Munro Day:
We're Laughing
All The Way
To The Graveyard

# "PAINT YOUR WAGON" A HIT! 

## MUNRO DAY HERE ALREADY HOLIDAY SCHEDULE SET

Munro Day, 1959 is almost here. Next Tuesday, the year's student activities (those publishable) will wind up with the annual holiday. Filled with furious festivity the day marks the remembrance of George Munro, the man who 75 years ago put Dalhousie financially on her feet.

The Munro Day committee, headed by the Students' Council, has drawn up a list of activities which will take place on and before the big day. Following is the proposed schedule:
Saturday, March 7:
4:00 p.m.-Tea for Queens-
Shirreff Hall
Radio Show, CHNS 7:30 p.m.-Ice Show-Rink
8:00 p.m.-Hockey Game-
Intercollegiate Finals
After Game: Open House in Gym-food-band in attendance
Tuesday, March 10
10:00 a.m.-Outgoing Council's Final Meeting
11:00 a.m.-Incoming Council's First Meeting
10:00 a.m.-Interfaculty Hockey Finals-Rink
11:00 a.m.-Interfaculty Basketball Finals-Gym

2:30 p.m.-Dalhousie Revue '59Gym
Presentation of Queens 7:30 p.m.-Awards and Speeches9:30 p.m.-Munro Day Dance10:00 p.m.-Crowning of Campus Queen
Among the events of the two-day celebrations will be a broomfall game professors vs girls); quartets, variety skits and plenty of oppor(Apologies to Paint Your Waron) (Apologies to Paint Your Wagon) day day and Tuesday events, and are especially reminded that the An nual Revue, on Tuesday afternoon, is a must. A lot of time and rehearsal is going into this. Since it is the only all - Dalhousie talent show of the year, it's going to be original-and good. Also, all Munro Day events are free to Dal stuselves.


Possible "the evils of alcohol" might title this candid shot of Bob Stanbrooke and Craig Fry brooding over their bottles (of questionable vintage). The scene is from PAINT YOUR TOWN-ER, we mean, PAINT YOUR WAGON.

## PROF GRANT ON TV TONIGHT

Dr. George Grant, Professor of Philosophy at Dalhousie, will question people representing a wide
range of religious faiths and philosrange of religious faiths and philosophies, on a special hour-long pro-
gram, "Exploration," tonight at 11 p.m. on CBHT.

Dr. Grant is no stranger to the CBC , having given eight lectures on the Philosophy of the Mass Age on radio, nor to television, having appeared on the "Fighting Words" panel show. Dr. Grant, who lectures in philosophy classes at Dalhousie (among them Philosophy 1 last year) is noted for his relaxed warmth and penetrating philosophi-

## cal directness. Having studied phil- osophy and theology at Oxford, Dr.

 osophy and theology at Oxford, Dr.Grant firmly believes that "we lisGrant firmly believes that "we lis-
ten to others to discover what we len to others to discover what we
ourselves believe." In persuance of this he will ask such questions tonight as:
What comes to your mind when you think of the word "God"? Why do you think there is so much evil and human suffering in the world?
Do you believe in human progress?
What in your opinion is the meaning of life?


by BETTY ARCHIBALD

With audiences almost equalling last year's record crowds, the DGDS production of the musical comedy PAINT YOUR WAGON finished a triumphant four-night run last Saturday. The show had something for everyone, from Cherry's fandango dancers for the men to Julie's singing for the women. Enthusiasm in the audience grew greater each night until on Saturday, during the finale, the cast was being assisted in their singing by many of those who had come just to see the production. Comments on the show ranged from "real dreamy" to "a fine piece of work"
Although the first two nights'
Telling the story of a California audiences were small, it appeared gold rush, Paint Your Wagon starthat they had spread the word about the show to their friends before Friday and Saturday. On those nights, the gym was filled almost for the four nights being approximately 2165 .

## Artsmen Defeat

## Law In Debate

 ChampionshipThe unexpected, the surprising has happened. Arts has defeated Law in the interfaculty debating
finals. The job was done with great finals. The job was done with great competence Thursday by Denis
Stairs and Mike Kirby, who defeatStairs and Mike Kirby, who defeated lawyers Murray Fraser and Ron
Clarke in upholding the resolution Clarke in upholding the resolution that "the treatm
alty is unfair."
Fraser and Clarke attempted to prove to judges Matt Epstein, Pro-
fessor Bevan, and Professor Murray fessor Bevan, and Professor Murray that the Queen's training, compensation, and comparative freedom of
movement are benefits offsetting the admitted tedium of her job. Stairs and Kirby stated that many of the social and economic demands made on the Queen, a member of the physically weaker sex, plus the stifling of her personal freedom of opinion, emotion or movement, are all unfair treatment.
After the smoke of some brilliant rebuttal work had cleared, Stairs and Kirby were declared the winners. Arts had proved its ability in yet anather field.

"Jumping JOE" MARTIN demonstrates his uncanny ability to attract attention while on the stage Another "Wagon" wheel!

Romance comes on the scene when Ben's daughter, vivacious, at-
tractive Jennifer, played by Charlotte Gibbon, meets a romantic, golden-voiced Mexican, Julio, sung
by Craig Fry. In a couple of years by Craig Fry. In a couple of years they finally resolve all their prob-
lems. Meanwhile, the stage has been peopled by a two-wife, moneyworshipping Mormon, dreaming gold diggers, and seven dance-hall girls, to whom Cherry suggested to heads, for a change.
Musical director Dr. Lambertson was assisted by George Naylor, both making the orchestra and singers effectively put across such songs as Star," and "Another," "Wandering producer, Julia Gosling has made Paint Your Wagon a successful show that Dalhousians can be proud of having performed.
Definitely one of the show's highlights was the impudent and excitng dancing of Joan Herman, Phoebe Redpth, Pam Snith, Diane Sperry, Juke Chong, Bonnie Murray and Lorraine Lawrence. Joe Martin's leaps and bounds were also very much enjoyed by the crowd, and his dream-like dance with Joan Herman in the number audeince's favourite morhaps the audeince's favourite moment.
The behind-the-scenes workers did a marvellous job with make-up, with the stage properties numerous set changes were accom plished, as far as the audience was concerned, quickly and quietly.

Now that the show is over, the campus will probably see again have formerly familiar faces, which hidden under past few weeks been and long hair, sprouted for art's sake.

There will be a FROS meeting in the West Common Room of the Men's Residence on Thursday, March 5, at 1:15.

The Dalhousie WUS Committee will sponsor a Hard Times Dance on Friday, March 6, at the gym Dancing will start at 9. Admission is $\$ 1.25$ per couple r 75 c per person. Everyone is welcome.

On Friday, March 6, at 8 p.m. Dahousie University and the foreign students at Dal will present an address by Professor Harold H. Potter of the Department of Sociology at Sir George Williams University in Montreal. The subject of Professor Potter's address will be "Race Relations and World Politics."

On Saturday, March 7, at 9:00 the Freshman Class will sponsor a dance in the gym.

Dal-Kings Canterbury will present an address on "The Message and Authority of the Holy Bible" by the Rev. Dr. J. B. Hibbetts, professor of Old Testament at King's College at 8:30 on Sunday March 8, at All Saints Cathedral Hall.

Professor A. J. Tingley will give a Topology lecture in Room 212 of the Arts and Administration Building, on Tuesday, March 10 at 8 p.m.

LOST! A black silver-capped Waterman's cart ridge fountain pen. Would the finder kindly contact Bob Radford or phone 2-2910.

## Council Cautions Against Holding Too Many Offices

With the extracurricular year nearing an end, the Students' Council wishes to issue the following warning, prior to the election of society and other officers for next year:
Article 15 of the constitution states that
(1) No member of the student body shall hold offices with a total value of more than 15 units in any one college year.
(2) For the purpose of this article, student offices shall be evaluated on the following scale:
(a) 15 units each

President of the Student Body President of the DAAC
President of the DGDS
Editor of the Gazette
Editor of Pharos
(b) 10 units each

President of DGAC
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Secretary-Treasurer of the Engineering Society Chairman of the Students' Gymnasium Schedule

## WALLACE OPTOMETRISTS

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## 1 Around the Campus

The discount committee of the Dal. NFICUS Com mittee announces that the Barrington Exchange, 597 Barrington Street, men's clothing retailers, are now cards,

The MacDonald Oratory Medal award contest will be held on at 8 p.m. Thursday, March 5 , at the Moot Court Room in the Law Building. In compliance with the stipulations of the award, the judges will be chosen by President Kerr, Dean Read and Mrs. Angus L. Macdonald. The topic will be "The Role of Canada in the 20th Century". Everyone is invited.

A cordial invitation is renewed to all Dalhousie students to participate in the services held daily during lent in the King's College Chapel. Services are as follows: Holy Communion-Sundays 8:30 a.m., Wednesday and Saints' Days 7:30 a.m.; Morning Prayer-Sundays 11 a.m. weekdays (except Wednesdays and Saints' Days) 8:30 a.m.; Evensong-weekdays 5:30 p.m.

At a meeting of the West Indian Society on Sunday, March 1, elections were held for officers of the society for the 1959-60 session. The results of the elections are as follows: Toolsie Narine, president; John Davidson, vice-president; Basil Cooper, secretary-treasurer; Alroy Choy, chairman of the Cultural Committee; Bernard Makhan, chairman of Social Activities.
"Why cain't you leave me alone?" Jennifer (Charlotte Reynolds) seems to be saying to Ben (Jim McKenna). In reality Ben was her Big Daddy, and any interest he had in her was purely academic. Nevertheless, the show without these two would have died back east.
societies, except Secretary of the Engineering Society
Managers of the Football, Basketball (both DGAC \& DAAC) and Hockey teams
Editor of the Students' Directory
Photographer of the Gazette
The Students' Council shall de clare vacant any office held by a member of the Student body in excess of this scale.

5 units each
First and Second Vice-Presiden of the Student Council
Other members of the Executive Committee of the Student Council
Vice-President of the DGDS Secretary-Treasurer of Delta Gamma
Secretary-Treasurer of DGAC Secretary-Treasurer of Sodales President of SCM
President of the Newman Club President, Secretary and Trea surer of the various faculty
...But Everything Went Fine...


PAINT YOUR WAGON'S Musical Director Dr. Lambertson, and Producer Julia Gosling appeared somewhat concerned before opening night.


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## WHAT'S A NUS DAY?

By DENIS STAIRS
Today, March 5, is National University Student Day in Canada, a day in which students throughout the country are working to acquaint the public of their problems. Press, radio and television are carrying reports on the need for student financial aid, and are stressing the importance of education in a highly technical age. The idea for the special day originated last year after a brief submitted by NFCUS to Prime Minister Diefenbaker received wide public attention and acclaim.

The Prime Minister commented very favourably on the document, which pointed out the serious finstudent, and suggested how the situation might be alleviated. Simi-
lar briefs were also submitted to par briefs were also submitted
provincial government leaders. Because of the publicity which these briefs received, NFCUS decided to follow up their campaign this year by creating NUS Day, the purpose of which is twofold: (1) To inancial aid for students, and (2) To impress the public that all people who have the necessary ability should be able to attend university, pinion will thus be aroused to move the government to action.
Besides the extensive coverage by press, radio and television, panel bates and open houses are being held on the various campii. NFCUS President Mortimer Bistrisky is to interview the Prime Minister in the hope that something constructive
On the provincial level, NFCUS Chairmen are to see the Premiers Whose opinions are to be asked re garding the Toronto Plan recently proposed by Claude Bissell, U of T's President. The plan recommends free tuition for first class students bursaries for second class students, and a rearrangement of terms in the academic year, so as to provide two months holiday in the summer and one month both at Christmas and Easter. NFCUS has strongly approved the proposal in principle, many of the particulars. The plan s now under revision in Toronto in the light of NFCUS criticism.

## Why Did You Come to Uniuesity?

By I.ORRAINE KIRBY and PETER GREEN

Why did you come to University? In an interview with a cross-section of Dalhousie students the Gazette sity for a number of reason. Here are the reasons that those interreved stated for coming to univer

Betty Archibald: I came because I iked to idoa of general academic fe, of being able to take advantage sity for a general education as well as preparation for a future career

Alan Beattie: I came to university ecause education in high school peared virtually essential for busihess. I also had law in the back of mind.
John Chambers: I was interested in he educational material available at university and I thought I could benefit from this. Higher education is also thought of as a necessity
these days. The contact with people at university is also desirable.
Pam Dewis: When I decided to come to college I was too young to work, (so I thought) and I didn't see what else there was to do. I'm
staying because I like every aspect staying because I like every aspect
of it. It seems the more I learn the more I want to find out. Incident ally I disagnee with the theory that only.

Ruth MacKenzie: I came to univer sty mainly to study for a degree in English because I am interested in it and I think it is important. After I have my degree I may teach but have not definitely decided.
Libby MacRae: I came because wanted more than a high school education and I wanted to follow the courses in which I was interGunnes Maharaj: My main reason for coming to university was a deire to be better educated than the average person at home. There is a reat need for doctors in the counry districts and working with the ountry people really made me de be a doctor at once so that I may return and help these people. Doc ors are very highly respected peo ple in Trinidad.
Henry: Roper: My reason for coming to university was to find out want am interested in and what

Denis Stairs: It was always a generally accepted fact in the family that I would come to university to further my education. The real reason I suppose is because of the social and economic advantages to

Mary Whitman: I came to uiversity because I consider that a college education is essential for any adcareer. I wanted a broader education than high school provided and

## Rogue's Gallery



Council President
President-elect of the Council he Students, Byron Reid, Med. III a resident of Middle Musquodbit, N.S. While in pre-med at Dal, he became quite well-known in the S.C.M. Later, transferring his at ame secretary of the Medical Socirom his faculty. Representative Throughout his term of office better has asked that students, for themselves with their Council Representative, and take any problems Byron personally

John Chambers-Senior Boy
John, a Halifax boy, is taking Honors in English. He has worked
on stage crew for DGDS and last term acted in the DGGD and last tion "The Hidden River." He has also acted in "Antigone," produced art in this year's "Medea." An enthusiastic supporter of SCM and
a hard-working member of the a hard-working member of the
Pharos staff, John is best


Council Vice-President
Wally Turnbull, newly-elected ice-President of the Council of the N.B. His interest in campus activies has been shown by the great volume of posts and positions the during the last three years. Ranging from Managing Editor of Finian's Rainbow and Lizzie Bor den, his Ryline is and Lizzie Bor people who read the Sports' Page Wally reiterates the need for a trong, independent Students' Council, for he believes that the coming year, with the opening of disposition of the present structure

Elliot Sutherland Girl
ts student from, a third year was elected to the offices of Senior Girl and president of Delta Gumma Gazette news staff last year, she became assistant Features editor a member of Sodales, debating manager of Delta Gamma, debating

## Reviewer Receives Favorable Impression - "Wagon" a Success

Lerner and Loewe got a little more mileage out of their eight-year-old wagon at the Dal Gym last week; the royalties from these per formances only increasing the pro lific team's tax-burden.
But more important to the "wag on" rolled around last week was the axle-grease applied to it by DGDS. Flaced with the possibility of a cessful staging of Finian's Rainbow, the Glee and Dramatic Society came through with a patciny but very nough to sound the death knell on that other prolffic writing team Gilbert and Sullivan, for all time.
Last week's show, above all else voved with Finian's a year ago profited from the experience and were ready to apply their new-
found knowledge in this year's profound kn
This is especially true of the show's braintrusts, Prof. Lambertson and Julia Gosling. The show
was staged well, with an awkward script it's a credit that it didn't have too many awkward moments. On opening night, no one in the
cast blew a line, somewhat of a rarity for a Dal production.
Musically the show was a sucafter the first twenty minutes there are really no more good tunes left to be done, the success is even more outstanding.

I'm not sure if the pit chorus was written into the show by the
authors or was the idea of the uthors or was the idea of the
show's producer but it was an excellent idea and at times saved the chorus singing on stage.
The chorus also had the added advantage of giving balance to a good pit band, but which at times, had the habit of getting just a little too loud. But any criticism of the music or musical direction of the
show must be minute for if there was any single facet of the producion which turned the presentation from an average to a worthwhile effont it was the musical direction the leads.
And the leads all had talented singing voices. Most pleasing of all was the singing voice of Craig Fry as Julio. Although his acting as the times, each time huite stiff at fornt of the stage he had his audience convinced of his part. Jim McKenna playing the part of the wandering sourdough (or is sourminers) part but once again was a little weak on the acting side But as the show went on, McKenna stopped sorting to some very awkward mansorting to some very awkward man-
nerisms and seemed to give his performance a little more dep.th. Don Aitken was the most exp ienced member of the cast. Last year he was excellent as Finian this year he was just as excellent as

By DAVE HILTON

Jake Whippany. His singing voice
was more than adequate, his acting was more than adequate, his acting
polished and what's most important he seemed to give confidence to the rest of the people on stage. Aitken didn't have a solo number until the beginning of the second act, but when he did come on as
principal, he seemed to give the whole show a much needed injecon of life.
The sole feminine lead in the Jennifer. While the musical would Jennifer. While the musical would not fall apart without a good Jenni-
fer, it would be an awfully long first it would be an awfully long
sit through. And Charlotte Gibbon, another alumnus of last year's Finian's Rainbow cast, did more to sustain the pace in the first act than any of the leads. Her timing was good and her acting expressive. Her voice is restricted with a rather narrow range but she made the most of her numbers. The first, "What's Goin' on Here?" was a nautral for her and she belted it out with enough verve to capture o that time seemed to be taking the whole show more like a concert than a musical-comedy offering. But the show didn't have to lean on the ability of the leads and for this I think the performance was Rainbow of last year.
Many of the better moments of the show came from persons with small parts. The first of these was
when the Chinese boys trooped
across the stage in the number "I'm On My Way." Garnet Pettipas as did Trumbell was another who part and the same can be said of Redpath.
were the trio Maura Morton, Mar-
lene Matthews and Phil Koven who
played the part of the wandering
Mormon Family-husband, wife and
wife. Their number was the best
in the show. The girls set polygamy tnio showed a fine flair for comedy a good sense of timing and best of all they sang well.
The dancing, which is an integra ments both good and bad. The firs number between Julio and Jennifer
was too long and should have been done with a more dramaitc flair to set-up Jennifer's number "How Can Joey Martin, the miner's dance in "They Called the Wind Maria" was the more the rather mediocre choreography
But notwithstanding the fine per formance of the girls the best dance Ti-Ay" which was staged well and set an exciting pace that carried Cherry and the girls made their
entrance.

The girls added a lot to the
show's second act. Joe Martin's
dancing covered ins of the choreography in some The show was well costumed, the only weak spot perhaps being Julio, and the make-up was the best seen
on a Dal stage in at least three

The sets were fine and credit Langstroth and his crew whose han was much more ambitious ed by lack of fly space, they can't much of the show ing to stage so
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of Ben's cabin and Salem's store front were both done

The conversion of Dutchie's saloon to Jake's Place didn't come off quite
so well but their work did much to

Paint Your Wagon was not quite good a musical as Finian's Rainshould be careful in just what offering. Undouse for their annual ing to be restricted in y are gobudget, talent and the stage they never going to have a real are success unless they pick a musical
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## The Fairest of Them All

With Munro Day fast approaching, the air is buzzing with one question: Who will be the next Campus Queen? The position, a coveted one, is the highest award Dalhousie students can bestow on one of the members of their fairer sex.

At this time some consideration of the qualifications for and the need of such a position is necessary. The Campus Queen is chosen, by a board of judges, from among the queens of the ten faculties and schools and are chosen on the basis of personality, scholarship, participation in extra-curricular activities and looks.

These have been the norm for choosing the Campus Queen, but have the various faculties and schools always considered them when choosing their own queens? We think not. Too of ten in the past have girls been chosen only for their looks or their participation in activities or because they are members of their particular faculties. The Council can easily see that these exceptions are ruled out by writing the faculties and schools at the beginning of each year to remind them of the qualifications.

With the qualifications laid down more specifically, there remains a still more important question to consider. What is to be the function of the Campus Queen? Now her only duties are: To be crowned on Munro Day and to crown the nex Queen on the following Munro Day. Should this be all?

There are two aspects which present themselves. The honour can mean to some girl who is graduating "a job well done". In this case the girl should be a senior. Or it can become a useful position to the campus. The girl chosen, being in her junior year or at least planning to return to Dal the following year, could perform many worthwhile functions. She could welcome the freshman at the beginning of the year and interest new girls in various activities on the campus. During football season, since we have no football queen, she could appear at games, both at home and away, taking the place of a football queen. During the Blood Drive she could be instrumental in publicising the drive and getting students to participate. In fact, she could participate in stirring up interest in all campus projects. She could also attend teas and receptions for visiting dignitaries and act as the female head of the campus. This latter suggestion comes to mind at this time because neither of the two highest positions on the Council are held by a girl, but nevertheless, if implimented, it would still apply if one position were held by a girl.

The question is a difficult one, one for the Council to decide. We only present the alternative. The Campus Queen contest can be one for seniors only, the queen being the one who best fulfils the qualities for the honor. Or the Campus Queen contest can be for juniors, returning to the campus the following year, who will perform a useful function. We urge the Council to make the decision now.

## Only One Complaint

Congratulations to DGDS for "Paint Your Wagon". We have only one complaint. The position of students seats was terrible and reserved seats were too costly for students. Our suggestion is to push Wednesday and Thursday nights as student nights. Give Dalhousians the best seats at student prices. Then Friday and Saturday nights can still reap the profits from reserved seats. The students will have had their chance.

## "All the World's a Stage"



Today, March 5, is National Student Day, sponsored by the National Federation of Canadian University Students. All over Canada newspapers, radio and television are publicising student life and students' needs, and in Ottawa, Morty Bistrisky, national president of NFCUS, is meeting with the Prime Minister to discuss
the brief NFCUS presented to the government last year. The brief outlined the need for financial aid for the brief NFCUS presented to the government last year. The brief outlined the need for fin
students and the necessity of ensuring that all students with ability can attend university.

The idea behind this day and the meeting with Mr. Diefenbaker is good. We hope, however, that it accomplishes its purpose. Last year the Prime Minister patted the students presenting the brief on the back complimented them on the fine job they had done in parepard add our small voice to the thousands of others by pledging our full support to him. The situation is critical and we must demand immediate action.

## We're sick and Tired

We're sick and tired of talking about that poor, worn out word APATHY, just as sick of it as you must be reading about it. The problem is, its popularity is unquestionable. Everyone's talking about it and so must we. Why? The answer is simple. Apathy is the most widespread, contagious disease from which we all suffer.

One of the latest outbreaks of the epidemic was experienced during the recent campaign for campus elections. At the student forum, where the candidates present their platforms and are barraged with questions, only a few more than 200 students appeared. These filed in as quiet as mice, took their seats, clapped and filed meekly out again. Not only the students but also the candidates are to blame. Where were the bands or student noise-makers, as the bands might better be termed), the parades, and the waving placards which add excitement? Once the students are attracted and excited, controversial issues are bound to arise and be thrashed out between the candidates, leaving the student more capable of deciding where to make their "X".

When it comes to election day, however, the students are entirely at fault. The figures are shocking. Of a student population of 1683 only 873 voted, or a little more than 50 percent. In a case as bad as this, we are forced to write again about this dread disease, apathy. It must be cured, stamped out, for the health of the campus is at stake. Perhaps the Council should set up a booth where we may all go to be vaccinated in order to save our lives. The worst problem is that the disease has taken such a hold that probably only 50 percent of the students would turn up to be scratched and the rest would die. We might almost say good riddance . . . yes, we might at that.

## Corruption!

On a more serious note, but on the same theme, we were shocked, during the last election campaign, to see candidates bribing voters by passing out food and cigarettes to them. According to the Election Act, this is definitely illegal. Yet no one commented. And the president of the Council permitted this disgraceful practice! Our only beef is that they didn't come in and pass them out personally to us so that we'd give them better
coverage in the Gazette. A gross oversight! Reminder-don't dare forget us next year!

## The firing squad

Four college newspapers across Canada this year have experienced the administrative firing squad. In fact, so heavy has the mortality rate been this year, that we, who have been preserved, can only be greatly The and thankful.
Thist episode
The first episode was the firing of the editors of the now famous LA ROTONDE, the paper at the University of Ottawa. Here is seems the administration was wrong, that it was exercising undue control over the students.

Another case arose at the University of Laval shortly before Christmas. Norman Lacharite, one of the deposed editors of LA ROTONDE the year before, wrote an article attacking the $\mathbf{U}$ of $O$ about the firing of this years' editors. The heavy hand of the Laval administration fell quickly. Which side was actually more wrong has not been determined satisfactorily, and indeed, it seems as if it lay on both sides.

The third head fell in our own dear region. At Acadia, following the publication of a seemingly blasphemous article, the author was banished from the university by the administration and the editor of the ATHEprinted in his paper, and therefore, the editor was rightly disciplined for his action. There is no law, however, which says that a man may not write what he wants and submit it to an editor for publication. In kicking the author of the article out, then, the administration erred.

The fourth axe fell just recently at the University of British Columbia. There, sometime in the fall, two of the editors of the UBYSSEY stole pictures from the Student Union Building to prove how easy it would be remove the pictures. Their problem was that when they tried to return them they found the place so tied up with the RCMP that they couldn't accomplish their return. The editors resigned immediately and the matter was left to the Student Court, whose judgment they are now awaiting.

The question arises: Are student journalists more irresponsible this year or are the administrations stricter? It seems to us that in all these cases if the editors had used some little measure of discretion and the Councils and administrations more patience and understanding, none of the unpleasantness would have occurred. Co-operation between them would have avoided all the mistakes which have been made. All sides
have erred. After this year of crisis, we hope that all will run smonel have erred. After this year of crisis, we hope that all will run smoothly. DISCRETION-that's the word.

# THE BRIMMING CUP 

by Denis Stairs

An editorial in Acadia's ATHENAEUM, now being published under the direction of newly appointed Editor-in Chief, Philip Roberts, has clearly stated the paper's position with respect to the recent firing of Editor Donald Angus.

It called the Student Judicial Committe's decision to suspend Angus from his post "infamous" and "arbitrary", and described the evidence against him as "flimsy". "We are still fighting", the editorial maintained, "for an investigation into both the most peculiar circumstances surrounding the February 9 verdict, and also into the general workings of this judicial committee which seems to throw down its verdicts so arbitrarily." Twenty members of the Athenaeum staff had resigned, temporarily, on February 10 following the Committee's decision.
McMaster's Silhouette carried a report last week of a gigantic hoax
that convinced the Faculty of Enthat convinced the Faculty of Engineering its new building had been
sold. A group of unidentified students, one of them a double for the university registrar, told the faculty in a private audience that the building had become the property of the Toronto investment firm of Samson and Samson. As the meeting progressed, detailed terms of sale were
revealed, and the representatives revealed, and the representatives of the fictitious company announced plans for converting the property Messengers from the Board of Messengers from the Board of Governors explained that the unithe generous terms. Faculty memthe generous terms. Faculty memthe prank came to light when the real registrar was questioned further on the sale.
Five McGill Carnival Queen candidates got right down to splitting hairs last week when they judged McGill's annual beard growing contest. Fondling what the Daily called "each fuzzy entry' to determine its texture, the girls were wide-eyed at the boys talent. Comments on the growth of winner Malcolm Stone ranged from "Oooooh, furry! to "Mmmmmm, the shape!" Stone, having out-whiskered over twenty
competitors, gleefully accepted his prize-an electric shaver

It seems that the University of Toronto building inspectors have told the administration that there are "structural weaknesses in at least five major parts" of the University College Building, and have advised university officials that the city would undertake demolition unless repairs are begun at once. The cost of replacing rotted areas has, according to the Varsity, been roughly estimated at $\$ 2,000,000$.

Editor-in-Chief David Robertson and City Editor Kerry Feltham of British Columbia's Ubyssey have been suspended from their posts following investigation into a prank involving the removal of a painting from U.B.C.'s Brock Hall. The student court found them guilty of "conduct unbecoming a student" because of (1) Their demonstrated irresponsibility, and (2) Their disregard for the interests of other students. This brings to four the number of universities that have been involved in the suspension of student editors within the past year. Ottawa, Laval, Acadia and now British Columbia.

## A Do-It-Yourself Project <br> Dal Medical Book Bureau

by Gregor murray

Nearing the end of a long season of apathy-combatting, the Dalhousie Pepcats are able to look back on a year notable both for its successes and for its failures. In some cases the results have been better than

Things got off to a good start at train carries over 200 loyal Dal supthe very first football game of the year. The best band to be found at Dal in recent years appeared leading our now deceased Tiger and a spirited Freshman class, and has continued to make a most significant contribution, albeit spasmodically, at both football and hockey games up to the time of this writing. A particular good performance was put on at the hockey game in Acadia, where they performed well in com petition with a larger and more practiced Acadia band.
The year's next major manifestation of spirit occurred two week later when a Dalcom sponsored
porters to Antigonish, where they valiantly cheered the football team in a losing cause.
With vocal manifestations of enthusiasm reaching a discouragingly low level at the Saturday games, it was decided to hold a street parade on Friday evening November 14. Hindered by wet weather for the second year in a row, the parade, which shall probably become an annual affair, nevertheless was well supported and did much to add effervesence to Studley spirits.
The next day's game saw the most uccessful support-raising innovaion of the year put into use. This

Dalhousie
Combats
Apathy

by LIBBY MAYALL

## Unfortunately they don't publish pamphlets on how students can run a bookstore on their own. Yet

 it can be done successfully. Med students may not be noted for their interest and participation in student activities but quietly and efficiently they have organized and firmly established the Dalhousie Medical Book Bureau.Having catered to the needs of the
Meds since 1946, the Book Bureau although hidden away in the base ment of the Medical-Dental Library runs an active business. Established for the purpose of retailing medical textbooks and instruments for the convenience and profit of the mem bers of the Dalhousie Medical Stu dents' Society, it is entirely operated by undergraduate medical students Each year two co-managers are appointed by the Society's Executive from among the applicants. Continuity in the management has been maintained by the policy of making the junior co-manager the senior comanager for the following year. The choice of applicants is based upon their ability as a student and their financial needs. Thus two deserving students are given employment dur ing the year
their studies.

Originally intended as a means of benefit to D.M.S.S. members through lowered prices, the Book Bureau has never been used as a reve At the mo ment medical students can buy their texts at $10 \%$ less than the list prices anywhere else, while a $5 \%$ reducresidents at the hospitals. Initiall medical instruments and mimeographed lecture notes were also
part of the stock. But due to inpart of the stock. But due to in-
creasing losses on the mimeographcreasing losses on the mimeograph-
ed notes, their production and sale

## Where The Well-Dressed

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was abandoned as being an unprofitable business venture. Recently the Bureau has branched out by offering supplies of stationery to the students at prices less than those elsewhere. Together with looselea
binders and scribblers, one can also buy ink, Scotch tape, filing cards and all the other items students
deem essential. Although not open deem essential. Although not open
all the week, the hours of business all the week, the hours of business
have been found to be adequate, have been found to be adequate
being from 1-2 p.m. on every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, and every day during the first two weeks of the year.
Having an inventory of $\$ 5,000$ in 1949 which was considered too high by the auditors for a business conern of this type, it has now been reduced to $\$ 2,500$. This reduced level is maintained by means of returning the unsold books to the publishers who will allow this as the Bureau is a student operation not an estab-
lished business for profit. The sales during each year average about $\$ 20$, , 000. , allowing after the payment of the managers' salaries, a profit of
about $\$ 350$. which the Society reabout $\$ 350$. which the Society re-
turns to the Bureau for their surplus


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* of 131 So. Harris Hill Rd., Williamsville, N. Y.

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account. It has been found that a surplus account of $\$ 2,500$ is necesfrom hounding creditors. During 1957, a cash register was added which greatly facilated recording of sales and was deemed essential for accurate balancing of the books. Having found that allowing credit to the students was not profitable because of the accumulation of debts, the Bureau is now run on a cash basis.

These few pertinent facts have been offered to illustrate that a been offered to illustrate that a
student-operated bookstore is pos-sidudent-operated bookstore is pos-
sible. The essentials are that the profits shoud be returned to the students in the form of reduced prices, and that the managers and operators should be paid a salary plus a small percentage of the profits as an incentive for the operation of an efficient business. The Bureau, through trial and error, has found that a no-credit basis, a cash production and sale of mimeograph-

simply consisted of abolishing the notorious reserve section on the notorious reserve section on the
north side of the stands and thereby permitting Dal supporters to sit in one highly-vocal block. The results, aided in no small degree by the appearance in a group of some of the pearance in a group of some of the gratifying, seeing the fans solidly behind the Tigers as they won there biggest, and unfortunately last, victory of the year. Commendation should also go to the Engineers, who staged the year's first successful cremation.
Anti-apathy activity maintaining itself at a high rate, the next week saw the now-famous Tigger-nappers strike, and our beloved Tigger spirited away. This ingenious stunt, which aroused great interest and publicity around the campus, has certainly been the best stunt of its kind to be performed at Dalhousie in many a year, and its perpretators despite the frustration complexes
which they developed in some, dewhich they developed in some, deserve great credit. Final chapter in this tale was, of course, sent to the publisher after Christmas, when the announcement of the donation of the soon-to-be-presented Apathy
Award was made. This ay Award was made. This ay
chased with the ransom money from chased with the ransom money from
the Tiger, should go far in future the Tiger, should go far in future tive in dealing with our apathy problem
The saddest portion of the Tiger's ong tail was written near the end dismembered while trying to divide his loyalties between Dalhousie and Tech. However, it is hoped that a Tech. However, it is hoped that a be appearing on the scene in the near future, and one-and-all are ooking forward to his debut. Delta Gamma made their big contribution of the year when they produced a Tiger based on female forms. This wily beast, who posnever be ascribed to the latelamented, has done noble service at the last few hockey games. It is hoped that he (she? it? they?) will perform until the end of the season, or they can wiggle their tail in a manner never approached by our ormer feline.
And so the year has gone to date. The Acadia trip, our most recent excursion was the scene of more gay rivalry, and much the best enthu-
siasm of the year was shown siasm of the year was shown. A
good example was set for us by good example was set for us by
Acadia, and we would do well to Acadia, and we would do well to
follow their lead. Playoffs are here; let's get out and cheer.

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## Girls' Basketball Teams Trounce Acadia Axettes

Dal Girls' Basketball teams registered a double win last Wednesday when they travelled to Acadia for a twin bill. The first game saw the Intermediates trounce Acadia Intermediates $40-10$ in an exhibition tilt, while the second saw the Varsity wallop Acadia Varsity 54-29 in a regular Intercolle giate fixture to take second place in the league.

Dalhousie's Intermediates found Acadia's small floor hazardous, and their game featured a lot of foul-
ing, and sloppy play. Jane Williams ing, and sloppy play. Jane Williams
starred in the first quarter for Dal, starred in the first quarter for Dal, dumping in points on a variety of
interceptions, break-aways and layinterceptions, break-aways and
ups. Quarter time stood at $10-1$ for ups. Quarter time stood at $10-1$ for
Dal. By half time Dal had stretched their lead to 17-4. Acadia's shooting was poor, as they were forced to shoot from outside.

The second half saw Dal uncork scoring power; they swished 28
points to Acadia's 6. During the final minutes, some of the guards tried their hand at playing forward, and Jane Williams switched to guard. Acadia still could not get into the game. High scorer was Jane Williams. with 17 points. Lyon Pascoe swished 15.

Dal-L. Pascoe 15; J. Wiliams 17, M. Whitman 1, J. Smith, H. Orchend, J. MacKay, M. Taylor, A. MacLeod 10.

## RADICAL UPSET BY CHAPEL BAY IN THRILLER

Chapel Bay tamed a usually pugnacious and aggressive Radical team by trouncing them 11-2 in a
thrilling but lopsided game on Frithrilling but lopsided game on Fri-
day, Feb. 27 th. Canning of Chapel day, Feb. 27 th . Canning of Chapel
started what was to be a rout of started what was to Radical, and he emerged as the most instrumental figure in Radical's defeat. By the end of the first period, Chapel was comfortably and confidently well ahead by a score
of $3-1$. Radical's lone goal was scorof $3-1$. Radical's lone goal
ed by Dave Bessonette.

The second period was a keen struggle result in Chapel's scoring
two unanswered goals. The third period proved to be the most prolific with Radical's MacLeod scoring once, while Canning tallied three times for Chapel. Scoring for
Chapel were Knickle 2, Curnew 1, Jackson 1, Andrews 1, Shirley 1, Canning.

## VARSITY GAME

## Dalhousie's representatives in the

 Maritime Intercollegiate Curling Championships was a strong team which was given an excellent chanceof coming out on top. The bonspiel was held the first two days of this week, Monday and Tuesday, March
2 and 3, at the University 2 and 3 , at the University of New
Brunswick. Brunswick.
Skipping the well-known foursome is John "Scrapper" Macintosh.
He is supported by Vic Snarr, at mate, Dave Silliphant at second,
and Bob Cunningham throwing lead stones. The Macintosh-Snarr com
bination have a wealth of ence behind them. They were run-ners-up at the Provincial Junior
Championships last year, and their Championships last year, and their Ship at the Halifax Curling Club this
year. Macintosh recently scored a

## Dal Edges Saint Mary's, Holds Two Goal Margin

By JOEL JACOBSON

Dalhousie Tigers, suffering from a slight case of over-confidence, downed Saint Mary's 5-3 Monday night the Dal Rink. The victory enaßled the Bengals to carry a two-goal margin into Saturday night's game in the Nova Scotia Intercollegiate Hockey League semi-finals.

Dalhousie pressed from the opening whistle and broke the scoring ice at $6: 24$ when Graham flipped MacLeod's rebound past MacDougall in the Saint Mary's goal. The maroon and white were shorthanded at the time. Flemming being in the sin-bin for slashing. Claude Brown, who played a standout game in the Dal nets, was not forced to make his first save until the nine-minute mark of the first period. At 13:24 Sullivan was for illegal checking and the Dal power" play did not get one shot on the Saint Mary's cage. During a penalty to "Soupie" Kelly, Dal again put on the pressure and Frank sim hit the goal post with a shot from the right wing. Roy Ma
MacDougall with shots.

At the 1:09 mark of the second banished for throwing his stick into
period, Dal's Cunningham was sent the crowd. In this period, Claude period, Dal's Cunningham was sent the crowd. In this period, Claude
off for cross-checking and six sec- Brown was forced to make 14 saves, off for cross-checking and six sec- Brown was iorced totacular onds later, Sullivan scored on a
screened shot from the right. Dal screened shot from the right. Da banged in the Tiger's thrid marker with assists going to Martin and Day. Brown then came up with his inest save of the night when he away from the Dal defence. At 6:40 Driscoll went off and Dalhousie, with the man advantage again were a badly disorganized cr ming got another chance at 10:0 and this time made no mistake a Brown put the rebound on his stick and the puck was immediately slapped into the net. This cut Dal's kept the pressure on Saint Mary's defense for the remainder of the period. O'Regan of Saint Mary's received the only misconduct of the $\frac{\text { game at } 18.54}{\text { remarkable } 52 \text {-count in points com }}$ petition.
Second stone Dave Silliphant skipped the P.E.I. High School champs in 1955, and last year on the Dalhousie entry which won the
Chebucto trophy at Dartmouth Lead Bob Cunningham skipped th Q.E.H.S. team in the provincial play last year. Silliphant is the "odd man" on the squad, being the only non-Haligonian and non-Commerce man of the four.

WON ROUND - ROBIN
The team won the right to repre sent Dal by capturing a four team the final game against last year's Maritime Champions, (Harry Stev through to post an $8-7$ victory to
advance his team to the bonspie against Acadia, Mount A, King Saint Mary's, St. F.X. and U.N.B. In inter-fac curling, Macintosh' Commerce rink too first place in th Wednesday section with a $5-0$ rec
ord. Tied for second were Mac Guiness of Commerce and Mac Kenna of Arts and Science. Th Tuesday section has two games lef record. The playoff game betwe MacIntosh and the Tuesday win
will take place on Munro Day

## Intermediates Go Down Fighting As Mt. A. Wins Basketball Title

For the second consecutive year Mount Allison University won the premacy in the Maritime Intercollegiate Girls' Basketball League, last weekend. The Mounties defeated a fighting Dal crew 47-38 in the final game. The Dal-Mt. A. game elimaxed the weekend long tournament made up of teams from Mount Allison, University of New Brunswick, Mount Saint Bernard, Acadia, King's and Dalhousie.
The Dal girls played their first game Friday night against Mount Allison. It was a hard fought battle all the way with Mt. A. coming out on top of a $31-30$ decision. Had the
Dal girls capitalized on a better per-
have won. With 10 seconds to go
in the stanza, Mount A, up one point,
two fouls were called against
A., but neither Sheila Mason nor
am. mext game was againt
Dals next game was agains sive win for Dalhousie. Joan Hennessey played her best game of the year for Dal as she connected for 15 points. Dal then defeated U.N.B. This win placed Dal against Mt. A. Mount Allison came out on top
by a $47-38$ count, thus winning the Maritime title.

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## Barmen, Meds Leading Interfac Basketball



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## Fitzgerald Connects



THE WINNER-Walter Fitzgerald (8) fires what proved to be the winning goal last Saturday night as the Tigers fought to a 7-7 draw, but won their total goal semi-final series 12-10 against Saint Mary's University. Bengal captain Murray Dewis (10) is waiting for a posible rebound, while the Saints netminder is Red
(Photo by Thomas)

## BENGALS COME BACK, SPARKED BY SPIRIT

by JOEL JACOBSON

Dalhousie Tigers, showing the fight and drive needed for victory, played one superb period of hockey Saturday night to gain a 7-7 tie with a scrappy Saint Mary's University squad. The Bengals, down 6-2 after two periods, came out of the dressing room at the start of the third stanza with their ears burning from the heated words of Coach Dewitt Dargie. Then "Les Tigres" took complete charge of the game and skated away with the two-gametotal goal semi-final round 12-10.

John Graham and David Gardner underway. Keddy scored from spearheaded the omnipotent Tiger Dauphinee on a two-on-one break offensive with two goals each. Other at 2:40. SMU continued their surge Tiger goals were scored by Eric net, slapped Dauphinee's rebound Parsons, "Goog" Fitzgerald and into the twines. Dal's defenses were Frank Sim. For SMU, Keddy scor- quite shoddy at this stage and poor ed three times, with Flemming, Dauphinee, Sullivan and Sinclair each tallying once.

Saint Mary's jumped into the lead Santamarians as Sinclair flipped in a loose puck at 11:30. Fifty-seven seconds later, the lead was increased to 6-2 as Keddy scored on a screen shortly after the second session got ed shot.

The third period told the tale as the Bengals came out fighting mad nd pressed Saint Mary's defenses or the remainder of the game. At 2:30, Eric Parsons hit the post, but on the Tigers' next big offensive thrust, they were not to be denied. Gardner's shot from the right point caught the upper corner of the net 5:43. However, at $7: 10$, Keddy and Dauphinee again combined to feat Brown, with Keddy putting the inishing touch on the play
Dalhousie realized something had to be done and proceeded to do it They forged to the attack and, a 9:24, Graham shot the puck over a net. Then, Gardner put it in the cage with a deflected shot from just inside the blue line. The time of the goal was 10:46 and the series was tied at 10-10.
At 12:39, Graham's rebound was banged into the net by the alert Fitzgerald and this goal proved to be the winner. With Dal leading 11-10 SMU started to apply the pressure but a penalty to Power for clipping put a damper on their attack. Dal housie, having been content to play defensive hockey, were able to keep he puck in the Santamarians zone housie's final marker of the game and of the series.

The Tigers, exhibiting a strong desire for victory in the third period certainly deserved the win. If they can keep the same spirit and have the same fan backing as they had last Saturday night, the Bengals wil certainly go on to win the championhip of the Nova Scotia Intercolle giate Hockey League.

# Will Success Spoil Sodales? Alade's Lamp Lit The Way 

Sodales debating society, Dalhousie's newly dynamic public debate organization, concluded last week what all agreed was its most successful season in recent times. Due largely to the inspiration and dynamic encouragement of 1958-59 President Alade Akesode, himself a third year law student, the year stands as one of public spotlight and a decided upsurge in interest in college debating.

Akesode, in addressing some 90 Aktendants at the final meeting, said the sudden and complete reorganization of Sodales had been "an experiment" that succeeded. One debate had been televised, and even the "federal highbrow agency" the ing, promising a 45 -minute debate broadcast next year.
The Model Parliament, said Akesode, was a greater success than ever Dalhousie concluded an unson. Dalnousil oriate debating year beaten intercollegiate debating yea ship. ALL faculties, for the first ship. ALL faculties, for the first in Sodales this year. Following his in Sodales this year. Following his thanks to various individuas outstanding support of Sodales, outstanding support of Sodales, tion by Dick Hurley, Chairman of
Saint Mary's University Debating

## Young Negro Author

Speaks Here Friday
Sponsored by the Foreign Stu dents' Body, Dr. Harold H. Potter, Associate Professor of Sociology at Sir George Williams University in Montreal, has been invited by the University to lecture here in Room 21 Arts Building at 8 p.m. on Friday, March 6.
Dr. Potter attended Sir George Williams University and did his post-graduate work at McGill and Miss Renee Morin, he wrote the Miss Renee Morin, he wrote the mac"

Society, of the Maritime Trophy to Bill Sommerville, Alex Wier, Norman Rebin and Rick Cashin of Dal's New officers were then elected to newly created positions: President, Clarke; secretary, Judy Bell; parliamentary coordinator, Bill Sommerville; publicity coordinator, Denis Stairs; publicity coordinator, interfac coordinator, Mike


Dal gals get their kicks in PAINT YOUR WAGON

## F.R.O.S. BLAMES LOCAL STUDENTS FOR LACK OF INTEREST

The role of F.R.O.S. varies a great deal on the different campi of Canadian universities. At Dalhousie, F.R.O.S. aims to do everything possible to promote better relations between Canadian and overseas students. Heather Williams stated as acting chairman of the F.R.O.S meeting held on February interest in this organization lies not with foreign students but with LOCAI interest in
students".

## P.C.'s Get Mare Indactrination

Last Friday and Saturday, Feb. 27 and 28, saw a heavily attended conhe Progressive Conservative Stu dent Federation take place at the Lord Nelson Hotel. Hosting dele gates from 12 universities in the
Maritimes and Newfoundland, the convention was a deviation from th former system of holding one national conference a year.
Sessions got underway at the hotel on Friday afternoon with a seminar discussion on club activities and problems throughout the region, and many hours later, other lecture and discusbanquet. Other lecture and discus
sion topics included a history of th sion topics included a history of the
Progressive Conservative P ar ty present day Party policies, stands on of the Conservative movement.
The convention was enhanced by party figures. These included the Honourable Robert L. Stanfield,
Premier of this province; Mr. Heath Premier of this province; Mr. Heath
MacQuarrie, M.P. for Queens; Mr Bob McLeave, M.P. for Halifax; Ted Rogers, National President of the
Student Federation, and the HonorStudent Federation, and the Honor-
able Richard A. Donahoe, Attorneyable Richard A. Donahoe, Attorney
General of Nova Scotia. The convention appeared to
achieve its object of increasing the achieve its object of increasing the
strength and unity of Progressive Conservative Student clubs through out the Maritimes. ure of Medea dominates the stage, rom her initial dejection and bitterness, through her murder of the second wife

The cast includes: Carol Clark as Medea, Penelope Stanbury as the John Acker as Aegeas, Leon Cole as Jason, Andrew Betts as the attend-

The meting last Friday was one
of the livelies of the year. $A$ report of the ivenest of the year. A report teed progress, by Eadie Jornson.
Heather Williams also reported on

 committee was that the work of obest
commites be eontinueat A sugsestion was also made that the students Christmas banquet not only financi-
ally, but that council members mended that interested citizens be invited to attend F.R.O.S. meetings
and that some meetings be held in and that some meetings be held in
the evenings making it possible for Med students to attend.
cerning the election of next year's
$\qquad$
Student Broadcast

## Rejected by CBC

The Canadian Broadcasting Corporation last week rejected flatly proposals for a national University radio program, put forward by the Canadian Association of University casters decided to form their own organization anyway.
organization anyway
CBC representatives in Toronto, the project "Impractical because of

## MEDEA TONIGHT

## Euripides' "Media", one of the

 most famous of Greek tragedies, will have its final performance this evening at Dalhousie Gymnasium at 8 p.m. It is directed by Dr. Mirko Usmiani of the Classics Department.The overwhelming powerful fig-

## Mackenzie's Expose:

## The Real Robert Burns

## by BASIL COOPER

The topic of Mr. Norman MacKenzie's discussion on Robert Burns was alone enough to draw a most attentive audience to the Haliburton Room og King's College of Tuesday, February 24. The occasion was a King's or the Haliburt. Soly, over which Dean G. R. language and Literature, from Scotland's oldest university, St. Andrew's, is a teaching-fellow in the English department at Dalhousie for the session of 1958-59.

Bu Mr. MacKenzie then dealt with
Burns as an 18th century man an ment in his works, as well as poli-
tical ideas inspired by events of that
age, such as the French Revolution. Me
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tion
Burn Scottish song.
freshments His cries for liberty, equa
fraternity were common

## Haliburton, one of the oldest student societies at King's, is this year ob- serving its 75th anniversary. It is

## ALBERTA STUDENT MURDERED BY GULLIBLE NEWSPAPER

Edmonton (CUP)-The Gateway, University of Alberta's student newspaper, has exposed a hoax which had duped the University of Alberta for four months.
Why the real Robert Burns? Well, grate the romantic legendary approach to Burns. He said, "To many people, Burns is the Don Juan of the Scottish peasantry, and to others scribes as a heaven-taught plough-
The question of the real Burns in-
volved two ideas that Burns was
interesting mainly: (1) as a Liber-
Consequently, at Burns' Suppers on
both sides of the Atlantic, people both sides of the Atlantic, people
deal with these two aspects, which don't give quite the proper perspec-
tive on the man as'a poet. "To gain the correct perspective of Burns, we must examine the facts. Burns' love
life was not an unusual thing in rural communities in Scotland, England, and other countries, and as for Burns' being untutored, we know that he had an education better Mr MacKenzie stressed. He pointed out
that Burns was acquainted with
Shakespeare, Pope, Shenstone, Beat-
tie and Gray, and moreover, that he
imitated many of the 18th century
Shenstone. He told the increasingly
attentive audience that the variety

## of stanza form Burns employed in- dicated hard work and study, and

## count whenever one hears or reads

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$\square$ gram must appeal to the public in "One aspect of this problem volves national continuity. For ex farming will not ind interest in Hallman also said he entertained doubts about the quality of material which would be submitted and would actually listen to such a prowould
gram.
had appeared in his poetic fore-run
Proceeding to talk of Burns and cottish song, the Scottish lecture presented the versatile poet as researcher with an accute musical and down to us a wealth of materia that probabiy wouid have been 10 His versatility was further indicat en in the fact that Burns wrote in lect, in order to pander to reader who in Scotland, dispised the vern acular. He disclosed that Burn actually was aware that he coul poetic tradition and therefore tend ed to pose as an uneducated plough man in order to rain attention Furthermore, he was aware that during the 18th century literary men were searching for a nativ genius.
never examining Burns as

| carried a front page story of the |  |
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| "murder" of John Appleard, an 18-year-old U of A student who never existed. Last fall Appleard was installed as president of the Alberta | ruary at the secretary's home" and |
|  | warned that no alcohol would be |
|  | allowed. The gullibe Gateway ed- |
|  |  |
| freshman class by the Golden Key | into the life and times of John |
| Society, honorary group in charge of freshmen introduction week. | Appleard a |
| His one official function was to emcee a freshman rally. Appleard | brilliantly successful hoax. |
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| did net appear at the rally because of "a death in his family." |  |
|  | om which he reportedly hailed |
| Since that time Appleard's name | had never heard of him. A forged |
| was rumoured to be connected with a campus fraternity and he was said | mever heard of him. A forged |
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| to have helped in the formation of |  |
| Alberta's Free Love Society. But nobody ever met John Appleard. |  |
| Last week he sent his third and final letter to the Gateway, in |  |
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|  | plete with photos of the body, John Appleard died. |
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## GRADUATING IN ANYTHING THIS YEAR?

Well, if you are there is graduate meeting in Room 234, Thursday, 12 noon. Be there!

