

TIGERS MEET AXEMEN TONITE



Tiger Prowl

GEO. TRAVIS

Junior Varsity Breaks Jinx
Last week, the Junior Varsity hockey team broke their "jinx" of not winning a game in '53. On Thursday the team came through with a convincing 7-4 victory over Acadia University. The Dal boys were pretty sharp and the last two periods of hockey were equal to the best played in the rink this season. Coach Gillis has done wonders with this group and is being more than fair with the team. He has four lines of forwards, of which he can use three at a time, and thus thus explains why certain players do not make appearances every game. This coming Friday, the J.V.'s travel to Truro where they will tangle with Agricultural College. Since A.C. cannot meet financial ends to play return matches with the Tigers and the other competitors in the league, the Truro boys will play only one match with each team.

Rough Play in Certain Contests
The Senior Varsity team will take to the ice Thursday when they meet Tech in a scheduled Halifax Inter-collegiate affair. The last time the two teams met, the Tigers came out on top in a rough and wild game. Speaking of rough play, there has been several complaints of late of leniency of certain referees. The last Tech game was pretty rough and sticks were swung at players more than once. The same was true in the Acadia-Dal Junior game. It seems to this corner that type of play doesn't fit into Inter-collegiate hockey. If teams cannot play hockey the correct way, they should not try to injure or maim the other team's stars. To this corner's point of view, the referees in question "turned their heads at the right time" and saw very little of this type of play. 'Nuff said and let's see the refs call some of these dirty tricks. That way, both teams will be protected and good hockey will result.

Dal Curlers Plan Big Bonspiel
The lads that champion the broom for Dalhousie have come up with perhaps the biggest undertaking of the Dal sporting year. Beginning March 6 and ending on the 7th, the Dal curlers are holding an Inter-Collegiate Bonspiel at the Halifax Club. It is expected that curling will be in the morning and afternoons of these days and invitations to various Maritime universities have been issued. The plan is to have two rinks from each participating university. The Bonspiel is another step towards inter-collegiate competition and good-will, and for the benefit of those who do not curl there is no other game which produces more friendship and good-will. The universities which received invitations were Mount A., University of New Brunswick, St. Dunstan's, St. F. X., Acadia, and Saint Mary's of Halifax. Curling is not a recognized sport in some of these universities. However, the Dal club hopes that certain groups of curlers in such universities will band together and make the trip to Halifax. Registration fee is set at \$10.00. Due to the Junior Bonspiel at the Halifax Rink this week, curling will not be held.

Tigresses Off For Three More Inter-Collegiate Titles
The Tigresses sport teams are on the trail for three more Maritime Inter-Collegiate titles. On

Thursday the badminton team will carry Dal's colors at the University of New Brunswick in Fredericton. Then on the twenty-eighth of this month, the Dal Girls' hockey sextet will be looking for a repeat 1952 performance at Acadia. The girls will play two games in the "foreigner's" rink against Mount A. and Acadia. The ground hockey team was successful in winning Maritime honors and it is expected that the Tigresses will be a formidable threat for the ice hockey championship, won by Dal last year. On the basketball front, the Senior Varsity dropped their first contest of the year to the powerful Tartans. The Tartan team is composed of many of the best ladies' basketball stars in the Halifax district and the younger Dal team deserves much credit for losing by such a small margin. Inter-Collegiate playoffs will begin soon with the opening games being between the Acadia Axettes and the Tigresses in home and home series games.

Pay for Dalhousie's Point of View
This past week, the Gazette noticed a type of editorial appearing in the Acadia Athenaeum. Apparently, the Acadia hockey team were downed 20-0 by the powerhouse from St. Francis Xavier. The Athenaeum writer was attempting to explain the score (which is not basketball but hockey) by pointing out that he believed the reason for the St. F. X.'s hockey team lay in bursaries and scholarships that lured sport stars to college. This has been a ticklish controversy in the U.S. where it is known that sport stars are brought to university for the purpose of playing sport. Fortunately, Mr. Athenaeum, not many Maritime universities, especially Dalhousie, take the same point of view as to the value of so-called "sport-scholarships". The writer of the editorial in urging his university to adopt sport bursaries and scholarships, apparently failed to grasp the correct meaning of sport, at least Inter-Collegiate sport. As most Dalhousians know, sport is for enjoyment and physical fitness, and not for means of gaining university prestige. It will be a sad day when one has to sit through 60 minutes of hockey or basketball watching players who are in fact being paid to play. When this happens, there can no longer be any such thing as Inter-Collegiate competition and good-will.

PROFITABLE HOBBIES
"Apart from the benefit to mind and body that a hobby offers, it is surprising what financial gains have been derived from hobbies—and that reminds me that I knew many people who today have businesses of their own, which are the result of something that began as a hobby." — Rosemary Grimble speaking about hobbies in "Meet the Commonwealth", broadcast in the BBC's General Overseas Service.

In the first five months of 1952 British firms exported 4,802 cars to Canada, for a total value of nearly \$5 million.

One of the reasons we have divorce courts is because many husbands who promised they would die for their wives haven't made good.

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D.G.A.C. Notes

VARSITY LOSES TO TARTANS
—Thursday night at the "Y", Dalhousie Varsity girls went down in defeat to the Tartans. The Tigresses played a defensive game in the first half with much credit going to guards Anne Thompson and Anne Stacey, Sally Roper, Barb Crosby and Carolyn Myrden. It was a rough fast game with Dal receiving nineteen fouls. In this half, McLeese and MacIntyre led the Dal attack while Marg Eustace sank many game-winning baskets for the Tartans.

In the second half, Dalhousie kept down their number of misfrictions and Elaine Woodside starred throughout. Elaine notched a total of 20 points and made many spectacular shots. Nevertheless, the Tigresses could not overcome the Tartans' lead and the game ended 35-28 in favor of the Tartan team.

INTERMEDIATES DOWNED BY "Y" — The Dal Intermediate girls were defeated Thursday evening by the "Y" team when they handed the Dal girls a 35-32 defeat. This was a very close game with both teams playing good and fast ball. Despite the fighting spirit of both teams, very few penalties were called. Dependable Barb Walker led the Dal scoring in the first half as she gained 8 points for her team. Nancy Aitkinson was outstanding for the "Y" girls as she shot for 16 points. The half ended 20-10 in favor of the "Y" team.

The Tigresses gathered all their determination in the next half and managed to lead the scoring with twenty-two points. Pat Barrett with 12 points led the Dal Tigresses attack. Once again, Aitkinson, although carefully guarded managed to break through the defense for 12 more markers. The game ended with Dal on the short end of the score, 35-32.

VARSITY HOCKEY—Dalhousie Girls' Varsity ice hockey team met defeat at the hands of Engineerettes Saturday in the Dal rink, by a score of 5-4. The Engineerettes

are made up of post grads, all Dal stars of past year.

This game was a test for the Varsity team and they stood up very well. It was a clean, fast, well played affair and although the Engineerettes were much more skilled in the game they could not overcome Dal's determination. Starring for Dal was Mary Lou Courtney, who managed to keep the puck out under the most difficult circumstances. Mary Lou, who was playing for the first time, really showed what she can do. The team is depending upon her for future games. Joyce Carney and Helen McLeod starred for the Engineerettes scoring the five goals. A. James scored three for Dal and L. Wiles scored one. The team as a whole played a defensive game with B. Melanson and P. Staples sparkling on defence.

The Tigresses are hoping to meet the Engineerettes soon in a return match. This Saturday they play Tel and Tel. girls and the following week a game with the professors is scheduled for Thursday. Next Saturday, they will enter a round robin tournament at Acadia to defend their Maritime Inter-Collegiate Championship.

Coming Events

Tues.—Acadia vs Dal, basketball at Dal.
Wed.—Junior Varsity vs Tech at R.C.A.F.
Thurs.—Varsity Hockey vs Tech at Dal.
Fri.—Junior Varsity vs Agric. C. at Truro.
Sat.—Dal Engineers vs Acadia Engineers in basketball and hockey at Dal.
Junior Varsity vs Kings at Dal.

Curling Notes

The end of the first round of curling on Thursday saw three teams tied for first place. Bill Schwartz moved into position with a 5-4 win over Dave Roscoe, Larry Doane downed Charlie MacKenzie 5-2 and Dave Anderson defeated Jim Tupper 5-3. Anderson, Roscoe and Doane are now tied for first with 6 points each, followed by MacKenzie, Schwartz and Tupper with 5, 4 and 3 respectively.

Curlers are reminded that due to a commitment of the Halifax Curling Club, there will be no university curling this Thursday, February 19.

The first round is still on at the curling club for the Tuesday curlers. Competition is keen with Dickie and Weir tied in first place as of February 10, when Weir handed Dickie his first defeat of the season 8-6.

As of Feb. 10, the standings were:

Dickie	6	Anderson	6
Weir	6	Roscoe	6
McCurdy	4	Doane	6
Mooney	4	MacKenzie	5
Crouse	4	Schwartz	4
Bell	0	Tupper	3

Cage Action Tonight

Dalhousie Varsity Tigers tangle with Acadia U. tonight in the Dal gym in a regular league basketball match. Both teams will be gunning for victory with Dal out looking for revenge. The last time the two teams met, Acadia were victorious. The Tigers will have Gord Rankin back in action and will floor their opponents with a slightly different floor play. At least that's Dal's point of view. However, it should be the "game of the year" and let's get out and root for the gold and black. The Tigers are riding high and came through with two convincing wins last week over Stadacona and Shearwater. These victories put them several percentage points ahead of their Acadia rivals.

The Years Ahead

As has been our annual custom in the past, the World University Service of Canada at Dalhousie takes over the two inner pages of one issue of the Gazette. For this privilege we express our thanks to the editor and staff. These two pages give us an opportunity to give to the students of Dalhousie a better picture of the work and aims of the W.U.S.C. How much or how little we have accomplished in the past is told herein in a brief way but the mere recounting of our history is not our aim in this issue.

We know that the importance of our work will far outweigh the results of our efforts for many years to come. The international situation today shows us all too well the need for international co-operation and mutual understanding. Our past accomplishments have been achieved only with your support. We look to the future with the hope of receiving even greater assistance on your part. The needs of others are great. In the years to come can our efforts come to match their needs?

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