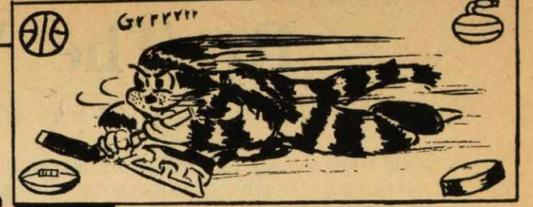




DALHOUSIE Gazette SPORTS



— INTER-COLLEGIATE MEETS ON SAT. —

Axettes Spanked 50-25 By Tigresses in Acadia

In Wolfville Feb. 10th both Dal girls basketball teams came off with wins in a featured double header against the Acadia Axettes.

Elaine Woodside spearheaded the varsity attack with 20 points and Dal went up to score 50 while the Axettes trailed half way with 25. The star of the Dal Intermediates was Pam White with 9 points but Phyllis Baltzer of Acadia was high scorer in the game with 15 points.

In the Varsity game Elaine Woodside started off the game with a long shot and the game was under way. Dal picked up 10 points in the quarter while Acadia sunk one basket and a free shot. By half time Dal had increased their lead to 17 to 9.

Carolyn Flemming started off the scoring in the third tilt with a lay up. Elaine Woodside picked up 8 points and the quarter ended 32 to 18. The last part of the game was wide open for Dal. The game ended 50 to 25 in favour of the Tigresses.

Pam White started off the scoring in the Intermediate game with two free shots and was responsible for two more baskets during the half. Marg Griffiths and Pat Barrett also sunk two while Jackie Galloway accounted for three putting Dal ahead 20 to 5.

In the last half the Axettes rallied somewhat but were not able to overcome Dals lead. It was a rough and hard fought game with Phyllis Baltzer playing an outstanding game for the Axettes. She wrapped up 12 points in the half. Pat Barrett was high scorer for Dal in the last half with four points.

Acadia: Joan Wickwire, Isobel Townsend 2, Sally Barteaux, Phyllis Baltzer 15, Shirley Wigglesworth, Lois Kinnased, Margery Cousins, Sandra Murphy, Mary Eaton.

Dalhousie: Marg Griffiths 4, Pamela White 9, Mary Chipman 3, Pat Barrett 8, Jackie Galloway 7, Eileen Kelly, Jean Anthony, Shelia Keene, Jean MacPherson, Elise Lane.

St. Mary's Downed 11-2 By Dal JV's

Saturday afternoon the Dalhousie Junior Varsity hockey team defeated the St. Mary's High School team 11-2 in a fast, clean-played game. Since Saturday was the coldest day so far this year, they had the added advantage of a fast hard sheet of ice, which led to an excellent game.

The Tigers seemed to go wild in the scoring department in the dying moments of the game. They rapped in three fast goals in two minutes and seven seconds.

Roger Greer made the play of the game, although at times he appeared weak on defense. He picked up the puck on his own blue line and skated through the entire St. Mary's team, faked Cashen out of position, and fired a beautiful rising shot which caught the upper right corner.

Unfortunately St. Mary's received what seemed to be a serious injury to Noseworthy, who, in attempting to check Clark of Dalhousie, missed and crashed into the boards and injured his spine. Accidents always seem to happen in exhibition games.

SUMMARY
First Period
1—Dal, Street (D. Hill) 2:15
2—Dal, Conrad (Moir, Sim), 12:21
3—Dal, G. Hill (D. Hill), 17:05
Penalties: Lawrence.
Second Period
4—Dal, Conrad (Moir), 2:30.
5—Dal, Pringloe (Lawrence), 7:34

Varsity Squad To Meet Acadia in Valley Town

Dalhousie's Varsity hockey Tigers will wrap up their '54 Inter-collegiate hockey season Friday evening, as the Black and Gold pucksters invade the Valley University of Acadia. Dal, four goals up on the Axemen by virtue of a 9-5 verdict a month ago on Dalhousie ice, will be favorites to cop the two-game total point series. Dalhousie has lost strength, however, as the season has progressed, and Acadia have been eliminated from the Valley Senior League. The Axemen will be tough on their own ice and a 6-5 overtime classic between Acadia and X is a strong recommendation. Game time Friday night at eight and present indications point to a capacity house.

N.S. Tech Deals JV's Their First Defeat

Outplayed and outfought in a closely contested game which left them tied for first place, the Junior Varsity Tigers lost their first game in the Intermediate League 46-43 to a hardpressing N. S. Tech team. Tech was paced by Ray Swansburg, who hooped 19 points, followed by tall Gordie Weld with nine points, while Dal was led by "Big John" MacLaughlin, who scored on six baskets and three fouls for 15 points, closely followed by hard-driving Al Sinclair, who sank eight points.

The game was a see-saw battle throughout, with one team and then the other taking the lead. With Swansburg and Weld netting four and three points each, the Tech team was on top of a 10-8 score at the end of ten minutes of play. Tiger marksmen were MacLaughlin with four and Pete MacGregor with three points.

With Al Sinclair scoring five points Dal managed to break through the strong zone defense put up by Tech to go ahead at the end of the second quarter by one point 23-22. Scoring for Tech were Swansburg hooping two baskets and Reed Murphy and Whitehead with one each. For Dal the scorers behind Sinclair were "Roge" Paturel with three points and MacLeod and MacLaughlin with a basket each.

The third frame began with Tech opening a big scoring gap in such a low-scoring tilt. Dal had difficulty in effectively getting the ball out of their defensive zone, being bottled-up by Tech's man to man checking; thus their quick scoring pace was severely hampered. Leading Tech was Swansburg netting seven points while MacLaughlin led Dal with two jump-shots for four points, the quarter ending 34-30 in Tech's favor.

The final frame was a tense one with the lead changing hands many times. Dal could not make use of their obvious advantage in scoring power as time and time again they were turned back by Tech's stalwart defense. With less than 30 seconds to go, the Tigers, one point down, missed several scoring opportunities, and Murphy for Tech was fouled and added two assurance points as the game ended 46-43 for Dal's first defeat in seven games. Swansburg, Weld, and Carson with four, three and two points respectively paced Tech while MacLaughlin with three points and A. Sinclair, MacKinnon, Gilmore and MacLeod had a basket each to lead Dal this quarter.

Tech 46: Swansburg 19, Weld 9, Murphy 6, Whitehead 4, Roy 3, Carson 3, Brennan 2, Webster, Napier.

Dal 43: MacLaughlin 15, A. Sinclair 8, MacGregor 5, MacLeod 4, MacKinnon 3, Paturel 3, Gilmore 3, Nichols 2, J. Sinclair, Hopkins, Epstein.

Officials: Alf Johnson, Gord McConnell.

6—St. Mary's, Leach, 8:02
7—Dal, Sim (Conrad), 18:19
Penalties: Greer, Leach, Lawrence.

Third Period
8—Dal, Greer, 3:33
9—St. Mary's, Gills (O'Brien), 4:45
10—Dal, D. Hill (Greer, G. Hill), 10:16
11—Dal, Oxner (Bringloe, Lawrence), 17:53
12—Dal, G. Hill, 18:43
13—Dal, Conrad (Moir, Sim), 19:00
Penalties: Kane (2), Fraser.

ROUND ROBIN TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD THIS WEEKEND

The Maritime University's Intermediate Girls' Basketball playoffs will be held in the Dal gym Friday. The playoffs will be in the form of a round-robin and will see representations from Acadia University Mount St. Bernard, University of King's College and Dalhousie University. This year, King's College is host for the playoffs. Because of the Maritime

Badminton meet being held at the Dal gym Saturday, the round-robin play will be continued in another gymnasium, presumably Gorsebrook. Dalhousie Intermediates were victorious last year, eking out a close victory over Acadia in the final game. With a strong team again in the running, Dalhousie will again be favorites to cop the tournament.

Inter-Facts

The hot and cold Med A team pulled an upset in Inter-Fac basketball play as they downed Arts and Science 46-40. Brown and Wickwire with 16 and 11 points respectively led the doctors, while Dick Edgar hooped an even half of Arts and Science's points.

Law A rolled up two more victories during the week to run their winning streak to seven games. They trounced the Engineers 48-28 and in a game with Med B, came out on top 26-22.

The Dents split on two games during the week. In the first they downed Law B 33-25. Ross, hitting for 11, paced the Dents, while Lane swished eight for the Law B squad. Pinehill, combining a good zone defence, smart ball-handling and excellent shooting upset the Dents 30-19 in a low scoring game.

Commerce retained undisputed possession of second place by squeezing out a 39-36 victory over Med B. Young paced Commerce with 16, while Randon with 13 sparked Med B in a losing cause.

Law B won their third in six starts by downing the winless Pharmacy squad 33-26 in the opening game on Saturday afternoon. Big Delizny paced Law B with 11 and "Tank" Cruickshanks swished 17 for Pharmacy.

In a replay of a game which was erroneously reported as a Law B victory by default, the Pinehill crew downed Law B 23-19 to tie for fourth place in the league standing. An unfortunate accident occurred in this game as Eric Lane of Law broke his ankle.

Following is the unofficial league standing as of Feb. 15:

	Won	Lost
Law A	7	0
Commerce	5	1
Arts and Science	4	2
Law B	3	4
Med A	3	3
Dents	3	3
Med B	3	4
Pinehill	3	3
Med B	3	4
Pharmacy	0	6
Engineers	0	6

BADMINTON MEET ON SAT.

Dalhousie University's Gymnasium will be the scene of the 1954 Maritime Intercollegiate Badminton Championships — boys and girls divisions, Saturday, February 20th. The championships are being held under the auspices of the University of King's College. Representations from all Maritime Universities are expected to invade the Dal-King's camp sometime Friday, with play opening in the Dal gym at 9:00 Saturday morning.

Y.W.C.A. Sportettes Lose Again to Varsity Girls

A fairly large crowd attended the basketball game between the Dalhousie Tigresses and the Sportettes at the YWCA on Thursday night. The Dal girls rolled up another victory of 37-23 over the Sportettes.

The game got off to a roaring start with Elaine Woodside scoring the first two points for Dal. At first the Sportettes baffled the Dal players by their key shots, but it was not long until Dal caught on to this shot, and started to raise their score slowly but surely.

At the end of quarter time the Sportettes were leading with a score of 12-6. However, during the second quarter, Dal gathered her strength together and led the score at the end of the first half with a score of 16-12.

Throughout the rest of the game, Dal led the game and won with a final score of 37-23. High scorer for Dal was Barb Clancy with 13 points, and the rest of the forwards came up with six points each.

This was the final game against the Sportettes. The Tigresses have one more game to play against the Tartans to determine who shall be in first position in the City League.

Dalhousie: Clancy 13, Woodside 12, Flemming 6, Grant 6, Thompson, Myrden, Stacey, MacDonald, Fain—37.

Sportettes: Cormier 8, Redforch, Welch 4, Terris 3, Ozone, Chalmers, McWilliams, Clarke—23.

King's Defeat Dal 53-45 In Semi-Final Playoff Title

In the first game of a two out of three semi-final series in the Halifax Intermediate A Basketball League, King's College defeated the Dal Varsity squad 53-47. The win, the first of the season for the King's quintet over Dal in a regular league game, came at the most favourable time from King's viewpoint, making them favourites to take the series.

King's started fast and held an early 11-2 lead. Dal, paced by Sutherland and Gladwin, started to roll in the second half and forge ahead 22-20 by half time. King's "Big Two" — Nicholson and Robertson — started to hit in the last half, each scoring 10 points, and that was the ball game. Dal fought hard, led by Sutherland with eight and Gladwin with

six, but an effective freeze by King's in the last minutes of the game stopped Dal's attack cold and the final score read 53-45 for King's.

Outstanding for Dal were Butch Sutherland and Gordie Rankin, two veterans of the team who, in the absence of starry guard Deke Jones, have to carry most of the offensive and defensive load. Carl Webb, although he failed to score, also played a strong two-way game. Walker, Nicholson and Deacon paced King's with 15, 13 and 12 points respectively.

Dal: Sutherland 15, Gladwin 12, Rankin 9, Goss 6, Goldman 3, Webb, Sullivan, Franklin.
King's: Walker 15, Nicholson 13, Deacon 12, Hickman 5, Doig 3, Smith 3, Lister 2, Hazen, Andrews.

Co-ed Mounties Downed 34-26 in Cage Title

JV's Down Y 78-74 In Final League Game

Playing their second overtime tilt in three games the Dalhousie Intermediate Tigers eked out a 78-74 win over the YMCA to assure themselves of a tie for first place, having won seven out of their eight games. Play during the first half was fast and rough with 29 fouls being called by referees Henley and Ross. Leading the Dal squad was Al Sinclair, who on six foul shots and three baskets had 12 points while Pete MacGregor scored eight points before fouling out this half, having played a strong game. For Y sharp-shooting Billy Richardson netted ten points, eight of them on one handed push-shots from outside the key, while Kirkpatrick had six points on three baskets. At the end of the first half Dal had a five point margin 41-36.

The final half begun with Y pressing their attack which resulted in their having a one point lead at the beginning of the final frame. Dal quickly retaliated and with less than 15 seconds to go managed to do the impossible. The score was tied 68-68 when Y's Smith sank a long two-hander to put Y in the lead by two points. With less than five seconds to go Dal's Al Sinclair, being fouled, was on the line for two shots. When he missed the first one all was supposedly lost until the next one bounced off the rim into John MacLaughlin's hands, who put the game into overtime with a quick two points. In the five minutes overtime Y could not get started and were outscored 8-4 with "Big John" MacLaughlin racking five of the eight points for Dal.

Pacing the Tigers was bespectacled Al Sinclair with 19 points closely followed by "Roge" Paturel, John MacLaughlin and Davey MacKinnon with 15, 14 and 12 points respectively. The Y.M.C.A. aggregation was led by Bill Richardson sinking 15 points and Kirkpatrick with 14 points while "Bones" Harnish and Cameron Smith had 13 and 12 points each.

Dalhousie 78: A. Sinclair 19, Paturel 15, MacLaughlin 14, MacKinnon 12, Gilmore 9, MacGregor 8, J. Sinclair, I. Epstein.

Y.M.C.A. 74: Richardson 15, Kirkpatrick 14, Harnish 13, Smith 12, Betts 10, Backman 4, Keeler 4, McCann 1, Burton 1, Leadbetter, Hargraves.

Dal Varsity girls did it again, this time with a score of 34-26. A large crowd attended the game between the Dalhousie girls and Mount Allison on Saturday afternoon at five-thirty in the Dal gym.

The game proved to be a crowd-pleaser with the Dalhousie players baffling the Mount Allison team with their quick and neat passing.

Barb Clancy for Dal opened the game by scoring the first two points. The game was hard-fought and the Dal players deserve a lot of credit for their hard efforts. The score at half time was 14-6 for Dal. The first line-up for Dal, Elaine and Eleanor Woodside and Barb Clancy, showed their basketball skill in their fast court game. They were too fast for the Mt. A. hoopsters to keep tabs on each one of them.

In the second half, the Mt. A. hoopsters really hit top form as they uncovered weaknesses in the Dal guards and scored 22 points in this period to equal the Dalhousie scoring spree. Dot Terry for Mt. A. proved to be top scorer with her many hook shots piling up the 13 points which were the most points gained by one person in the game.

Dalhousie will venture to Mt. A. on March 6th to play the final game in the Inter-collegiate league.

Dalhousie: Eleanor Woodside 2, Clancy 2, Elaine Woodside 8, Wilson 4, Thompson, Myrden, MacDonald, Fain, Stacey, Flemming, Grant—34.

Mount Allison: Terry 13, Munro 7, Ball 2, Conrad 2, Tupper 2, Gardener, Robertson, Williamson, Lyons, Taylor, Tomlinson—26.

Aggies Defeated In Overtime 79-72

After being down 14 points at half time, the Dal JV basketball team fought back to defeat the Truro Agricultural College 79-72 in overtime in a game in Truro. Playing on an unfamiliar floor, the JV's were outplayed and outscored in the first half, and the Aggies, led by Dave Piers, piled up a 37-23 lead at the half. Dal came back in the second half to tie the score 66-66 at the end of regulation time. The overtime period was all Dal's as they outscored the Aggies 13-6. Dave Piers with a total of 32 points paced the Truro squad, while A. Sinclair, J. Sinclair and MacLaughlin led Dal with 25, 15 and 13 points respectively.

Dal: A. Sinclair 25, J. Sinclair 15, J. MacLaughlin 13, Paturel 9, MacKinnon 6, Nichols 5, Epstein 3, McLeod 3, Hopkins.

St. Mary's Pucksters Drop Dal 7-6 In Close Contest

Thursday night at the Dalhousie Memorial Rink Dalhousie Tigers put on a frantic but unsuccessful effort to tie St. Mary's. Dalhousie rapped in three unanswered goals in the last half of the third period, but were still on the short side and lost to the Saints 7-6.

With more than two minutes remaining in the third period Coach Gillis placed six forwards on the ice, having removed his goalie. This resulted in a goal in less than one minute; however, he was forced to return his goaltender. Dewis got the chance of the night to tie the game, but Cashen outsmarted him and Dalhousie was forced to go down in defeat.

Once again a fight broke out. This time it was between Garagan of Dalhousie and Warner, the stylish defenseman of the Saints, which resulted in a major to both and an additional slashing penalty to Garagan.

Dalhousie appeared as though they had lost some of their ability that they had shown in previous games. However, it is to be hoped it is only a temporary situation and they will again pick up their winning ways. Perhaps it was

Cashen's outstanding saves in the net that stopped Dalhousie.

SUMMARY

First Period
1—St. Mary's, Warner, 9:16
2—St. Mary's, Chaisson (Muisse, Warner), 14:48
3—St. Mary's, Galager (Warner)

Second Period
4—Dal, Jardine (Lantz), 1:07
5—Dal, Lantz, 1:59
6—Dal, Miller (Perry), 8:19
7—St. Mary's, Galager (Bailey)
8—St. Mary's, Warner
Penalties: Warner (major and minor); Garagan (major and minor); Perry, Bailey (2).

Third Period
9—St. Mary's, Scarfe (Chaisson), 2:39
10—St. Mary's, (Gallagher, Bailey), 5:49
11—Dal, Beck (Sim, Woodford), 11:29
12—Dal, Dewis (MacDonald, Green), 13:25
13—Dal, Jardine (Green, Woodford), 18:23.