

DAL SPORTS



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DAL TENNIS TEAM TOPS INTERCOLLEGIATE MEET

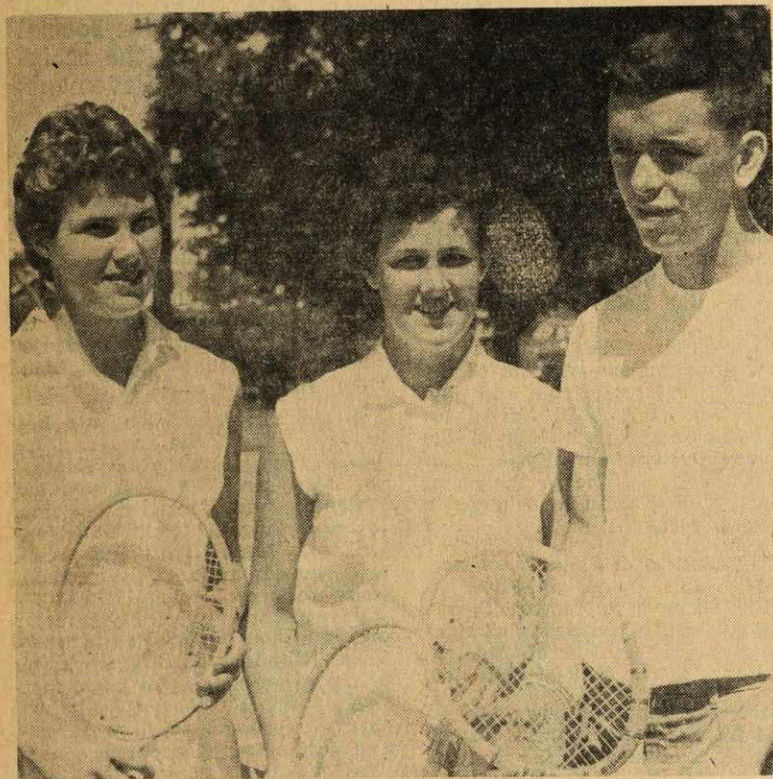
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Dalhousie University's tennis team, after a year of absence from the intercollegiate wars, returned this year to capture the Maritime Intercollegiate men's tennis title and tie for the women's crown in a tourney played over the weekend on the Dal courts and the Victoria General Hospital courts in Halifax.

The Dalhousie squad notched top honors in the men's doubles as Bill White and Robert Cunningham notched 21 out of a possible 24 points. In the singles Gerry Gonsalves of Dalhousie was one point short of Mount Allison's Ken McReynolds who lost only one set in the four matches he played, thus giving him 11 digits.

In the women's singles competition provincial and Dominion junior champion Pam Dewis breezed through her opponents from Mount Allison and UNB in straight sets to cop her first Intercollegiate tennis crown.

Diminutive Montreal tennis star Ken McReynolds accounted for his first Maritime championship when he tripped defending champion Gerry Gonsalves in a brilliant three set battle 6-0, 3-6, 6-3.



IN INTERCOLLEGIATE MEET—Pam Dewis (left) and Robert Cunningham (right) captured titles for Dalhousie over the weekend in the Maritime Intercollegiate tennis meet played in Halifax. Sheila Mason (centre) joined tennis talents with Pat MacCallum to put Dal in second place in the women's doubles competition.

Women's Singles

Pam Dewis (Dal) def. Winnifred MacPherson (UNB) 6-3, 6-0. Barbara Cotts (Mt. A.) def. Winnifred MacPherson (UNB) 6-4, 6-2. Pam Dewis (Dal) def. Barbara Cotts (Mt. A.) 6-3, 6-0.

Women's Doubles

Barbara Capp, Ann Ferguson (Mt. A.) def. Sheila Mason, Pat MacCallum (Dal) 7-5, 6-2. Barbara Capp, Ann Ferguson (Mt. A.) def. JoAnne Carr, G. Eltan (UNB) 7-5, 6-2. Sheila Mason, Pat MacCallum (Dal) def. JoAnne Carr, G. Eltan (UNB) 6-3, 6-3.

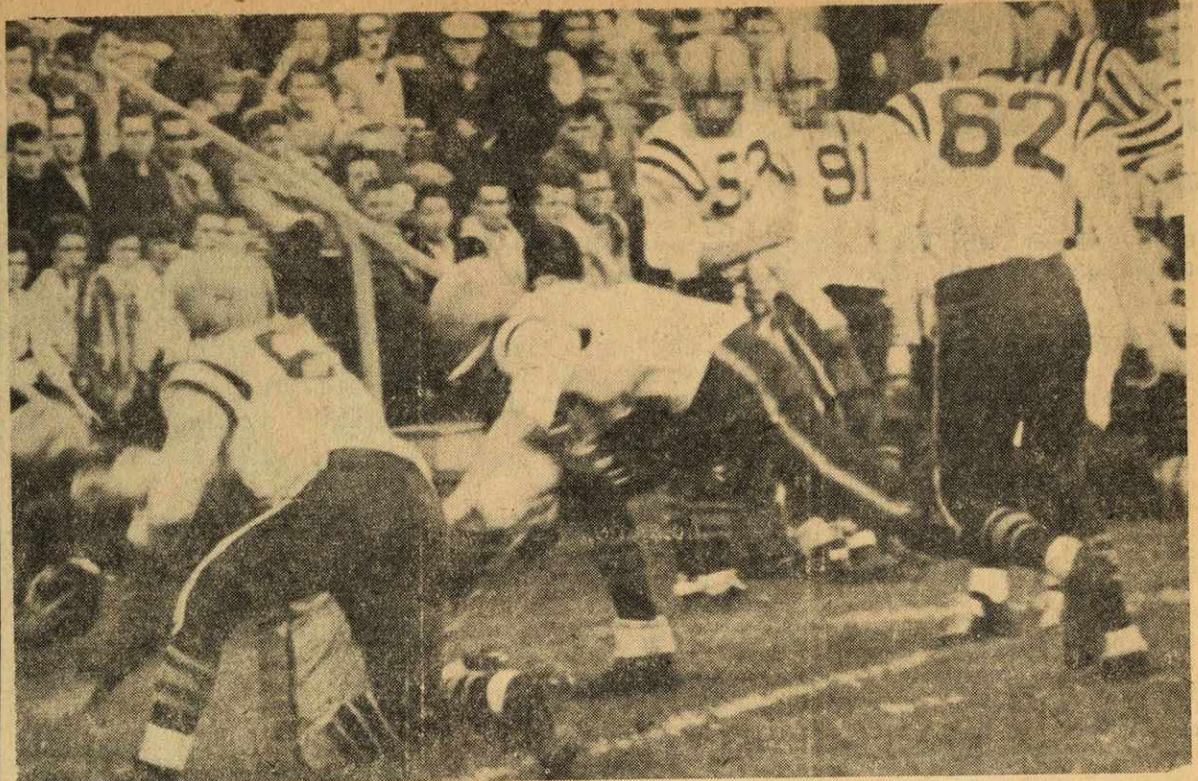
Men's Singles

Tom Richardson (St. F.X.) def. H. Henderson (SMU) 1-6, 6-1, 6-1. Ken McReynolds (Mt. A.) def. Gerry Gonsalves (Dal) 6-0, 3-6, 6-3. Tom Richardson (St. F.X.) def. Don Morgan (UNB) 4-6, 9-7, 6-4. Ken McReynolds (Mt. A.) def. H. Henderson (SMU) 6-3, 6-2. Gerry Gonsalves (Dal) def. Don Morgan (UNB) 8-6, 6-3. Ken McReynolds (Mt. A.) def. Tom Richardson (St. F.X.) 6-3, 6-3. Gerry Gonsalves (Dal) def. H. Henderson (SMU) 6-3,

6-2. Ken McReynolds (Mt. A.) def. Don Morgan (UNB) 6-4, 6-2. Gerry Gonsalves (Dal) def. Tom Richardson (St. F.X.) 6-2, 6-1. Don Morgan (UNB) def. H. Henderson (SMU) by default.

Men's Doubles

L. Blaize, Boen Tie Khiow (Mt. A.) def. M. Tingley, T. Osborne (SMU) 6-1, 5-7, 6-4. B. White, R. Cunningham (Dal) def. M. Tingley, T. Osborne (SMU) 7-5, 4-6, 6-3. L. Blaize, Boen Tie Khiow (Mt. A.) def. A. DaCosta, J. MacDougall (UNB) 6-4, 3-6, 13-11. B. White, R. Cunningham (Dal) def. J. Mason, H. Fiset (St. F.X.) 6-1, 7-5. M. Tingley, T. Osborne (SMU) def. A. DaCosta, J. MacDougall (UNB) 2-6, 6-2, 6-2. B. White, R. Cunningham (Dal) def. L. Blaize, Boen Tie Khiow (Mt. A.) 6-1, 6-1. B. White, R. Cunningham (Dal) def. A. DaCosta, J. MacDougall (UNB) 7-5, 6-0. M. Tingley, T. Osborne (SMU) def. L. Blaize, Boen Tie Khiow (Mt. A.) 6-3, 5-7, 12-10. J. Mason, H. Fiset (St. F.X.) def. A. DaCosta, J. MacDougall (UNB) 10-8, 5-7, 7-5. M. Tingley, T. Osborne (SMU) def. J. Mason, H. Fiset (St. F.X.) 6-1, 6-4.



ALL ALONE—Tommy Evans (with ball) is pictured above being smothered by a host of Stadacona tacklers. This however was not enough to stop Evans and the Tigers as they defeated Stad 22-19 last Saturday at Studley thus almost assuring Dal of a berth in the playoffs. (Photo by Dolphin)

Last Minute Placement Highlights Comeback

An eighteen-yard field goal by Dick Eager on the last play of the game led Dalhousie's aroused Tigers to a 22-19 victory over Stadacona last Saturday at Studley. The Dalhousie attack was featured by the punctual, pin-point passing of Ted Wickwire and the running of Don Nicholson. Wickwire connected on eight out of fifteen passes and Nicholson gained 112 yards in 17 carries and received two passes. Both players scored touchdowns. Also to be commended are the linemen. After a ragged performance against X, they all pulled together and gave the Stad players plenty of headaches.

Stadacano started the game by moving the ball from their own 23 to the Dal 5 in 12 ground plays. Bill Rankin stopped their attack by recovering a fumble on the 5. Play remained near center field for the remainder of the quarter, but on the first play of the second stanza, McLeod of Stad was tackled by Rankin on his own 20 after attempting a punt. In five plays Wickwire slammed over from the one. Nicholson carried three times in this series for 15 of the 20 yards.

The score remained: Dal 6, Stad 0, as the convert was no good.

The Tars knotted the count at the 12-minute mark of the second quarter. After moving from their own 37 to the Dal 1 in the nine plays, Cull, their big ball carrier all afternoon, cracked over from the one. The convert was missed and the score stood Dal 6, Stad 6. The Tigers went to the air after the kickoff. Two passes went incomplete, but a Stad penalty gave Dal a first down on their own 48. Don Nicholson, sifted through the Stad line for 14 yards to the Sailors' 17. Another pass missed, but then Wickwire connected with Tomes on the 10. A Tar penalty put the ball on the five, and on the last play of the half, Wickwire pitched out to Evans who tossed a five-yard touchdown pass to Nicholson. Sedgewick converted and the scoreboard read Dal 13, Stad 6.

Stad scored the only touchdown of the third period when McLeod, the Stad quarterback, plunged over from the one. The fourth quarter was one of the most exciting seen in local football circles in a long time. Stu McInnis started proceedings by stealing a Sailor pass on Dal's 45. Wickwire then passed to Leitch for 26 yards and to Millman for five. This scoring attempt was stopped when Hamilton of Stad recovered a Tiger fumble on the Stad 10. On second down from his own 37, Cull heaved a pass to McLeod on Stad's 54 and from there McLeod raced to paydirt. The convert moved the Gottingen Street crew out in front 19-13.

After the kickoff, Wickwire again went to the air and connected with

Tomes for 36 yards. On the Stad 27, Wickwire, behind splendid protection, threw a bullet to Weatherston in the end zone. The convert was wide and the score stood 19-19. Then came the spectacular finish. Dal gained possession on their own 36. Wickwire gained 22 yards around right end and completed a 13-yard pass to Nicholson, who then moved the ball to the Stad 39 yard line. A penalty to the Sailors put the ball on the 18 and from there, Dick Eager booted his game-winning field goal. The scoreboard told a happy story for the Dal fans—Dal 22, Stad 19. Thus, the Tigers practically insured themselves of a playoff berth.

SCORING

First Quarter

No scoring

Second Quarter

Dal—TD—Wickwire, 1-yd. plunge
Stad—TD—Cull, 1-yd. plunge
Dal—TD—Nicholson,
5-yd. pass from Evans
Dal—Conv.—Sedgewick, placement

Third Quarter

Stad—TD—McLeod, 1-yd. plunge

Fourth Quarter

Stad—TD—McLeod,
73-yd. pass from Cull
Stad—Conv.—White, placement
Dal—TD—Weatherston,
27-yd. pass from Wickwire
Dal—Field Goal—Eager,
18-yd. placement.

JUNIOR VARSITY TEAM IMPROVES WITH AGE

In their second outing of the '58 season the Junior Varsity Tigers met defeat at the hands of Shearwater Juniors by a 3-1 count. After absorbing a 33-0 first half shellacking the Dal J.V.'s held the speedy Shearwater Juniors scoreless for the remainder of the game.

The first half saw the Flyers gain ground almost at will as they unleashed a merciless aerial and end-skirting attack. The Dartmouth contingent had trouble in their plays through the middle as the Black and Gold line was surprisingly strong through most of the contest.

In the second half the Studley dozen came to life. Showing pep and fight, they matched their opponents through the rest of the game. Quarterback Gregor Murray used his backfielders, John "Scrapper" MacIntosh and Rick Dawson, through the middle, and a passing attack aimed chiefly at speedy end Bruce Stewart. One of the highlights of the contest from the Dalhousie viewpoint was a 40-yard pass-run play to Jamie Muir who was stopped just short of a touchdown.

The J.V.'s one point came on the game's last play as Wilson kicked for the rouge. This was the first time in two years the Juniors have scored.

The Junior's next game will be against Shearwater Juniors at Studley this coming Saturday.

TABBIES WIN SECOND GAME

Last Friday afternoon on Studley field the Dal ground hockey team defeated Mt. A. 1-0. Both teams fought hard and the game remained scoreless until the last few minutes when the Dalhousie girls put forth one final effort, and, after a scramble in front of the opposing goal, the ball was knocked in by Margie Sinclair.

This week the Tabbies are playing three games; Tuesday and Thursday with King's, and Saturday at Edgehill. If all these games are won, the Dalhousie team will hold first position in the league.