


HACK HATCHETMEN ; WIN TITLE



SPORT REPORT
BY BOB TUCK

Late and loud came the noises of joyous celebrations Tuesday night as the Irish of the Willow tree made merry in Corrigan's Cosy Corner. That very same afternoon they had sallied forth from behind the dubious protection of a long wooden fence and had defeated in righteous combat the proud University of Coburg road. Sure, and it was a grand victory. Of course they had a certain amount of help in accomplishing their glorious task, but was not that most probably due to the generous intercession of patron Saint Partrick who surely hovered over the field on that great occasion? Besides, the Dalhousians were a dirty band of heathens — look at all the penalties they got!

The celebrants gave little heed to the hurt feelings of the Dalhousians. A weary band of these, trudging their way back to their lair with nothing left to lick but wounds (except for a few who had designs on the physical well-being of the referees). Nothing remained of the once throaty bellows that had swept across the Wanderers Grounds that afternoon but low and ominous growls, that pledged eventual retribution. There were the undaunted few however, who let roar with the old refrain of "Glory" to show that spirits, if not hopes, were still flying.

Nevertheless, from anybody's standpoint it was a good game (with the possible exception of the referees). Until that last touch-down it was as close as the pages in a book, and as exciting as some recent ones we've read. Both sides made spectacular gains on scintillating plays, and St. Mary's were fortunate enough to keep most of their yards. Dal was in a somewhat similar situation to the man in the fable, who tried to chop down a certain tree. Whenever he knocked off one chip, two would grow in its place. And on the occasions when St. Mary's were penalized, the ref. probably thought he was stinging Dal again, but had got so mixed up trotting back and forth that he didn't know whether he was coming or going.

It's becoming increasingly evident that one of the teams of the year at Dal is the English Rugby squad. Without any too much notice these lads embussed for Acadia last weekend and calmly lifted the City League crown from the collective heads of the Acadia Hatchetmen. With the idea of "We did it before, and we can do it again" in mind they went ahead, and proceeded to outplay and outscore the much abused Appleknockers. The Acadians were the pre-game favorites by virtue of their home field and the fact that they had taken the initiative by roaring from behind to tie Dal. So all honor and all praise to the new Intermediate City Rugby champs. And if they beat St. F. X. they will take possession of the Provincial Title as well.

The curtain is down on the Canadian football season. Despite the jolly tars and the Willow Tree Notre Dame, it was a good season. One of the unwashed rabble called up the Gazoot Office and poured out a lot of blarney to the effect that Dal should do something about getting a football team. In a game without referees we could easily chase his team right out of Halifax. As far as Windsor Street, anyway.

DAL TIES SHIPYARDS

Continuing their season of exhibition soccer games, the Dal botters played to a 1-1 tie in a contest with Halifax Shipyards at Studley Field last Tuesday afternoon. Since the Shipyards could only field nine men, Riggs of Dalhousie was loaned to the Yard team in order that the scheduled game might be played. The game itself was a fast-moving tilt, with the play at times ranging from one end of the field to the other.

Sammy Palnick opened the scoring in the game when he banged in Dalhousie's goal in the first half. Palnick, after taking a pass, beat Allen, the Shipyards goalkeeper, with a hard shot from close in. The Shipyards squad knotted the count early in the second half when Ford scored after taking a neat pass from Don Constable. The play was fairly even throughout, although the Tigers did miss several good scoring chances.

Palnick, St. Helene, and Bierhoff were the stand-out performers for Dal, while Constable and Ford were the pick of the Shipyards. However, the team play of both sides was especially noticed.

Dalhousie — Bierhoff, Rosenfelt, Bastien, Grossac, Harrison, St. Helene, McCulloch, Hennesy, Louisy, Palnick, Gange, Riggs, and Segal.

Shipyards — Allen, Joudrey, Goves, Peacock, Pike, Constable, Ford, Turpin, (Riggs).

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Wisdom: Knowing what to do.
Foresight: Knowing when to do it.
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Queen Elizabeth was a fat woman. The demands of the Spanish Ambassador she stoutly resisted.

"Is my dress too short?"
"It's either too short or else you're in it too far."

Tigers Win At Wolfville

The deadlocked winners of the Hainraux Intermediate English Rugby League played off at Raymond Field Wolfville on Saturday with the result that the Tigers finally dethroned the Acadia Hatchetmen. The score was 6-3 for the visiting Gold and Black. The Tigers displayed all round superiority over their opponents, and it was more than the Acadians could do to cope with the Dal finesse and power.

From the opening whistle Dalhousie proceeded to take over control of the play and displayed superiority in both scrum and backfield play. The Tiger's six man scrum pushed and heeled well, and the backfield, led by stalwarts like Cochran and Hart, rolled up long gains. Dal tackling was also accurate, and Acadia attacks were quickly mowed down. Rosie MacMillan, moved back to fullback, got away many long boots, and invariably came cut best on kicking exchanges. Robertson plunged over from his picking quarter position to score late in the first half, and Dal was never headed.

The game was still in doubt however, until Quigley took a pass at centre field after a line run, and raced the remaining length of the field to score. Altogether, the play encompassed 80 yards. It was the first try that Quigley had ever scored, and it was one of the most spectacular and important ones of the season. MacMillan missed the convert. Acadia fought back desperately but the game had been won and lost.

For the new champs, besides the scorers, Hart, MacMillan MacCullough and Cochran were outstanding while Demont, Morrison and Phillips led the Hatchetmen.

TRACK TEAM WINS AT ACADIA

Dal's Frosh tracksters returned Acadia's visit of last week and made a clean sweep of their series, piling up 28 points to 25. However Dal only won the meet when the Acadians were disqualified on the 880 relay. An Acadia runner dropped the ball out of the lane, thus disqualifying them from the event.

440 relay (Dal) Tracy, Poulis, Kenway, Harris - 48.6

Shot Put-Saunders (Acadia), Dockerill (Dal), Tamlin (Acadia) 32.10 3/4

Broad Jump - Crowell (Acadia), Martin (Acadia) 19.05

Mile - Marshall (Dal), Johnson (Acadia), Richardson (Acadia), 5.14

880 Relay - (Dal) Tracy, McConnell, Rogers, Harris 1.41.4

Ground Hockey Squad Suffers First Loss, 1-0



The Dalhousie ground hockey team met with its first defeat of the year when it lost to the Acadia co-eds here on Saturday, and stepped back from the lime-light, with the score 1-0, after two twenty minute periods, thus handing over the Provincial Title to the Valley team.

Acadia's single goal was scored by Lois Lockhart three-quarters of the way through the first period, aside from one which fell through at the nets. The ball was kept in play beyond the three-quarter line of the Dal side, with quite a bit of heavy play near the Acadia posts. The game, definitely hard fought, showed the keen spirit of Dal's determination. Several times the Dal forward line made desperate attacks on the Axettes defense in an attempt to drive in a goal, but though they succeeded in driving past the fullbacks, each time they were stopped by the brilliant defensive put up by the Acadia goalie, Sylvia Matheson. The Acadia team was still smarting from the 3-1 defeat given them a week before by Edgehill, and therefore they were out for a victory.

Nancy Jones drove in several shots on goal, Janet Cameron, Gwenn Lugar and Gloria Teed also played outstanding hockey. As neither Mount A. nor U.N.B.

have hockey teams this year, Acadia automatically takes the Maritime Title.

NOTICE

There will be a general I.S.S. meeting for Dalhousie students on Tuesday, November 18th., at 12 noon in the Basement of the Arts Building, to meet the new Executive of the I.S.S. and our delegate to the National Conference in Toronto.

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