



To The Girls Who Died
(That they might be remembered)

In the winter sky one star went out
And I thought "The others must burn brighter!"
But they did not, and it made me cry;
One star gone out in vain.

In the summer garden one flower faded
And I thought "The others must smell sweeter!"
But they did not, and it made me cry;
One flower faded in vain.

In the spring of life two girls died
And I thought "The others must live better lives!"
But they do not try and I must cry —
Two girls died in vain?

Steve Mills

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Letter . . .

BEETHOVAN FESTIVAL

Dalhousie Cultural Affairs presents a series of concerts to commemorate the bi-centennial of Beethoven's birth. Featuring a variety of musical sounds, the series runs from November 19 to 29. Tickets are available at the SUB.

FILM SERIES

Bergman's "Hour of the Wolf", part of the great trilogy will be shown in the McGinnis Room of the SUB on December 3, 7:30 and 9:30.

CBC HITS

The political connotations of film-making, especially in the McCarthy Era (US - 1947), is dealt with in Part 1 of Martyn Burke's retrospective. Tuesday, November 24, at 10:00 p.m.

Rock Ballet will be the product of a combined performance of Lighthouse, a Canadian rock group and the Royal Winnipeg Ballet. The coreography is done by Canadian Brian Macdonald, who has conceived many other hits for the company. November 25, 9 p.m.

WOMEN'S ATHLETICS

Indoor soccer, Tuesday, November 23, 9 p.m. - 9 p.m., Gymnasium.

Hockey team, open to all women attending Dalhousie. Practices Wednesday, 7 a.m. - 8 a.m. For more information, phone 423-8097.

Dear Editor:

This letter is commenting on the November 6 edition of the Dal Gazette. The first is the poem on the title page by Cathy Gillis. No city ever crushed anybody's identity, unless they never had one in the first place. Then these people, not knowing or caring about this, lash out and blame their mute, vague surroundings.

We need streets for Dal students to drive on, I need the buses so I can get to King's - Dal, I need a house to live in, and I find stores often useful. Noise, pollution and confusion can be cleaned up if people want, and your paper shouldn't blame the city for the stupidity of some people.

The front page editorial stating that Poverty is the parent of crime and revolution is rubbish. Discontent breeds trouble, not being poor. Do you think your materialism and lots of money advertised here by implication would cure any discontents the poorer people might have? Wouldn't they be disillusioned when they found a nice home and \$15,000 per year didn't cure everything.

Your article ignores the fact people's troubles are in their

mind or heart, not their pocketbook. My father as a clergyman has met in our house many men who were not in poverty and never knew a slum, yet they lost everything and sank to poverty, because good salaries couldn't help them.

I think your criticism on residence rules is distorted, although I can't discuss this as I don't live in residence.

Your attack on the War Measures Act was stupidly arrogant. I agree it was an extreme measure, and there was need of applying it only to areas in trouble, but it was better than nothing. Only those who have thoughts of revolution and destruction need fear the War Measures Act. Much noise is made of the hundreds arrested and released for lack of evidence of being FLQ or supporters of their murder, but little is said of the 189 troubled souls who accumulated enough evidence to lay charges against them. So the effort wasn't wasted.

As many extreme socialists seem to think the War Measures Act is fascism, I would tell them, if we were fascist, they would have been silenced a long time ago. Yet they speak. I find your "reasons" for the War Measures Act being declared, arrogant, and I demand you prove them.

Sir, Thank you,

Brian Pitcairn
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AROUND HALIFAX

- Thursday, Nov. 19 — VAGHY STRING QUARTET, McInnis Rm., SUB, 8:30 p.m.
- Sunday, Nov. 22 — ATLANTIC SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA, ballet music from "Creatures of Prometheus", St. Pat's H.S., 3:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, Nov. 24 — NEW YORK CHAMBER SOLOISTS, McInnis Rm., 8:30 p.m.
- DAL ART GALLERY LUNCH HOUR FILM SERIES, a. Rembrandt; b. Victor Passmore
- Thursday, Nov. 26 — PIANIST ABBEY SIMON, McInnis Rm., 8:30 p.m.
- Sunday, Nov. 29 — CHORAL CONCERT, Cathedral Church of All Saints, 8:30 p.m.

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