PERSPECTIVE

by Llewellyn Butterfield II

Politics, Economics and Sports, three subjects that theoretically bear little relation to one another. However, in the real world the opposite is true. Apparently they are inextricably intertwined.

Unfortunately, in a world dominated by power politics and economic giants sports has become the pawn of the weaker nations. Case in point: the recent South African 'Springboks' Rugby tour of New Zealand and the United States. Third World Nations have threatened to boycott the next Olympics because the tour took place. The United States objected vigourously to

this stance, arguing sports should not become a political football.

These nations have no choice if they hope to bring pressure to bear on that racist regime in South Africa. Moreover the Americans have no room to complain after boycotting the Olympics in Moscow. These schisms in the Olympic Movement threaten to destroy the basis for international sporting competition. Sports should not be the tool of any nation's foreign policy. Economics and Politics are far more suitable for achieving this end. Establishing this in our own minds should be our first objective.





Moosehead Salutes

CAROLYN MERRITT - Field

Hockey - scored a key goal against Acadia last week as the Tigers boosted their record to 6-0 in AUAA competition. Merritt, a second year physical education student from Scotland, has two goals this season and has been an important offensive part of the team with some brilliant forward play. Her set up of Lori Ann Moore led to the only goal in an important 1-0 win over UNB a week ago which should assure the Tigers of an AUAA play off position.

ED KINLEY - Soccer - played a strong weekend at sweeper as the Tigers split a pair of road games. The third year Chemistry student from Halifax, a member of Nova Scotia's Canada Games Team, was outstanding tackling and leading the Tiger offensive thrust into the opposition zone. According to coach Terry McDonald, "Eddy played near flawless soccer on the weekend."



Athletes of the Week

Dal annihilates

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Last Saturday at the 'Pit' in the north end of Halifax, Dal Rugby Club's second team crushed Saint Mary's 52 points to 0.

Dal quickly asserted their superiority by scoring a try in the opening minutes. A few moments later it was apparent it was going to be a game of "by how much"

Dal dominated every facet of the game. D.R.C. cruised to a 22 point to 0 halftime lead. The second half was a mere formality as SMU were only able to put up token opposition. Though SMU were being thrashed they continued to play as if the game was on the

Wing forward Bryan Botting was outstanding, scoring three trys. Peter Boyle playing

Dynamic Duo

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up what the movie was and the twisted ironic minds behind it is to quote from a scene where Bruce Wayne has been kidnapped by the villains (unaware he is Batman) and is tied up on a bed with a woman (actually the Catwoman out of uniform). He tells her that if she can reach his back pocket, there's a tiny radio transmitter there that would put out a call to Batman to rescue them. When she (naturally) asks why he would have such a thing, he replies, "I have to have these things - I'm a capitalist." Huh?

in the unfamiliar position of wing, scored his first try of the season. Jim Phillips was simply brilliant leading the pack and converting 8 out of 9 trys.

This weekend they face a stiffer challenge as they head to New Glasgow to play Pictou

Dal ties UNB

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Studley field was the venue last Saturday of the drawn match between the Soccer Tigers and UNB. Dal was looking for two points from the encounter, but found the Red Raiders equal to the task.

UNB drew first blood early in the first half on a penalty kick. Graham brought the Tigers on level terms moments before the half time whistle. Goalie Neil Blanche gave a good account of himself thwarting the Red Raiders attack.

Neither team was able to break the deadlock. Dal came very close on a few occasions, hitting the crossbar. The pattern from the last few games of being unable to score many goal continues to plague the

Dal showed promise on its recent trip. The Tigers lost 2 goals to 0 to the UPEI Panthers in a very scrappy game. They broke out their mild slump by edging Mt. Allison 1 to 0 on a Ronnie Robinson goal.

