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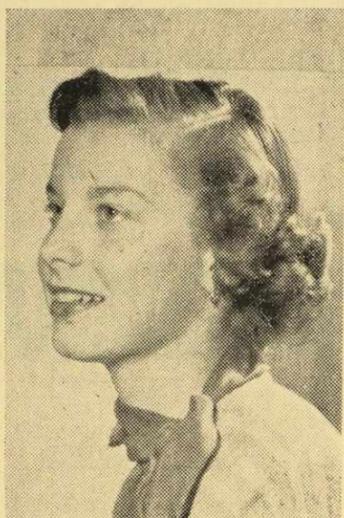
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No
Bribing
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Don't Make
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Munro Day in Memory of Dalhousie University's Greatest Benefactor

On July 9, 1881, the Governors of Dalhousie University dealt with a petition from the students requesting that each year there be a holiday named the George Munro Day in celebration of the great benefactions of the George Munro mentioned above. The petition was granted and the third Wednesday in January each year was set aside as the George Munro Memorial Day. In the course of years the name has been shortened to Munro Day. In the year 1928 Munro Day was celebrated on March 9, and President A. Stanley MacKenzie reviewed the history of Dalhousie's benefactors. The special guest on that occasion was the Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennet who was referred to as one of our great benefactors himself, and the cause of other notable benefactions. Since that time the names of all our benefactors have been associated with Munro Day. In 1938 the Senate decided that in future Munro Day should be celebrated on the second Tuesday in March.



GAY ESDALE
Medicine



FRAN DOANE
Commerce

Malcolm Honour Award Presented to Most Outstanding Dalhousie Student

No greater tribute can be paid to any undergraduate at Dalhousie than to be given the Malcolm Honour Award presented each year in honour of the memory of James Malcolm who lost his life whilst trying to save the life of a swimming companion.

James Malcolm was a great athlete, a student who won the respect of his fellow scholars because he was a gentleman on the football field and off it.

In 1903, after five years at Dal, he returned to take Theology. It was in that year that tragedy befell him. The unselfish devotion to others which became his life was manifest as he died while rescuing a drowning companion.

In 1927 it was decided to establish an award "to perpetuate the memory of Jimmy Malcolm, a Dalhousie Student, who gave his life in an effort to save the life of a drowning friend".

Students worthy of receiving this award must be outstanding for their unselfish devotion of time and talent in the service of their fellow students whose college years are like Malcolm's—a football hero, a successful scholar and a gentleman.



CAROL WOOD
Law



RENATE FISHER
Dentistry

Climo Trophy Given Athlete Considered Most Outstanding

The Climo Trophy is awarded annually to the Dalhousie sportsman who most exemplifies team spirit and is an outstanding athlete. Not necessarily given to the highest scorer it is awarded to the player on some Dalhousie team who, in the considered opinion of the committee most represents the ideals of fair-play and general sportsmanship in his athletic activities.

This award was donated by a Halifax photographer C. H. Climo, in order to further good sportsmanship at Dalhousie.

Last year the award was won by Andy MacKay. This year's winner will not be announced until the moment for the presentation of the trophy arrives on Munro Day. It is the highlight of the ceremonies of Munro Day in the opinion of many members of the DAAC, as one of their number will receive the reward which he, in their eyes, so richly deserves.

Next to the presentation of the Malcolm Honour Award the award of the Climo Trophy arouses the greatest interest among the members of the student body.

CO-VETTES

The ladies of the Alumnae have extended an invitation to Covettes Society to attend a supper at Shirreff Hall on Thursday, March 16th,



AILEEN MACKINNON
Pharmacy



SHEILA MACLAREN
Arts & Science



JANET ROBERTSON
Pine Hill

Copies of the 1948-1949 Pharos will be available today to students entitled to receive them. They will be distributed by the Committee in the Men's Common Room starting at 9.30. Students are reminded that they should bring their Council cards for identification in order to avoid delay and embarrassment.



NORAH SYMONS
King's

Bob Walters Award Given to Engineer Of Greatest Merit

Among the more coveted honours presented annually is the Bob Walter Award, which is given to the graduating Engineer with the greatest all-round merit as chosen by his fellow students. Recipients must excel in four distinct departments: executive ability, sports, general popularity, and academic standing, thus ensuring the "all-round" nature of the award.

The award itself is a small "E" in gold with a transit embossed on the face, and the year and name of the winner engraved on the reverse side.

Bob Walter himself was one of the most popular Engineering students here at Dal just before the war, and graduated in 1940. A few months later he was dead as the result of a hunting accident. Subsequently the Engineering Society decided to honour his outstanding qualities with an annual presentation to a student of similar high standing among his fellows.

Last year the lucky man was popular Johnny Lindsay, and for 1950 the honour falls to the equally popular Murray Malloy.