

DALHOUSIE Gazette SPORTS



TIGERS SWEEP MEETS

Dal Retains Tennis Laurels; Capture Golf Title

After an absence of two years the Maritime Intercollegiate Golf Trophy has again returned to the hallowed halls of Dalhousie, having been captured by a team led by Dave Moon. The tourney played last Saturday at Truro saw the Dalhousie entry finish 28 strokes ahead of a field of three. The course was in fine shape and the greens were in especially good condition. St. F.X. who won the tourney last year were second with a total of 456 and closely behind them was Acadia with a grand aggregate of 459.

In garnering the win Dal showed good off season form to take the meet by such a large margin. Dave Moon, who both managed and coached the team was low man with a score of 78, six above par. Moon came close to getting a hole-in-one when one of his drives hit the pin and bounced six inches away. Close behind Moon was ex-Canadian Junior Champ Lea Windsor who netted a 79. Low man for X was Buddy Kennedy who did the course in 81, while Jim Taylor, who came in with an 89 was low on the Acadia squad.

three Dal team members were Al Doane, who had an 85; Bob Timothy with a 92 and finally Gene Gibson who went round in 94.

In the tennis tournament held in Fredericton over the weekend, Dalhousie swept both the girls and boys' divisions. Nicky Weatherstone won the singles in straight sets, 6-2, 6-1 over U.N.B.; 6-3, 6-2 over Mt. A., and 6-4, 6-2 over St. F. X.

Frank Nolan, playing singles for St. F.X. offered Weatherstone his stiffest competition.

The doubles sets were played by "Frog" Fraser and Dave Pigot, and they won 6-1, 6-1 over St. Mary's, 6-4, 6-4 over U.N.B.; 6-4, 6-1 over Mt. A.; and 6-4, 6-3 over St. F.X.

In actual play Lal was far ahead of the others as they dropped only one of their threesomes. The other

An Ear to the Ground

By Paul Goldman

DALHOUSIE TIGERS SHARE CELLAR WITH ST. F.X.

Slowly but surely the football tigers are having their claws clipped. As a result of Saturday's loss to the boys at Antigonish, Dal now shares the unenviable position with that same team at the end of the first half of the N.S.C.F.L. schedule. Why this should be is hard to say. Perhaps it is because of the increased strength of the league this year. However, I don't see why a team that won the championship the previous year, should become such easy prey just one term later. True, the team is missing some key players, but there has also been several additions to the team this year. Out of action at present is Don Lyons, one of the best linemen ever to wear the black and gold colors. Don has a badly sprained ankle, and leaves a big gap to be filled.

In recent games Dal seems to lose something after the first half. In their first game of the season, as well as their last, they play well enough in the first half to win any game. But in the second half they seem to fall apart.

Rumor has it that on Thanksgiving Day, fans witnessed perhaps one of the worst refereed contests seen in these parts in many moons. Games such as this one can do a lot to a team's morale. On countless occasions Dal has been penalized for infractions which may have been avoided, especially in their latest outing.

Spirit of the club isn't too bad, but there is one fact detrimental to the team and that is the lack of practising by a few key men. As a result, those that are working hard, and sitting on the bench, feel pretty discouraged.

This Saturday Dal needs a win to keep playoff hopes alive. Let's call tigers.

Basketball, Swimming and Hockey Around the Bend

Latest word has it that the ice will be in the rink for this coming Thursday. However, Dal students will not be able to use it until Nov. 1. The ice will be used by players trying out for varsity and junior varsity hockey teams. The varsity teams will be coached by DeWitt Dargie, latest addition to the Phys. Ed. Staff. This year, as last year, the varsity team will compete in the tough intercollegiate league along with S.M.U., St. F.X., Nova Scotia Tech and Acadia.

The swimming team will start practice just as soon as all those trying out give their schedule of classes to coach Thomas, so that pool time at the Y.M.C.A. can be arranged. Watch the boards in the gym for further notices.

Sports Brief

Witnessing Saturday's football game between Stadacona and Shearwater, the public no longer feels that the Shearwater Flyers are unbeatable. Stadacona, early season "weak sisters", showed a strong offensive blocking unit, and a determined defense. If not for a few bad breaks, Stad would have handed Flyers their first league loss.

Schedule

Oct. 17—Engineers vs. Law
Oct. 19—Meds vs. Commerce
Oct. 21—A.S. & P. vs. Engineers
Oct. 24—Law vs. Commerce
Oct. 26—Meds vs. A.S. & P.
Oct. 28—Engineers vs. Commerce
Oct. 31—Law vs. A.S. & P.
Nov. 2—Meds vs. Engineers
Nov. 4—Commerce vs. A.S. & P.
Nov. 6—Meds vs. Law

All games begin at 1 p.m. and playoffs will begin on the week of November 14th.

The Dears With the Cheers!



YEA TEAM—Shown above are the cheerleaders for this year. Bottom, left to right, Jackie Galloway, Liz Montgomery, Judy Wilson; center, Sue Petrie, Joan Millar; back, Janet MacLachlan, Joan Horowitz, Carrie Ann Matheson.

1955 Ground Hockey Schedule

The schedule for 1955 is:
Tuesday, Oct. 18—King's at Dalhousie
Saturday, Oct. 22—Dalhousie at Mount Allison
Tuesday, Oct. 25—Dalhousie at King's
Saturday, Oct. 29—Mount Allison at Dalhousie
Saturday, Nov. 5—Acadia at Dalhousie

The lineup is as follows:
Forwards: Carolyn Fleming, Kathy Young, Carolyn Vincent, Val Wood, Maureen Connolly, Robin McMackin, Elizabeth Montgomery.
Defence: Joann Goldberg, Di Smith, Gwen MacDonald, Anne Stacey, Audrey Hollebome, Jean MacPherson, Shelagh Keene.

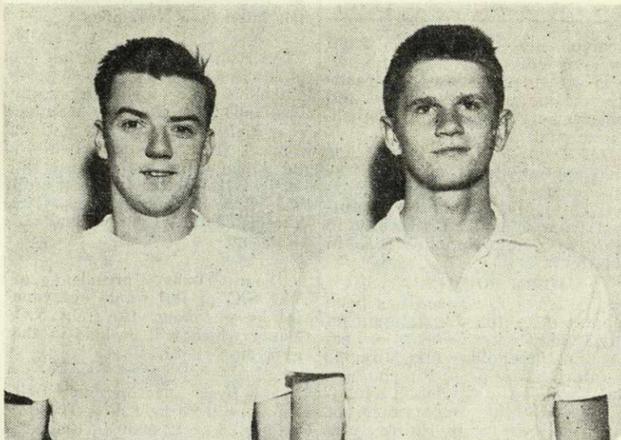
Dal Downed by St. F. X. 21-7

Dalhousie Tigers played before a packed house at the St. F.X. Memorial Field Saturday and bowed to "X" men 21-7. It was a thrilled-packed game from beginning to end, especially the end and for the hometown fans when the Bengals attack fizzled out in the second half.

Open Fast
Dal opened the game like a house of fire and marched down the field with Bryson, Nichols and MacKenzie ripping through the line for big gains. A MacCulloch to Watson pass resulted in the first score which MacKenzie converted. Franny Shea kicked a field goal from the 30 yard line to make the score 6-3. Mike MacCulloch kicked a rouge to end the scoring in the first half.
The rejuvenated "X" squad came back strong in the second half and Daley of "X" put his team out

front for the first time in the game when he bulled his way around left end. Shea converted. Farrell then went through center for a TD which Shea converted. The score 15-7. A sleeper in the person of Pete Ambrose scored the last TD which was not converted. The other point for X came when Nip Theakston was rouged in his end zone.
Nip Theakston scored a TD on an intercept of a Pete Laseau pass and ran 80 yards only to be called back on an infraction of the rules by a team-mate.

Help Win Raquet Title



Shown above are two of the key players who helped Dal to another intercollegiate win, left to right: Bob Fraser and Nickey Wetherstone.

Rugger Starts This Week

That fast and rugged game known as rugger has once again hit the Dal campus as the Inter-fac rugger wars get underway and open up the Inter-fac sports schedule at this "College-by-the-Sea". English rugger once the major sport on the campus many years ago has now slipped to a point where it is only played on the inter-fac level. Not only it is dying a slow death at Dal but it is being dropped as a major sport by many Maritime universities.

Defending champions are the Meds team who lifted the title from Law in a hard fought game 2-0. Meds have been out practicing during the last couple of weeks and by all the reports we hear from the Forrest Campus they intend to put another trophy winner

on the field. Meds meet their first opposition today and they meet Commerce in what should be a close and hard fought game. Commerce, who failed to win a tilt last year are expected to muster a strong team for the match.

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