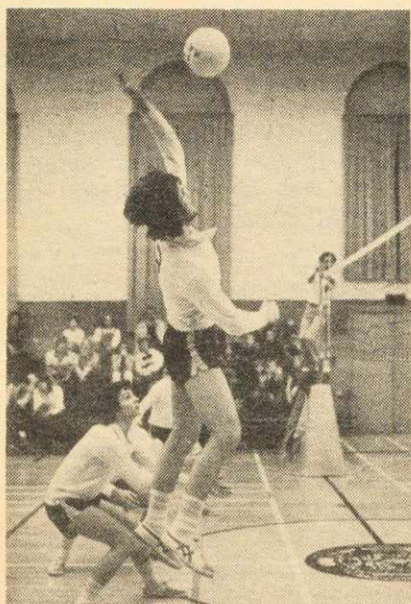


# Tigers look strong



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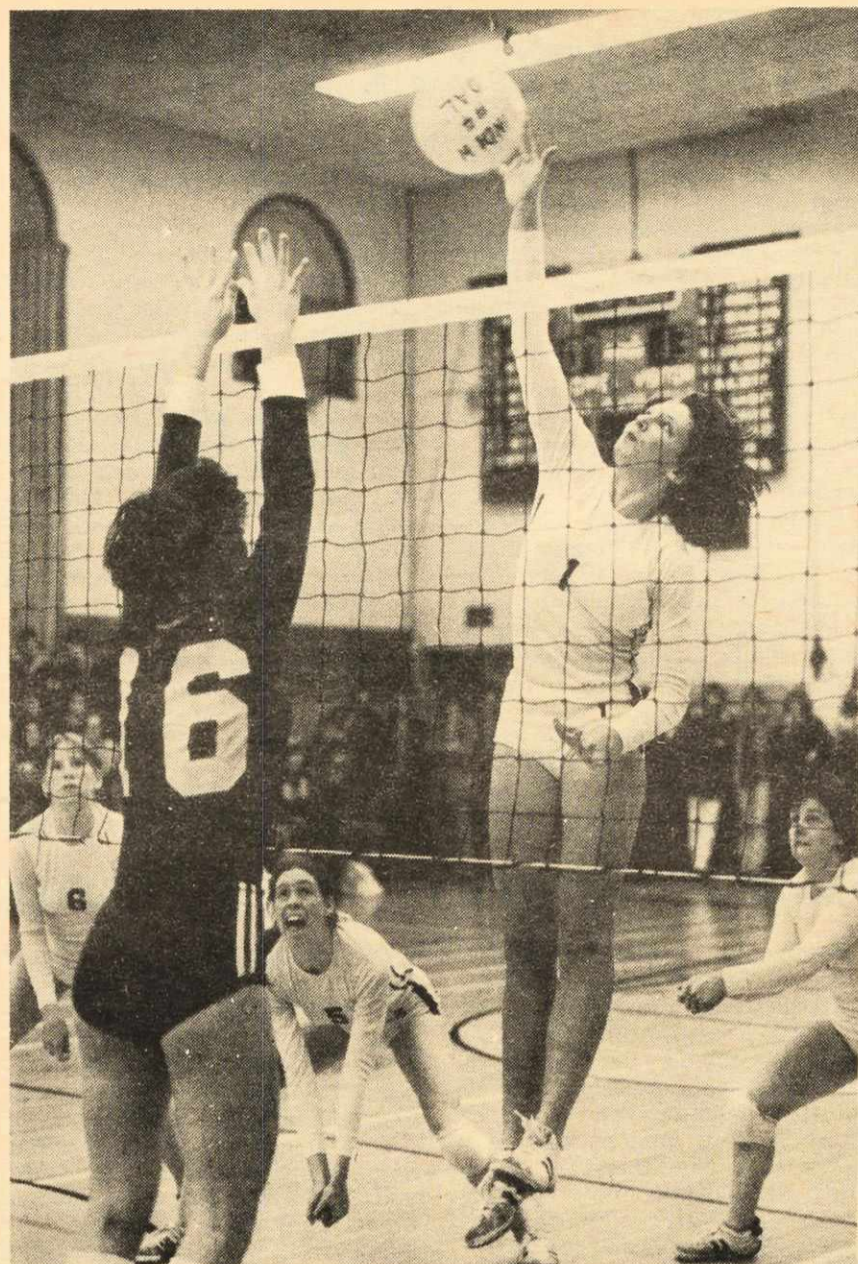
with a convincing 3-0 trouncing of the Acadia Axemen at home.

Signs of the long Christmas layoff were evident in Friday night's first game with the sloppy 3-2 victory over the Blue Eagles of Moncton. It was a long grueling match as both teams traded off the first four games even.

The Dal squad seemed despondent with their lackluster performance in the final game, but proved their superior prowess at the net. Confident blocking and spiking showed as the team jumped to a quick 14-2 lead. The game ended 15-7 and the match was won.

Sunday's away game against the weaker Mount Allison Mounties was looked upon as a chance to get things together after the poor show on Friday. Coming off a long bus trip slowed the first game considerably. Tigers eventually won 15-8. Midway through the second game the Tigers picked up to put the game away 15-4 and then made the third contest no contest, thrashing the Mounties 15-1, taking the match 3 straight.

The Dalhousie Volleyball Tigers won their second and third straight Atlantic Universities Volleyball conference matches over the weekend with wins of 3-2 and 3-0 over Université de Moncton and Mount Allison, respectively. The first win of the season came early in the fall



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The Dalhousie Tigers Women's Volleyball squad will be in Waterloo this weekend for an invitational tournament featuring both Canadian and American teams. The trip is expected to provide top flight competition and valuable experience. Shown here is the team in action this past weekend.

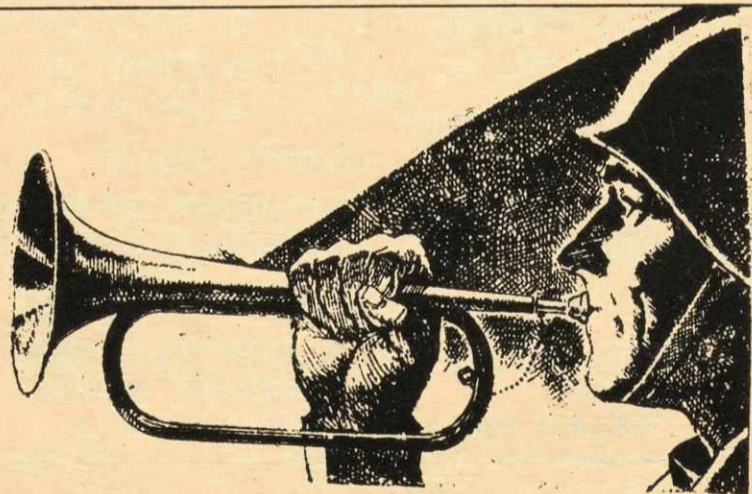
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## Women to Waterloo

The Dal Women's Volleyball team leave today for the Waterloo Invitational after completing a successful week of intercollegiate play. Last Friday evening, Dal defeated Université de Moncton by scores of 15-4, 12-15, 15-9, and 15-4. This was a big win for the Dal team, avenging two earlier defeats in tournament play at the hands of the Angeles Bleu.

On Saturday, the team took a break from volleyball and headed to the streets for a bottle drive, raising money to support their upcoming participation at the Waterloo tournament. The team would like to thank all those people who contributed, especially the residents of Fenwick and Howe Hall.

The Waterloo Invitational features

some of the top intercollegiate teams in Canada and the United States, and is being held this weekend at Waterloo, Ontario.

The opening game on Friday draws special interest to the Dal squad as they face Guelph, who have as an outstanding player, Helen MacGregor, former member of the Dal team and sister of Dal's head coach, Lois MacGregor. In other matches on Friday, Dal is pitted against Queen's, Manitoba, Windsor and Waterloo. On Saturday, the black and gold are up against Michigan State, McMaster, and Concordia. The semi-finals and finals are programmed for Saturday with the Dal Women's Volleyball team returning home on Sunday to prepare for a game Tuesday evening at Acadia.

## Tigers trip SMU Huskies

Last Saturday evening at the Dal gym, the basketball Tigers women's team started the new year off on the right foot by downing cross-town rival St. Mary's Belles 71-59. Playing before a large crowd as an added feature of the Girl's High School Basketball Tournament, the Dalhousie squad pushed their season record to 5 wins and 2 losses, and consolidated their hold on 2nd place in the conference.

The game itself was a loosely played, foul ridden affair with both teams showing the effects of the long Christmas layoff. A total of 55

fouls were called in the game, with most starters on both teams being in danger of fouling out. Carol Rosenthal turned in another strong offensive performance as she hit for 28 points, while steady team captain Anne Lindsay contributed 14. St. Mary's, whose hustling, aggressive defense gave the Tigers some early problems, got 18 points from rookie Diane Chaisson. Dal led at the half 40-27.

The Tigers next home games are this weekend, when they host UPEI on Friday at 7:00 p.m., and Acadia on Saturday at 6:30 p.m.