

# Second Dalhousie Homecoming Week **To Be Held First Week Of November**

This year's Alumni Homecoming, the second in the history of Dalhousie University, will commence on Thursday, November 2, and will continue until Sunday, November 5.

union for former Dalhousians that afternoon there will be various athis planned by the present students letic activities: an English rugby and is carried on with the cooper- game at Studley, a Canadian footation of the Halifax Alumni. It is ball game, Dal vs. Wanderers at planned with the idea that Alumni, Wanderers Park, and a boxing gram than that used at any of the in addition to renewing old ac- meet at the gym. There will be quaintances, may see what pro- an introduction of former Dal- freshman are required to have a gress has been made since their housie athletes at the boxing meet. brush cut and must wear the traday and may enjoy the program of events which has already been prepared for them.

It is expected that a large number of Alumni, their wives, friends, and also the students themselves, will take this opportunity to renew old and make new acquaintances Homecoming, which promises to be even more of a success than last year's.

drawn up under the capable chairmanship of Peter Doig.

On Thursday evening, November 2nd, the Alumni are holding a smoker in the gymnasium for the students. It is hoped that students will take this opportunity of meeting past Dalhousians. While the smoker is in progress, a bridge party will be held in Sheriff Hall for the ladies and wives of the Alumni.

Registration of all Alumni will take place Friday morning and is to be followed in the afternoon by the official opening of Dalhousie's

Alumni Homecoming is a re- of the new Arts Building. In the

tercollegiate Drama Festival will mas. Freshmen must go en masse show four excellent plays in the to the first intercollegiate football gymnasium. Noel Coward's play, game and name cards must be "Hay Fever" will be produced by worn until the last game of the Dalhousie under the direction of season. They are, in addition to DAAC will move their headquar-H. Leslie Pigot. Sunday afternoon this, required to carry their books ters in the store room in the there will be a special religious in a paper shopping bag to all Alumni office. and to enjoy Dalhousie's second service followed by a reception at classes, to attend all pep ralling Sheriff Hall.

Bachelor of Arts

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May we repeat again that we meetings at which there will be a hope both the Alumni, their guests, roll call. Suitable tortures have This year's program has been and the students of the University already been thought of for ab- after student affairs. will attend the Homecoming events sentees.

### Frosh Initiations in Other Colleges

Throughout the country, Canadian University upperclassmen have been welcoming Freshmen to their midst. Here are a few accounts of what has been happening in other Colleges.

Many students were injured and one Frosh was jailed when Toronto police, using nightsticks, forcefully broke up Varsity's traditional snake dance a week ago last Saturday night. After three policemen had unsuccessfully tried to break up the snake line which was blocking the traffic, reinforcements were called from the Toronto police force. Three squad cars arrived carrying more policemen armed with nightsticks. Several students were injured by the club-swinging guardians of the city, and one freshman was jailed and charged with "creating a disturbance". The snake dance was broken up. Also, in order that the new class might become better acquainted with each other and upperclassmen, many dances were held for the Frosh who this year bear the humble name of worm.

New students at the University of Saskatchewan were fortunate enough this year to escape the usual tortures and sometime embarrassing events that usually accompany frosh initiations. The Frosh, who were requested but not required to wear beanies attended many banquets and dances where coke drinking contests were held among the new students.

Freshman hazing at Queens this year seems to be a tougher proother Canadian University. All In the evening, the Maritime In- ditional Queens tam until Christ-

## **Many Interesting Cornerstones** To Be Found On Dalhousie Campus

walk about the Campus each day bronze plaques, one on either side what famous men have been pres- of the entrance to the dining hall. ent at the laying of cornerstones One was erected by the Board of of the ivy-colored buildings of Dalhousie?

moment and reflect upon the importance these cornerstones have Hunter Eddy in memory of her cal significance, more people would and her father, John Shirreff. have a fuller understanding of the efforts people before us have contributed to the upgrowth of Dalhousie.

In wandering about, one first notices the cornerstone of the the building which reads, Gymnasium. This stone was laid in 1931 by Hector McInnes, LL.B., K.C., who was for 32 years a Governor of this University.

Obscured by vines the cornerstone of the Arts Building lies Born at Cornwallis, Kings County, partly hidden from view. George S. Campbell, LL.D., Chairman of Died at Wolfville 22nd November the Board of Governors, officiated at this ceremony in April, 1921.

Building. It was laid in 1877 by historic interest. the Honourable Sir William Young, the Duke of Connaught, then Governor General of Canada.

Royal Highness the Prince of 1914. Wales officiated at this event while on his tour of Canada in 1919.

### Student Council To Have Office Soon

The Student Council is shortly to have an office of its own.

The University have granted them the office in the Gym, formerly occupied by the DAAC. The

The Student Council have in the wearing pyjamas and to attend all past been lacking a central private office. This will be used for the keeping of records and looking

Regular council meetings will not be held in the new office.

How many of us realise as we Inside Shirreff Hall there are two Governors to Jennie Grahl Hunter Eddy, who was the donor of this

If one would only stop for a residence. The plaque on the other side was erected by Jennie Grahl in the University, and their histori- mother, Mary Henrietta Shirreff,

The cornerstone of the Archives Building was laid by the Honorable Edgar N. Rhodes, P.C. in 1929 who was then Prime Minister of Nova Scotia. There also is a plaque on

William Henry Chase

Who gave to his native province This building

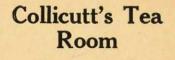
The public Archives of Nova Scotia.

16th July, 1852

1933. "WHAT I GAVE, I HAVE" The oldest cornerstone on the No man has ever done more for

Campus is the one in the Forrest his province in collecting pieces of

Of all the cornerstones that have LL.D. The second oldest is to be been laid on the Campus of Dalfound in the Science Building. This housie University, the one that has stone was laid in 1912 by H.R.H. been the most influential to the furthering of the education of her students is that of the MacDonald What a colourful occasion the Memorial Library. This cornerlaying of the Shirreff Hall corner- stone was laid by the Reverend stone must have been, for His Allan Pollok D.D., LL.B., in April,



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new skating rink. After this, the Alumni, if they wish, may either watch a girls' ground hockey game or a basketball game which will be held in the Dal gym. In the evening, the Homecoming Dance, sponsored by the rink committee, will be held in the gymnasium. The proceeds will be for the rink commitment.

Saturday morning will be set aside for the Alumni to inspect the University and the progress that has been made in the construction

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at the C.O.T.C Office in the Dal Gym, or Phone at one of the numbers listed on the C.O.T.C. Bulletin Board in the Gym.

Remember that the quota for 1950-51 is limited, so apply early.