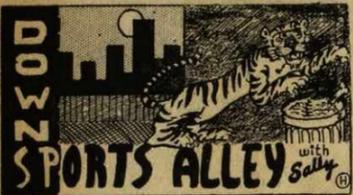


DAL DEFEATS ST. F. X. 45-43



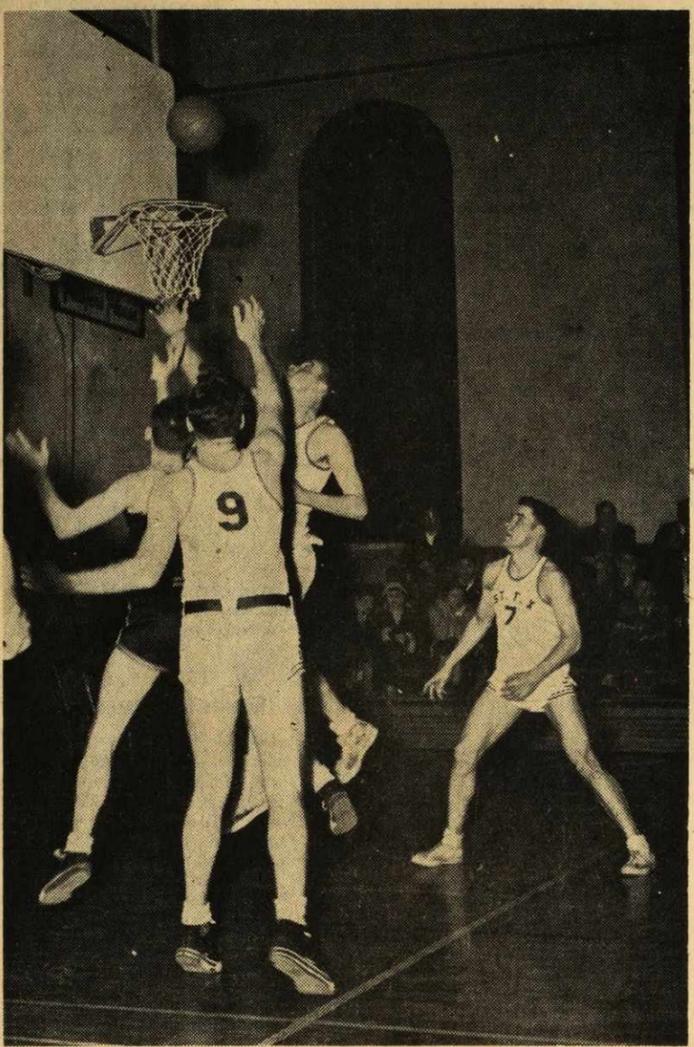
Tuesday afternoon the girls' Varsity basketball team taxied to Acadia to meet the Acadia girls' team, last year's Maritime Intercollegiate Champions. The Dal girls, sparked by the play of forwards Joan Johnson and the Woodside twins, posted their second win in intercollegiate play, defeating Acadia 27-17. Eleanor Woodside was top scorer with 14 points, followed closely by sister Elaine, with 10 points. The return game with Acadia will be played in our gym on Friday, February 29, at 2.00 p.m. As yet, plans for Mt. St. Bernard to play our team again, have not been finalized.

The girls' intermediate basketball team plays in the Intercollegiate Round-robin this Saturday at Acadia. Kings, Dal and Acadia, are the only colleges entering a team.

In the City League, the first team plays the Blue Cagettes Thursday night in the Dal gym at 7.30 p.m. Cagettes defeated the Varsity girls by three points when they played two weeks ago, and so far, are undefeated in the league this season. Next Monday, February 18, in the Dal gym, the second team plays the Kings team at 7.30, and at 8.30 Dal's first team plays Arcade.

As a result of the Dal badminton tourney held Monday and Tuesday, in the gym, Jans Wilson, the new champion, will represent Dal in the singles in the Intercollegiate tournament at Mt. Allison next week. In the ladies doubles Ethel Smith and Sally Roper, will be Dal's entry. The tournament is being held next Wednesday and Thursday: on Wednesday the intercollegiate tourney will be played, and on Thursday, a round-robin tournament will be held. The team will leave with Miss Rowley Tuesday afternoon.

The swimming team has been practicing regularly the last few weeks under the supervision of Mr. Tripannier, and is entered in the intercollegiate meet, tentatively scheduled for March 7, at Acadia. Those already named for the team are Frances Murphy, Joan Johnstone, Eva MacMackin and Caroline Weld.



SCOTTY SCORES—Scot Henderson is seen scoring two of his 17 points. Also seen in the photo are St. F.X. players John Hugh Campbell (7), Russ McNeil (9) and Pat Conley. Dal eked out a win in the 45-43 triumph. (Staff Photo by Williams)

Scott Henderson High Man; Leads Tigers With 17 Points X-Men Lose First In 25

Dal did it. They stopped the St. F.X. machine. They stopped the X quintette with a 45-43 win in the Day gym, climaxing a tense, hard fought basketball game. The Xaverians were riding a 24-game winning streak which Dal broke by their narrow win.

Taking the lead early in the game on shots by guard Scott Henderson the Dal men never completely relinquished the hold they hand on the score. Tight defensive play with both teams handling the ball with care kept the score down.

The close defensive play kept Referees Alf and Snowden Johnson on their toes as they called twice as many fouls against St. F.X. as against Dal, 18 for St. F.X., 9 for Dal. The game was won on the foul line with Dal potting 11 points on their 18 chances with St. F.X. notching five points on their nine attempted.

The game seesawed up and down the floor with St. F.X. maintaining a floor supremacy but Dal the scoring potential. Close defensive work on Dal's part kept the big men of St. F.X. at bay cutting down their shooting chances, although they hooped 19 field goals to Dal's 17. Big Mike MacDonald garnered 8 points but his ability in keeping Howie McNally from scoring is evident in the fact that he only scored 7 points. A slim margin of difference but Howie McNally hindered Mike scoring while being penalized four times. Mike only scored twice. These are facts and figures that show the close edge in play.

The little man on the Dal squad, Al 'Bebo' MacKeen sparked the Dal team stealing the ball from the bigger X-men and by being a constant pest to the Xaverians offensive attack. Chuck Connelly, though definitely not one of the bigger men proved to be the difference between a Dal win or loss. Notching a 3 for 5 average at the foul line while chucking in two field goals Chuck amassed seven points among which was Dal's final basket scored with less than two minutes to play in the game. Pat Conley of St. F. X. scored their final basket with a little less than a minute to go. Pat starred for the Xaverian quintette tickling the twines for 14 points. A hook shot-specialist, Pat displayed some of the finest ball handling ability seen since last time St. F.X. played here with Hank Proper on the controlling end of the sphere.

Dalhousie 45
Henderson 17, MacDonald 8, Connelly 7, Mooney 6, Weld 2, McCurdy 2, MacKay 2, MacKeen 1, Clancy, Cluney.
St. F.X. 43
Conley 14, McNeil 7, McNally 7, Flahery 6, Campbell 5, Gallant 3, McNeil 1, Andrews, McGinnis.

Purcell's Cove Win 4-2 Sullivan Stars In Defeat

By FRED HOLLETT

Uninspired by their Student Forum victory and the presence at the game of university president, Dr. A. E. Kerr, Dal's floundering hockey Tigers went one down in the best two out of three semi-finals for the championship of the North West Arm Hockey League as they were dropped 4-2 by an eight man Purcell's Cove Pirates team at the South Street freeze last Tuesday night.

Although late in starting, the game kept the sparse crowd on their toes throughout the night as the teams put on a fast, but somewhat ragged display of hockey. It was in the final period, at a time the shorthanded Pirates were expected to tire, that they gained their two goal advantage over the locals.

It was obese Syd Clarke who replaced the absent Gil Banfield as Dal's public enemy number one, as the jovial gumshoe figured in three of the Cosairs four goals. Reg "Eager" Beaver, although pointless for the night was by far the top Tiger on the ice.

Big Wills Parsons made up for the twenty-minute delay in starting the game, caused by the non-arrival of the Bucs, as he caught a Cove pass at centre ice and without a Pirate defenceman back soloed in

on little Hughie Mullane for an unassisted tally with the game but sixteen seconds old.

Seven minutes later Clarke intercepted a passout on a Dal ganging attack, and with White and Anglin draped from his frame beat Sullivan on a shot that never left the ice.

The second session, although scoreless was both fast and furious with both teams guilty of erratic shooting and both goalies with brilliant saves.

The locals again jumped to the fore early in the final frame as Don Murphy, sporting a headgear as a result of an injury picked up in Saturday's Tech game, banged a Scarfe rebound high into the left corner at 1:16 on a play initiated by White. That terminated the Tigers scoring for the evening, but the Cosairs, taking full advantage of a very loose Dal defence, went on to get three more tallies.

The first of which came at the 6:15 mark as Harper poked in a bouncing puck from outside the Dal crease. Seven minutes later Landry ripped through the Dal rearguard to jam an Icton rebound into the Dal cage. Then scant seconds later came the goal that only too clearly explained why the local defence could best be described as a mirage, as Icton banged the rubber behind a frozen Sullivan, the latter unmoved after his brilliant stop on a Clarke breakaway.

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Thursday, Feb. 28—
6 p.m.—Pinehill vs. Eng.
Saturday, Mar. 1—
12:30—Law vs A & S
1:45—Eng. vs Comm.
3:00—Meds vs Pre-Meds
4:45—Pinehill vs Dents
Tuesday, Mar. 4—
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Badminton Tournament

Vic Burstall finished up the Dal badminton tournament as a triple winner. After he and John Smallman teamed up to win the men's doubles and after Vic won the mixed doubles, he came out the victor in the men's singles final match against Alf Gordon.

The most outstanding matches of the tournament were played in the ladies' singles, men's singles and the men's doubles. The ladies' singles final was played between Sally Roper and Jans Wilson. After a long and hard fought three game match Jans came out as the victor with scores of 11-2, 11-13, 11-9. The final of the men's doubles was another of those long drawn out three game matches. John Smallman and Vic Burstall finally won the event with scores of 6-15, 15-7, 15-7. The semi-final match in the men's singles was, as was remarked, good enough to be a final. It took a match of three games for Vic Burstall to finally defeat Bud Alberstat.

The ladies doubles event was won by Sally Roper and Jans Wilson who defeated Heather Hope and Ethel Smith in the final round by scores of 15-11, 15-11. Ethel Smith and Vic Burstall won the mixed doubles by defeating Chris MacKichan and Alf Gordon by scores of 15-10, 15-11.

The semi-finals of the girls' singles was played between Sally Roper and Ethel Smith and Nita Sederis and Jans Wilson. Sally and Jans reached the finals.

The men's semi-final singles brought to its round Vic Burstall, Bud Alberstat, John Smallman and Alf Gordon. Vic and Alf went on to the finals with Vic arising as men's singles champion.

The Dal Badminton tournament was a great success and although a boys team will not be sent to the inter-collegiate tournament a girls team will be. This tournament is being played next week at Mount A.

Playoff Dates

1st, 2nd and 3rd place teams will play single round robin. Same for 4th, 5th and 6th place, 7th, 8th will play 2-game-total-point series. In case of tie goals for and against will be used to determine winners.

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