BEAR DOWN ON THOSE BOOKS WITH BETTER VISION



Have your prescription filled by the people who care!

ATLANTIC OPTICAL

5980 SPRING GARDEN ROAD

423-7700



DAL & SMU students 423-7958

6422 Quinpool Rd.
OPEN
SUN-THURS
4:00 PM-12:30 AM
FRI-SAT
4:PM-3:00AM

MT. ST. VIN CENT students 453—2612

3673 Dutch Village Rd.

(under the Princess Restarant) OPEN Sun. - Thurs. '4:00 p.m. - 12:30 a.m. Fri 4:00 p.m. - 2:00 a.m. Sat 12 noon - 2:00 a.m.



Soccers Tigers Dump X - Seize First Place



The Dalhousie Tigers Soccer Club moved into first place last weekend with a 4-1 win over the St. F.X. X-men. Stephen Purcell opened the scoring with a hard low shot late in the first half. The second half opened with a well placed shot by Ken Leeson who gave the goalkeeper no chance when placing the ball in the top right corner. The X-men came near to a come back when they scored on a penalty shot. However, this merely provided the necessary motivation for the Tigers to pick up their game and provide Kevin Mayo with two opportunities to add a pair of goals to the total. Each game sees the Tigers becoming stronger. Provided that there are no more injuries, the Club should go far this season.

Following the injury in last week's exhibition game against the University College Dublin, goalkeeper John Chisholm was declared unfit. Wayne Burke stepped into the breech at the last minute and put on an excellent performance. The Club wish to thank Wayne and hope that he is able to stay with the Club.

The Tigers 'B' team put on a show of good soccer in a scoreless tie against St. F.X. last Saturday. There were many chances for the Tigers but they did not have the finishing power. 'B' Team Goach, Stephen Ekeze (who has affectionately been nicknamed "Sir Alf") said "the team have much more coordination and they are keeping their balls near the ground."

This year the Tigers Soccer Club has 32 memebers. EAch member plays for either the 'A' Team or the 'B' Team. An interesting feature of the club is that there have been no 'cuts' made by the coaching staff. The opportunity is there for any student to play

competitive soccer and also represent the University. Every member of the club enjoys the same privileges regardless of their playing calibre. There are several 'B' team players who have played very little soccer but they are learning very quickly and may be playing 'A' team soccer with in a couple of years. There were elections last week and Kevin Pipe was elected as Club captain and will lead and represent the club in its activities. Sandy Burns was elected as 'A' team captain - quite an honour for a second year student. John Landry was elected 'B' team captain.

The Club would very much appreciate the support of their fellow students. All the

athletes in the Club work extremely hard and have made a committment to bring a National Championship title to Dalhousie. In return they would very much like to see the student body give a little of their time to support the Tigers Soccer Club. The next league game will be Saturday, October 5 when the Acadia Axemen visit the Studley Campus.

Game Times: 'B' Team vs. Acadia 1:00 p.m.

'A' TEam vs. Acadia 3:00 p.m.

Also Sunday, October 6 the Tigers will play an exhibition game against the Mount Allison Mounties. Game time will be 10:00 a.m. on the Studley Field.

Nixon'Fund'

The \$850,000 that President Ford has asked Congress to appropriate for Richard Nixon's so-called "transition" period is only the tip of the financial iceberg, according to testimony in Congress this week.

The transition funds which are under congressional dispute - do not include the salaries of some 30 federal employees who are already assigned to Nixon's San Clemente estate. They include former Press Secretary Ron Ziegler, a military aide, a medical corpsman, secretaries, communication workers, drivers, maintenance workers, and even Nixon's personal valet and maid. The valet and maid, in fact, are currently on the payroll of the National Park Service.

The current federal employees at San Clemente are paid a total of about \$500,000. But those em-

ployees do not include the former president's secret service agents, whose salaries and activities account for another \$662,000 a year. So in all, the government is already spending \$1,012,000 a year on the former president, before the requested \$850,000 is even considered.

On top of all that, the San Clemente Police Department has asked the federal law Enforecement Assistance Administration to continue a \$192,000 grant, enabling the local police to maintain a security patrol of eight officers, assigned solely to Nison's sprawling Casa Pacifica estate. They say the patrol is necessary because of cutbacks in the Secret Service

If all financial grants are approved and the current staff is maintained, the annual cost will be around \$2,204,000.