

SMU Outskates Hockey Tigers

by Greg Zed

Dalhousie Tigers supporting a Season's record of twelve and six (12-6) faced St. Mary's Huskies in the sudden death semi-final last Saturday and unfortunately ran into a fast skating club which certainly are deserving of their 5th place ranking in Canada. The Dal squad unable to get moving in the first period fell behind by a score of 4-1 at the periods' end. The remaining two periods did not look much brighter for the Tigers. In fact the SMU club kept pouring it on and fired nine goals by the end of the game to Dal's three.

For Dal fans it wasn't the greatest thing to cheer about however, personally I

was surprised at the enthusiasm, spirit, and pride that the Dal fans exhibited. During the season the Tigers had their usual two hundred fans, however, the crowd at the SMU rink was alive. I mean you could actually hear them - something that wasn't possible many times this year in the Tiger's Lair.

Well coaches Page and Gagne succeeded in producing a playoff team as desired however, this past week's game must have been discouraging and frustrating for both mentors.

Next week I'll have a season's rap up and few ideas about the 1975-76 squad.



Nine reasons for unrelenting defense

by Alison Quinn

Last week the Dal Team came face to face with 9 good reasons why unrelenting defence is paramount in a Hockey game. Tuesday saw Acadia down Dal 5-3 before a home crowd of one. Although Dal came out roaring with a goal in the first three minutes by Silvia McGuire from Ann Marie MacKenzie, Acadia skated, checked and scored 5 goals on a team that had been 0 for 2 games.

Perhaps if the team had been up to full strength, if the defensive pairs and scoring combinations of previous games had been together, perhaps then we could have beaten Acadia. As it was, the game was riddled with sloppy passing, ineffectual clearing and lazy backchecking; coupled with inept and biased refereeing (four penalties for Dal and none for Acadia is a little hard to accept. At the end of the second it was Acadia leading by 5-2, the Dal goal popped in by Joanne Reid on a pass by Melda Rafuse. Twenty seconds into the third Alison Quinn scored the third and final goal of

the night. Claudia Powell picked up nine minutes in the box for tripping, cross-checking, and high-sticking. Mt. Allison played Dal to a 4-2 game on Sunday. Lest we be condemned for having a sour-grapes attitude, it must be mentioned that a blind person stumbling upon the game for the first time could have reffed a better

game. Off-sides and two-line passes were blown down whenever his 5-10 cent tweeter of a whistle worked. The game was definitely Mt. A. With their iron defence and stick-to-stick passing offence, Dal found itself committing basic hockey errors that could only be contributed to frustration. The two Dal goals were

the way up the ice to score, unassisted, in the far low corner. Silvia McGuire got 2 minutes for falling down. The ref (?) called it hauling down but as the Mt. A. player was already down before Silvia arrived, it couldn't have been for anything else. Next game: UNB vs. Dal, at Dal 12:30, March 2.

Curling Champs Third Time

by Cathy J. Campbell

The Dalhousie Ladies' Curling Team won the AWIAA Intercollegiate Curling Title for the third year in a row this past weekend in Charlottetown, PEI. The team consists of Gail Bates, Lorraine Stevens, Eileen Holden, Judy Moulton, and Penny La Roche (coach). Ms Bates, last year's most valuable player, is a second year physical education student from Saskatchewan, and has been the skip of the team for the past two years. Ms Stevens, a fourth year physical education student, played as mate on this year's team. Ms Holden, who has six years

playing experience, is a second year Commerce student. Ms Moulton, a fourth year Nursing student, came out of a two year layoff to star for the team this year. Facilities are definitely a problem, but the team manages to get ice time at CFB

Windsor Park Curling Club for their practice sessions. Last Weekend's Results: The bonspiel was hosted by UPEI and was certainly an endurance test, since the teams had to play 4 eight end games on both days. Feb. 27

Dal vs U de M	25-3
Dal Vs Memorial	10-2
Dal vs St. Marys'	9-3
Dal vs Mount St. Vincent	4-5
Feb. 28	
Dal vs UPEI	8-5
Dal vs UNB	10-7
Dal vs Acadia	14-1
Finals	
Dal vs UPEI	7-5

Aid for Grad Students

by Robert Metcalfe

The new edition of Scholarships Guide for Commonwealth Postgraduate Students and published by the Association of Commonwealth Universities is available at the Awards Office.

The new, enlarged handbook provides basic information about sources of

financial aid for graduates of Commonwealth universities who wish to undertake postgraduate (including postdoctoral) study or research at a Commonwealth university outside their own country.

Scholarships, grants, assistantships, demonstratorships are listed and all

subjects or research are covered in which there are university facilities.

An appendix also lists awards tenable at certain nonuniversity centres of advanced study or research. There is additional information about awards open to graduates of universities in the country of tenure.

CROAK "THE ACTIVIST"

WHAT IS THIS?!! I PAY MY FEES! I KNOW MY RIGHTS! IF I WANT TO PLAY FOOTBALL ON LOWER CAMPUS, NO ONE'S GONNA STOP ME... THIS IS A FREE COUNTRY, SO THEY SAY... MUMBLE, MUMBLE....

KEEP OFF THE GRASS

THIS CALLS FOR STUDENT ACTION! I'M GONNA GIVE WHO'S WHO A PIECE OF MY MIND... TWO PIECES IF NEED BE... BAH! BUREAUCRACY!

KIDS, TELL MOM! INVOLVE THYSELF, ETCETERA... LET NOT THE SYSTEM DESTROY YER RIGHTS.

ALAS! TRUER WORDS WERE NE'ER SPOKEN.

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