

# ... FEATURES

## Knowsey

Well, Dullhousians—confoozin' but amoozin' ain't it, but we're back to please and plague you with our snoop scoops. Remember Knowsey's nose knows no key-hole too infinitesimal to inhabit. Keep your chemise on—but here goes.

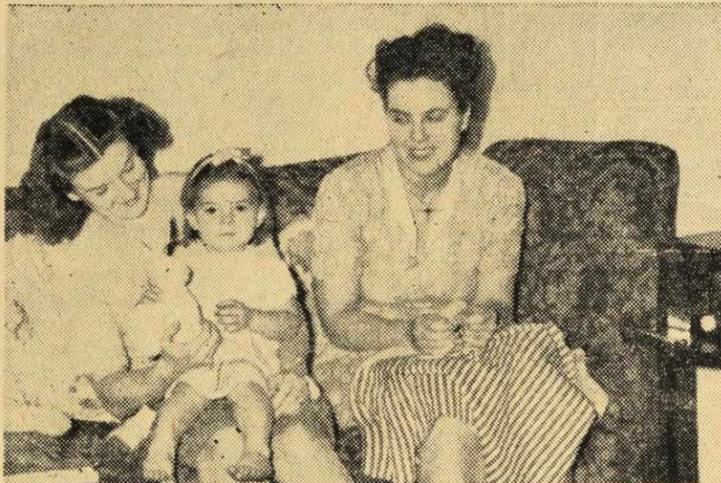
Dear Blond Alex: In answer to your letter — a train ticket to Montreal only costs \$40. To bring that happy smile back, the council would probably vote you the money. Remember . . . it's a long way to hitch-hike.

Among the summer's casualties was Verna Leonard—who, it appears, was awarded an 'A' for activity at Keltic Lodge.

The famed gentlemen of Burlesque, Gypsy Rose POND was at the Freshie-Soph in full dress. Could it be that he has bid farewell to the footlights.

Kay's theme song remains "The Knight is young but OH SO beautiful." We must admit the first part is true, Kay, but do you really think he's beautiful?

Well, behave over the Thanksgiving week-end—or, if you want the dubious honor of having your name in this column don't—and see what happens.



Mrs. Ernest Amirault and baby, Diane, and Mrs. Perry Bauchman in the pleasant surroundings of a typical Mulgrave Park apartment.



Reg and "Doc" Dal freshmen, hard at work in their room at Single Men's Residence in Cathedral Barracks.

## STUDENT VETS HOUSED

ON FRIDAY OF LAST WEEK, A BLITHE TEAM OF GAZETTE REPRESENTATIVES TROOPED OUT OF THE STYGIAN BLACKNESS OF THE OFFICE INTO THE BRIGHT LIGHT OF DAY IN SEARCH OF INFORMATION. GAILY, THEY TRAMPED THE RELATIVELY SHORT DISTANCE TO THE SINGLE MEN'S RESIDENCE AT CATHEDRAL BARRACKS. WITH DESPATCH AND EFFICIENCY, THEY ROUNDED UP THE NEWS, CLIMBING DRAIN PIPES IN THE TRUE NEWSPAPER FASHION, FLASHING BULBS IN THE FACE OF UNSUSPECTING RESIDENTS, AND, IN GENERAL, MAKING MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING.

FROM HERE, THE NAIVE CREW SET OFF TO MULGRAVE PARK, THE MARRIED STUDENTS' ENCAMPMENT. SHADES OF ADMIRAL BYRD! SUCH AN EXPEDITION! THE TRAM CAR TRACKS FELL FAR SHORT OF THE MARK AND WEARY AND SICK AT HEART THEY SURMOUNTED THE LAST OBSTACLE AND STOOD, SILENT, UPON A PEAK IN THE NORTH END. SPREAD BEFORE THEM WAS A PANORAMA OF HOMES WITH SMOKE CURLING LAZILY FROM A HUNDRED CHIMNEYS. THESE LITTLE COTTAGES WERE NOT "OF CLAY AND WATTLES MADE" BUT RATHER OF WARTIME HOUSING WOOD, AND THEIR GREY EXTERIORS INVITED INSPECTION WITHIN. NOTHING LOTHE, YOUR ADVENTUROUS TRIO CLAMBERED DOWN THE HILL OVERLOOKING THE COMMUNITY AND ENTERED THE FIRST OF THREE HOUSING UNITS. THERE FOLLOWS A BRIEF ACCOUNT OF CONDITIONS AND OPINIONS IN THE TWO RESIDENCES.

Far out in the north end of Halifax, past the end of the car-lines and listed in the 'phone book as a suburban area, is a small community which passes under the name of Mulgrave Park. Here dwell a happy group of contented Dalhousie benedicts and their families. Nestled on the side of a hill, this former ship-yard workers' barracks overlooks the Narrows in no uncertain manner.

The two buildings now under occupation are divided into excellent three-room apartments, clean, airy and steam-heated. We were fortunate enough to visit the communal area when supper was being prepared for husbands who were away gaining a liberal education. The cosy apartments were filled with palate-pleasing vapours rising from a myriad of succulent dishes. Children played happily in the large area available for out-door games; delivery trucks were parked at the entrances; the post-man whistled as he placed the mail in the neat boxes; and, in general, a happy community atmosphere prevailed. In all cases those people interviewed were highly pleased with the accommodation provided, and your correspondent was favorably impressed with the comfortable, tastefully decorated apartments.

When interviewed, Mrs. Ernest Amirault and Mrs. Percy Bauchman, both English war brides, expressed absolute satisfaction with their comfortable three-room apartments. Mrs. Amirault,

whose two-year old daughter was born in England was quite surprised at the excellent accommodation provided, and Mrs. Bauchman who lived in very unsatisfactory accommodation all winter had nothing but praise for her new home.

The residence for un-married male students at Cathedral Barracks on Morris street affords comfortable, fairly spacious housing to its occupants. Such is the opinion of the majority of the 165 Dalhousie students who are inhabitants of the former C.W.A.C. barracks.

The rooms in the two occupied blocks are actually cubicles, partitioned off from each other by thin fibre-board walls. Each room, intended to be a home for two men, is furnished with two beds of the type used in military hospitals, desks chairs, a single electric light fixture in the ceiling, and ample closet space.

An efficient house-cleaning service has been instituted and while the boys are away at school, an industrious staff of women invade the barracks, sweeping, dusting, washing and, in general, tidying up the place.

A note of discontent was discerned in the attitude of the students toward the recent announcement that they must arrange their own meal schedule, but otherwise all students expressed surprised pleasure at the excellent accommodation afforded

## CO-ED COLUMN

Girls' activities on the campus have, in the past, been somewhat hampered by lack of publicity. This year, we hope to really bring them into the limelight. Although we are outnumbered six to one by the male population, we still feel important enough to have a say in campus life and thus rate a column.

The ratio of six to one has been helped, without doubt, by the small number of freshettes appearing on the scene. According to official registration, there are but forty-six young damsels who have ventured forth into the greater fields of learning at Dalhousie this year. Best of luck to you in which ever profession has been your choice, freshettes!

It might be well to explain to freshettes and to refresh the memories of the other women students, as to just what kind of a society they automatically joined upon entering Dalhousie. The name of this organization is the Delta Gamma. It is headed by an executive chosen by the students themselves:

- President — Kay McLean
- Secretary-Treasurer — Elsie Cruickshanks
- Senior Rep. — Terry McLean
- Debating Mgr. — Liz Reeves
- Dramatic Mgr. — Kay Whitehouse
- Social Chairman — Helen Beveridge, Frances Jubien.

Kay McLean, president of Delta Gamma has told us that the Junior and Sophomore representatives will be elected at the first meeting to be held this week.

It is urged that all women students attend this meeting so that the society may feel the support of all and thus aid Delta Gamma to start business and activities for the year with a bang!

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