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## CAMPUS QUEEN LIZ COGSWELL

## LARGEST CROWDS IN YEARS, AS A SOLID MUNRO DAY LEAVES DALHOUSIANS TIRED, FAIRLY HAPPY



For many students awards highlighted Munro Day activities.

Blonde-haired Elizabeth Cogswell, Queen of the Medical Society for two years in a row, was chosen Campus Queen of Dalhousie Tuesday night. The Society Queens were Phoebe Redpath (Law), Bonnie Murray (A & S), Ann MacCullum (Commerce), Gail MacLaughlin (Pharmacy), Sue Starr (Engineering), Colette Young (Dentistry), Sue Bell (Kings), Karen Price (Nursing Science), Judy Lorway (Pinehill), and Med's choice for Campus Queen, Elizabeth Cogswell. They were escorted up an aisle extending the entire length of the gym, made by those in attendance at the Munro Day Dance accompanied by a blazing fanfare from the Berklee Band. The girls arranged themselves across the stage while Dean Cook announced Miss Cogswell as the judges' choice for Campus Queen.

Few people however, in comparison to the number who turned up for Band Concert given by the Royal Canadian Artillery Band, remained for the Awards and Presentations with chairman Byron Reid.

Murray Fraser, in his address to the students, explained the significance of Munro Day. It is not merely a day of escape from classes, but a day of remembrance for George Munro and all of Dalhousie's benefactors, as well as a time to recall the "Dalhousie Idea", the idea upon which Dalhousie was founded as a non-sectarian, privately - supported university.

On a slightly different theme—in closing, Mr. Fraser suggested that there is no such thing as apathy on the Dalhousie campus, and gave as his reason Vice-President Bennet's statement, "Dalhousie students have no need to wear their hearts on their sleeves. The "Dalhousie Idea" is all around them.

Dr. Kerr in his brief speech noted that there are students deserving of praise who will receive no tangible award, only the satisfaction of a job well done. The President also remarked that ten years ago approximately \$10,000.00 was allotted for Research here, and next year \$525,000.

will be allotted . . . "The university is moving forward steadily!"

In his final statement, Dr. Kerr informed the student body present that he considers it a great privilege to be associated with the students of Dalhousie, and that "we shall always be at your service in these important days."

Mrs. H. Creighton, Vice-President of the Dalhousie Alumni Association reminded the group of the Students' Loan Fund, and as concrete proof of the good deeds done by the Alumni Association, spoke of the furnishings to the women's common rooms, and Shirreff Hall's washing machine. In closing, Mrs. Creighton, while extending greetings of the Association, commended the Dalhousie students on their in-ancing of the Rink, and their support of the S.U.B.

Out-going Students' Council President, Byron Reid, summed up the activities of the Council, especially praising Dave Matheson and Murray Fraser as co-chairmen of the successful S.U.B. Committee, and expressed his thanks "to the University for the way in which they have considered our requests". He remarked that the D.G.D.S. play was rather poorly attended last, term but that "The Boyfriend" certainly redeemed any financial loss on the part of "George and Margaret". He also noted that the Dalhousie Gazette was voted top out of 17 Canadian University newspapers this year by one out of three judges.

Incoming President Doug Cudmore introduced his Council and announced that the Freshman representatives will be Les Kariganis. Dave Logan has been selected Member-at-Large, while the Representatives of Graduate Studies and Nursing Science have not yet been chosen.

The Silver and Gold D's and engravings were awarded as listed both in last week's Gazette, and in the Munro Day programme.

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## CROWNED MUNRO DAY

## LENGTHY B & G REVUE PLAYS TO SARDINES

The Munro Day Black and Gold Revue, 1960 edition, opened and closed in one night before an audience packed like sardines into the aging gymnasium. Quick opener was the driving beat of the Berklee Band. The music of the band was further enhanced by the mellow voice of Pat Le-Croix, a young fellow who has been doing quite a bit of singing in Halifax lately.

The Discords may prove to be the successors of the Law Quartet. In spite of heckling, incidently, the Law Boys gave their usual finished performance, including the quartet standard "Dry Bones".

The Shirreff Hall Kick Line provided the legs appeal, even in leotards, to the tune of "Darktown Strutters Ball". Along the same line, and including a convincingly ridiculous Honey Bun coupled with an American sailor, was Alpha Gamma Delta's South Pacific number.

Phi Rho's "Dangerous Dan McGrew" was skillfully done, both in the rewriting, and in the performers' casual acceptance of the entire proceedings. The act won first prize and the fraternity has contributed the \$25.00 to the SUB fund.

The chief problem with many skits was the failure of the actors words to carry. Tired (?) jokers in the audience did not help these skits or a few other acts much in this respect. Perhaps placement of these earlier in the lengthy (10:30-2:00) show would have been advisable, as the audience became more and more unresponsive as the show wore on.

"Bert and I", a monologue by Ken Clark, a lad of many talents, was put across with his usual flair. A lively peasant dance later revived the audience, and when the Phi Delt's began their crude, but funny, fashion show, the gym once more came alive.

Dal's popular Steel Band, the relaxing music of the Phi Kap trio, (continued on page 12)

and the Dixielanders, all contributed to indicate how many different types of music can be really enjoyed by the same people.

## Varsity Censured: "Poor Taste" in Gag-Issue

...TORONTO, Feb. 29 (CUP)—The University of Toronto student newspaper, The Varsity, was censured by the council last week for poor taste in its annual gag issue, which reported the death of one of its reporters.

Council also approved of a motion that a member of a Toronto daily newspaper, The Globe and Mail, be asked to investigate The Varsity organization and policy and report to the publications commission with recommendations by March 8.

Objections were raised about the story which reported that Varsity columnist and photographer Al Walker had been killed as a result of a student prank.

Walker, the front page story stated, had slipped and cracked his skull while being pulled towards a bonfire set alight in the midst of a Zen Druid rally in Varsity stadium. It also pointed that the ad announcing the rally which was published in the previous edition of the paper had been placed there by Walker, and that some students apparently thought it was a good idea, and phoned Walker to attend.

The next day the paper ran what was purported to be Walker's last

## Council Sends Apology To U.A.R. Ambassador

With Munro Day and campus awards and elections currently in the limelight among extra-curricular activities, discussions and reports on these topics formed the backbone of the March 1 meeting of the Student Council. Moreover, in view of the recent sharp criticism concerning the lack of courtesy shown the ambassador of the U.A.R. during his recent visit to Dal, the Council decided to send a letter of apology to the insulted diplomat, including an explanation of the reasons for the discourtesy. A copy of the letter is to be sent to the university administration.

Bill Wilson, Chairman of the Munro Day Committee presented a final report on the program that he and his workers have spent many weeks preparing. The budget for the undertaking was estimated at approximately \$1200, less receipts from the games.

Chairman Jim Hurley announced that his Awards Committee had found 32 male students and 24 females deserving of silver D's, while gold awards were merited by 11 members of the former group and 8 of the latter.

The results of the recent Campus elections were formally reported by

column, on the front page as a tribute. A press wire was also sent to the national headquarters of the Canadian University Press in hopes that the story would be sent across the country.

The paper carried the words "this is a gag issue" in its columns as it usually does for such issues, but apparently few people saw them.

Walker is somewhat of a campus iconoclast and reaction was varied, some thought it was good riddance, "Too bad it's not true", others felt sorrow, "Is he O.K.?"

The Knox College Missionary and Theological Society felt anger when it learned of the hoax, and mandated their representative and president of the council, Walter McLean, to move the motion of protest.

Council has been feuding with the paper on and off this year, and some members suggested that the paper was consistently unwilling to co- (continued on page five)



Chairman Beams as Council Schemes...