

# Students First In Atomic Era

"You are the first generation of the atomic age," said Dr. A. E. Kerr, B. A., B. D., D. D., Ll. D., president of Dalhousie University, yesterday afternoon, as he welcomed students to the university at a meeting in the Gymnasium. "We live at the dawn of atomic society," he said, "an age of indescribable speed."

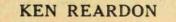
"We believe that if you have grasped what can be learned here at Dalhousie, you will go out to live a good life, and to exert a good influence on those around ;ou."

Describing a university as "a fellowship of students and teachers, interested in the discovery of new and old learning," Dr.

Kerr said that the university "has made an incalculable contribution to civilization."

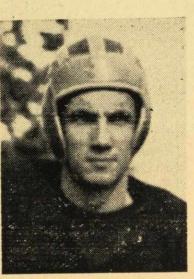
While the pursuit of learning is the main purpose of the university, students should take a healthy interest in the many extra-curricular activities and student organizations.

The president said that he had every confidence in the various branches of student activity. "While my ideals for the university have been high, those of the student organizations have been higher—I have never been forced to prod the students' council."





**Robbed** — Kenny Reardon, swivel-hipped halfback, scored one touchdown and was robbed of another in Saturday's game against wanderers. He was in paydirt when the final whistle blew. No score — he stepped cut of touch just as he crossed that last chalk stripe.



PETE FERON

Little Man Has Busy Day — Peter Feron (above) 150-pound football player and Dalhousie freshman, turned in a stellar game for the Gold and Black Saturday, when he scored 14 points against Wanderers as Dalhousie won, 27—0.

#### SAYS DIRECTORY WILL BE OUT IN EARLY NOVEMBER

The long-awaited appearance of the 1947-48 Students Directory will not take place until early in the first week of November, according to Harry Rhude, vicepresident of the council of students, and director of the Directory for this year.

## Show Power In Weekend Games

The Gold and Black colors of Dalhousie were flying high Saturday afternoon as two Dalhousie teams won their games and took over leadership of their respective leagues. The Tiger's entry in the Halifax Canadian Football League remained undefeated at Redlands Park as they crushed a hapless Wanderers team 27-0. At Studley field, the Intermediate English-Rugby entry proved too strong for the Kng's College team, turning them back by a 6-0 margin.

#### **BOB** WILSON



"Blockbuster" Bobby Wilson, hard-plunging halfback, was a tower of strength for the Tigers Saturday afternoon as they pounced on the unsuspecting

Seven plays after the opening whistle at Redlands Park, the Tigers' 150 pound halfback Peter Feron, kicked a 33-yard field goal, for three points. From there on it was Dalhousie's game, but 1700 wildly-cheering spectators stayed on to watch the razzledazzle antics of Bill Burkhart's. smooth-running team. Time after time, the crowd came to their feet as the Tigers pulled out all the stops, and played a wideopen, hard running game. Big scorer for the Tigers was Peter Feron who garnered 14 points two touchdowns, one field goal, and one convert. Other scorers. were Bob Wilson and Kenny Reardon.

At Studley field, keen rivalry, rather than skill, was the order of the day, as the Tigers took over the lead of the City Intermediate Rugby league, defeating the Kingsmen 6-0. Rosie Mac-

Col. K. C. Laurie, D. C. L., Chairman of the Board of Governors of Dalhonsie University spoke briefly. welcoming the students on behalf of the governing body.

## Charlie Barnet's Band To Play At Dalhousie

Plans for a dance to celebrate the Royal wedding were approved by the Dalhousie students council last week, after publicity director Art Mears presented a report, stating that Charlie Barnet and his nationally-known band could be brought to Halifax for a comparatively small guarantee

Council approval was given to the Mears Plan, and according to the publicity director, Dalhousie dancers will be able to see and dance to Mr. Barnet's rhythm at a toe-crusher to be held Nov. 6 in the Gymnasium

A limited number of tickets are to be sold. First sale will be to students, with a sale for the general public being held one or two days before dance night

The final decision is, or at least was, up to the Dental Society, who were slated to hold a dance on or about Nov. 6. Council put it up to them to hold a meeting and decide whether or not they would be willing to hold their dance in conjunction with the Barnet effort.

A further report on progress of the Mears Plan will be presented in the next edition of your Gazette. Currently being mooted is a scheme to hold the dance the night before the McGill-Dalhousie game. Final tabulation of registration figures has just been released, and at the present time a public stenographer is hard at work preparing alphabetical lists of students, names, Halifax addresses, home addresses, faculty, year and —most important of all—telephone numbers.

The Directory this year will not feature the articles on campus organizations, and the statements by association heads. The Students Council decided this spring that, in view of the increased cost of newsprint, service charges, and larger enrollment, the Directory would carry only the constitutions of the various student bodies and the actual directory data.

The greater part of the book is already printed and only the names and pertinent information are left to be set up. For the impatient student, Mr. Rhude advises that the Shirreff Hall telephone number is 3-9746.

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wearers of the Red and Black. His smashes through the line were just what the doctor ordered, and his touchdown was a thing of beauty. Millan and Robertson were the point-getters for the Tigers, with Quigley and McEwan turning infine performances.

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### New Brunswick Football Team To Challenge Dal?

Enthusiasm in Canadian football is mounting through the Martime provinces, and after Saturday's game at Memracook, N. B., when St. Joseph's College crushed Moncton Tigers 71--0, Moncton sportsmen are drumming up interest in a proposed tilt between St. Joseph's and either our own Dal Tigers or St. Mary's.

The Blue Eagles operating out of a modified T-formation ran back the opening kickoff for a touchdown and scored almost at will after that. They have an experienced line made up of a majority of American students at the school, and a lightening-fast backfield featuring two lads who take to the air after the manner of Joe Krol. Monday nght's sportscast from a Moncton radio staton claimed the calibre of play between the two teams was at least the equal of that in the Halifax CCity League, and sad Halifax teams would be approached for an exhibition series.

The game came as a complete surprise to sports followers: throughout the Maritimes. St. Joseph's sent na representative to last month's athletic meeting at Truro of colleges from the three seaside provinces and it was assumed that all sporting acitvity at the institution was dead for this year. Because of this fact, the Moncton Wigers had ruled heavy pre-game favorites to cop the Saturday contest.