sophomore with blood in his eye and paddle in hand.

Led by merrymen Henson and Hurley, partying freshmen Wednesday morning manfully covered every scenic inch of Studley from the Brandenburg eagle to the rejuvenated shack. And in the afternoon after receiving placards and beanies (still worn only on campus to insure the University no loss of dignity, which one gathers it can ill afford), frosh heard their yearly welcome to Dalhousie from the heads of the major campus organizations. And while strains of "where blooms the maple tree" were echoing majestically in the hallways out side room 21, shoes were being gently transported to the football field. A scavenger hunt and record hop divided the evening.

Thursday's wiener roast, late getting started, was abruptly halted by rain, but the night nevertheless culminated happily in a very successful barn dance with Alf Johnson doin' the callin'. On Friday frosh paraded to the Oxford theatre to "Meet Mr. Allison" and to giggle through "Three Coins in a Foun-

tain." The serious partying for the week ended in the Initiation Dance—a warm and pleasant affair in what is usually a very austere gymnasium.

Saturdays pre-game pep rally was followed by "a march en masse" to the football game, and in the evening the President and Mrs. Kerr hosted the incoming class. Monday saw a rousing reception and buffet supper at Sherriff Hall to start the week a-fresh and to prime freshmen for the annual Freshie-Soph dance this Friday night, with music supplied as throughout the week by Reg Quinn and his Orchestra.

If the week was one sided, it was nevertheless free of turmoil and in most aspects exceedingly pleasant. But if freshmen committees during the last few years are unconcerned with the more varied aspects of a university education, the University administration is not. This year, "out of concern for the high rate of failures of first year students" an advisory committee of the faculty has been set up. Each new student must see a member of this committee before registration. Its purpose is twofold: that the students may feel that someone, whom they can always go and see, is interested in their welfare, and secondly to help guide new students into the course for which they are best fitted. New students will see their faculty advisors at least once before the first week in November—before it is too late. Those faculty members who have been interviewed all echo Miss Helen Reynolds (Dean of Women) who felt "we've been a real service to them."

## No Janet! Once More With Feeling



—Photo by Acker

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