



The Campus Roundup

by Windy O'Neill

Up country, in the land of the cocktail bars and provincial rights, there is currently quite a to-do about the two-way stretch of our old friend "amateurism". Staid, ancient McGill has always been a stronghold of no-pay for play.

A current report that a McGill scout was out on the west coast lining up grid talent for next year's campaign has caused McGill's exponents of that "lofty aim" to drop their whittling knives in alarm. The McGill alumni, tired of being the straight-laced, amateur door-mats of the University football circuit have banded together to see what can be done to "influence" some red-hot football players into attending that old citadel of learning.

The report that Jim Mitchener, the outstanding luminary of the Calgary Stampeders, last year's Canadian champions, was headed Montrel way come next autumn was hastily denied by Coach Vic Obeck—but strangely enough, the next day, Mitchener confirmed reports that he had made application to enter the McGill medical school.

It is no secret that Queen's and Western have been "aiding" athletes who miraculously turn up at those seats of learning year after year. Even stately Toronto is not above suspicion—every year the U of T runs a lavish training camp for their pigskin pushers. The net result is that the collegiate title has been a battle amongst those three, with poor, amateur McGill looking on through tearey, mud-filled eyes.

The question of athletic scholarships is a thorny problem. The stock argument of those against is always—"Oh, look what they have come to in some of the American colleges". This statement is supposed to cow and squelch all argument for ever and ever—and then some. But does it? Every university gives scholarships, the requirements for which are: ridiculously high marks and a nose well pointed from having a book absent-mindedly closed thereon. It hope this won't bring too much of a strain on old, weak hearts, but aren't they PROFESSIONAL students?

What is wrong about an athlete of competent scholastic ability (which does not reach genius proportions) receiving help in obtaining an education, by donating his athletic ability for the glory of old Alma Mater? There is, traditionally, a certain respect in the community for old athletes of accomplishment, and add an education to that, and we have usually, a very solid citizen.

In the U.S., the number of subsidized athletes who have made their mark in the professions and in government are legion. This breed is certainly not extinct in Canada, either.

There has never been the suspicion of athletic scholarships, here, at Dalhousie, but evidence is pretty conclusive that other Maritime Universities have had subsidized sport star students. The money is usually provided by wealthy alumni who take pride in pointing out the victories of their Alma Mater to the boys at the club. It is said that a fund of considerable size has been set up at McGill, by the alums, from which they will lend deserving (good player) students fees and give them ninety-nine years to repay it—if they live that long they have not given their all, so a writ will be promptly issued. This will be augmented by placing these students in good summer jobs.

At Dalhousie, in the alumni office, every piece of news concerning the accomplishments of Dal students or grads is clipped—that is, with the exception of athletic triumphs—all of which gives food for thought.

Dal Girls Lose, Boys Win Liverpool Games

Two Dal teams travelled to Liverpool Wednesday to take on Liverpool cagers in exhibition games. In the curtain raiser the girls' second team lost a return game with the south shore girls to the tune of 17-6.

In the first half the Dal girls held their own and despite rather poor passing their defensive play and rebound work was sound and with improving floor play they were only down two points at half time. In the second half the Liverpool girls started to build up the half-time score of 6-4, and led by D. Seaman with 9 points they rolled over the Dal girls. Barb Quigley, Barb Lohnes, Betty Merrick, and Jerry Grant were standouts for the Tigresses.

In the second game the combined Varsity and Junior Tigers defeated the Liverpool Intermediates 58-32. Led by Jim Mahon who bagged 25 points through the game, the Tigers had little trouble from the opening bell as lanky Bill Calquhoun scored and started then on their victory march. Both teams tried to control the play as they deliberately worked the ball around, but the Dal boys, used to this style of play and in better shape than their opponents, won out and building up an eleven point lead at half time were never headed. Outstanding for Liverpool were Mac Bowers, Danny Seaman, and Winters, while Mahon, Calquhoun, Rogers, and Henderson stood out among the Dal players.

The Players — Girls' Game — Liverpool—Dagley, D. Seaman, 9; R. Seaman, 4; Tonells, 2; Herbin, 2; Prisque, Weaver, Fulton, Ellis. Dal—Quigley, 4; Pigot, Lohnes, 2; Bowers, Logan, Doull, Merrick, Grant, Sutherland, MacKay.

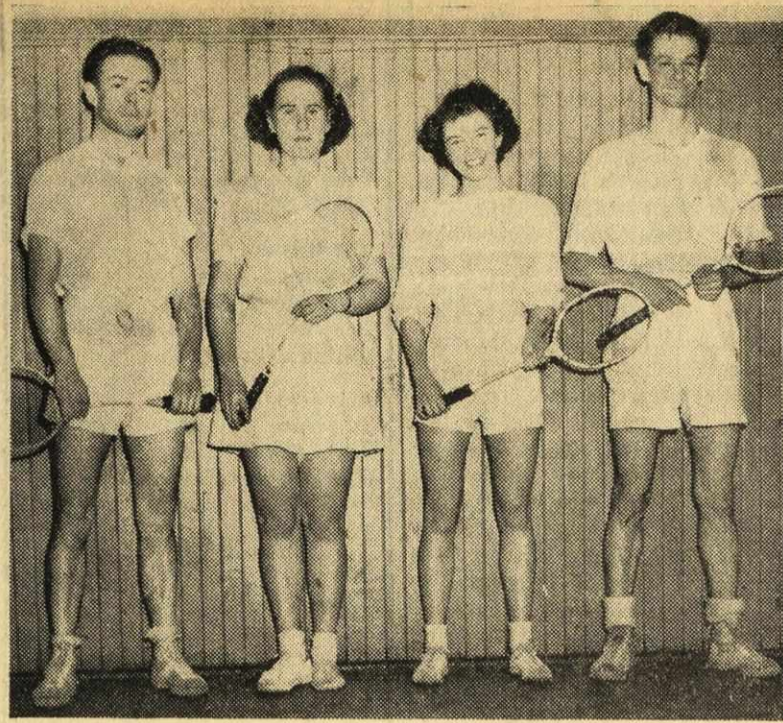
Boys' Game—Liverpool—Bowers, 10; McKinnon, 2; G. Killam, 3; Young, 3; Winters, 4; Seaman, 4; Warrington, 2; Tornburn, 2; A. Killam, 2. Dal—Mahon, 25; Smith,

Ice, Hoop Teams Meet Axemen At Acadia Saturday

Dal's pucksters and hoopsters travel this Saturday to play Acadia's highly rated squads in Wolfville. The hockey team, which last Saturday showed a complete reversal of form from the week before in Antigonish, is determined to hit the winning trail once more. Escaping from last week's game without serious injuries, the Tigers may be without the services of George McLanders, who received a painful foot injury in practice last Tuesday and may be forced out of the lineup. Last week the Tigers lacked the fight and cohesion that so marked them in the game at St. F.X. but should definitely improve against Acadia. The Axemen are not to be under-rated. To top off their fine record in the valley, where this year they have reached the finals, they are the present holders of the Maritime Intercollegiate Hockey title.

The Dal hoopsters, which put up such a good showing against St. F.X. last Saturday after they found themselves late in the first half, will be at full strength for their tussle with the Axemen. Acadia are always tough to stop, especially on their own floor, and the Tigers will have to be really flying to gain a win in Wolfville.

4; Calquhoun, 6; Shaw; McCurdy; Rogers, 5; Reid; Ells, 3; Drysdale, 3; Henderson, 5; MacKay, 7.



Dalhousie Badminton Champions — Al Cleveland, Men's Doubles; Joanne Beaubien, Ladies' Singles; Patty McKinnon, Mixed Doubles; Noel Hamilton, Men's Singles, Men's Doubles, and Mixed Doubles.

Hamilton Outstanding In Badminton Finals

The Dalhousie Open Badminton Championships are almost completed. Wednesday evening at the gym all but the Ladies' Doubles event were run off with Dalhousie's outstanding player and last year's Intercollegiate champ, Noel Hamilton, copping honors in three events.

In the Men's Singles he advanced against Al Cleveland in the finals after defeating Dave Nickerson in a semi-final bracket in straight sets, 15-9, 15-4. Cleveland advanced to the final after downing Ned Banks 18-14, 15-11. In the final bracket Hamilton defeated Cleveland 15-1, 15-4, to win the Singles title for the third consecutive year.

In the Ladies Singles event, Freshette Joanne Beaubien defeated veteran Yvonne LeBrocq in the finals winning straight sets 14-0, 11-8. A comparative beginner at the game Joanne will be an asset to the Dal team which will be picked from those who participated in the University Championships.

In the Men's Doubles, Hamilton and Cleveland after dropping their first game 12-15 to Doug Rouse and Ned Banks took the next two games 15-9, 15-12 to win the set and the Men's Doubles championship.

In the Mixed Doubles events, Yvonne LeBrocq and Dave Nickerson advanced to the finals and lost straight sets to Noel Hamilton and Patty McKinnon 15-9, 17-14.

Interfac Basketball

By JERRY COOPER

Law garnered their first win of the season by trouncing a hapless Commerce squad 29-10 on Saturday. The Lawyers undoubtedly playing their best game of the year ran up a 19-7 lead by half time. The pace slowed down considerably in the second half as the Millionaires could only pierce the right Law zone defense for 3 points. Pete Hannington and Yves Rochaud led the Lawyers with 12 and 9 points respectively.

On Monday Medicine proved their superiority by defeating Arts and Science again. The Medicoes gained an 18-10 triumph in a listless battle featured by roughness. As usual Big Tom Foster paced Medicine's attack, this time scoring 7 points.

Pot Shots: Interfac schedule is now in the closing stages. First three teams in each section to make the playoffs. Meds, now the only undefeated quintet . . . Foster and Hannington battling for individual scoring honours . . . Dent's DeWare, an impressive playmaker . . . Med powerhouse rolls on.

VOLLEYBALL STANDING

The Dalhousie team in the City Volleyball League is at present tied for top position in the "B" Section. Players on the Dal team are Olin Gardner, John Pauley, Lou Treneman, Bill Ogilvie, Gill Keefe, Ian Morrison, Fred Laphin, Jim Cruikshanks, Les Paige.

The standing in the "B" Section with half the schedule played is as follows:

	Points
Dalhousie	11
Tech	11
Navy	9
Fairview	9
Phalanx	3
R.C.A.F.	2

Girls' Sports

By NOELLE BARTER

It's Saturday—that's right, this Saturday—that the Dal gals skate out against the Maritime Tel. and Tel.—at 3 o'clock. The Dal team, armed with such stalwarts as Tippy Joudrey, Anne Tompkins, Ruth Bulmer and Polly Phillips, will be at full strength and will offer strong opposition. The girls' hockey team, undefeated since its formation three years ago, is really something to watch. So let's see you all at the game tomorrow.

In the open badminton tournament the finals have been reached and the winners will soon be known. The tournament was a success and some very fine playing was in evidence. The final winners will, in all possibility, make up, the Dalhousie team for the Intercollegiate meet here at the end of the month or the first week in March. Keep it in mind.

There was talk of Dalhousie forming a ski team. A wonderful idea, but the weather doesn't seem to help the situation any. There's no reason, though, why Dal couldn't have an excellent ski team next year and in years to come. There's many a person who'd be interested. Why not think it over?

The NOVA SCOTIAN

"DANCING SATURDAY NIGHT"

HALIFAX

NOTICE
Monday evening in the lower gym the Dalhousie boxing team plans a meet, their first of the year, with the Wanderers Club.

Around the Campus with Egbert



Egbert says

... "I wonder what Blotz's chances are"

Egbert seems to be overlooking the obvious. That's something we're all likely to do when it comes to money matters . . . it's obvious that the best way to save money is to put it where it can't slip through your fingers . . . in a B of M savings account.

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