

TIGERS DROP GAME TO NAVY 13-5

DAL HOOP TEAM GETTING IN SHAPE

All indications point to a banner year for the Dalhousie basketball squad, last year's city loop champions, according to John MacCormack, Dal Physical Director. This year's team has dropped out of the city loop in favor of an "all out" on the intercollegiate front.

Although placing but third in the intercollegiate league last season, they are now setting their sights for top honors in the Dal, St. F. X., Acadia, Tech basquet-ting loop. It is hoped that the loss of such outstanding stars as Blair Dunlop and Alex Farquhar will be compensated for, at least in part, by new material including a noted Junior player of last year, Dee Shaw of Sydney.

The purpose of withdrawing from the city league was that more time and concentration could be devoted to building up a team that would be on a par with, if not better than, the other College teams in the loop. As many games as possible against top notch teams will be played in the home gymnasium on Saturday nights. It is expected that the interest of the entire Student Body will be aroused by the prospect of many good home games in view for the coming season.

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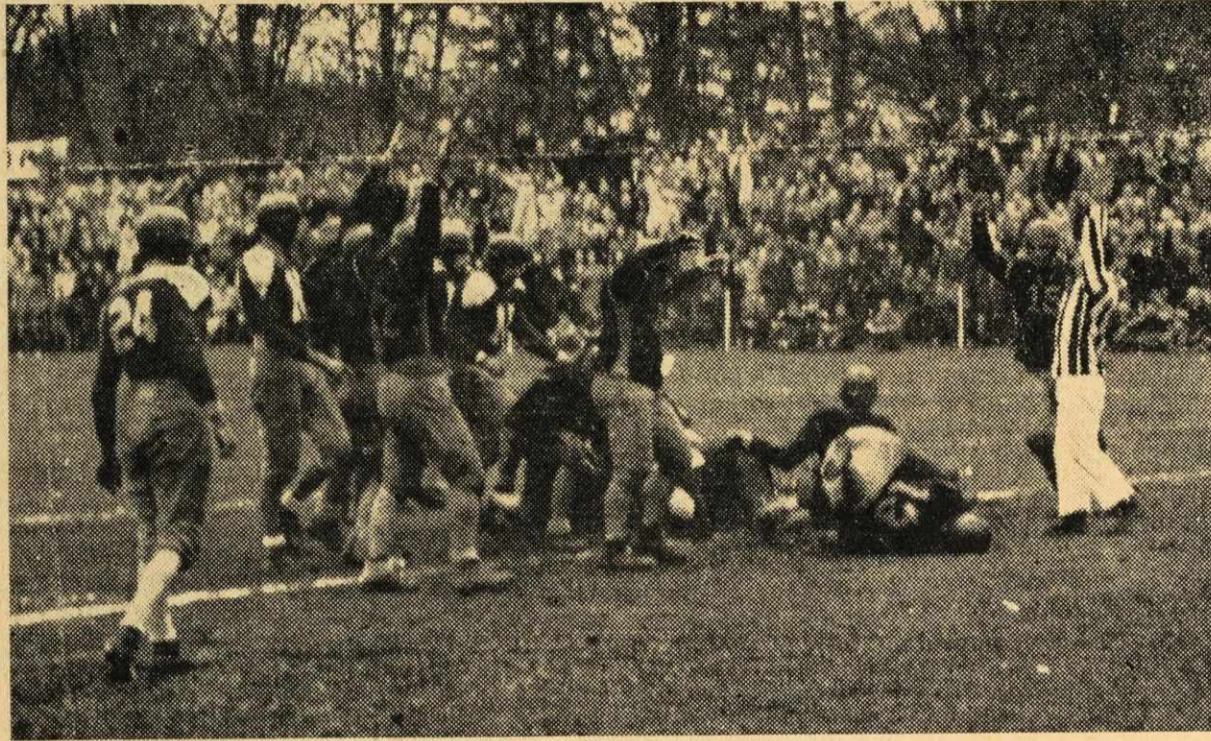
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MACDONALD SCORES LONE DAL TRY AS NAVY CAPTURES FIRST PLACE



Bob MacDonald, the Tigers' plunging fullback, shown scoring Dal's touchdown in the game against the Navy at the Wanderers' Grounds, Wednesday. Paul Lee, at right with the referee, watches the action. The Tars won the important contest to all but clinch the Halifax Canadian Football title.

D.G.A.C.

There have been splendid turnouts for badminton, basketball and archery and the various managers have remarked upon the excellent material for Varsity teams.

But the spotlight is still on the ground hockey crew that will meet Acadia at Wolfville on Saturday, Nov. 1. The game will be of interest to all and it is expected that a large crowd will trek northward.

Interclass basketball games will get underway this week with Freshies and Sophs battling in the opener.

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The Dal Tigers, confronted with a superior team on almost every count, battled valiantly to bring home a victory against the Navy Wednesday afternoon at the Wanderers' Grounds. Fighting hard all the way, the Tigers at times gave their supporters among the crowd of 3,000 fans hopes that they were going to pull through to an upset triumph, but in the end the power, finesse, and experience of the service team told the story, and the sailors walked off the field on the long end of a 13-to 5 score.

With this third straight victory in the Halifax Canadian Football League, the Navy all but won the loop championship, and need only to beat the Wanderers to nail down the crown officially. Dalhousie has completed its regular season play, with a record of three victories and one defeat, and will face St. Mary's in the league playoffs which start next week.

The outstanding star of the game was Navy's Len Murray. The most devastating runner the sturdy Dal line has faced all year, Murray time after time carved his way for big gains when he surely seemed trapped. In addition to his brilliant running, Murray also did the Navy punting, an some of the passing, thus making himself a real thorn in the Tigers' side.

The game started out very evenly with most of the play being confined within the two 30-yard lines. In the first quarter neither team had a good scoring opportunity, but on the second play of the second period the Navy struck like lightning to score the game's first touchdown. With the Sailors in possession of the ball on their own 36 yard line, Murray smashed his way to the 44 and a roughing penalty against Dal put the ball on the Tigers' 48 yard line. Ginger O'Brien then stepped back and arched a long forward pass to end Martin who caught the ball on the 5 and ran over for the score. O'Brien then passed again to Martin for the extra point, and the Navy led, 6-0.

Near the close of the period, however, George Mattison intercepted one of Murray's passes to give Dal a first down on the Navy 25. Bob Wilson on two plunges picked up a first down on the 15. Lee drove 9 yards to the 6 and Bob MacDonald gained another first down on the 5. Wilson plunged to the 3, and the first play of the last quarter, MacDonald went over for the Dal touchdown. Wilson's attempted conversion was wide and

Dal trailed, 6-5. The rest of the game was controlled by the sailors, as they battered the Orange and Black into submission. Murray scored a rouge, and in the closing minutes of play, the Tars marched 37 yards to score again, with "Mac" McLeod passing to Ivan Edwards for the 5-pointer. McSweeney converted the final point.

Don Woodward, the Tigers' hard luck man, suffered a moderate concussion of the brain in the fourth quarter, and was taken to Victoria General Hospital.

Dal played a real good game. The line, sparked by PETE MacDonald, did a fine job. It was simply a case of good team being beaten by a better one.

FROSH SHOW CROWDS CHEER

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and not with, the actors and performers. When the show ended and the crowd clapped, one felt that it was merely a gesture a gesture of thankfulness that the Students Council dance was to begin. "Good old Don Warner," one fan was heard to say, "he never lets us down."

When Alton Loomis returned from a date with Siamese twins he was asked whether he had a good time. "Yes, and no," was his answer.

Notice

A dance, with music by Denny Burrell's band, will be held in the Common Room, Men's Residence, Saturday evening, Oct. 25.

CAMPUS ROUNDUP

By Joe Levison

Saint Mary's again loom on the scene as title contenders, making an interesting threesome for the final series. While it is hard to make observations on the relative abilities of the three leading teams, Dal, Navy and St. Mary's, opinion has it that the clubs are just about even with Navy and Dal slight favorites. This is by virtue of the rugged style of play featured by the Navy and the all round attack of the Tigers fronted by a viciously driving line. Saint Mary's are rated better than average in the backfield, with "Fierce Hirschfeld," Charley Campbell, Graves and John Young as speedy ball carriers.

However, their line still leaves much to be desired. The blocking is mediocre and the charging nil. The Samtamarians also featured a revamped passing attack which was very effective. So there isn't much to choose between the teams. It looks like a superior final series from this vantage point.

Again Acadia was the recipient of the "Wanderers treatment." The erstwhile Axemen had planned on reddening and blackening our own goal posts Friday night. A sentimentalist in the crowd said that Dal wouldn't do that to them. A reassurance committee waited up till 1:30 a. m. Saturday to make sure of this, and then went to bed. That was a tragic mistake. Like wee gremlins the Dalhousians crept onto Raymond Field at 3:00, plastered the grandstand and goal posts with the worthy gold and black, and at the conclusion of an interesting two hours awakened a Wolfville gas station attendant for a refuel and buzzed off home.

Wolfville felt the full weight of the attack next day. Bad enough to wake up with Dal all over the campus. But this was nothing to the arrival of the student body. No Acadia demonstration ever approached the volume and joyousness as did the Dal thunderfest which kept the town of Wolfville in an uproar.

With such a fierce light burning behind them the Tigers couldn't help but win the game which they did handily. Following the game the Dal colours flew at the masthead as a cat, comfortable in advanced rigor mortis and painted black and yellow was strung up by the GULLIBLE Haligonians. This was soon followed by a Halloween skeleton, tastefully adorned with Acadia colors symbolizing the death of the Axemen. Meanwhile, the apple knockers were in a simmering rage. They could do naught, however, as their senate read the riot act. Dal ran on unchallenged and unabashed. May we suggest at this time that the two teams play another game between the two teams this year it should be played at a neutral field, and let the paint fall where it may.

Well, here we have the rebirth of Dalhousie. Long may it reign and far may the opposition run.

P. S. You haven't seen anything yet.