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## $5 \%$ ATTENDANCE, FORUM FLOPS SPEAKER OUTLINES BLOOD DRIVE



UTTERLY PAINLESS, SHE SAID-In answer to an urgent appeal broadcast over Halifax stations last weekend, many Dalhousie and King's students rushed to the Red Cross blood clinic to give bood
in an effort to ease an emergency situation that arose over the weekend. There wasn't enough blood in the blood bank to answer the current demands. Pictured above is Gretchen Hewat, who braved stormy weather to donate a pint of blood. She and one
be counted as one of the students to give blood in the Dalhousie campaign which starts on January 28 .
(Photo by Smith)
Tories Breeze Into Political Power Upset Law School Liberal Traditions

## Flash



There will be an orchestra rehear-
sal for "H.M.S. Pinafore" next Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock in the
music room of the gymnasium. Al

A new ruling on the pass mark effect by the Committee of Studies after the Christmas examinations. It was decided that a student who made a mark of less than 15 in any
exam must drop that class. If a
student made below 15 in all five of his classes he would not have to drop all 5 . No student may conIf a student on the other hand tinue his classes. The other marks of the student are taken into consideration as well as his failures. make high marks in a student will make high marks in his other sub-
jects if he has made below 15 in one class. It is likely that this process
next year

Blood Shortage Costs Lives
Express Dire Need In City

70 Present

No Quorum

five per cent of the student regis-
tration of Dalhousie University.
"Blood should be the free gift of
one human being to another human
being in need." Thus spoke F. S.
Bruce-Williams, being in need. Thus spoke F. S.
Bruce-Williams, director to the
Red Cross Blood Clinic in Halifax Red Cross Blood Clinic in Halifax
yesterday morning in addressing
a group of students at a Forum a group of students at a Forum
in the Arts and Administration
building. Emphasizing the dire building. Emphasizing the dire
need for blood donors, the visiting
speaker described the $\begin{array}{ll}\text { ar } & \text { speaker described the effect a } \\ \text { good supply in the blood bank on } \\ \text { city hospital patients. }\end{array}$ In describing the history of
blood transfusion services, Mr.
Bruce-Williams pointed out that
in World War 1, 80 per cent of Bruce-Williams pointed out that
in World War 1, 80 per cent of
compound fractures and abdominal compound fractures and abdominal
wounds were fatal. By World War
II when the blood tranfusion serII when the blood tranfusion ser-
vice was introduced, these figures
were reversed. Eighty-seven per were reversed. Eighty-seven per
cent of compound fractures and 66
per cent of abdominal wounds were saved largely through transfusions, After the war, it was decided to
have a civilian blood transfusion
service since many of the deaths service since many of the deaths
among the civilian population could be attributed to the fact that
blood was not available when
Disappointment could be seen in blood was
required.
e no object in bringing up any of And since the Red Cross per-
formed this service during the war, it was decided that

should do it in peacetime. | FLASH | $\begin{array}{l}\text { described the plight of a doctor } \\ \text { who has to undergo the enduring }\end{array}$ |
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| The attention of all students in- |  |
| experience of watching his patient |  |
| eluded in the Class of '55 is re- |  |
| die after he has used all human |  |
| skill possible to save the patient. |  |

described the plight of a doctor
who has to undergo the enduring quested to the following-an im-
portant meeting of those included within this group to be held on
Tuesday at 12.00 p.m. in is especially true in child-
The Arts

Few Roles Still Open In DGDS "School For Husbands"

| The cast for "The School for ances at Dalhousie was as Capta |  |
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| Husbands" was announced this |  |
| Pigot, the |  |
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| ciety plans to produc | Te |
| oliere's comedy during the second | University Drama Festiva |
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| ill some small parts to be ca |  |
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| played by Edw |  |
| One of his best |  |
| S. C. M. <br> The first 1953 chapel service of | arelle, has Clifford <br> showing the ability he ha |
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| e S.C.M. was held in the Chapel |  |
| Room of the Arts Building on | , |
| Thursday. Dr. W. J. Archibald, professor of mathematical physics, |  |
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| led the service. He read the chapter, "Conformity to God's Will" from Cardinal Fenelon's book, "On | Without Tears" |
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| Christian Perfection". The theme of his talk was that we should | done |
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| of his talk was that we should"... want all that God wants$\ldots$ and it is thus that God's | - |
|  | the Nova |
| kingdom comes." Fenelon's belief was that we should give up every- | Ergaste, Valere's servant |
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| thing for God. "Let him who |  |
| would be My disciple give up everything and follow Me." Dr. | figure in Glee Club pro |
|  | Gordon MacMurtry, will |
| Archibald concluded the service with a prayer for the balance of | venture in front of the f |
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| the soul and a hymn. |  |
| The next meeting of the S.C.M. |  |
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| ry B | anyone interested in taking one of |
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Sports Reporters .................... Elise Lane, Cartoonists

## Quia Nominor Leo

A number of our brother college papers in Canada are muzzled by severe censorship regulations. Most of their editors are reticent in explaining this even in simple conversistent resignation and tacit stubbornness in continuing to publish under such conditions.

The problem of censorship is certainly not a novel one in some way we practically all have had to face it at one time or other. But most college papers in Canada now publish what the editor freely feels is consistent with good taste and pus editors are just as cautious of the reputation of their university, as for example, the Board of Governors is, and this some universities have failed to understand.

They have failed to grasp the immense responsibility given to editors, and the consequential trust that is or must a small university, those editors, to be editors, can and must be mature enough to be worthy of this trust, and that as long as these universities do not trust their student newspapermen, college editors will not be fuly capable of not ony men who can through training and experience choose for others and themselves between what is good and what is not.

So far, we at Dalhousie, as in many other places, have dian University Press Conference of Montreal was justified and correct in deploring the existence of restrictions on the freedom of any Canadian University newspaper, and strongly supporting efforts to eliminate such practice.

## Humanity

We were told the other day of a student who was forced Christmas exams by a less than ten marks after having com pleted two and a half years of his course. Now this fact in itself is not unusual, but on gaining further knowledge of the case it appeared that the student is married and his wife is expecting a baby in a short while. But there are two other rather disturbing facts of the case that reek of rather unfair play on the part of the University.

Firstly, the student went home for Christmas and came back to the University after Christmas, all at considerable expense, when the University knew, while he was at home, expanse, when the thiversity knew, while he was at home, notifying him of their decision.

Secondly, it appeared that when the dust had cleared it was a case of personalities between the professor in that subject, the University's decision.

Now what is done is done, and we can never hope to get any change in the ruling, but it does leave open the question as to just what we can expect from a University Nearly all Faculties are bemoaning the fact that the great majority of students attend University to get a technical education, and neglect entirely the humanities, and yet the
aforementioned case seems to say there is a singular lack of aforementioned case seems to say there is a singular lack of
humanity in certain departments of the University and a humanity in certain departments of the Univ
Now we realize that a University has regulations that must be abided by, but we wonder just how rigid a University must be in the face of a rapidly de-humanizing society, University then the rest of the wold had better from a entirely. Wirely.
We are aware that sometimes it is to the student's advantage to have his particular case known by the various professors but in a case when the professor is aware of dif-
ficult circumstances surrounding ficuit circumstances surrounding a student's case it would not seem to be too unethical not to let personal feeling de-
stroy a student's career.

The most important
om a University is how to live in the world about can learn from a University is how to live in the world about him, but the case cited above does not seem to be a very fine example
of citizenship or common decency.
F. L.

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## Facts About Blood Drive

 <br> \section*{CLIPPINGS <br> \section*{CLIPPINGS <br> <br> From Coast to Coast} <br> <br> From Coast to Coast}much talk about the coming Blood Drive and the inter-University blood donor competition. Here are
a few facts and rules of the contest. There will be fifteen universities across Canada taking part in the
competition, the object of which will be to gain possession of the Canadian Collegiate Corpuscle Cup,
which is donated by the University which is donated by the University
of British Columbia. of British Columbia.
The number of don The number of donations shall the official enrolment of the uni-
versity, as of the 31st, of October, 1952 . In order to equalize the disadvantage forced upon the larger universities by their greater
enrolments, a system of percentage enrolments, a system of percentage
handicaps will be used, worked out by impartial, faculty members at the U.B.C.
No one other than students may be counted in the campaign. Nonstudents, who may wish to donate,
must declare themselves as such, must declare themselves as such, total donations. Persons rejected by the Red Cross, since they were
willing to give blood and could not, willing to give blood and could not,
will be counted in the totals. The winning university shat to demand from the university with
the lowest standing, the cost of engraving the placque bearing the
winner's name, which will be put winner's name, which will be pu
on each year. About $60 \%$ of the students at U.B.C. gave blood last This is more than inter-university URGENT! Our local blood bank has been in a critically low state
for weeks. Serve your country as
號 everyone at Dal turn out for the

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By JEAN VINCENT
Contrary to the best predictions and expectations of Gleeful Gus,
the child-wonder who would kill his mother, either so he could get a "first" story, or go to the or-
phans' party, or both, I managed slaught; and carried on the wings of phantasy, Chanel No. 5 and back to dusty books (they are dus-
ty) and the ever-prest ty) and the ever-present perfume
waxing forth from Lower Water waxing
Street.
And incidentally, this last sale brac makes me contemplate the possibility of holding a post-
Christmas sale of those beautiful Chistmas sale of those beautiful pink and green argyle socks, back-
scratcher, etc. A campus-wide sale Christmas would really be some
Chow, and mayber show, and maybe if the idea caught But seriously enough, I got a
kick out of the Indian Caravan ha! ha! something. "It" is fascin-
to buy ating, and it's fascinating because bought it and took it home. The
first night, I tried to cook soup in
$\qquad$
ing to recover from a headache, all had jumped in his face. So I guess it was not made to cook in. Next I tried to use it as a substitute plessis sent an inspector to make sure there really was butter in it and not margarine, and the butter melted away and grew rancid, and now I have to go without butter
until next payday., After that I put cigarettes in "it", and am presently using it as a humidor, though
I could not remember how to open I could not remember how to open
the thing, and so have quit smokthe thing, and so have quit smok-
ing for the time being. Visitors ing for the time being. Visitors the man-made freak. I have also changed residence from the Chil-
dren's Hospital to the Home for dren's Hospital to the Home for Mental Midgets.
Also of interest on the campus
is Roger Cyr's bloody drive
and is Roger Cyr's bloody drive ....
and what with Mock Parliament
coming up it was suggested that coming up it was suggested that Liberals should not be too liberal At the University of Western
Ontario next year they will have no salaried student positions, and the favourite student position be-
ing the horizontal one I do not see why they were salaried in the first
place.

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# BLOOD CLINIC COMES TO DAL 

Red Cross Appeal Arrives At Campus On Urgent Mission

It is probably true that we get a little tired of constant appeals to give for this cause or that, but the appeal now being made by the Red Cross is unique in two respects; first, because it is actually a matter of life or death-without adequate supplies of blood and plasma lives will inevitably be lost; there is no substitute for blood. Second, because this is one community service in which we are all equal, it is not
a question of wealth or education, anyone between the ages of 18 and 65 and in normal health may be a blood donor.

Furthermore, we have the satis
action of knowing that our gifts of blood will always reach the people who need it and frequently mean the gift of life itself to someone in need.
There are two classes of people who are particularly able to apance of the work being accomplished by the Red Cross Blood need for every eligible person to assist in maintaining an adequate supply of blood for the hispitals and the patients they service.
First, the patients who have re xperience how great a part these ifts of blood have played in their estoration to health. They and is their debt to the volunteer blood donors whose generous gifts make sible.
Second, members of the medical profession-physicians and sur-geons-they too know by experiService means to them in their efforts to restore the sick to health. Because of the amazing advances in medical knowledge, improvement in surgical techniques, dis drugs and, by no means the least important-the existence of the Red Cross Free Blood Transfusion
Service, many sick persons who

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 formerly must have died have been completely restored. One fact deserving of our attention is that more than 500 blood
donations are required every week donations are required every week
to meet the needs of our hospitals and the patients they serve. It is important to realize that blood has
only a limited "life" once it has only a limited "life" once it has
been drawn from the donor's vein. It can be used for transfusion as "whole blood" for a period of 18 to 21 days; if it is not used within that period it is processed into
plasma. It is because of this that the need for a continuous supply of blood is paramount.
from existence of a blood bank from which doctors can obtain adequate supplies of blood whenever
the need arises is one of the most powerful weapons in the fight against disease and suffering: it is unthinkable that we should fail to recognize our responsibility as
human beings to give that can be obtained in no other way, Remember, there is no substitute for blood, and when transfusions are needed it is almost always a matter of emergency when even
minutes are vitally important. Reminutes are vitally important. Re-
member too, that the life at stake may some day be your own or that of a relative or friend. Sickness and accidents play no favourites, would be tragic indeed if the life of a friend should be lost because we failed to play our part.

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Blood being donated by Canadian students in the current Red Cross campaign is saving lives of Cana plasma transfusion at the Advanced Dressing Station in the battle area. Major J. R. Feindel (left) o pridgewater, N. S., administers the transfusion, assisted by Ray Surrette, Halifax, and Private John stewart, Caledonia, P. E. I. (right)

## The Quizer

By GLEEFUL GUS
What would you like to come back as if
and why?
A speedster, because I'm not fast enough now; then I could get to Acadia in less time. Don Juan. Wouldn't you like to ing to do but chase girls?
A lap dog, so I could sit on Helen A lap dog, so I could sit on Helen's
knee. It's the only chance I'd knee. It's the only chance I'd
ever get. We are completely satisfied as we are; we manage to have a lot of
fun. All us ground floor fun. All us ground floor girls are happy now.
-Suzane Palmer. Jans Wilson. I'm not comin' back. A deaf mute, so I wouldn't be



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## SAINTS HAND TIGERS 9-2 SETBACK

## INTERFACULTY SPORTS CONTINUE TO MOVE AT FAST RATE; SPIRIT HIGH

 This marks the end of the firstweek of Interfaculty competition
at Dalhousie this year and from at Dalhousie this year and from
all indications thus far, it should turn out to be one of the most suc-
cessful witnessed here in many years. The competitive spirit and great willingness to win has shown vast improvement over that of
other years. Each faculty other years. Each faculty has
their own cheering section out at all contests and the over all attitude appears stronger than that of many
On the hockey front, the aggre-
gation representing the Med gation representing the Med
Society seems to be Dociety seems to be the team thus
beat. In their two contests thus far, they have knocked off Dents the Meds held a decisive edge in play. This year the Meds and arate squads, unlike other years when the Med-Dents were comMed Club displayed a most aggressive exhibition of hockey last Tuesday in the opening game of the schedule as they squeezed out in a teal thriller. In the only other contest of the week Engineers downed Pharmacy by a $5-0$ score.
The next regular scheduled game The next regular scheduled game
will be played next Tuesday at 12 noon between Pre-Med and Pharmacy.
Law basketball, Med school and teams for each faculty, Med A and Med B; and Law A and Law B. The Meds have divided as to third year students and Law B of first and second year students. have looked quite strong to date
with the A's sweeping $54-15$ and $51-32$ victories from Med B and B's overcame Med A by a $44-32$ margin for the big upset of the Commerce over Pre-Med 28-19; Pine Hill lost another, to Arts and Science 31-22, and the Engineers drubbed Pharmacy to the tune of 45-29.
chemorrow starting at 1 p.m. the A vs Law B; Dents ws Med B. vs Pharmacy. With former Varsity stadwarts MacKay, Medjuck, Henderson, and Robertson in their lineup, the Law A squad are being

## After Classes Meet the

 Gang at Joe's and Tom's DIANA SWEETS TEA ROOM$\qquad$

## CURLING

## Curling got underway on Thursday of last week when skips were

 lected and teams selected. Dave The Thursday teams are as ows in order of skip, mate, second Roscoe lead:Roscoe, Peel, Heath, Walker
MacKenzie, Bell, MacKenzie, Bell, Campbell, Mac Donald
Schwartz, Tory, Bryson, Eisner Crouse. Windsor, Farquhar upper, Donahoe, Launder, Phil
$\qquad$ Scratch games were played last matches of the round robin go underway this week. In the cratch games Dave Anderson's rink defeated Charlie MacKenzie' Larry Doane 7-5 and Dave Roscoe's team blanked Bill Schwartz Scratched games were played on
Tuesday. Tuesday's teams will e-in order of skip, mate, second one and lead:
McCurdy, Inglis, Jones, Swan Kimball
Weir, Tory, Donahoe, Ross Mooney, Judge, Levy, Henders Frouse, MacDonald, Waltsh, Eisner
Yesterday's Kaulbach, Madden. Anderson down Larry Doane in a close game 6-4. Jim Tupper defeated Bill Schwartz 8-6 and Dave zie by default.

DAL 81 - KING'S 7
In their first game of the season
or the Dalhousie Girls' Varsity Basketball team, trouced the King's Female Quintet to a score
of $81-7$, in the Dalhousie gymnasium, Thursday afternoon.
Ruth McLeese, a freshette, in the
first few seconds of the game sunk a basket for the opening marker. From there on the Dalhousie contingent went on to up
23-0. The second frame opened at a somewhat slower pace, but
King's, however were still unable to plunge through' Dalhousie's
Flashy player from G.E.H., Barb Clancy, and former playing coach

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Pud Reardon Leads Santamarians To Lop Sided Win; Morrison Outstanding For Dal


JOHN FITCH
one of the finest hockey players to enter Dalhousie in many
moons. The small but very effective defenceman came to Dal this year from Q.E.H.S. where he starred as a member of the played in all the contests this
season for the Varsity Tigers season for the Varsity Tigers
and, as usual, was a standout on the blueline last night as Dal
and Saint Mary's clashed for the and Saint Mary's clashn.
seond time this season.
f St. Bernard, Marilyn MacIntyre clicked during the game to pick up
20 and 19 points respectively. The 20 and 19 points respectively. The
Woodside twins, Pictou County's donation to basketball fame, to Mceese completed the score with 14 markers.

Mon., Tues., Wed.


After a nip and tuck opening period, and paced by a
four-goal effort by playing coach Pud Reardon, a shifty skating group from Saint Mary's University drubbed the Dal Tigers 9-2 last night at the local rink. It marked the fifth win in as many starts for the Santamarians who hold undisputed possession of first place in the Halifax Senior League. Dinny Morrison sank both tallies for Dal and was one of the outstanding performers on the ice all night.


Unlike the first twenty minutes,
eleven players were sent to the sin
eleven players weye sent to the sin
bin in this session, five Tigers and
$\qquad$
clubs were performing with four
a side.

The third period was much like the first, with the Tigers being

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