# TO REDUCE UNIVERSITY TRAINING HOURS 

Inaugurate Series of
Articles by Faculty
(See page 2)
Moot Court Opens With Usual First Year Fines
anpears the first in a series of articles entitled "What is a University Education?" In this and forthcom-
ing editions, members of the Daling editions, members of the Dal-
housie teaching staff will express housie teaching staff will express
their individual views on the subject of college education. The series should prove interesting, in-
formative and thought-provoking; and therefore each and every reader is urged to give it more than casual attention
student body will be welcomed the should be addressed to the Editor Dalhousie Gazette, Arts Building.

## Commission Urges

 Health Insurancespirit at Dal should have been at the Youth Commission meeting on
Wednesday night. There was a good them took an active part in the dis cussion on Health Insurance. Th ll-including systed a sweeping and ance for the whole of Canada whic would give all Canadians all th cradle to the grave. Twenty students who had been studying the topic during the previous week mad a series of recommendations which
covered the whole area of Health In surance, and these recommendation will be welded into a report which erence of the Youth Commission be ing held on
of this week.
All Dal students are invited to at the Lord Nelson Hotel at 1.30 P.M. on Saturday afternoon. Regis and two o'clock. See local news papers for the conference program. dance at the Dal gym for all people who attend the conference on Satur-
day afternoon.
The first meeting of the Dalhousie Round Table will be held on Thurs

Choose Delta
Gamma Executive
The first general meeting of Delta
Gamma was held Gamma was held at Shirreff Hall
Oct. 12, and was well attended Following the minutes, elections were held for class representatives, more-Kaye Whitehouse; Junior-
Marg MacP
Vaughan.
The meeting continued wth sev ral members of the executive out-
term. Elaine Hopewell spoke about plans for entering a Delta Gamm lay in competition for the Conbrief talk on debating followed y Janet Gillis, who outline the arious social functions for the

Bench Graced By Newfoundlanders

| last Friday with a fair sprinkling of visitors from stuadeaCampus siting in the awesome court of law. The first yea |
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students in that branch of Dalhousie cannot find time to play footbal thletics as they have in the past years. The only solution seems to lect upon the individual student and the question of whether he is ood as his predecessor, who was man enough to carry the course medicine and play football too." Dr. Grant finished by saying,
medical course is too hard to permit an active part in athletics, then
So how is too hard, but that he knows is incorrect."
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r teams. This year, years filled about $90 \%$ of the positions on the
that does not speak very well of your reputation.

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WILL THE BLEACHERS BE EMPTY?
Perhaps a few of us recall the debating match with Acadia held in Room 3 of the Arts Building on a wintry evening last year. "Sodales" president Scott Gordon was standing in the Suddenly, the doors flew open to admit the opposing debaters and an enthusiastic assemblage of some 35 Acadians-campus patriots, who had chartered a bus and sacrificed time and money to support their fellow collegians on the debating front

What a pitiful situation ! ! . . . Dalhousians outnumbered five to one in an "at home", Dal-sponsored debate. The dis-
couraged adherents of the Gold and Black (all three of them) made frantic sorties through the dimly-lit campus in hopes of collecting a reasonable assortment of supporters for the home team. The library looked like the best bet. But no, everyone

And so it was, that, surrounded by a vast sea of Acadia backers, our disillusioned duo mounted the platform to present their arguments.

These facts but constitute a "test case" of conditions generally prevalent in all non-academic undertakings at Dalhousie in past years. What was true of debating was true of footbanl, "didn't care". The ironic "Everybody Out, Come on Gang!!" posters had little or no effect on the lackadaisical reader.

WILL IT BE THE SAME STORY AGAIN THIS YEAR? Will the traditional "I don't care" attitude of Dalhousie students continue to undermine every effort in the "non-curricular
field? SATURDAY'S FOOTBALL GAME MAY HELP TO field?

## A NOTE OF EXONERATION

The fact that the long-awaited Dal Year Book has not yet made its annual appearance is in no way due to the delay or indecision of the Pharos editorial staff, according to President Art Titus of the Student Council. The problem can be traced to the publishing company where a wartime shortage of linotype operators has thrown a monkey-wrench into the machinery of publication.

Apparently the required copy, cuts, page layouts and advertising were dispatched to the printer over three months ago. It is now "just a matter of time" before Pharos goes to press and is delivered to its subscribers on the campus.

## "WHAT IS A <br> UNIVERSITY EDUCATION?"

(In reply to this question here is the 1ST in a series of
members of the Dalhousie teaching staff)
Referring to the Gazette editorial of October 13th w
the pertinent question: What is a University education
say at the outset by way of comment how greatly
the students' paper taking in hand a survey of the field to see
tion. Perhaps we may find some things here or there that may be made better. It was a very wise teacher who said long ago "An
unexamined life is not worth living." Beginning with the unexamined life is not worth living." Beginning with the schools I think a fault is that some of them have yielded to a demand for which help to fit a boy or pirl for any career they may chose in the which help to fit a boy or girl for any career they may choose in the ing a living (which of course we all have to do) but not for makphasis enough on the greater aim of making a worthy life as the President urged us to do in his opening address this year

This tendency is carried on into the college days and the result is a narrowness of outlook greatly to be deplored. It seems a pity that some one since my time invented the phrase 'extra-curricular activities' which implies a comparison or even a contrast of aims nd pursuits-a contrast which should not exist.
old and well-establishes I would urge the students to adhere to campus and on foreign fields from time have been played on the bringing in fantastic substitutes for these old and proven forms of strenuous exercise, and in general to spend less time in watching others play rather than to get out upon the field and play easy or strenuous games themselves. The weird customs of the modern bleachers never seemed to me to add much value to our recreaions, and this all comes under education-ask Plato if it doesn't.
Well, it is fifty years since I wrote about education in the Gazette. Since that time I have, fought the Philistines in Nova Scotia as well as in France, so you must bear with me if I add a word or two, a little impatiently, on the more obtrusive of our new manners. Meditating upen the changed aspects of college life I find myself sometimes forming a mental picture of a thoughtful and earnest student escaping from the noise of the radio and its distortions of the movie-shows and seeking a quiet place whence he may look out upon the world and, in Arnold's phrase, try to see life steadily and see it whole.


BOOK REVIEW

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The Mouthings of Paracelsus The Great Two weeks ago the Medical So-
ciety met for the first time this year
and surely set records and surely set records for attendover a hundred students were present, and after the new officers were elected, the meeting discussed such matters as CAMSI and the mimeoraphing of notes in first and second ear classes. To judge from the ficiency and ambition shown at the first meeting, the society faces right future. A plausible criticism is that the elections were scarcely of free nature, being largely a matter one fraternity voting against the the men elected would justify a much lower form of election, and the ne fficers, incidentally, are:
President-Ray Gibers
President-Ray Giberson
Vice-Pres.-Larry Sutherlan Secretary-Lorne Burdette Treasurer-Jim Wilson The first year class has by now
shaken down from an amorphou group of unacquainted students from various parts of the country into a working unit of the medical school Their officers are now elect
they are:
President-Gordon Sears
President-Gordon Sears
Vice-President-Cecil Day A. word about the mimeographing
of notes. The efforts of the student obtain mimeographed student lects a sincere desire to improv methods of medical education, an of the slighest disrespect for methods now existing, but the cooperation of
the teaching staff was sought for and in a large measure has been heartily forthcoming. But much part of students and professors In an address given before tho attending the Dalhousie Refresher Course, Dr. Mainland emphasized the methods, and both in that address Anatomy in Medical Education, out ined an approach to such a problem Certainly if no efforts are made to ress, and experiments can only lead to results.

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teaching flexible, experimentatio
here is a relatively simple matte
With its wide awake and more
ts very capable faculty there seems
School cannot lead all other medical
schools in the Dominion in the re-
of medical education.

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(Dalhousie Organ of Puerile Enigmas)

Question: WHEN DO THEY BEGIN THE BEGUINE? Gazette reporters hurried to consult with Win
on life below the border, to say nothing of
nately, we were unable to contact her, and
authorities where we might find them.
Perched on a stool in a secluded section
Rita Slipshod, Arts ' 46 . Rita, who kindly con
moment from her study on Neathandral
moment from fered, chewing ruminatively on her suit-button. At her sugges left and, entering the elevator, went to four fourteen. Brushing past so First Aid workers, who were inten
days, after having inadvertently wa
ticularly gruelling C.O.T.C. medical
The first person we encountered was Griff Halfcuff, grinning excitedly at a leather-bound octavo edition of "When I Hear the Beat of Those Marching Feet," by the early Canadian author, St. Croix Redundan Skipping under some four-foot cables barring our esty, for our oxygen helmets were working overtime, we posed the question. A his glasses back and rugged face. "The beguine?", he repeated, pushing his glasses back and running his fingers through his scalp, tugged at the roots of his imagina
tion. "What's that?" Frustrated, we grabbed our tomahawk, and pinned him to the Seven we Cross. We had not had our dinner yet, and, disilusioned and hungry, tried to find our way out of the maze. elevator girl, was taking re-takes however, since Victoria Splendolet, the ele When dawn came, we were found by two Boy Scouts, left over from Apple Day. The clever little fellows had heard the signals
never did find out.

UNDER NAME "FIFI" LEADS HOUND'S LIFE

jority in fact, said: "Yes, we un-
And one bold chappie said, "Of course I saw it; cleverest thing in years, but I spppose you coul



From the moment the newly
named P fif hit the street, he knew that a dog's life would be his. And
so sadly he went home to mull over
 canines. First and foremost was
the ruling that all good dogs should have tags. He went to the eity hall,
wondering if he shoudd carry along
the clerk in the cage, who looked
ike an verestuffed daschund
"The name is Fifi, and the adfinally the clerk was convineed that
the dog stood before him in person.(Meagbe Shirreff Hall can get that
pun). He nervously pawed througha sheaf of documents relating to ti
cases on dogs that had been difititcult to grant licenses to, but none
fited the present.
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you a license, the man said avt
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Whos playing? Dalhousie Tigers Whos playing? Dalhousie Tigers
against Fleet Air Arm. You have against Fleet Air Arm. You have
the facts so make sure that you'll be there. We can be wrong, but we are willing to wager that Dalhousi
will come up with another will come up with another victory
just as they did against St. Mary's College last week. It will be a hard
battle and a great tune-up for the
 boys for the
with Acadia.
And speaking about the Acadia
game-the date's been changed to
Oct. 28. That's only a week in the
offing, folks. If you haven't signed
for a ticket yet you had better dash
right to the Gym Store and mark
your " X ", so you'll be sure of a seat
on the well-loaded (we hope) train.
Jack Boudreau, our spirited cheer-
leader is looking after the ticket
buying; all you have to do is pay for
it. How about everybody coming out
to the game tomorrow so that your
vocal chords will be well exercised
by the time we all journey to Acadia.

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Students will be glad to learn that
Jim Bell, popular Dal man is still
active in sports. Recently Jim won
the highest aggregate prize at a
swimming meet at Camp Borden.
Jimmie is well-known around the
campus and was active in many stu-
dent affairs.

Doug Clark, D.A.A.C. prexie, has
writtea to "On The Sidelines" and has given us some constructive criti-
cism on our Sport Page. Doug hopes that this year the fourth page the Gazette will be a "Sports" sport
page: that we endeavour to give complete coverage on all games an sport activities pertaining to the University; that the students be advised on the proceedings at D.A.A.C.
and D.G.A.C. meetings, and lastly hat we give lots of publicity to the various teams and that the forth coming games be well advertised aper.

It was heartening to both the man braved the storm on that so and came out to cheer the boys to reignied royally, there were Pluviu on the stands and none of them re you others go out tomorrow, rest assured that you will be given a gay Tigers walk over their opponents. On talking to Major Logan about he game we learned that the Tiger and spunk than any Dalhousie fight has possessed in the past severa years. Just think, you bystanders, how much more that fighting spirit ould be furthered if only you would upport. Major Legan best voca Dal many, many years ago and he nows a good team when he sees it strong team it is something and yells. HOW ABOUT lynn, hard-tackling wing thet quarter, is on the sidelines with im inee injury. We hope to se him in action by the time the Tiger

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