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## COUNCIL APPROVES BUDGET FOR EXHIBITION GAME WITH MCGILL

### \$1,600,000 To Be Cost Of Edifice

Construction of a new Dalhousie Arts building at a cost of approximately \$1,600,000 will begin within the next six months, according to a decision made by the Board of Governors Tuesday night.

Dr. Kerr, president of the University announced Wednesday afternoon that the building should be completed within 20 months after construction starts.

Intended to house the faculties of Arts and Science, and Commerce, together with classrooms for these faculties, the building will account for a considerable portion of the money raised in last year's \$3,000,000 Dalhousie Building Campaign.

It will be centred on the location now occupied by the historic Murray homestead, with an imposing entrance facing the Morris Street entrance to the Studley campus.

Made of the same stone which has been employed in the past in construction of the Science building, the library and the present Arts building, it will be constructed to fit into the general appearance of all Dalhousie buildings.

#### NATIONAL RESEARCH LABORATORY

Plans for the construction of a new National Research Council laboratory have been changed, Dr. Kerr said Wednesday. Because of the Research Council's decision that the building cannot be built of the stone which characterizes Dalhousie buildings, location of the laboratory is to be changed.

Originally scheduled to be situated at the Morris Street end of the Science building, the laboratory now will be erected adjacent to the Engineering building, on Oxford Street.

Construction is expected to begin within six months.

#### FORREST BUILDING

Extensive repairs have been completed in the Forrest Building which presently houses the faculties of Law and Medicine, as well as Dentistry.

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### TO ISSUE YEAR BOOKS MONDAY

Ron Caldwell, editor of Pharos, the Dalhousie Year Book, last year, and again this year, announced yesterday that a number of students who were here last year, and were eligible to receive year books, had not yet done so.

Students not yet in possession of their copy of Pharos are requested to call at the Pharos office in the basement of the Arts building, Monday afternoon, at which time the books will be issued.



DR. A. E. KERR—President of Dalhousie University announced Wednesday that a new Arts building, at a cost of \$1,600,000, will be erected within the next two years, construction to start shortly.

### Dr. F. R. Davis Dies At Keltic Lodge

### Dartmouth Dal Girl Is Queen

A Dalhousie co-ed, Shirley Hines, of Dartmouth, has been named "Queen of the Sea" for 1948, following her triumphant visit to Lunenburg where she competed in the Nova Scotia Fisheries Exhibition.

Thousands of proud and cheering citizens of Dartmouth turned out on her return from Lunenburg to welcome her home.

Her hometown reception followed a reception at Halifax, when a special ceremony was carried out on the Grand Parade in front of City Hall.

Members of the official party which welcomed the "Queen of the Sea" to Halifax were, Mayor and Mrs. A. C. Pettipas, of Dartmouth; Mayor J. E. Ahern, of Halifax; Mayor Douglas Adams, of Lunenburg; Betty Jean Ferguson, "Miss Canada"; Miss Jean Horne, Dartmouth's Natal Day Queen; and G. J. Noseworthy, Miss Hine's sponsor.

Escorted by a motorcycle of the Halifax police, the Queen's party proceeded to the Dartmouth Ferry where they were met by the Pipe Band of the Somme Branch, Canadian Legion, who piped the party on the flag-decked ferry, Scotian.

On the Dartmouth side of the harbor, a tumultuous welcome awaited the charming young queen. (Continued on Page Two)

A Dalhousie graduate, one of the great friends of Dalhousie University, and one of this province's most able medical men died Friday, Sept. 17, at Ingonish, Nova Scotia.

He was Hon. Frank Roy Davis, M.D., C.M., F.A.C.S., Minister of Public Health and Welfare and of Municipal Affairs. Aged 60, he succumbed to a heart attack at Keltic Lodge.

His heroic struggle for life perhaps equalled his part in the rescue of two Torontonians trapped in the Moose River Gold Mine in 1936. Dr. Davis volunteered to enter the crumbling caverns to bring aid to the men, near death from terror, exposure and hunger. He worked side-by-side with a daredevil rescue squad of miners.

#### TRIBUTE BY DR. A. E. KERR

The Province of Nova Scotia has lost an outstanding citizen and leader in the death of the Hon. Dr. F. R. Davis. I had a great deal to do with him because of the common interests of the Dalhousie faculties of medicine and dentistry, and the Provincial Department of Public Health and Welfare and I found him invariably considerate and cooperative. We spent most of a morning together (only a week before he died) discussing the improvement of the facilities of these professional schools.

He kept every aspect of public health within his purview, was familiar with all the new proposals in the field that were forthcoming from time to time, and took a statesmanlike view of the fundamental place of first-class medical

### Profits Will Go To War Memorial Fund

Dal Tigers and Wanderers A.A.C. will officially open the Halifax Canadian Football League at the Wanderers Grounds, tomorrow, October the 2nd. With the results of three weeks training behind them, Dal will take to the field at 2.30 p.m. against their old rivals of English rugger days.

Last year when the two teams met, the Tigers paraded through to an easy 27-0 victory. This year, Wanderers have a vastly improved team, benefitting by the addition of a number of last year's Saint Mary's players, since that latter team has dropped from the league. This year they will prove to be much tougher opposition. Nevertheless, Dal with its revamped lineup, will also prove to be a superior team than expected, and the game should be a rugged one.

Dut to the late return of the majority of players to the university, and the constant threat of supplementary exams, some have found it difficult to get out to practice. Despite this fact, Coach Burkhart will field a team with a fair amount of experience. From last year's roster there are such well known faces as captain Bob MacDonald, Bob Wilson, Pete Feron, George Mattison, Paul Lee and Don Woodward, from the backfield. To add to this impressive lineup there are such newcomers as Don Harrison, Andy McKay, Bob Langin, Chic Fancy, and Alex Farquhar.

Although the line will undoubtedly miss the services of Morrison and MacKeigan, most of last year's stalwarts still remain. Johnie Lindsay, Tom Belliveau, Frank MacDonald, Pete MacDonald, Murry Malloy, Pete Mingo, Joe Levinson, Burt Cull and Bob McQuinn, all have had experience from last year. The line has had many new additions, some of them having gained their experience elsewhere. Dave McCurdy, came in from the States, Spense Stewart came down from Montreal, Bill Peterson is in from the west via Mt. A., while Jim McEwan, Charman Cousins, Don Seaman, Ken Allen—and Bill Ogilvie are from Halifax and district.

### Initiation Regalia Censored

The program drawn up by the Initiation Committee for the entertainment of newcomers to Dal was amended last week after a committee of members of the Senate had looked it over and decided that all was not as it should be. Accordingly, the faculty members present passed a few suggestions on to Vice President of the Council Bill Cox, who brought the matter up at the first meeting of the Council last Thursday.

The objections of the faculty apparently stemmed from no solicitude for the Frosh, but from a worthy desire to have the Initiations program interfere as little as possible with the first week of lectures, which they appeared to regard as more important.

The Council reviewed the suggestions accordingly, agreed that they were quite reasonable, and passed the matter on to Initiation Chairman Andy MacKay without making any ruling on the subject. Unable to pass the buck themselves, the Initiation committee reviewed the program and made concessions accordingly.

It will be remembered that last year the press and radio in the province somehow got hold of reports that the then Chairman of the Initiation Committee, Scott Morrison, was almost lynched by a group of outraged frosh, (which was absolutely false) and for this reason care is being taken this year to ensure less bloodthirsty reports being released to our anxious public.

education in the service of the physical well-being of the people.

The new Victoria General Hospital is a monument to his determination to make the institutions of healing in Nova Scotia equal to the best to be found anywhere.

### WILL DESCRIBE TRIP TO EUROPE

"A truly great experience," said Jack MacCormick, post-grad student who recently returned, in company with Al Smith, another post-grad Dal student, from attending the International Student Service Seminar in Germany.

MacCormick and Smith toured most of Europe during their three month visit, and reported having an excellent time despite the food shortage over there.

While attending the Seminar at Schloss-Ploen in the British zone of Germany, they met students from almost every European country and discussed with them the many problems facing the post-war student and citizen.

A series of articles, with photos, by Jack MacCormick are to appear in the Gazette shortly.