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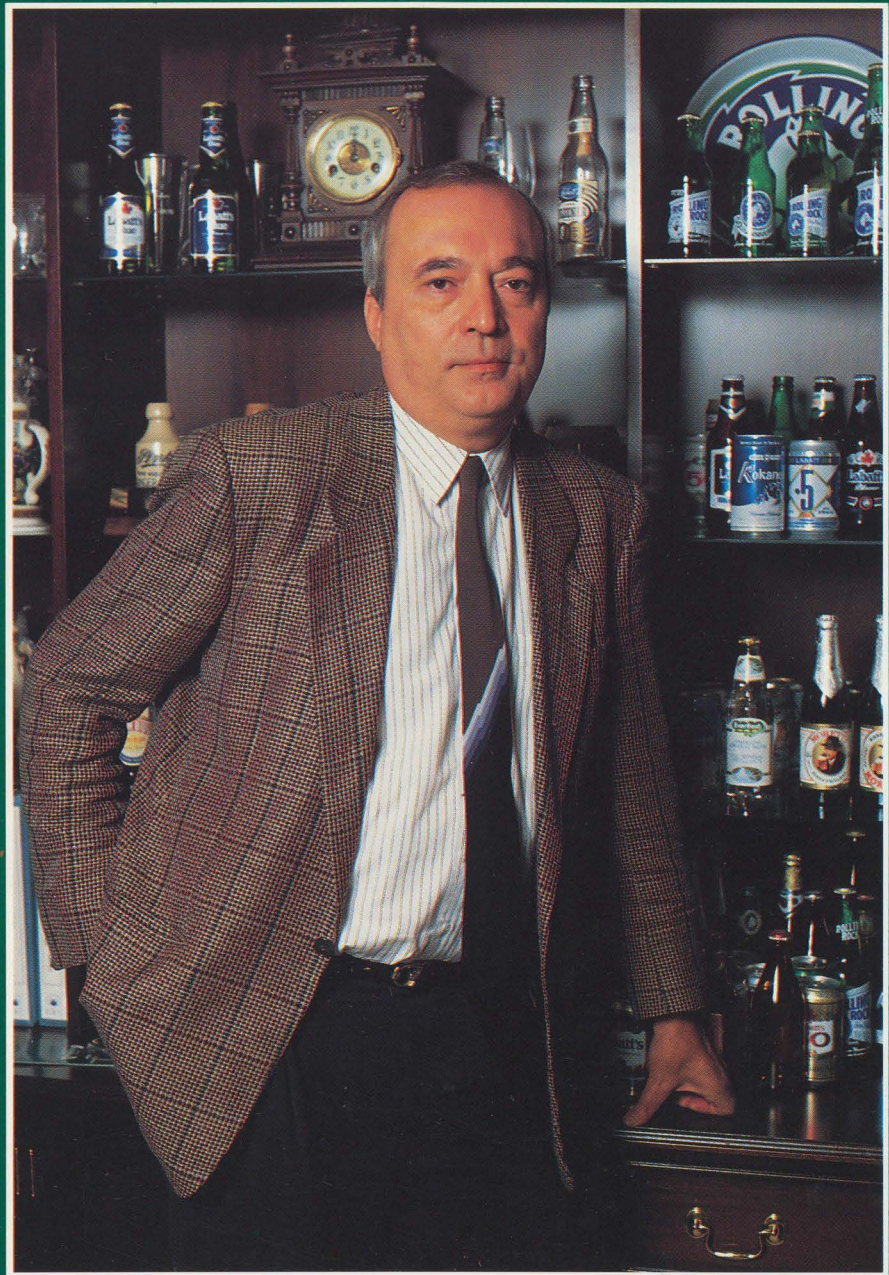
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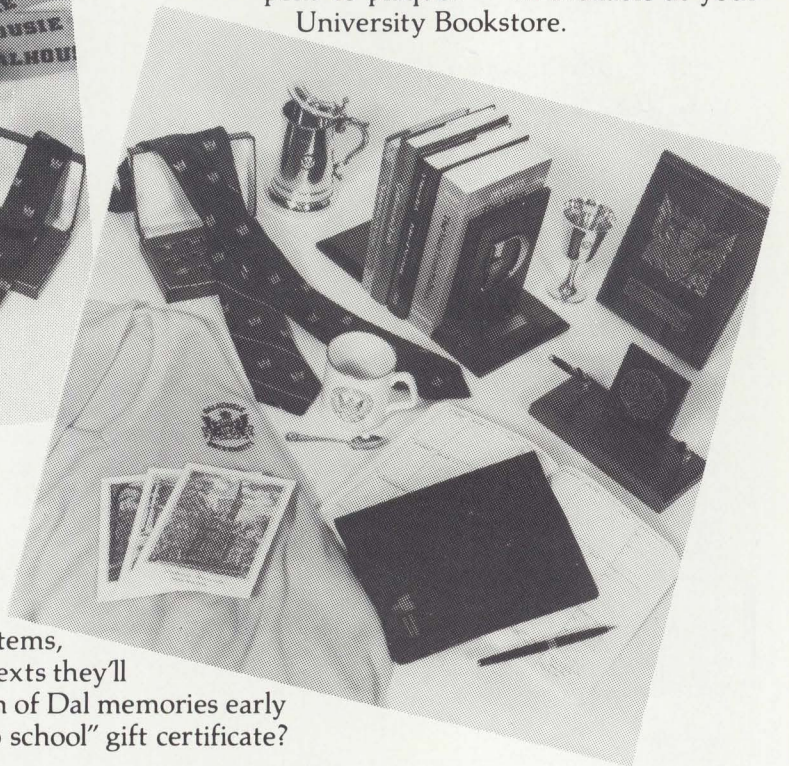


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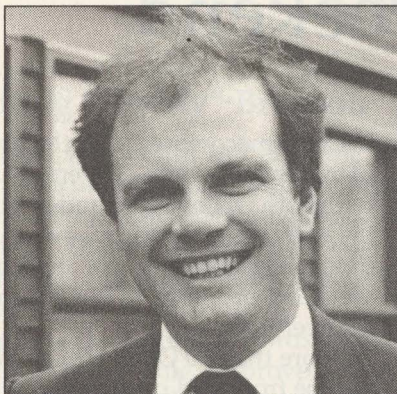
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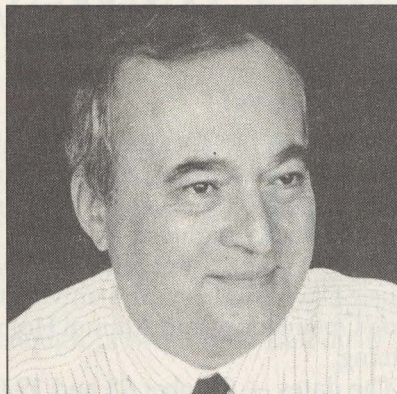
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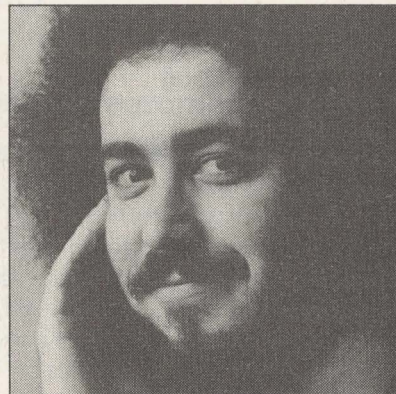
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Mid-October, with the campus, in its autumn colors, at its best and brightest. It would be hard to imagine a better setting for Dalhousie Days '91, this year's university-wide Open House and Alumni Homecoming.

The dates — October 18 and 19 for Open House, with Homecoming continuing through Sunday, October 20 — will see alumni, campus friends and neighbors, junior and senior high school students from across Nova Scotia and anyone with an interest in exploring Dalhousie invited to visit and take part in dozens of special events and displays.

Both Homecoming and Open House represent a return to community festivals which had once been hosted by Dalhousie but had not been held in recent years.

Dalhousie Days '88, the first campus-wide Open House to be held in more than a decade, drew more than 5,000 public school students and members of the general community to campus for a range of activities that included panning for gold in the geology department, watching chemistry magic shows, scanning the book sale at the Killam Library and touring displays at the university's professional schools.

In 1990, after an absence of several years, the Alumni Association brought

back Homecoming, with the objective of making it an annual event. This year, with both Open House and Homecoming enlivening the campus on the same dates, Dalhousie's fall convocation weekend promises to have something for everyone.

More than 50 Open House displays will be front and centre all day on Friday and Saturday. In addition, the Alumni Office has organized a number of events open to all alumni and, in some cases, to the general public as well. They include a coffee and tea party at the University Club, residence tours and residence life displays (you won't want to miss "Shirreff Hall Through the Decades"!), a Carnival of Fitness at the Dalplex, soccer and hockey games (University of Moncton, UPEI and Acadia will be visiting), Carnival Day at Eliza Ritchie Hall, a Pride Parade, and Black and Gold Barbecue.

Two alumni groups will be specially featured during Homecoming: On Friday evening, alumni from Dalhousie's Transition Year Program will gather at the University Club for a reception and dance. (For more details, call 494-3730). And throughout the weekend a series of special events will mark the 50th anniversary of the Maritime School of Social Work.

In the meantime, mark your schedules and plan not to miss what really promises to be "THE Weekend."

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# Search for an aneroid barometer; our greasy elbows

## Revisiting "Daddy" Bronson

I came from Dartmouth to Dal in the fall of 1942. Daddy Bronson gave me Physics 2. I clearly remember him standing in the front of the class and talking about atoms and neutrons and saying, "There is enough energy in my fist," (holding it high in the air)," to wipe Halifax and Dartmouth off the face of the earth."

I have never forgotten his words and, sure enough, in two and one-half years' time, he proved himself correct with the hydrogen bomb over Japan.

J. Don Wilson  
St. John's, Nfld.

## They shot the Shirreff

The photograph of Shirreff Hall residents (Summer and Fall 1990) must have been taken in 1941. In the front row, on the right, is Penny Patchell. In the same row are Chrissie Cameron and, I think, Kay Robinson. I arrived as a sophomore in 1942 in the same year that some evacuees from Roedean entered the university.

As the author of two books on written English I must agree with Mr. Forsey about horrid linguistic lapses in the Summer 1990 edition. You owe it to the memory of Professor Bennet to avoid such nasty inventions.

Having had my grouse, I must say that I enjoy the magazine.

Nancy (Barringer) Harrison  
Malmesbury  
Wiltshire, Great Britain

(Editor's note: We've solved the Shirreff Hall photo mystery. See page 40.)

## You're welcome

Last summer I wrote to you and sort of "complained" about no mention of the Theatre Department's twentieth anniversary. However, I see that you did it — and I enjoyed the story very much.

Liz Stevens  
Bedford, N.S.

## Desperately seeking barometer records

I read Dr. J.C. Arnell's letter in the Winter, 1991, issue with interest. His account of a Prof. H.L. "Beousae,"'s experience with the Halifax Explosion on Dec. 6, 1917, struck me as very similar and parallel to Prof. Howard Bronson's firsthand account in his 1918 Royal Society of Canada paper. And, indeed, I have discovered from retired Dalhousie physics Professor Ernest Heighton that the two men are one and the same person. Bronson's paper was the only scientific paper written on the explosion until recently.

Does anyone in our alumni know where one can still find a recording aneroid barometer record for anywhere in Nova Scotia or southern New Brunswick for Dec. 6, 1917? Prof. Bronson clearly had such records at one time. Did they survive? I have not ever found one.

Bronson's Royal Society paper pictures a Halifax barometer record which shows the Halifax Explosion as a sharp spike. Farther away, I expect the Explosion pressure wave will look broader with less amplitude. It should still show on a barometer record in Truro, New Glasgow, Windsor and perhaps even Moncton.

I would welcome input of alumni into my ongoing studies into the scientific aspects of the Halifax Explosion.

Alan Ruffman  
Halifax

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— J. Don Wilson

## Slippery elbows

I wish to congratulate you on your brilliant, educative and informative magazine, the *Dalhousie* magazine. It is a thing of joy for me, reading *Dalhousie* magazine. I have been getting every issue through my uncle who is an old student of Dalhousie University. I wish you more grease to your elbow.

Eziuzo Valentine Osy  
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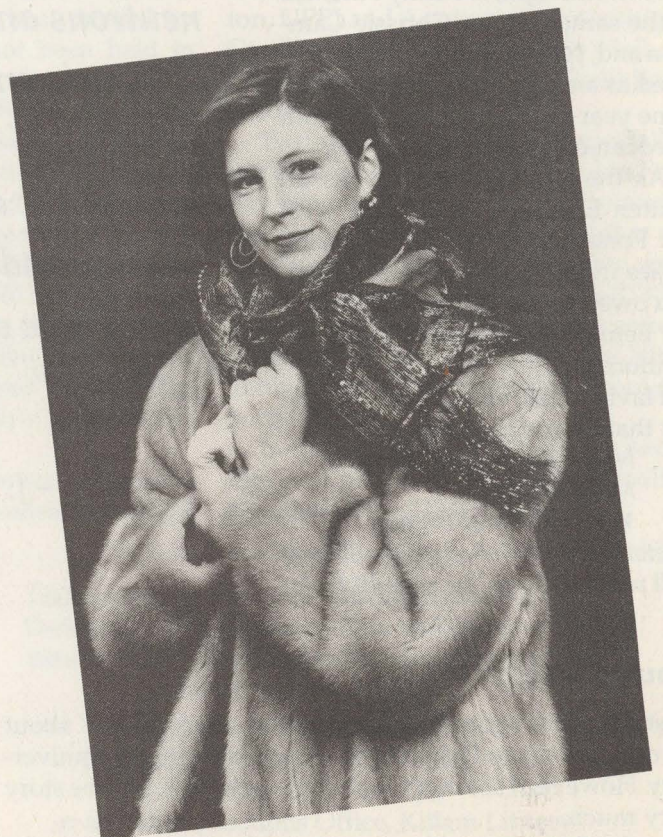
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## Anonymous donor gives \$1 million

A generous alumnus has given Dalhousie \$1 million — the second million-dollar donation the university has received in less than a year.

The anonymous donor asked that the money be used to fund bursaries for graduate students in biology. The number and size of the bursaries will depend on the earnings from the endowed funds. The first bursaries will be available this fall.

President Howard Clark said the donor was very impressed with Dalhousie's needs and with the gratitude expressed for previous gifts to the university.

"Thank-yous are very, very, very important," the

president told the university senate.

Another million-dollar donation, given less than a year ago, will fund renovations to the old Macdonald Science Library building. When the renovations are complete, the building will house the Alumni Affairs, Public Relations and Development departments. It will also provide additional meeting space for the university.

## Pension plan surplus to help reduce debt

Dalhousie's five employee groups and the board of governors have agreed to use part of a surplus in the staff pension fund to reduce the university's \$33-million debt.

After obtaining federal

and provincial approval, employees and the university will reduce contributions to the pension plan by two per cent of salary for at least one year. The employer's two per cent — equal to \$5 million over one year — will be applied to Dalhousie's debt; employees will take the reduction as salary (less taxes), as a voluntary contribution to the pension plan or a Registered Retirement Savings Plan, or to buy back service in the pension plan.

As well, a one-time transfer of \$1.5 million will be made to a retirees' trust fund to improve pensions for about 90 employees or their survivors who began collecting before 1982.

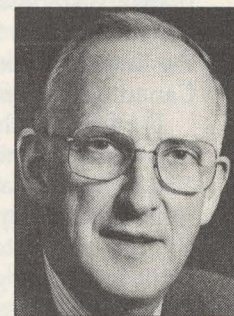
If approved, the plan will be in effect for at least one year. If there is at least a \$10-million surplus in the fund each year, it will continue for a three-year period. Over that time, the

university would save about \$500,000 in yearly interest payments.

## Clark stays on for second term

Dr. Howard C. Clark has agreed to continue as president of Dalhousie for a second term.

Clark was offered the three-year position following a review of his record since being appointed in 1986. The presidential review, the first of its kind at Dalhousie, was conducted by a committee representing the board of governors, senate and the student body.



## William Wrixon: a fine example

William Wrixon (MD '67) remembers well his first role model: the principal of a two-room schoolhouse in the tiny fishing village of Epworth on Newfoundland's rocky coast.

That man, Wrixon says, "encouraged us — we didn't need to be fishermen like our fathers, and he really pushed and bullied us into going to university."

Today there are professors across the country who started out in that tiny schoolhouse. Among them is Wrixon, a professor of obstetrics and



gynecology at Dalhousie's medical school and 1991 recipient of the Alumni Association's Award of Excellence for Teaching.

Wrixon has himself become a role model for students: he was named three times as Professor of the Year by medical students and won the Maritime Residents and Interns Association Teaching Award in 1989.

Wrixon joined Dalhousie in 1977 as director of the endocrine and infertility centre. His two loves are teaching and working with patients.

Teaching, says the 49-year-old professor, ensures the teacher never stops learning. It also carries with it a special obligation to students.

"There is an opportunity to impact on these kids — not just with actual book knowledge — but to instill principles, attitudes and ethics which are important for the rest of their lives.

"Hopefully one can be a good example to them, so that they'll be sensitive, conscientious self-learners."

He also teaches students that being a physician is "really an incredible privilege and responsibility, and that they should never forget that or take it for granted."

— by Helen MacDonnell

## Dal plans Chair in Black Canadian Studies

The federal government has awarded a \$400,000 endowment to Dalhousie to support the university's plans to establish a Chair in Black Canadian Studies — the first such position in a Canadian university.

For its part, the university is embarking on a \$2.1-million national fund-raising campaign, chaired by Carlton Masters, Ontario's agent general in the United States. Reuben Cohen, Dalhousie's chancellor, will serve as honorary chair. Funds raised will enable Dalhousie to appoint an

outstanding black scholar to a faculty position in one of the university's academic departments. That person will also teach, do research and be active in the community, while promoting black Canadian studies within the university.

The project may also provide financial support for black Canadian graduate students, a program of prominent visiting speakers, conferences, seminars, and library resources.

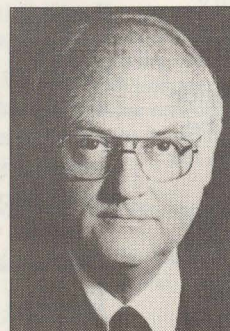
The decision to establish a chair in black studies results from the findings of a university committee.

The first appointment to the chair is expected to be made by 1992.

## Elgie leads Health Law Institute

Robert Elgie, a former Ontario cabinet minister and chair of that province's Workers' Compensation Board, is the first director of Dalhousie's Health Law Institute.

Elgie, a lawyer and neurosurgeon, will serve a three-year term with the institute, which is an interdisciplinary research academy for the faculties of medicine, law, dentistry and health professions.



A graduate of the University of Western Ontario, Osgoode Law School and University of Ottawa Medical School, Elgie was minister in several departments of the government of Ontario. He served on the medical faculties of Queen's University and the University of Toronto. He held several positions with Scarborough General Hospital, including chief of medical staff.

Dalhousie's Health Law Institute is funded by a \$400,000 grant from the Donner Canadian Foundation.

## Rationalization: N.S. universities consider change

President Howard Clark has pledged Dalhousie's support to the ongoing review of programs at Nova Scotia's universities. Clark has made it clear, however, that such a commitment does not mean Dalhousie will endorse the relocation of its business school to Saint Mary's University.

The process of program review and rationalization at Nova Scotia universities was initiated in 1990 when the provincial government, through the Nova Scotia Council on Higher Education, called for universities to consider eliminating some programs and work toward greater co-operation.

In May, the Council of Nova Scotia University Presidents issued a response. The presidents supported several of the council's ideas, including the call for one major business school in Halifax. President Clark has stressed, however, that no decisions have yet been made regarding relocation of any programs.

The presidents also endorsed the idea

of reducing the number of teacher-training programs in Nova Scotia; having only one institution offer a full geology program and one offer a computer science degree program, and cutting the number of institutions offering engineering.

The presidents warned Education Minister Ron Giffin and the council on higher education that implementing the proposed rationalization program will be costly. They urged the government to provide financial support for the process. The presidents also called for the appointment of consultants to oversee the implementation of changes and address the universities' future needs.

President Clark says any changes must be aimed at improving educational quality and enhancing Nova Scotia's position as a viable competitor in the global economy. He acknowledges that all universities must co-operate and accept change to ensure an improved system of higher education in the province.

## Students defend Iraq at UN

At the height of last spring's Persian Gulf war, when most people were condemning Iraq's military invasion of Kuwait, some Dalhousie students were vehemently defending Saddam Hussein's actions. Whether or not they believed what they were saying, they studied long and hard to sound convincing.

The challenging task was thrust upon the 22 students from Dalhousie and the University of King's College who were selected to act as the Iraqi delegation at the annual National Model United Nations held in New York in March.

The Dal team has taken part in the model UN since 1980 but this was the first year they were assigned such a high profile country.



## Annual Fund flourishes

The 1990 Annual Fund was an unprecedented success.

More than 7,000 donors — the largest number since the fund began — gave over \$1 million. That's also the most money donated to Dalhousie since the start of the fund.

"It's significant that in its eighth year the Annual Fund continues to grow in terms of dollars and participation, particularly in a recession, while annual giving at many institutions in Canada and the U.S. is either down a bit from past years or level," says Henry Eberhardt, vice-president (external). Dalhousie's fund had a 23 per cent increase in donations and a 20 per cent increase in numbers of donors.

Eberhardt praised all donors and thanked alumni and student volunteers for their support. He credited Larry Doane, who finished his second year as annual fund chairman, and university chancellor Reuben

Cohen, who encouraged support from alumni in North America and England.

Particularly generous support came from the 240 members of the 1818 Society: \$400,000, more than one third of the campaign total.

Some of Dalhousie's recent graduates were distinguished givers, as well. Members of the class of 1990 gave \$20,000.

The calculator keys had scarcely cooled before Annual Fund organizers began to accept donations for the '91 campaign, including \$25,000 from Cecil Hawkins (LLB '80). "The Annual Fund is such a marvellous opportunity to give something back. I found my legal education a very useful thing for business. It has certainly been worth \$25,000," Hawkins says.

The 1991 fund goal is tentatively set at \$1.5 million. Organizers expect to contact up to 40,000 alumni between October 1991 and March 1992 trying to reach that target. The

campaign is being led by former board of governors' chairman Struan Robertson.

— Condensed from an article by Stuart Watson, Dalhousie News

## C.D. Howe Foundation funds scholarship

Renu Shah, of Enfield, N.S., has accepted the first C.D. Howe Memorial Foundation Scholarship for full-time engineering studies at Dalhousie.

The \$5,000 scholarship is renewable providing the

holder maintains a high academic standing.

The scholarship was established with a \$200,000 gift from the C.D. Howe Memorial Foundation. Recipients must be from Nova Scotia and preference will be given to women.

C.D. Howe began a long and respected association with Dalhousie in 1908 as a professor of civil engineering. He taught at the university until 1913. In 1935, he was elected to Parliament and embarked on a distinguished political career.

In 1958, Howe became Dalhousie's first chancellor. He died in 1960.

## Uruguay meets Dalhousie

Dalhousie and Uruguay have signed a memorandum of understanding on long-term educational linkages in ocean studies. The agreement was signed during a visit to Dalhousie in May by Uruguayan President Luis Alberto Lacalle.

Lacalle's visit to Nova Scotia, part of a state visit to Canada, reflected his interest in educational and cultural relations and, in particular, his desire to establish a Universidad del Mar (University of the Sea).

Such a university would concentrate on education, research and training in ocean studies, in an effort to develop Uruguay's extensive marine coast and fishing areas.

Lacalle was briefed on Dalhousie's strengths in oceans education and research. He also toured parts of the Life Sciences Centre where research projects are under way. Lacalle's visit to Dalhousie was the only major event during his stop in Halifax.

## Dunham honored for teaching

A psychology professor who combines respect for research with a passion for teaching has been awarded the Faculty of Science Award for Excellence in Teaching.

Phil Dunham is described as a dynamic lecturer, superb scientist, and an educator who displays genuine concern for students. He joined Dalhousie in 1966.

A soft-spoken, unassuming man, Dunham says teachers must truly care about classroom work and believe in its value to students. "You can have all the technology, all the money, all the planning and work in the world, but if you don't fundamentally enjoy teaching, and you don't believe that what you're teaching is really important for people to know, it's just not going to get very far. I honestly believe that."

Dunham is also an active researcher. He challenges critics who claim teaching and research don't mix. "I think it is true that those things compete for time but I think, in fact, that they enhance each other in terms of producing a more effective and better quality teacher."

His research focuses on social and intellectual development in young children. With help from a robot named Robie, Dunham works with kids aged from three months to two years.



## Co-op programs expand

Business students at Dalhousie are now able to combine academic learning with practical work experience.

When fully implemented, a new co-operative education program which goes into effect in September, will be available to 800 students. The program will require no additional university resources — students will pay a program fee which will cover administrative costs, and participants will be paid by their employers during workterms.

Students in the bachelor of commerce program will also be eligible for

co-op studies.

Meanwhile, Dalhousie's co-operative science program is expanding to include those studying geology and marine biology.

About 60 students are now involved in the program which began in 1980. Many are from the departments of computing science, mathematics, physics and statistics. Four years of work terms and classroom study are involved. Students are placed with national, regional and local public and private sector employers.

The co-op science program, which began in 1980, is the oldest such program in Nova Scotia. Its first students graduated in 1983.

## Women engineers take the high ground

Their numbers are low — 15 per cent of the class — but women engineers at Dalhousie say they fit right in with their male colleagues.

"We're not just the 'girls in engineering,'" says Terry Nicolle, a former nurse and last year's president of the Engineering Students' Society.

Though few women are among the 300 students in Dalhousie's two-year engineering diploma program, they are often the most active students. When Samantha Phillips takes over as president of the engineering society for 1991-92, her four-member executive will include two other women. Women are also the ones who turn out for most engineering activities.

Nicolle and Phillips would like to see female faculty members in their department. They also say the negative image of engineers is improving and they credit male students and professionals with the cleanup.

"The push is already there to clean up engineering. I don't like to take that away from the male majority. They are the ones doing the clean-up," Nicolle says.

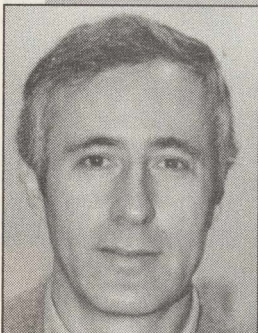
James MacKinnon, chair of the engineering department, agrees. Women make a difference but the men are also responsible. Students generally exhibit greater openness and tolerance for others, he says, adding that

Dalhousie engineers never did live up to the lewd, crude, beer-swilling image applied to many of their colleagues at other universities.

MacKinnon acknowledges that much remains to be done to attract more women to engineering. As part of that effort, he has proposed the appointment of full-time female engineering faculty members to associated universities in Halifax.

As well, both male and female students must be better prepared for the realities of the work world, MacKinnon says. Both the school and the profession must do a better job of communicating just what it is that engineers do.

## Battling racism: Wien lauded for efforts



A professor with the Maritime School of Social Work has been honored by the federal government for his contribution toward racial equality in Canada.

Fred Wien was among only eight Canadians to receive an excellence in race relations award from Multiculturalism Minister Gerry Weiner during ceremonies in Ottawa last spring. Wien was cited

for "demonstrating very strong leadership in the field of racial harmony and access to higher education for Canadians of all races."

A former director of the school of social work, Wien was instrumental in developing programs for racial minorities at Dalhousie — including the bachelor of social work degree program for Micmacs, the Micmac Professional Careers Project and the community health certificate program for aboriginal community health workers. Wien is also involved in the establishment of an endowed Chair in Black Canadian Studies at Dalhousie.

## Girard named acting law dean

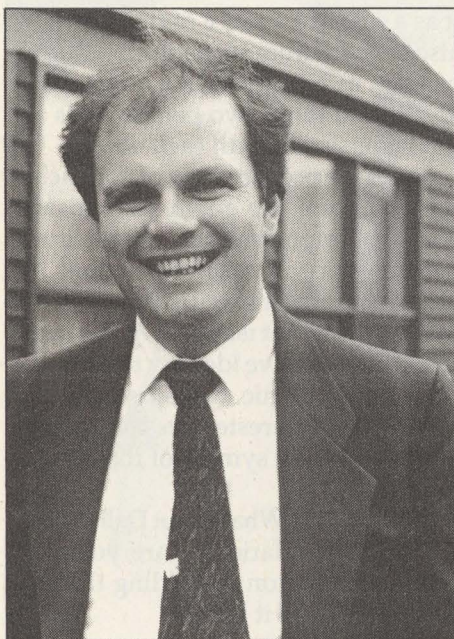
An Ontario native associated with Dalhousie since 1984 has been named acting dean of the Dalhousie Law School.

Philip Girard assumed the one-year position July 1. Girard is a well-respected bilingual scholar who holds a master of law degree from the University of California (Berkeley) and a bachelor of law degree from McGill University. He is working on a PhD in history at Dalhousie.

Before joining Dalhousie, Girard taught at the University of Western Ontario where he created a diploma program for bilingual law students.

Girard temporarily replaces former law dean Innis Christie.

# Dalhousie and its neighbors join in planning campus of the future



Brian MacKay-Lyons (Watson photo)

leading proponents of the participatory design process; William Mitchell, an American considered the world expert on computers and architecture; urban design professor Atilio Gobbi; and William Mitchell, Harvard University. We spoke with MacKay-Lyons, also an internationally recognized and award-winning architect, in May.

**DALHOUSIE:** Could you describe the "participatory design" philosophy that your team applied in developing your report?

**MACKAY-LYONS:** The basic philosophy is that architecture or urban design has to be rooted in the place. That means we look to the place that we're working for as inspiration rather than just importing ideas from elsewhere.

Architecture must be rooted in the place in three ways, really. It must be physically rooted. It should take account of the physical patterns of the place. It also has to be connected to the people and the social will of the place. And thirdly, we think that a campus plan has to be rooted in an economic sense in terms of proposed growth; what we propose has to be in sync with the marginal economy of the place so that it can actually be realized.

*AN international team of architects, led by Brian MacKay-Lyons (Science '72) of Halifax, has led a consultation process aimed at producing a plan for future development of the Dal campus. Their report reflects the ideas and opinions of both the university community and its neighbors. The architectural team included Charles Moore, Texas, and Giancarlo DeCarlo, Italy, the world's*

**DALHOUSIE:** You mention the importance of people — the social will — as part of your philosophy. How significant was that and how was it incorporated?

**MACKAY-LYONS:** We think that it's the only tenable way to do urban design work, where you're talking about a plan that must structure growth over decades. For a plan to survive, it has to be appropriated by the people. It will only be effectual as long as it's in people's minds and they can feel that they have a stake in it. That's something we believe is very important and has been important in this project.

The project consisted of two major public workshops. In the first one we asked people to tell us what they thought was important. In the second workshop we asked them actually to make schemes, to make drawings and show us what they thought should be done. Those drawings and ideas form the basis of what we've done.

**DALHOUSIE:** So what have you done? What image do we see?

**MACKAY-LYONS:** Well, the basic thrust has come out of a general consensus that the identity of Dalhousie, the image of Dalhousie, needs to be consolidated and made more whole. Because of that we've developed the idea that University Avenue become a "spine," where development over the next years should be focused. University Avenue would become a kind of connector of Dalhousie, would allow people to get a whole image of the university. There are three main elements to the imagery of the plan. The first one is this idea of the spine, of University Avenue being developed as a garden. A garden seemed to be an image that people thought was meaningful for Halifax and was a kind of unifier. The other two elements are "house" and "quadrangle."

The house image comes from the architecture of the neighborhood around. People felt that the domestic scale of the neighborhood Dalhousie finds itself in was a very positive image. Dalhousie blends into the fabric of the town and this gives it a very special character. So we've used the image of the house as a sort of element to domesticate Dalhousie, to give the university a kind of human scale.

The other idea is the quadrangle. Probably the most significant image that people take away from Dalhousie is that of the stone buildings that Andrew Cobb designed around the quadrangle at the top of the hill. So what we've done is pulled traces of that through the other areas of the

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campus. We've tried to develop a quadrangle, or a college building, scheme. We've shown how more quadrangles could be built that have the scale or character of Andrew Cobb's quadrangle.

**DALHOUSIE:** This is much more than a plan for future construction, isn't it?

**MACKAY-LYONS:** Yes. It's really a strategy for incremental growth over time. The kind of growth that we suggest should happen over 30 years should be natural to the place, in sync with the kind of marginal economy of the place. In order to do that we had to come up with a scheme that could be put in motion incrementally and in small pieces. It doesn't require giant capital infusions to make a difference in the physical environment of Dalhousie. We're talking about an attitude that has more to do with sustainable development rather than the sporadic develop-

ment of the '60s and '70s.

**DALHOUSIE:** We're not then talking about massive capital output to implement your ideas?

**MACKAY-LYONS:** No. Basically we're showing how all different scales of the project could fit into the campus over a long period of time, depending on funding and need.

**DALHOUSIE:** Based on your recommendation, will the Dalhousie of the 21st century be radically different from the Dalhousie we know today?

**MACKAY-LYONS:** No, I don't think so. I think it would be taking the positive characteristics of the Dalhousie we now know and enhancing those.

**DALHOUSIE:** You seem to have put considerable emphasis on Dalhousie's place in the community.

**MACKAY-LYONS:** We look at the perspective from inside the university and from the perspective of the town outside. Obviously, the immediate community around are very concerned about what Dalhousie does, but Dalhousie is also woven into the fabric of the whole town. It's an important part of the history of the town. So we look at it as a plan for a piece of the town. We also look at it from an institutional point of view, as a place for the exchange of ideas. And those two perspectives are not inconsistent with each other.

From the point of view of enhancing the town and the gown relationship, it's very important the university is perceived as an open place, that it's permeable, that it's well integrated with the town and not isolated. At the same time, it has to have identity to sustain a kind of academic discourse. People seem very interested in the college quadrangle as a symbol of that.

**DALHOUSIE:** What about Dalhousie's physical boundaries — are you suggesting expansion or holding the university's size as it is now?

**MACKAY-LYONS:** When we started the project, we thought that the idea of a hard boundary was an important issue. But it's become less an important issue. The concept of a boundary is a kind of negative way of looking at things. We've focused instead on the idea of intensifying the heart of the university, rather than staking out its edges.

**DALHOUSIE:** What will it take to make these ideas a reality?

**MACKAY-LYONS:** Well, the most important thing is the collective will because nothing's going to happen without that. To the extent that the participatory design process worked, it will happen.

*An exhibition depicting the development of the campus plan is on display in the Arts Centre at Dalhousie until September. ♦*

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*With brewing and business  
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stands at the helm of one  
of Canada's most  
successful companies*

# BREW MASTER

**I**t's not always easy going through university with a name that's on many students' lips.

But for Sid Oland, scion of the family whose name has meant beer in Nova Scotia for more than a century, that's exactly what his days at Dalhousie meant. His name was synonymous with beer back then, and it is even more so today.

At 51, Sidney M. Oland (BAHon '60, MA '66) oversees one of the nation's most successful companies. As president and chief executive officer of John Labatt Limited, he reigns over Canada's 18th largest business — an organization that in 1990 had gross sales of \$5.27 billion and employed 16,500 people.

Oland was born in Halifax in 1940 to a family that had built a successful brewing empire in Nova Scotia, an empire that began in the 1800s when John and Susannah

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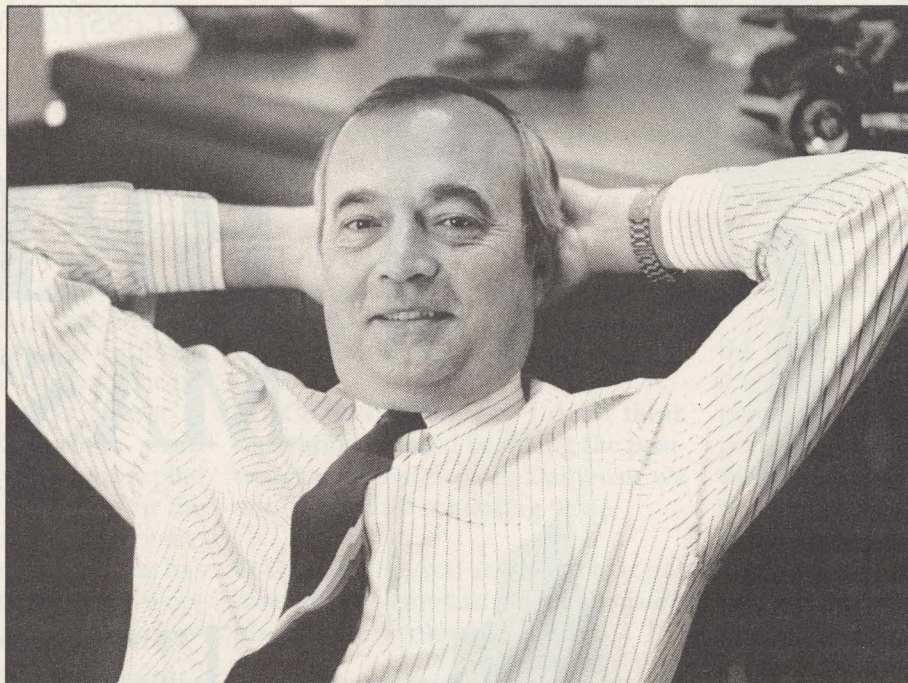
*"Sid retains a very genuine enthusiasm for everything the company is involved with... He does enjoy running around with the Rolling Stones and Clint Eastwood."*

Oland arrived in Canada from Britain with a recipe for brown ale. Young Sidney attended high school in Lennoxville, Quebec, and as a student at Dalhousie "never really had any thought of a career outside the family business." But his career path turned unexpectedly when Labatt bought the Oland brewery in 1970.

Oland rose rapidly through Labatt ranks to become president of the brewing subsidiary in 1980. By 1989, he was president and CEO of the parent company. In his first year as president, Labatt's net earnings rose by 25 per cent. Those who knew Oland at Dalhousie are not surprised at his business success. They remember him as extremely intelligent, independent and driven.

Even on the football field, Oland displayed the determination that would later help send him up the corporate ladder. He played left tackle with the Tigers, alongside Peter Corkum (DipEng '62), now president of H.W. Corkum Construction Co. Ltd. in Halifax. "Sidney was a very diligent, hard-working football player who always wanted to do everything on his own. He never wanted help," Corkum says.

As a frat brother — one of about 50 Sigma Chi members — Oland was known to down a few brew himself. "He showed us how to drink beer," recalls Stewart McInnes (BA '58, LLB '61). "I guess you could say he was promoting the family business," says the former federal minister of public works, now a lawyer in Halifax.



*Labatt's net earnings rose 25 per cent in Oland's first year as president. (Previous page: Sampling small quantities of product is part of Oland's job.) Julian LeBourdais photo*

Oland never made a lot of intimate friends. He preferred a smaller circle of close acquaintances. "That might be partly because of the prominence of the Oland family in Halifax," Corkum says. "I think people here were a bit intimidated by the name, and that's why he had trouble making (many) friends here. The family had tended to be very domineering, and Sidney was not like that." Social rank, in fact, meant little to Oland. He was "one of the boys all along," Corkum recalls. "In Toronto, London and Saskatoon, where the Oland name didn't mean that much, he actually got along better than around here. I think that's the reason he ended up leaving the Halifax area. The Oland name made his realm too small."

Today, from his luxurious offices overlooking Toronto's Skydome, Oland is concentrating on "undiversifying" John Labatt by focusing on beer and entertainment, pulling out of the com-

pany's food interests. His plan is to take the brewing operations to the international market and boost profitability in an essentially mature industry.

From the windows of his well-appointed suite, Oland, a large, rather portly man, keeps an eye on the company's 45 per cent-owned Blue Jays and 100 per cent-owned Dome Productions. The office is decorated with model racing cars. The walls display

investment-grade photographs — portraits of Carl Sandberg, George Bernard Shaw, the famous Steichen of Garbo. They're presents from his wife Ingrid and reflect Oland's interest in the arts.

It's an interest that goes back to his days at Dalhousie. In 1959, he was vice-president of the Dal Glee and Dramatic Society and president of the Arts and Science Society. After earning an economics degree at Dal and an MBA from Harvard, he returned to Halifax to complete, "just for fun," a master's degree. "I'm a fanatic believer that anybody who expects to get a graduate business degree and go into business should not take an undergraduate business degree. They should learn something about virtually anything else, have some other intellectual background."

English professor S.E. Sprott, now retired, remembers Oland as "a capable kind of person, accustomed to getting the job done." His thesis topic, "Materials for a History of the Theatre in Halifax," was unusual in 1966, Sprott says, but theatre history has since be-

*"Sidney was a very diligent, hard-working football player who always wanted to do everything on his own."*

come a subject of great interest in Canada and Oland's work continues to be cited as a reference by researchers.

In Ontario, Oland spent several years on the board of the Shaw Festival and still sits on its governor's council. "He had that ability to look at an issue broadly. He was a participative member in a laid-back way," says John Clappison, former chair of the festival. "He would sit and listen, then suddenly expound some thought or view that was able to get the group on side. He certainly had the ability to influence people."

Oland joined the Toronto Festival of Festivals' board in its second year and is still a member. Executive director Helga Stephenson says Oland became a sponsor when the festival was still in its infancy, a "rag-tag" operation that was not particularly successful and did not necessarily offer great long-term promise. But Oland could see its potential, Stephenson says. "That sense of vision is very typical of Sid and separates him from the rest. It was not a move that was highly celebrated within the company; in fact, he was ridiculed. The beer marketers couldn't understand what they were doing at a film festival, where people supposedly drank spritzers. Labatt was the first beer company to go into the entertainment business in a big way, and the others followed. I think he was very daring with some of the ventures he took Labatt into, but they turned out to be extremely profitable for the company."

Stephenson says Oland offers the festival board a "very steady, responsible, conservative voice at the table, very sensible in terms of management. He advocates fixing problems early rather than late, and is not afraid of confrontation or problem-solving that



*Those who knew Oland at Dalhousie remember him as intelligent, independent and driven*

sometimes necessitates tough decisions."

At the same time, Oland enjoys being a sponsor. "There is nothing like crossing Sid at an artistic event where he is a sponsor and the wrong brand of beer is being served. He is very passionate about his beer and his company, and very adamant about the company's visibility."

Oland, though extremely polite and affable, is notoriously private and reticent about his personal life. He prefers not to discuss his children: three grown offspring from a first marriage, and a young child from his second. Daughter Heather is now studying at the University of King's College. "I consider that being at Dalhousie, although the King's people wouldn't like it," Oland chuckles.

Some mistake Oland's shyness and desire for privacy as arrogance. Others, Stephenson says, assume the business mogul is more gregarious than he really is "because he leads a hugely glamorous life and has taken the company into rather wild sections of show business," including the Rolling Stones' Steel Wheels Tour. But with those who know him, "he has a wicked sense of humor," she says. "He's lots of fun to go and have drinks with. Sid retains a very genuine enthusiasm for everything the company is involved with, and despite his position is not cynical or blasé. He does enjoy running around with the Rolling Stones and hanging out with Clint Eastwood!"

Oland's recreational activities are much tamer. While in Halifax, he enjoyed sailing the family schooner and Corkum remembers Sid as a superb sailor.

These days, his activities are more limited. A recent back injury forced him to give up squash and tennis. But he still enjoys scuba diving and his eyes light up as he recalls diving with stingrays in the Cayman Islands. "It's a little eerie. They skim by your head like bats."

Despite years in Toronto's gruelling, if sometimes glamorous, corporate hierarchy, Oland maintains his ties with Halifax. He served on Dalhousie's Board of Governors and remains on the Bluenose Heritage Board. He visits family in Halifax several times each year.

Those who know him well say the glitz and business prestige have not changed Oland much since his days as a frat-brother passing around a few of the family brew. "He is just about the same today as he has always been," says Stewart McInnes. "A little more international, perhaps." ♦

If Tony Richards — Dalhousie's coach of the year — had been counting on good luck, his soccer team's unfortunate start in 1990/91 might well have led him to pack up his game plans, stat sheets and team roster and spend last season hiding in the locker room.

It began just two days after training camp. Richards' then-confident Tigers squad fully expected a win in their first match. Much to their chagrin, they lost. Then came their first road trip, an experience that could have shaken even a coach with Olympic-calibre fortitude.

"Plagued with problems" was how Richards remembers the trip: the Tigers' star striker missed the bus; their strongest mid-fielder was injured and unable to play; another injury forced the team to settle for a tie in a game it should have won; and the same game sent yet another player hobbling to the sidelines with ligament damage.

They may have been down but the Tigers were far from out. The injury ice-packs never numbed their enthusiasm or determination. The lacklustre road trip faded in the background and the soccer Tigers went on to record a shining season, losing only a tough final in the AUAA championship.

For coach Richards, luck just wasn't part of his game; leadership was. He led the soccer team to its first league title in a decade. In one season, he rebuilt the squad to a level that placed it among the best in Canada and, in the process, earned himself honors as Dalhousie's top coach. Richards was also named an AUAA coach of the year, one of five Dalhousie coaches to achieve that distinction.

The soccer Tigers' success was typical of Dal's athletic prowess last year. Twelve of 13 varsity teams advanced to regional championships. Seven brought home AUAA banners. An equal number had solid showings at national finals.

"We had one of the most successful seasons ever," says Tony Martin, director of athletics and recreational services. "Every program performed very well by AUAA standards and others by CIAU standards."

In past years, Dalhousie coaches had few lures to entice the very best athletes. Recently, however, an enhanced alumni-sponsored scholarship program for students with high academic and leadership potential has attracted some outstanding athletes. Tara MacIntyre is a case in point.

When she arrived for volleyball training camp, 18-year-old MacIntyre was nervous and uncertain. "The first day I went in there, I didn't even think I'd make the team," she laughs. "I was thinking they'd take my scholarship away from me. I was really scared."

She made the team all right. With a vengeance. Co-

# TIGERS

## *Triumphant*

*Led by spectacular rookies, outstanding veterans and great coaches, varsity athletes roared with success through the '90-'91 season*

*by June Davidson*

recipient of Dal's female rookie of the year award, and the AUAA all-star and rookie of the year for her sport — the 6'1" MacIntyre was a power-charged middle-blocker who helped pace her team to a regional championship and seventh place finish at the CIAU finals. She was one of only 12 Canadians recently named to the Canadian Universiade Team.

Outstanding rookies were flanked by some stellar veterans. Basking in the volleyball limelight with MacIntyre was Deanne Delvallet. A third-year player, she boasted the team's highest service aces, receptions and digs, and won the Class of '55 Trophy for female athlete of the year.

The men's volleyball team took a 'back seat to none, recording one of its best seasons ever. Ranked number three in Canada for seven consecutive weeks, the team closed the season with an AUAA win and a quarter-final loss at the CIAUs. For the first time, three players were named CIAU all-Canadians.

Swimmer Jason Shannon was also attracted to Dal, in part, by an alumni scholarship. The 19-year-old helped lead his team to its fourth regional championship in five years and was the only male swimmer in the region to advance to the CIAUs. Shannon was Dal's male rookie of the year and AUAA male swimmer of the year. "I couldn't have expected better," says the first-year commerce student. "It was a great year."

A powerful performance by the women's swim team saw them recapture the AUAA title, becoming regional champions for the eighth time in 11 years. Dalplex hosted the CIAU





Smile of success: Tony Martin, director of athletic and recreational services, says '90-'91 was one of the best seasons on record. (Doubleday photo)

championships where both men's and women's teams finished 17th.

Another alumni scholarship winner, Anne Marie Farnell, dominated track and field, and cross-country, circuits. After a spectacular debut as a university athlete, she was named co-recipient of Dal's rookie-of-the-year award, an AUAA all-star and a CIAU all-Canadian with the cross-country team. The team won the region and placed fifth nationally. "I surprised myself," says the 19-year-old from Belleville, Ont. "I didn't expect to do so well." The track team also won the AUAA and Farnell was among its seven CIAU qualifiers.

The men's track team was equally impressive, winning the regional title and sending 10 runners to CIAU finals. The men's cross-country Tigers placed second in the region.

Dal's hockey Tigers kept fans on the edge of their seats all year. The team ended season play primed for a championship. They were number three in the country and led both the AUHC and the Kelly Division. But the chemis-

try that worked all season eluded them in game three of the AUHC championship series and the Tigers lost a tough final. They finished the year ranked sixth in Canada. For fifth-year veteran and left-winger Derrick Pringle, 27, that loss was "one of my biggest sports disappointments." During the season, Pringle combined stick-handling and first-year medical studies so convincingly he received the AUAA's Bill Godfrey Award and was recipient of the CIAU's Dr. Randy Gregg Award. Both are presented for academic and athletic excellence. Pringle says the awards would have been "really satisfying as the icing on the cake" had the hockey Tigers won the AUHC final. Pringle was also co-recipient of Dal's Climo Award for male athlete of the year.

Sharing the prestigious Climo was another medical student, basketball star Keith Donovan. A year ago, the basketball Tigers were rumored to be in a rebuilding year. Donovan didn't seem to notice. From his first appearance, he was consistently a force to be dealt with. He led the AUAA in scoring, was named

an AUAA all-star and finished the year third-highest scorer in the CIAU.

The women's basketball Tigers earned the right to host the AUAA championship for the first time since the early '80s, before losing a hard-fought final. The women's soccer team also narrowly missed an AUAA title — losing the semi-final in double overtime. But like many of Dalhousie's varsity teams, their upcoming year looks promising.

Gazing ahead, Tony Martin predicts a very good 1991-92 season. Athletic programs are stable. Most teams, he expects, will be strong. Outstanding rookies are ready to move up the ranks. Only a few varsity athletes traded in uniforms for caps and gowns. And, Martin says, Dalhousie has in place a winning team of coaches. "We've got the best coaching staff in the country. I'd match them against anybody."

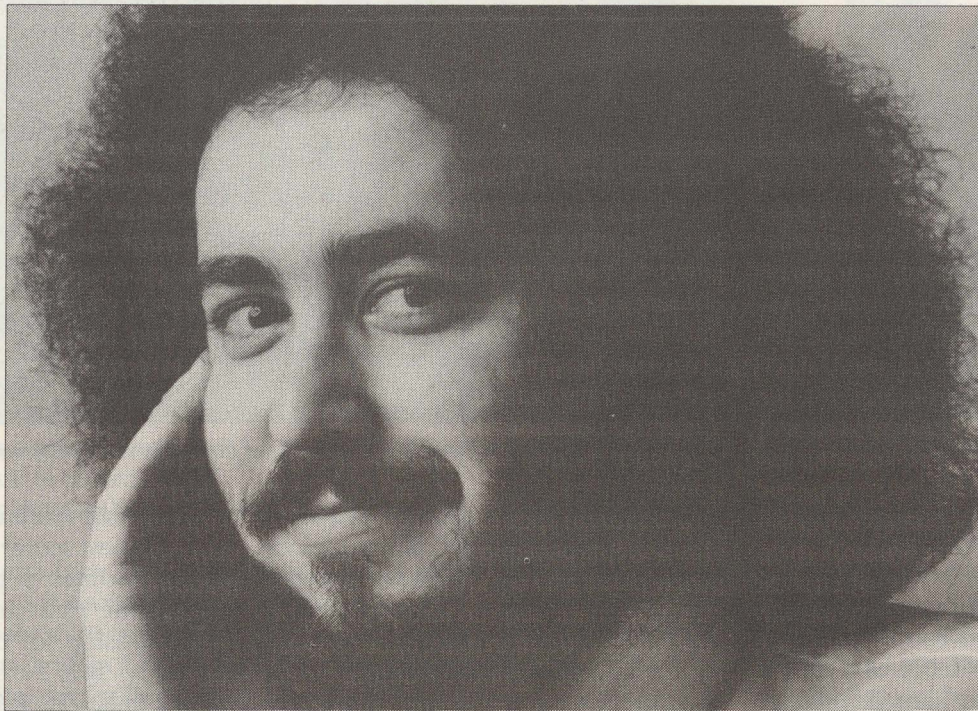
Great coaches, award-winning athletes, solid support. A perfect line-up for varsity sports. As for good luck: with such a solid game plan, who needs it? ♦

# A fight to be heard

*Deafness made Elliott Richman a crusader for disabled students*

*by Mary Somers*

**E**lliott Richman (BSc '84, BSc-Hon '87) knows how to win over a skeptic — usually without saying a word. He first catches the eye with an engaging smile, a **b u n d a n t**, shoulder-length hair and a flair for eccentric hats and clothing. Then he charms and disarms those who still believe that people with disabilities are, well, not quite “normal.”



*Elliott Richman (Creagen photo)*

Richman, a 29-year-old computer database analyst, was born deaf. He has spent his life beating the odds and vanquishing the doubts of others. During three years as president of the Independent Living Resource Centre of Halifax/Dartmouth Metro — an organization that strives to give those with disabilities greater control over their own lives — he has become a role model and an ambassador for the disabled.

A tireless crusader, Richman addresses provincial and federal committees in an effort to foster greater understanding of people with disabilities. Even there he encounters skeptics.

Last fall, Richman appeared before the Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada's Commission of

Inquiry on Canadian University Education. There was a noticeable unease in the room when he began to testify — the uncomfortable feeling people get when confronted by someone “different.” But Richman's message, told with the help of an interpreter, was captivating. He quickly turned the audience's polite but impatient attitude into relaxed smiles and obvious admiration.

There is much to admire about him. Aside from his volunteer job with the Independent Living Resource Centre, he works full-time with Nova Scotia's Department of Government Services, runs a computer consulting business from his home, and is vice-chair of the Society of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Nova Scotians. He speaks, reads

sign language and can lip read.

He is also a rarity, one of comparatively few deaf university graduates in Canada.

The education gap between hearing and non-hearing students is shocking. “It's rare for someone to go on to post-secondary education from a residential school,” says Dawn LeBlanc, community liaison officer for the Society of Deaf and Hard

of Hearing Nova Scotians. Most students at residential schools for the deaf emerge with a grade four reading level. In an effort to correct the inequality, the current trend is to mainstream deaf and hearing impaired children into the public school system, she says.

Growing up, Richman was lucky to have educational advantages denied many deaf children. Until grade nine, he attended private school — the United Nations International School in New York City. He completed high school in Halifax's public school system after the family moved to Halifax. (His father, Dr. Alex Richman is cross-appointed in Dalhousie's departments of community health and epidemiology, and psychiatry. Janice Richman-Eisenstat, BSc '80,

MD '84, is a sister. His brother, Vincent, MBA '86, is also a Dal grad.)

Richman believes passionately that the education deficit must be overcome if disabled people are to choose their own lifestyles. His fight for equality is often a battle against attitudes.

"Some people think all they have to do is build ramps and bathrooms that are large enough for wheelchairs," Richman says. "That's not true." For real independence, there must also be financial support and formal policies that provide readers for the blind, attendants for those in wheelchairs and interpreters for the deaf.

Richman had no such help at Dal. Though fellow students shared their notes, he would have preferred his own

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interpreter. He once arrived unprepared for a make-up test because he had missed the professor's verbal instructions about the exam. An interpreter would have prevented the mix-up.

"But there are some professors who would see interpreters as intruders in the classroom, rather than as an aid, like an overhead," he says. "Professors' attitudes toward an interpreter should be just the same as it is toward a textbook, a blackboard or that overhead."

Richman also supports the Independent Living Resource Centre's idea that a program similar to Dalhousie's Transition Year, which prepares Nova Scotia black and Micmac students for post-secondary education, be established for suitable disabled students.

Students with disabilities are still "made to fit the environment rather than the environment being made to fit the disabled person," Richman says. That, he believes, must change. ♦

# Welcome changes

*Dalhousie's first adviser for disabled students  
wants to make the university  
more accommodating*

After almost a year as Dalhousie's first adviser for disabled students, Lynn Atwell has tracked down only 14 disabled students on campus. She'd like to find more.

Dalhousie's past efforts to accommodate disabled students have been, quite frankly, "haphazard," Atwell says. Those with disabilities tended to look out and provide for themselves. If a student needed a translator, he found one. If he needed a reader, he asked around. If he needed a wheelchair ramp, he made a formal request. Atwell wants to change that do-it-yourself environment.

"We all have to adapt to our environment but maybe we're asking too much adaptation on the part of the disabled student," she says. "There are tools to assist the students and the supports are there, but it takes a long time for the students to find them. If I could do that for them I would consider that an achievement." In the process, Atwell plans to make the university more appealing and welcoming.

By the end of this year, she hopes to establish a resource centre to provide support and equipment for disabled students. Her wish list includes a talking calculator, a document scanner that translates words into voice or braille, lamps to aid the visually impaired and a team of reliable volunteer readers.

Atwell, a compassionate woman who also acts as international student adviser, says disabled students should feel welcome from the minute they consider attending Dalhousie. Academic calendars should include information on access, and telecommunication devices for the deaf should be installed at the registrar's office and, ideally, the university's



Lynn Atwell: "The will is there and I believe the university does want to do something."

main switchboard.

She'd also like library information systems to be accessible by voice or braille. And she envisions a large-screen scanner, to assist the visually impaired, in each library.

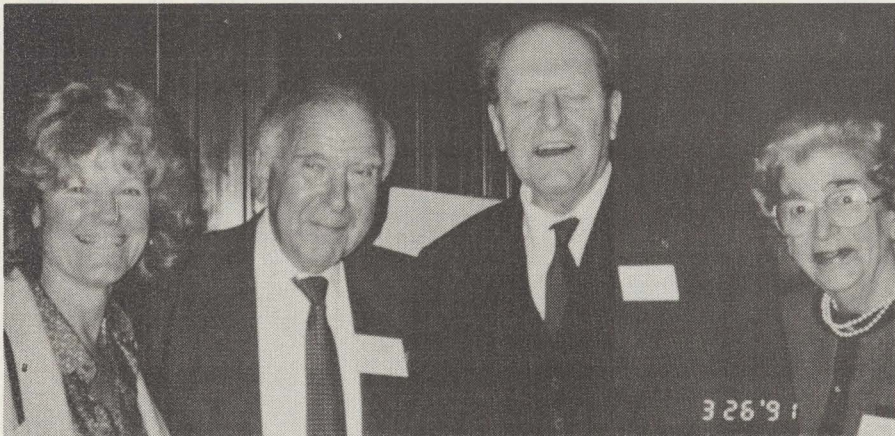
Atwell doesn't expect to accomplish everything alone. She needs input from disabled students. "The student has to come forward and identify himself as disabled," she says. "Some students with learning disabilities — the 'invisible disabilities' — well, they just struggle along. People sometimes take too much on on their own."

Atwell will be seeking support for expensive equipment at a time when finances are tight. "But the will is there and I believe the university does want to do something."

Helping students now will benefit them later, Atwell says. "I want to give them the tools so that when they finish university, they can go on with life independently." ♦



**VANCOUVER:** More than 70 alumni welcomed Chancellor Reuben Cohen at the Law Courts Inn, Vancouver. Shown from left: chapter co-ordinator Joseph Spears, Janet Matthews and Rick Matthews



**BRITAIN:** Forty-five alumni and guests attended the Dalhousie Society of Great Britain Luncheon held on March 27, 1991, at the English Speaking Union. Chapter President Mary Sellers welcomed alumni including Lord and Lady Dalhousie, Sir Graham Day and Lady Day, and Donald Smith, Agent General for Nova Scotia. Left to right: Dr. Nancy Lane, Chancellor Reuben Cohen, Lord Dalhousie and Lady Dalhousie



The Dalhousie University School of Nursing Alumni Association held its fifth annual meeting at Howe Hall. Marguerite Rowe (BN '82), vice-president, patient care, Victoria General Hospital, was guest speaker to an audience of approximately 75 members. From left: Pat Bailly, president; Marguerite Rowe, guest speaker; Josie Richard, past president; Deborah Tamlyn, director, School of Nursing; Dr. Kenneth Zakariassen, Acting Dean, Health Professions

CHAPTER NOTES

**MONTREAL:** The Elca London Gallery, Sherbrooke Street, was the site of a wine and cheese party when 50 alumni gathered to meet and greet old and new friends. Chapter co-ordinator, David Stratton, and his committee organized the event. Lectures and talks by visiting Dalhousie professors and send-off parties for new students coming to Dalhousie from Montreal were considered for future events.

**TORONTO:** Over 100 gathered at Peter's Backyard to launch the incorporation of the Toronto alumni chapter. Interim President Jim Wiswell and his committee were pleased with the enthusiastic turnout and are planning future events. Thanks to Michael Solway, the Toronto chapter has its own banner.

**CALGARY:** A successful reception was held in Calgary when Chancellor Reuben Cohen met alumni from all faculties. The reception was held at the Calgary Chamber of Commerce. Chapter President Peter Merchant and Susan Merchant welcomed guests. Future plans include a baseball game featuring the Calgary Canons and a barbecue.

**EDMONTON:** A warm reception was held in Edmonton when alumni gathered at the Edmonton Club. A new chapter of the association is being proposed for the city with Paul Leigh as co-ordinator. Those interested in getting involved, please contact Paul at (403) 498-3805.

**VANCOUVER:** A new chapter being formed in Vancouver, under the direction of Joseph Spears (Barry Oland and Associates), held a reception at the Law Courts Inn with 70 in attendance. Former Halifax alumna, Nancy Kimber MacDonald, now living in Victoria with husband Wayne

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and son, attended the reception.

**OTTAWA:** A family picnic was planned for June 22 by chapter chair Gary Zed and committee. The picnic was held at Vincent Massey Park.



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## John F. Graham Memorial Fund

Contributions to the John F. Graham Memorial Lecture Fund, which has been established at Dalhousie University, should be sent to:

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## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

As I begin my year as president, I want to say first how pleased I am with the success of the many and varied activities of 1990-91. My congratulations to my predecessor, Bernadette MacDonald, and her very capable executive. A warm thanks, too, to those members of the association who supported our Reunion Weekend.

The executive and I will be busy this summer discussing the coming year's activities. We face several challenges:

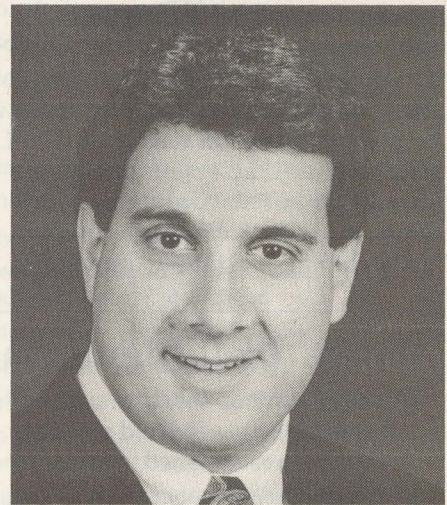
- One will be our effort to have a capacity turnout at the World Trade and Convention Centre for our next annual dinner.

- Another will be continuing our leadership role in the discussions to consider the feasibility of Studley Field being turned into a parking and athletic field complex with a playing surface of artificial turf.

- We will also be taking part in the university's Role and Capacity considerations, and in the discussions about the rationalization of programs within the provincial university system.

- The final major challenge will be in developing new alumni chapters and revisiting existing ones.

As you can gather from this brief overview of what's ahead, we are



going to be busy, and because of this we welcome support from those alumni who are able to volunteer their time and efforts to our projects.

If you are reading this note, remember that you are one of 55,000 alumni around the world. We on the executive of your association welcome and need your comments and reaction to our activities. We also encourage you to become involved, to reacquire yourself with Dalhousie, and — please — to keep in touch.

All the best for a pleasant summer and remember to make your plans now to attend Homecoming, Oct. 18-20 inclusive.

*Robert G. Zed*

## NOTICE BOARD

### Education alumni form group

Former graduates of Dalhousie's School of Education have formed the Dalhousie University Education Alumni Association.

The executive officers include Bill Skerrett, president; Sheila Banks, vice-president; and Paul Myers, secretary-treasurer. Members-at-large include Alex Bruce, Mary Louise Mills, Blye Frank, Ruth Kimmins and Peggy Weld. Keith Sullivan is the School of

Education's co-ordinator of alumni relations.

### German prize awarded

The 1991 Janet Coade-Dessauer German Prize was presented to Brigid Veronica Garvey at a reception for family, faculty and guests at the German House, LeMarchant Street. Dr. Hans Gunther Schwartz made the presentation. Mr. Robert Boyce, Q.C., proposed a toast to the memory of Janet Coade-Dessauer.

# Alumni Homecoming, Oct. 18-20, 1991

Alumni Homecoming is organized to help remind everyone of the good times they had at Dalhousie University. The university is strong in its heritage and human resources. People, whether they are students, faculty, alumni or staff, all have something to offer each other. Alumni Homecoming is a time to remember

the past and share your experiences.

In 1990, the Alumni Association launched its first Homecoming in several years. The focus was to start small and grow each year until Homecoming becomes an event the whole campus looks forward to taking part in every year.

This year, more groups are in-

involved with Alumni Homecoming and they are organizing events over the weekend of October 18 - 20. Some of the events are an alumni golf tournament, soccer games, varsity alumni reunion games and a Pride Parade.

The Board of Directors of the Alumni Association would like to extend a warm welcome to all alumni, students, faculty and staff to come back to campus for three days this fall and join in the fun.

## Sonja Weil Memorial Lecture established

An endowment fund to support an annual lecture in child psychiatry has been established in memory of Sonja R. Weil.

Ms. Weil, daughter of Drs. Stella and Robert Weil of Halifax, was killed in a highway accident in Chicago on Nov. 20, 1990.

Born in North Battleford, Saskatchewan, she moved to Halifax at the age of seven, where she attended school and university, graduating from Dalhousie in 1964 with a bachelor of arts. She re-

ceived a social work degree from Simmons College, Boston, in 1966. She established a private psychiatric social work practice in Hyde Park, Ill., and was a member of the faculty of the Chicago Institute of Psychoanalysis.

Contributions to the fund should be made payable to the Sonja R. Weil Memorial Fund, Dalhousie University, and forwarded to the Development Office, Dalhousie University, Halifax, N.S. B3H 3J5.

## Shirreff Hall and Eliza Ritchie Hall

Some alumni claim their best years were those spent in residence. Recognizing this, Shirreff Hall and Eliza Ritchie welcome you back to relive those special times and catch up with old friends! You will also have the opportunity to see how residence life has changed since you were last here.

Refer to the HOMECOMING schedule for an outline of special residence events. A more detailed schedule, plus information about reserving accommodations, will be mailed to you when you complete the registration form on page 21. We're looking forward to hearing from you!

Send to:

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## TUTORING PROGRAM

For many years the Dalhousie Alumni Association has administered a tutoring service to assist students from elementary grades to university level.

To become involved in this program, either as a tutor or to obtain the services of a tutor, please contact the Alumni Office, 6250 South Street, 494-2071.

## Second Annual Homecoming

### Shirreff Hall and Eliza Ritchie Hall Homecoming '91 Registration Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

Prov./State \_\_\_\_\_ Postal/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Name of spouse/guest \_\_\_\_\_

When were you in residence? \_\_\_\_\_

What floor/section? \_\_\_\_\_

I/We would love to participate in the following *free* events:

- Residence Tours  
 Shirreff Hall Through the Decades  
 Eliza Ritchie Carnival Day  
 Pride Parade  
 RA Reunion/Past Presidents' Reception  
 Sunday Tea

**PLEASE MAIL THIS FORM TODAY!!**

• We also invite you to send along your favorite memory from residence and your business card/occupation for our displays!

- 9 am Alumni pinning new graduates  
 9:30 am Fall Convocation (invitation only)  
 10 am - 12 pm Residence Tours/"Residence Life" displays  
 12 - 2:30 pm "CARNIVAL DAY" at Eliza Ritchie Hall — Join us on the lawn behind the residence for clowns, music, hot dogs and games of chance!  
 12 - 3:30 pm Alumni Warm-Up in Earl of Dalhousie Pub  
 1:30 pm Varsity Alumni games  
 2 pm Matinee performance of *Mad Forest* by Dalhousie Theatre Productions  
 2 pm Alumni pinning new graduates  
 2:30 pm Fall Convocation (invitation only)  
 2:30 - 3 pm Shirreff Hall's preparation for Pride Parade  
 Group Photographs taken (of each floor/section)  
 3 pm Line up for Pride Parade (student groups, varsity teams, varsity alumni and alumni)  
**3:25 pm PRIDE PARADE**  
 3:30 pm U.P.E.I. at Dalhousie — Men's Soccer  
 3:30 pm Varsity Alumni BBQ — sponsored by Athletics and the Black & Gold Club  
 7 pm - Shirreff Hall's RA REUNION RECEPTION  
 8:30 pm — All RAs have been invited back for Wine and Cheese in the Victorian Lounge. Group photo to be taken  
 Shirreff Hall's PAST PRESIDENTS RECEPTION — Presentation of plaque with Past President  
 8 pm Final performance of *Mad Forest* by Dalhousie Theatre Productions  
 9 pm - 1 am Dalhousie Student Union, Campus Activities Event for current students

### Alumni Homecoming Schedule of Events

#### Friday, October 18/91

- 9 am - 4 pm University-wide exhibits and displays  
 10 am - 3 pm Alumni Golf Tournament  
 11 am - 3 pm University Club hosts Coffee & Tea Party. Everyone welcome  
 1 - 4:30 pm Residence Tours (every 1/2 hour) from Shirreff Hall and Eliza Ritchie Hall lobbies  
 "Residence Life" displays in Victorian Lounge and Section A Lounge  
 Visit the Art Gallery while on campus  
 4 - 6 pm Univ. de Moncton at Dalhousie - Men's Soccer  
 6:30 pm TYP Reception, Guest Speaker and Dance in the Great Hall, University Club. (For more details, call 494-3730)  
 7:30 - "SHIRREFF HALL THROUGH THE DEC-  
 9:30 pm ADES" — On stage in the dining room! Relive the trends, styles, music and pastimes from Shirreff's opening in the 1920s until the present (and perhaps the future!)  
 8 pm Dalhousie Theatre Productions presents *Mad Forest*

#### Saturday, October 19/91

- 9 am - 1 pm Carnival of Fitness - educational workshops and workouts at Dalplex  
 9 am - 4 pm University-wide exhibits and displays

#### Sunday, October 20/91

- 12:30 - Shirreff Hall's "SUNDAY TEA" — Back by  
 2:30 pm popular demand, for the first time since the 70s, it's the famous Shirreff Hall Sunday afternoon tea. Bring your photo album and your favorite memories and walk down memory lane!  
 2 - 5 pm Acadia Univ. at Dalhousie — Men's Hockey  
 2:30 pm Women's Division Event
- Dalhousie Student Union celebrates 125 years of Student Government.
  - Maritime School of Social Work celebrates its 50th anniversary.
  - Transition Year Program celebrates its 20th anniversary.
  - Several departments will be hosting an Open House with displays and staff on hand for Dalhousie Days celebrations. A more detailed schedule will be available from the Alumni Association in early September 1991.

For further information, contact:  
 6250 South St., Halifax, N.S. B3H 3J5 (902) 494-2071

## CLASS NOTES

**'36** Harvey L. Webber, OC, QC, LLB, Sydney, N.S., was the recipient of the Law Alumni Association's 1990 Weldon Award for Unselfish Public Service.

**'39** Dr. Harry D. Smith, BA, MA'41, Nova Scotia's first ombudsman and an outstanding educator was recently honored with a doctor of civil law degree from the University of King's College.

**'42** Dr. H. Reuben Cohen, QC, BA, LLB'44, LLD'88, chancellor of Dalhousie, has been appointed an officer of the Order of Canada.

Dr. William H. Feindel, MSc, a neurosurgeon and former director general of the Montreal Neurological Institute, has been appointed chancellor of Acadia University.

**'45** Dr. Eville Gorham, BSc, MSc'47, regent's professor of ecology and botany at the University of Minnesota, was recently awarded an honorary degree from Dalhousie University.

Dr. Kenneth J.C. MacKinnon, MD, palliative care director at Camp Hill Medical Centre in Halifax, was a 1991 recipient of honorary degrees from Dalhousie and St. Francis Xavier universities.

**'49** John W. Lindsay, DEng, of Halifax, was recently awarded an honorary degree from TUNS.

**'50** Mildred (Bishop) Moir, BSc, of Dartmouth, recently received an honorary doctor of divinity degree from the Atlantic School of Theology.

**'52** Judge Elfiner J. MacDonald, BA, LLB'55, has been appointed chief judge of Nova Scotia's provincial court.

**'55** H. Purdy Crawford, QC, LLB, chairman and CEO of Imasco in Montreal, was recently awarded honorary degrees from Dalhousie and Mount Allison universities.

Don C. Tory, LLB, BA'58, a Chase officer in New York for over 20 years, head of Global Securities Services' legal unit, has been elected chairman of the American Bankers Association

Employee Benefits Services Committee.

**'59** Dr. G. Forbes Langstroth, MSc, is assistant dean student affairs, Faculty of Science, at Dalhousie.

**'61** Bonita (Regan) Kirby, BA, BEd'72, recently received an MBA from St. Mary's University and is manager of professional development programs for Saint Mary's at the World Trade Centre in Halifax.

Bernie F. Miller, BCom, has joined the Advanced Management Centre of Dalhousie University as senior associate.

**'62** P. Brian Fleming, QC, LLB, chairman of VGM Capital Corp., Halifax, received an honorary doctor of civil law degree from the University of King's College on May 16.

**'63** James M. MacGowan, QC, LLB, a Halifax lawyer, will chair the Nova Scotia Elections Commission.

Judith B. Maxwell, BCom, chairman of the Economic Council of Canada in Ottawa, has been awarded an honorary degree by Dalhousie.

**'64** Kenneth H. Glube, BA, LLB'67, has been practising law in southern California since 1971. He is president of the San Bernardino County Bar Association (SBCBA), California's oldest volunteer bar association. He is also editor of the *Bulletin*, the newsletter of the SBCBA. At a recent joint meeting of the San Bernardino County Bar Association and the San Bernardino County Medical Society, Dr. C. John Tupper — a direct descendant of the Sir Charles Tupper family, dean emeritus of the UC Davis Medical School and the president of the American Medical Association — was guest speaker.

Dr. Stephen G. Hart, BA, MD'72, of Fredericton, N.B., has been installed as president of the College of Family Physicians of Canada.

L. Gerald Levitz, BCom, managing partner of Ginsberg, Gluzman, Fage & Levitz, chartered accountants in Ottawa, has been elected a fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Ontario. The FCA is the highest designation the institute can award to its own members.

**'65** Arthur R. Donahoe, QC, LLB, has

joined the law firm of Burchell MacDougall & Gruchy in Halifax.

Leslie (Ballem) Handler, DipPhysio, wife of Dr. Mark B. Handler, MD'69, graduated with a BA'88 and an MS'90 (criminal justice) from Xavier University, Cincinnati, Ohio, and is a physical therapist in Cincinnati.

Sandra (Eaton) Winchester, DTSN, and Esther MacInnis-McMaster, BN'82, are this year's co-recipients of the Margaret Ross Award, presented annually to nurses who have displayed exemplary services to IWK children and families, and have proven to be imaginative and creative in their work.

**'67** Dr. Gary P. Latham, BA, formerly at the University of Washington, has been named secretary of state professor of organizational effectiveness in the Faculty of Management, University of Toronto.

**'68** Capt.(N) Kenneth A. Nason, CD, PMgr, BA, DPA'80, of Ottawa, was awarded the designation of P.Adm. by the I.C.S.A. in May 1990 and appointed to the Order of Military Merit (OMM) by the Governor General of Canada in a ceremony at Rideau Hall in November 1990.

Dr. Moira A. Stewart, BSc, PhD(UWO), has been made a full professor in the Dept. of Family Medicine and Epidemiology at the University of Western Ontario. She received an honorary membership for non-physician members to the College of Family Physicians of Canada at their annual meeting on May 5. Her second book, *Tools of Primary Care Research*, is soon to be released. She lives in London, Ont. with her husband, Dr. Thomas R. Freeman, PostGrad-Med'77, MCLinSci(UWO), and daughters, Kate and Amy.

**'69** Donald J. Marsh, BA, of Fredericton, N.B., is vice-president, N.B. & P.E.I., of the Bank of Montreal.

M. Gail Woodbury, BSc, BScPhysio(McGill), MSc(UWO), received a PhD in October 1990 in epidemiology and biostatistics. She is married to Dr. Peter Fendrich, DDS, and has two daughters.

**'70** Marilyn R. Peers, MSW, executive



DR. T.J. 'JOCK' MURRAY, MD'63, dean of medicine at Dalhousie, has been appointed an officer of the Order of Canada. He is also a member of the American College of Physicians' Board of Regents.



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director of the Children's Aid Society of Halifax, was recipient of an honorary degree from Dalhousie during spring convocation.

**'71 Austin I. Blondin**, Arts, of Halifax, has been appointed regional manager business operations of Maritime Tel & Tel.

**Barry G. Hubley**, CMA, BCom, of Halifax, has been appointed comptroller of Maritime Tel & Tel.

**James A. Kirby**, CA, BCom, has been admitted to partnership of the firm, Coopers & Lybrand, in the St. John's, Nfld., office.

**Ross G. Mathers**, CMA, BCom, BEd'72, MBA'78, has been appointed business manager of WMS Associates and chief financial officer for the Jacques, Whitford Group of Companies. Jacques, Whitford is an engineering, environmental consulting company of 300 employees with offices from St. John's to Ottawa. Ross resides in Fredericton, N.B., with his wife, **Wendy (Marryatt) Mathers**, BSc'72, BEd'73, and four children.

**Dr. Christopher J. Penney**, BSc, MD'75, has been appointed clinical associate professor of rheumatology, Dept. of Medicine, University of Calgary.

**Dr. Sankar N. Ray**, PhD, is a research scientist with the Dept. of Fisheries & Oceans in St.

John's, Nfld.

**'72 Steven S. Cooper**, BSc, BCom'88, a senior in the Business Investigations Group of Coopers & Lybrand, Halifax, recently received a CA designation.

**Michael I. King**, LLB, has joined the Halifax law firm of Cooper & McDonald.

**Peter D. Wedlake**, BA, LLB'75, of Halifax, has been appointed vice-president of Collins Barrow Inc.

**'73 Dr. Allan M. Roza**, Science, a transplant surgeon, has been named assistant professor of surgery at the Medical College of Wisconsin.

**Jonathan L. Tigner**, Science, has been appointed marketing manager of Focal Technologies Inc. in Halifax.

**'74 Michael T.P. Burns**, BSc, has been appointed production manager of CKF Inc., Hantsport, N.S.

**David C. Dingwall**, BCom, LLB'79, MP for Cape Breton, was named opposition house leader, in charge of Liberal strategy in the House of Commons.

**A.S. 'Sandy' MacMillan**, BCom, president of North Sails Atlantic in Lunenburg, N.S., is producing four new sails for the Bluenose II.

**Robert G. Matthews**, MBA, LLB, of Calgary, has recently accepted the position of general counsel of the Alberta Wheat Pool.

**John C. McLeod**, BA, BCom'77, of Oakville, Ont., has been recently appointed managing partner, Royal Trust Bank (Switzerland). In addition to his duties representing Royal Trust Bank (Switzerland) in North America, he heads a group of managing partners who represent Royal Trust Banks and Trust Companies throughout Europe and the Caribbean.

**J. Elizabeth Sutherland**, MLS'74, has been appointed health sciences librarian at the W.K. Kellogg Health Sciences Library at Dalhousie.

**'75 Stephen D. Topple**, BCom, is a claims specialist with Zurich Canada in Dartmouth.

**'76 Bruce M. Cameron**, BCom, MBA'78, of Halifax, has been awarded the chartered financial analyst (CFA) designation.

**Sharlene A. Clark-Corkum**, BSc(Pharm), and **Blair A. Corkum**, CA, BCom, have moved to P.E.I. Sharlene is working for the Dept. of Health, Pharmacy Division, and Blair is with Coopers & Lybrand, CAs, in Charlottetown.

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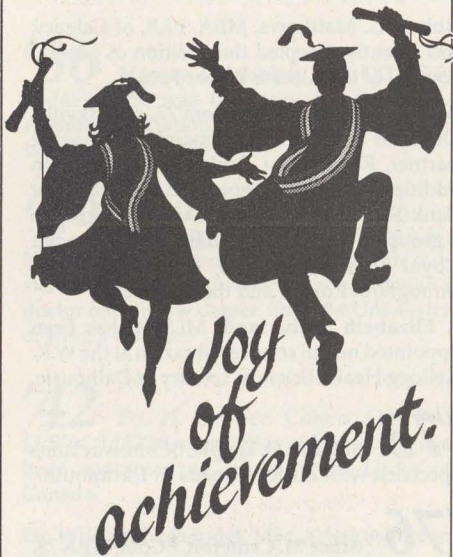
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**Sharon I. Findlay**, BA, communications officer for the Nova Scotia School Boards Association, was elected vice-president of the Canadian Association of Communicators in Education.

**'77 Ian M. Donahoe**, LLB, senior counsel, civil litigation, Dept. of Justice in Ottawa, became a member of the Law Society of Upper Canada on Mar. 20, 1991.

**W.M. 'Bill' Perkins**, BCom, LLB'81, has been appointed executive vice-president of Halifax Developments Limited.

**Dr. Douglas W. Russell**, BEd, professor in the Biochemistry Dept. at Dalhousie, is the newly elected secretary of the Faculty of Science.

**Michael A.J. Watson**, LLB, has joined Royal LePage in Dartmouth as a commercial representative.

**'78 Kent D. Ferguson**, CGA, BCom, his wife, Cathy, and daughter, Traci, have recently returned to Canada and taken up residence in Hay River, N.W.T., where Kent is a partner in the local office of Evancic Perrault Robertson, Canada's largest firm of certified general accountants. Kent returns to the Northwest Territories after having spent two and a half years as senior manager in the corporate recovery and business investigations division of the Christchurch, New Zealand, office of KPMG Peat Marwick, Chartered Accountants. Cathy will continue her work as an X-ray technologist at the H.H. Williams Memorial Hospital in Hay River.

**Audrey M. Hiscock**, MLS, is supervisor of library services, Northland School Division 61 in Peace River, Alta.

**Dr. Joanne F. Liutkus**, BSc, MSW'81 (Carleton), MD'90 (McMaster), is in the internal medicine residency program in Hamilton, Ont.

**David L. Macdonald**, FICB, BCom, is an account manager, Halifax Centre Community with the Bank of Montreal in Halifax.

**'79 Erin (Diffley) Pruitt**, BScHon, MSc'81, is a chemist at the Houston plant of Rhone-Poulenc Basic Chemicals Company. Her husband, Thomas, BA'74 (Cal. State Univ., Long Beach), is a process chemist for the same company.

**'80 Kieran M. Cogan**, BPE, has joined Central Guaranty Real Estate's Bedford office.

**Dr. Gabriel E. DiMattia**, BSc, BScHonCe'82, MSc'85, is a post-doctoral fellow at the Howard Hughes Medical Institute research laboratories on the campus of the University of California, San Diego.

**Marilyn J. Jollimore**, BRec, is the assistant

recreation manager for Maple Ridge, B.C.

**Jo-Ann M. Oakley**, BSc, has been promoted to national sales manager, specialist division, at Ayerst Laboratories in Montreal. Previously she was in charge of the Medical Marketing Group.

**Erin O'Brien Edmonds**, BSc, LLB'83, president of the Halifax Women's Network, has joined the law firm of Walker Schurman as a partner.

**Deborah K. Smith**, BA, LLB'83, **Marcia L. Brennan**, LLB'83, **Scott C. Norton**, LLB'83, have been appointed partners with the Halifax law firm, McInnes Cooper & Robertson.

**Kevin C. Wasson**, BSc, LLB'89 (UNB), graduated with a master of laws degree from the University of Toronto on Nov. 25, 1990, and is articling with Patterson & Kitz, Truro, N.S., office.

**'81 Clifford J. Shaw**, LLB, performed the role of jury foreman in the Alberta Theatre Projects and Canadian Bar Association production of the play, *Twelve Angry Jurors*, recently presented at the University Theatre, University of Calgary.

**'82 James C. Davis**, BSc, DEng'82, DMet'84, MBA'87, of Toronto, has been awarded the designation of chartered financial analyst.

**Colin G. Hames**, BCom, MBA'83, LLB'87, of Halifax, has been appointed president of Active Working Group Limited and its three divisions, Speedy Print, Precision Microfilming Services and Westward Industries.

**John J. MacDonald**, BCom, has recently been appointed national operations manager, Shell Canada Products Ltd., Rapidlube Development Dept., in Don Mills, Ont. He and his wife, M. Beatrice Landry, BA & BEd'78 (St.F.X.), reside in Etobicoke.

**L. Brian Watts**, BRec, Box 20036, Sherwood, P.E.I., CIA 9E3, is looking for two or three other bicyclists to plan a round-the-world tour.

**Elizabeth (More) Zajac**, BSc, is a senior geologist with Gulf Canada Resources Ltd. in Calgary where she resides with her husband, Rusty, and son.

**'83 Julia E. Cornish**, LLB, has joined the Dartmouth law firm of Horne Langille Sealy as an associate.

**Kathy A. Hagen**, BA, of Armdale, N.S., is employed by the Council of Maritime Premiers.

**Steven R. Leard**, BRec, lives in Edmonton with his wife, Diane, and daughter, Frances. He is a sports consultant with Alberta Recreation & Parks.

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**Christine A. Pottie**, BPE, is teaching grade four at Good Shepherd Community School in Fort McMurray, Alta.

**'84** **Mary Ellen Collins**, BPE, recently attended the Dalhousie Alumni Meeting/Luncheon in London, England, where she is continuing to work at the Office of the Agent General of Nova Scotia.

**Richard J. Dyke**, BA(K), MBA'86, has been appointed executive director of the Medical Society of Nova Scotia. He resides in Halifax with his wife, **Nancy Elliott**, LLB'91, and infant son, Nicholas.

**D. Kevin Latimer**, LLB, and **A. James Musgrave**, LLB'84, have become partners with the law firm of Cox, Downie & Goodfellow in Halifax.

**Derek A. Lugar**, BCom, is owner/manager of Vantage Motors, the Volkswagen dealer in Truro, N.S.

**'85** **N. Merrill Carmichael**, BCom, has been transferred from Doane Raymond's Dartmouth office to their Sydney office, effective Feb. 15, 1991.

**Dr. Brent R. Gill**, BSc, BScHonCe'86, BMedSc'88-(Memorial), MD'90(Memorial), is completing a residency in family medicine at the University of Saskatchewan in Saskatoon.

**Mark R. Godin**, MBA, of Orleans, Ont., is a senior rates developer for Telesat Canada.

**Coleen L. Kirby**, BSc, LLB'88, has received a master of laws degree from the London School of Economics and is practising with Lang Michener in Toronto.

**Brian D. Wagner**, BSc, has obtained a PhD in chemistry from the University of Western Ontario. He is a post-doctoral fellow in the Chemistry Dept. at the University of Saskatchewan.

**'86** **Murray S. Baillie**, MLS, on Oct. 29, 1990, spoke on the subject of prison libraries to the user services class in the School of Library and Information Studies at Dalhousie.

**David S. Blades**, DEng, has recently been transferred from Sydney to Halifax. He is a systems development engineer with M.T. & T.

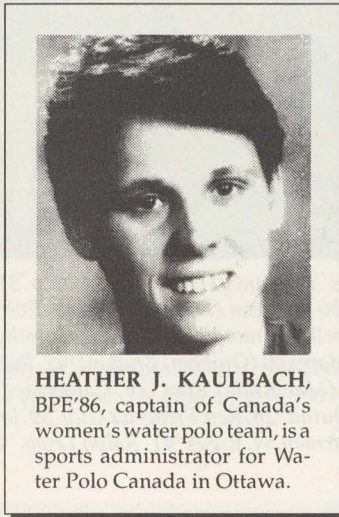
**Paula L. Condran**, LLB, has joined the firm of Crosby/Murtha in Lower Sackville, N.S.

**Theresa A. Fillatre**, BSW, is assistant director of nursing, acute care, Nova Scotia Hospital. She is a member-at-large for nursing adminis-

tration, board of directors for the Registered Nurses Association of Nova Scotia. Both she and her daughter, Leah, are students at Dalhousie. Theresa is attending part-time in the MHSA program and Leah has completed her second year of the health education program.

**Tracy L. Jones**, MLS, is head of Halifax's North Branch Library.

**Christine E. Sibley**, CMA, MBA, has been working for the Ontario headquarters of the Royal Bank as manager, business planning and support, in Burlington, Ont., since Feb. 1991.



**HEATHER J. KAULBACH**, BPE'86, captain of Canada's women's water polo team, is a sports administrator for Water Polo Canada in Ottawa.

**Maria (DeCicco) Speyer**, LLB, is practising law at Grant, Shields & Speyer in Cambridge, Ont.

**'87** **Heather L. Gillis**, BSc, is an X-ray safety inspector with the Ontario Ministry of Health in Toronto.

**C. Jane Guilfoyle**, BA(K), BEd'90(UBC), is teaching in the P2-6 level in Vancouver.

**Heather T. Jodrey**, MHSA, of Bedford, is director of nursing for Scotia Nursing Home Ltd., a 210-bed long-

term care facility.

**'88** **Al J. Casey**, BCom, an audit senior with Coopers & Lybrand in Halifax, received a CA designation.

**Cheryl A. Earle**, BCom, is a recent graduate of the N.B. Institute of Chartered Accountants. She is on the staff of Coopers & Lybrand, Saint John.

**Sandra E. Nicholl**, BCom, has recently received a CA designation.

**Ron D. Rizzo**, BRec, is employed with the Halifax County Recreation Dept.

**Daniel Seems**, BCom, has recently earned the CA designation and is on the staff of Peat Marwick Thorne in Fredericton, N.B.

**Grace E. Taylor**, BRec, is recreation coordinator with the municipality of Chester, N.S.

**'89** **Joanne Boudreau**, BSc, is a public health inspector for the Dept. of Public Health in Chatham, N.B.

**Frank E. DeMont**, LLB, has joined the Halifax

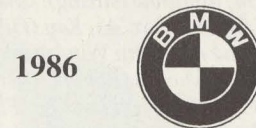
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Left to right, front row (sitting): Charlotte Allan '31, Helen (Cooke) Bates '31, Nancy (Hogg) Muschamp '31, Helen (Parker) Fraser '41, Kaye (Spurr) Cox '41, Kay (Hiltz) LeMoine '41, Rona (Benson) Robb '41, Jean (Robinson) Lamb, Evelyn Blois '31, Katherine Riggs. Second row: John Windebank '41, Joan (Ballem) Malcolm '41, Isabell (Wilmot) Brownlee '46, Dorothy Hills Guy '31, Wilfrid Creighton '26, Marion (Robb) Christie '26, Katherine (Vickery) Kay '26, Margaret (Graham) Brackett '41, Ruth (Graham) Ballem '41, Allison (Fitzrandolph) Hart '26, Florence (McMullen) Peel '26, Jessie (MacIntyre) Ross '26, Catherine (Weldon) Harrison '42, Murray Zinck '31. Third row: Gordon Harris '31, Herbert Lamb '31, Bill Outhit '26, Rev. Frederick Guy '39, John LeMoine '43, George Christie, Leonard Goldberg '41, George Piercey '41, Jim Harrison '41, Carman W. Riggs '41, Ralph Lewis '41, Chester Stewart '36.

## Classes '51 - '81



From left to right, front row (kneeling): Scott Morrison '51, Michele McKenzie '81, Judy Ridgway Wells '66, Susan (Drysdale) Brousseau '81, Carolyn (Drysdale) Buhr '81, Sonya Dudka '81, Marie Gilkinson '81, Dick Marshall '51. Second row: Sharlene Clark-Corkum '76, Nancy Orr '76, Joan (Venner) Stronach '56, Jean (Knowles) Perrin '56, Margaret (Cook) Custance '51, Bonita (Regan) Kirby '61, Reta (Wier) Dunn '66, Charlotte Kitchin '51, Diana Hudson-Whalen '76, Fairlie MacPhee '76. Third row: Don Laing '56, Vic Saxon '56, Doris Stanley, Jane (Bailly) Walls '51, Barbara (Lohnes) Reid '51, Gretchen (Fraser) Gillis '51, Anne (de Carteret) Million '51, Bill Reid '51, Grant Walls '51, Brian Stanley '61, Paul Brousseau '81. Fourth row: Fred Mathews '56, Blair Corkum '76, Doug Perrin, Peter Doig '51, Otto Haenlein '61. Back row: Karl Swanburg '51, Denis Stairs '61, George Caines '51, Charles Collis '53, Peter Green '61, Bob Cunningham '61

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*Margaret Godsoe, Outstanding Alumnus of the Year for 1991, is congratulated by Bernadette MacDonald and Alumni President Robert Zed*

*Herbert Lamb, with wife Jean, fondly remembers Dalhousie of yesteryear. He graduated in 1931*



*President Howard Clark and Dr. Joy Clark entertain (l-r) Katherine (Vickery) Kay '26, Allison (Fitzrandolph) Hart '26, Jessie (MacIntyre) Ross '26 and Florence (McMullen) Peel '26*



*Sharing time: (l-r) Mrs. Marilyn (Oyler) MacKeen '57, Mrs. Carolyn (Myrden) Doig '56, Mrs. Marge Hallett and Colette (Young) Flinn '60*



REUNION '91



Michelle MacKenzie chats with Robert Zed (background) and Bill Skerrett

Renewing acquaintances: (l-r) Edward (Ted) Flinn, F. Hume Wells, Peter Doig and George Thompson



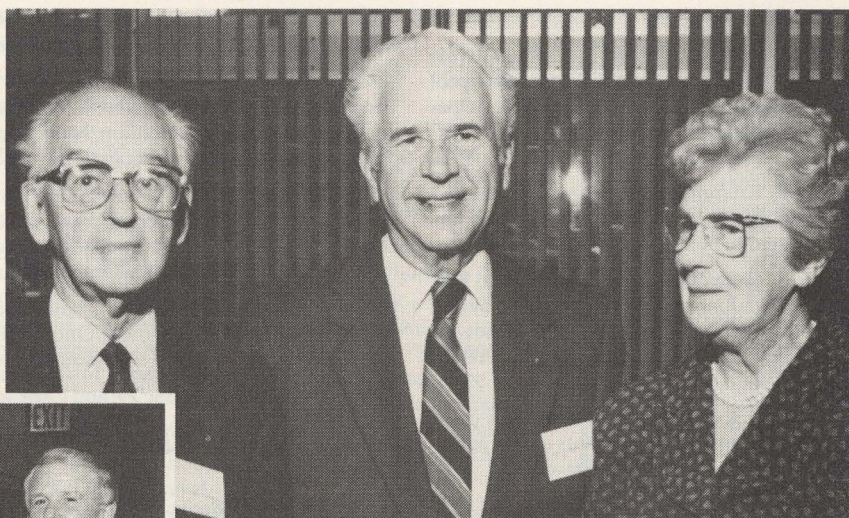
Student Council President Peter Pottier (left), Mrs. Lucy (Calp) Kerr '51 and Donald Kerr, QC '52

Federal presence: Members of Parliament Ronald MacDonald and Mary Clancey pose with Alumni Association past president Bernadette MacDonald and David Almon



REUNION '91

(l-r) Gordon Harris '31, Carman W. Riggs '41 and Katherine Riggs ▶



Josie Richard and Remi Richard (left) share a laugh with Pat Bailey and Bill Bailey ◀



Achievers: Dr. William Wrixon, 1991 Recipient of the Alumni Association's Award of Excellence in Teaching, with Margaret Godsoe, Outstanding Alumnus of the Year for 1991, and Dalhousie Chancellor Reuben Cohen ▶



(l-r) Judy Wells, Jans Henderson, Donna Curry and Shirley McInnes ◀



## DALUMNI

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firm, Coady Filliter, as an associate.

**Dr. Dorothea B. French**, PhD, is associate professor, hearing impaired program in the Special Education Dept. at Eastern Michigan University.

**Wayne R. Knapman**, BSc, recently graduated from the RCMP Academy in Regina and has been posted to North Vancouver.

**Second Lieutenant R. Merrick Redden**, BSc, recently graduated from Officer Candidate School, C.F.B. Chilliwack, B.C., and is now at C.F.B. Saint-Jean, Que., undertaking the French language course.

**Nancy E. Nicks**, BCom, has successfully completed her chartered accountants exams and is employed by Welsh & Co., Ottawa.

**'90 Muriel A. Hume**, BN, is employed at the Dartmouth General Hospital.

**Greg J. Marquis**, BA, is a national sales manager for Hilton International, based in Halifax.

### BIRTHS

**Ross Y. Archibald**, BSc'84, and Marilyn, Whitehorse, on Sept. 13, 1990, a son, William

Frederick, a brother for Edward Yorston. Ross is articling with Yukon Territorial Justice, Legal Services Branch, in Whitehorse.

**Leontine Atkins-van Leeuwen**, CA, MBA'88, and Reginald Atkins, Rotterdam, Netherlands, on Apr. 19, 1991, a son, Maxim Anton Josef 'Max' Atkins.

**Neila (Morrison) Auld**, BSc(Pharm)'80, and **George B. Auld**, BSc(Pharm)'79, Crapaud, P.E.I., on Mar. 17, 1991, a son, Blaine Alexander.

**Jeffery B. Baine**, BN'88, and Lori, BScN'89(McMaster), Hamilton, Ont., on Feb. 20, 1991, their first child, a son, James Brian.

**Catherine (Parks) Bell**, BSc'79, and Capt. John Bell, Petite Riviere, N.S., on Aug. 27, 1990, a daughter, Rebecca Louise, a sister for Jennifer, William & Emma.

**Claire (Osborne) Bent**, BSc'84, and **Alan D. Bent**, BA'73, BCom'74, Ottawa, on Oct. 10, 1990, a third son, Ian, a brother for Graeme, b. June 1985, and Eric, b. May 1988. Alan is a financial analyst with Transport Canada and Claire is working on a contract for the Geological Survey of Canada.

**Stephen A. Berna**, CA, BCom'86, and Margot, (SMU), Victoria, B.C., on Oct. 23, 1989, a daughter, Megan. Steve is an accountant with Peat Marwick.

**Deborah S. Boltz**, BA'77, and **Jamie M.**

**Ferguson**, BA'78, Halifax, on Nov. 5, 1990, a son, MacKenzie Boltz Ferguson, a brother for Becky, Nov. 2, 1986.

**Pamela (Cairney) Bowen**, RN, BCom'85, and James, BScForestry(UNB), on Nov. 27, 1990, a son, Thomas Eli. Pam is a registered nurse and Jim is the forester for Sissibo Forest Management in Digby, N.S. They reside in Clementsport, N.S.

**Mary Anne Carver Taylor**, BA'85(K), and **Dr. Douglas C. Taylor**, MD'86, London, Ont., on Aug. 25, 1990, a daughter, Anna Ruth.

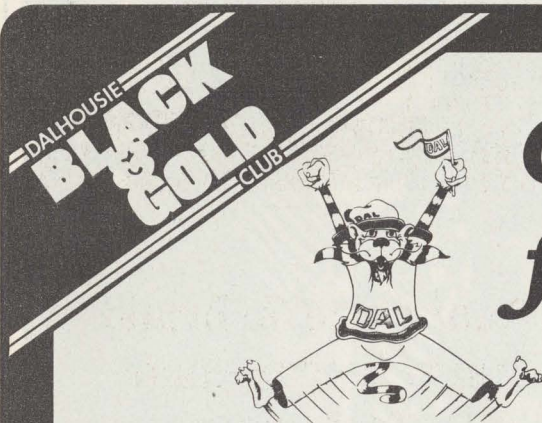
**Alan J. Casey**, CA, BCom'88, and Gale (Archibald), Halifax, on Mar. 14, 1991, a daughter, Amy Marie, a sister for Kimberley and Kevin.

**Rev. Trent D. Cleveland-Thompson**, BA'78, and Linda, St. Andrews, N.B., on Oct. 12, 1990, a daughter, Beatrice Elaine Margaret, a sister for Jason and Tristan. Trent is the United Church minister in St. Andrews.

**Celine (Guinard) Corman**, BSc(Pharm)'84, and Jeff, Ottawa, on Oct. 1, 1990, a daughter, Perrine Louise.

**Carolyn J. Cox**, BCom'77, MBA'80, and Jan Matejcek, LLB'80(Windsor), Toronto, on Aug. 1, 1990, a daughter, Anna Carolyn. Carolyn is a branch manager for Scotiabank, 392 Bay St., Toronto.

**Jo-Anne (Lawrence) Embree**, BEd'84, BSc'78,



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MSc'80(Memorial), and **John D. Embree**, BA'74, LLB'77, Halifax, on Oct. 15, 1990, a daughter, Rachel Kathleen, a sister for Robert James Dower. John is senior crown attorney (appeals) with the N.S. Public Prosecution Service.

**Kathy (Edgett) Foster**, BSc(Pharm)'80, and John, Florida, on July 8, 1990, a son, Adam Elliott, a brother for Sarah.

**Fred S. Fountain**, LLB'74, and Elizabeth (Brown), Head of St. Margaret's Bay, N.S., on Mar. 21, 1991, a daughter, Katharine Elizabeth 'Kate', a sister for Alexander.

**Karen (Stewart) Fraser**, BRec'85, and Kevin, Moncton, N.B., on Mar. 1, 1991, their first child, a son, Bryan Alan Douglas.

**David C. Gallant**, BA'86, and Amanda (Williams), BA'83(Carleton), Halifax, on Oct. 20, 1990, a son, Christopher Michael.

**Dr. Marc J. Goldberg**, BSc'67, MD'72, and Marilyn, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., on Oct. 18, 1990, a son, Devon Matthew, a brother for Marisa Eve.

**Cindy (Robertson) Gorman**, BA'76, MBA'81, and **Howard F. Gorman**, BSc'75, Halifax, on Apr. 16, 1991, a daughter, Rachel Louise.

**Colleen (Hiscock) Guay**, BN'84, and Alan, Clifton Royal, N.B., on Sept. 2, 1990, their first child, a son, Kale Ryan.

**Colin G. Hames**, BCom'82, MBA'83, LLB'87,

and Heather, Halifax, on Jan. 6, 1991, their first child, a daughter, Jordan Quinn.

**Dorothy (Tipler) Hamill**, BA'74, and Don, Calgary, on Feb. 2, 1991, a son, Murray Grant, a brother for Spencer, 2.

**Shaun T. Hanrahan**, BA'78, BEd'79, and Kathleen, Calgary, on Mar. 17, 1990, a son, James Patrick, a brother for Erin and Cayley. Shaun and Kathleen are both teaching for the Catholic School Board in Calgary.

**Sara (Smith) Harding**, DDH'87, and Stephen, BA'87(MSVU), High Level, Alta., on Dec. 24, 1990, a son, Alexander Stephen Ronald. Sara is senior dental hygienist at the High Level-Fort Vermilion Health Unit and Stephen is grain manager of the Alberta Wheat Pool operation in High Level.

**Candy (Appleby) Hobbs**, BA'74, BEd'75, and Greg, BAHon'80(Queen's), Toronto, on Jan. 7, 1991, their second child, Steven Thomas, a

brother for Jillian.

**Nora (MacAdam) Jones**, BA'77, and **Blake D. Jones**, BCom'79, MBA'81, Coburg, Ont., a daughter, Sheilagh Margaret, a sister for Lyle, 5, and Stuart, 3. Blake is manager of the Municipal Trust in Coburg and Nora is at home with the children and doing her CA in her spare time.

**Kelly (Fletcher) Lee**, BSc(Pharm)'86, and **Richard Lee**, BSc(Pharm)'85, Halifax, on July 20, 1990, their first child, a son, Matthew Patrick Joseph.

**Peter E. Loucks**, LLB'78, and Ruth (Turley) of Adelaide, South Australia, on Dec. 21, 1990, a son, Andrew Peter, a brother for Bronwyn, 21 months, and grandson for **George C. Loucks**, LLB'51. Peter and George practise law in partnership in Chesley, Ont.

**Brenda (Taylor) MacIntyre**, BN'84, and Donald, Belleville, Ont., on Dec. 28, 1990, their first

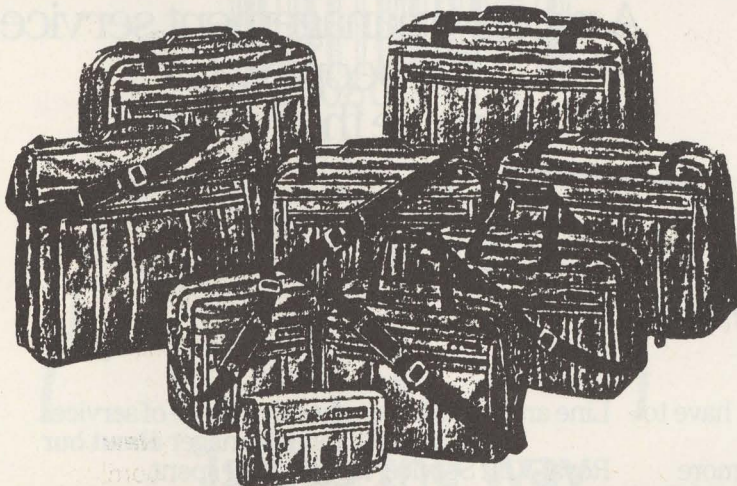
### BOOKS BY ALUMNI

◆ **LEROY PEACH**, BA'59, BEd'60, has written *Pilgrims On This Shore*, a history of the Anglican Church in Port Morien, N.S., 1786-1990, published by Peach Tree Press. This is his second book. A volume of poetry was published in 1981 by Lancelot Press.

◆ **MARLENE C. WEBBER**, BA'69, MSW'71, of Toronto, is author of *Street Kids: The Tragedy of Canada's Runaways*, published by University of Toronto Press. She is co-author of *Square John: A True Story*.

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child, a daughter, Jennifer Lynn. They now reside in Toronto. Donald is from Sydney, N.S., and is a member of the Canadian Armed Forces.

**J. Elaine MacKenzie-Barss**, BSc'84, and **Andrew S. Barss**, Science'78, Bedford, N.S., on Dec. 21, 1990, a son, Patrick John MacKenzie Barss, a brother for Casey Alaina, b. Sept. 28, 1987.

**Kathleen (Carroll) MacNeil**, BCom'86, and **Dr. J. Peter MacNeil**, BSc'85, BScHonCe'86, MD'90, Halifax, on Jan. 3, 1991, their first child, a son, Iain Peter. Peter is setting up practice in Lunenburg, N.S., in the summer of 1991.

**Vesta (Adamson) Mason**, BSc(Pharm)'82, and **Cpl. J. Kevin Mason**, BA'81(St.F.X.), in Revelstoke, B.C., on May 19, 1990, a daughter, Emily Marie, a sister for Adam and Andrew. Vesta and Kevin have recently transferred to Ottawa.

**Evelyne S. Meltzer**, BA'76, LLB'79, LLM'80 (U of Washington), and **Michael P. Gardner**, BA'69, LLB'75, MA'75, Halifax, on May 19, 1990, a son, Patrick Theodore 'Theo' Meltzer. Evelyne has recently established a research and consulting company specializing in marine resource management and international development.

**Chris J. Morrow**, Commerce'79, and **Amy (Bennet)**, Halifax, on Feb. 2, 1991, a son, Henry Bennet.

**Wanda (Embrett) Nagle**, BN'80, and **Gary**, Halifax, on Apr. 4, 1990, a son, Justin, a brother for Kelly and Jessica.

**George A. O'Reilly**, BSc(Hon)'76, MSc'88, and **Diane**, Dartmouth, on Jan. 15, 1991, a daughter, Beth Anne, a sister for Katelyn Marie.

**Jeannette (Peacocke) Osborne**, BCom'84, and **Kevin J. Osborne**, BCom'79, Twillingate, Nfld., on Aug. 10, 1990, their first child, a daughter, Michelle Elaine.

**Bruce Paterson**, BSc'81, DEng'81, BEng'83-(TUNS), Actuary FCIA, FCAS'89, and **Barbara Mallory**, San Diego, CA, on June 7, 1990, a son, Michael. They reside in San Diego. Bruce is a consulting actuary and Barbara is a financial analyst.

**Margo (Lewis) Patrick**, BSc'70(K), and **Jack**, North Lancaster, Ont., on Nov. 13, 1990, a son, Tristan Richard, a brother for Laura and Michael.

**Laura G. Peck**, BA'77, BEd'78, and **Barry McLoughlin**, Ottawa, on Jan. 14, 1991, a son, Brendan Barry McLoughlin, a brother for Caroline Grace. Laura is vice-president, Barry McLoughlin Associates Inc., media consultants.

**Judy (Locke) Pounder**, BN'85, and **Dr. David R. Pounder**, PostGradMed'88, Lethbridge, Alta., on Jan. 11, 1991, a daughter, Lauryn Anne. David is on staff in the Dept. of Anesthesia at

the Lethbridge Regional Hospital.

**Kim (Henneberry) Prince**, BA'75(K), and **Steven**, BSc'76(MtA.), MBA'82(UWO), Mississauga, Ont., on Feb. 20, 1991, a daughter, Robyn Alexa, a sister for Holly and Graeme.

**Carrie (Wheadon) Ramsay**, BRec'83, and **Al**, P.E.I., on Feb. 26, 1990, their first child, a daughter, Ann Miriam.

**Catherine (Totten) Rooney**, BSc(Pharm)'83, and **James L. Rooney**, MEd'83, Halifax, on Dec. 22, 1990, a son, Thomas Richard, a brother for John-Francis and Meghan.

**Kathy Reid-Smith**, DPT'77, BScPT'82, and **Ian Smith**, MusicEd'75(Acadia), Wolfville, N.S., on Feb. 4, 1990, a second daughter, Natalie Maureen, a sister for Laura, b. May 4, 1988.

**Tracy (LeBlanc) Robart**, BSc'83, BEd'84(STU), and **Kevin**, Radio Television Arts'85(Ryerson), Moncton, N.B., on Jan. 8, 1991, their first child, a son, Alex Spencer.

**Catherine (Gervais) Robertson**, BN'82, and **Lance R. Robertson**, BSc'80, BEd'84(Queen's), Pembroke, Ont., on July 29, 1990, a daughter, Heather Anne, a sister for Gillian. They reside in Renfrew, Ont., where Lance teaches math and science at the Renfrew Collegiate Institute and Catherine is a part-time staff nurse at the Renfrew Victoria Hospital.

**Dr. Barrie W. Sandham**, DDS'72, and **Judy**



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(Peckham), Judique, Cape Breton Island, N.S., on Feb. 10, 1991, their first child, a son, Ewen John-Norman.

**Valerie (Stallard) Smith**, BSc'75 (geology), and Des, Calgary, on Aug. 27, 1990, their fourth child, Blair, a sister for Andrew, b. May 2, 1985, and twins, Scott and Alexis, b. May 9, 1988.

**Jane (Calhoun) Stephenson**, MSc'82, and **Dr. Jim Stephenson**, BSc'79, MD'83, Post-GradMed'84, on July 13, 1990, a daughter, Margaret Madeline 'Meggie,' a sister for Benjamin, 3. They reside in Saint John, N.B.

**Donna (Gaudet) Sullivan**, BSc(Pharm)'80, and John, South Ohio, N.S., on Feb. 18, 1991, a son, Nathan John, a brother for his three sisters, Ellen, Karyn and Jamie.

**Greg F. Sweet**, BCom'87, and Michele, Dartmouth, on Jan. 23, 1991, their first child, a daughter, Rebecca Frances.

**Sharon (Thibodeau) Titus**, DDH'85, and Chris, Saint John, N.B., on Nov. 22, 1990, their first child, a daughter, Rachel Maud.

**Dale L. White**, BCom'79, of Truro, N.S., on Aug. 3, 1990, a son, Todd, a brother for Adam, b. July 16, 1986, and Scott, b. Aug. 7, 1987.

**Dr. Jeffrey A. White**, MD'84, PostGradMed'85, and Wanda (Brown), Yarmouth, N.S., on Apr. 24, 1991, a daughter, Emily Anne, a sister for David and Katelyn.

**June (Smith) Wilton**, BA'77, and Gary, Winnipeg, on Nov. 7, 1990, a son, Evan Edward, a brother for Lauren, 19 months.

## MARRIAGES

**Helen M. Arneaud**, BA'78 (theatre), to Terry Crocker. Helen continues working at Wood Motors responsible for all public relations and Terry has worked with C.B.H.T. television for over 20 years. They reside in Portuguese Cove, N.S.

**Darren C. Brackley**, BCom'88, to Glenda Haydon, BRec(Acadia), MSW(Wilfrid Laurier), on Maui, Hawaii, on Apr. 3, 1991. They reside in Georgetown, Ont., where Darren is a sales representative for Tele-Direct, Bell Canada Yellow Pages and Glenda is a family counsellor with Peel-Halton Catholic Family Services.

**Lynda M. Campbell**, BSc(Pharm)'89, to **Terry P. Bork**, BCom'90, on Aug. 25, 1990. They reside in Cape Breton where Lynda is a pharmacist in the family business and Terry is a sales consultant for Maritime Beauty Supply, a Halifax-based company.

**Susan F. Chipman**, BA'74, to Ed Waldman in Chicago, Apr. 29, 1991. Susan teaches students in the home instruction program with the

Fairfield Community School and Ed sells investment management software. They live in Fairfield, Iowa.

**Faye P. Cleary**, BSc'85, BA'89, BSW'89, to Patrick R. Allen in Saint John, N.B., on Oct. 6, 1990. Faye has been appointed executive director of the Saint John Association for Community Living, the association supporting persons with mental handicaps. Pat is an adjuster with State Farm Insurance.

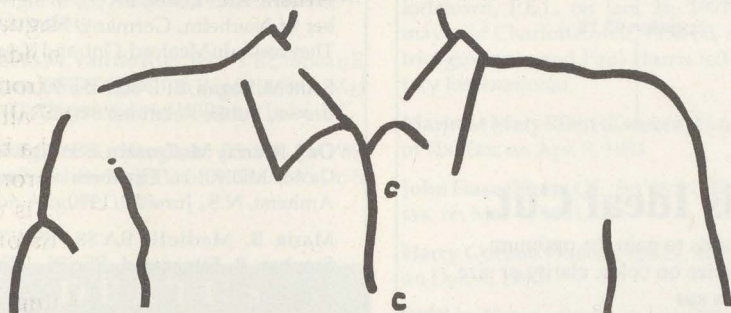
**Lynn M. Connors**, LLB'85, to **Randall P. Balcome**, LLB'81, in Wolfville, N.S., July 27, 1990.

**Raymond W. Creaser**, DEng'83, to Sharon L. Hayman recently in Truro, N.S. They reside in Halifax.

**Dr. Ramon J. Cruz**, DDS'85, to Pascale L. Taylor, BSc'87 (Acadia), in Grand Pre, N.S., Oct. 6, 1990. Ramon is a dentist with Atlantic Dental Centres in Bedford and Pascale is pursuing her PhD in applied math at TUNS.

**Chamine R. David**, BSc'85, BScHonCe'86, MSc'88 (speech pathology), to Badru Meghji in Dartmouth, June 1, 1991. They reside in Calgary where Chamine is a speech pathologist at the Calgary General Hospital and Badru is a programmer analyst at Mount Royal College.

**Shayna V. David**, BCom'85, MBA'90 (U of T), to Douglas Macey, of Ottawa, in Halifax, July 1,



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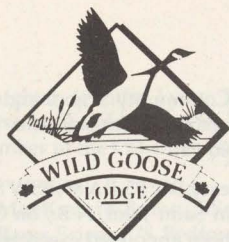
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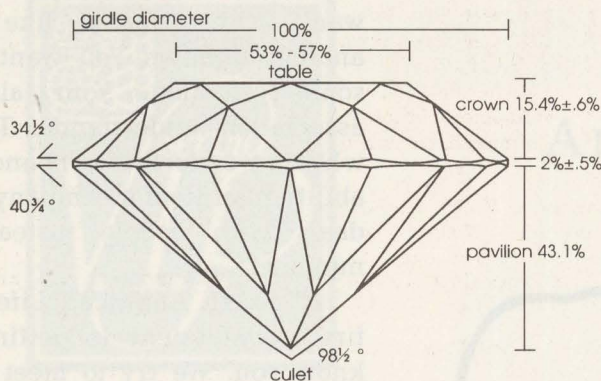
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1990. Shayna is a corporate account manager with the Royal Bank in Toronto.

**Sandra J. Deagle**, BRec'90, BA'87(St.F.X.), to **Douglas G. Cripps**, MA'90, BSPE'87(U of Sask), in Inverness, N.S., Aug. 4, 1990. Sandra is the activity director at the Cut Knife and District Special Care Home in Cut Knife, Sask., and Douglas is a recreation therapist at Saskatchewan Hospital in North Battleford.

**Steven A. Embree**, BSc'83, to Miyuki Koizumi in Nagoya, Japan, July 8, 1990. They reside in Tokyo.

**Ronald S. Ferguson**, BCom'78, to Randi Stangroom in Calgary, Mar. 16, 1991.

**J.N. Mark Glover**, BSc'85, to Shasta Desbarats, LLB(U of T), in Toronto, Aug. 24, 1991. Mark has completed a PhD in biochemistry at the University of Toronto and is a post-doctoral fellow at Harvard.

**Janet A. Henriksen**, MBA'90, to **Andrew J. Sibbald**, MBA'89, in Halifax, Oct. 20, 1990. Andrew is manager at The Briars Resort, owned and operated by his family, in Jackson's Point, Ont., and Janet is seeking employment in administration in the health care field.

**Carol A. Higgins**, BCom'89, to **Jeffrey C. Schnare**, BA'86, recently in Dartmouth. They reside in Moncton, N.B.

**Margot A. Hookey**, BSc'83, BScPT'86, to Ivan J. Toner, BBA'82(UNB), BScCS'84(UNB), June 8, 1991.

**Elizabeth M. Huskison**, Education'75, to **Grant T. Fillmore**, BA'75, in Shelburne, N.S., Jan. 12, 1991. They reside in Shelburne where Grant is employed by the Dept. of Community Services at the Shelburne Youth Centre.

**Nancy L. Hyndman**, BCom'83, LLB'86, to David I. Johnston in Ancaster, Ont., Feb. 16, 1991.

**Frederic A.C. Lister**, BA'55, to Sigrid Weber of Nauheim, Germany, Nov. 8, 1990. They reside in Meaford, Ont. and Nauheim.

**Scott M. Logan**, BPE'80, MSc'90, to Coleen Brown, Public Relations'84(MSVU).

**Dr. J. Murray McCrossin**, BSc'85, BScHon-Ce'86, MD'90, to Elizabeth A. Smith in Amherst, N.S., June 21, 1990.

**Maria B. Medioli**, BA'88, BSW'90, to **Stephen B. Fitzgerald**, BSc'86, DEng'86, Sept. 15, 1990.

**Heather L. Mills**, BSc'89, to **Mark K. Grandmaison**, BSc'89, DMet'90, on May 26, 1990. They have recently moved to Etobicoke, Ont., where Mark is a meteorologist with Environment Canada in Downsview.

**Jane E. Mitchell**, BSc'68, MSc'85, BScPT'88, to Dr. Thomas Pekar in St. Catharine's,

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**Sheila A. Mossman**, BCom'85, to **Paul D. Morris**, CA, BCom'85, recently in Halifax.

**Dr. Suzanne O'Hanley**, MD'85, Post-GradMed'86, to **Brian D. Mark**, BSc-(Pharm)'85, on May 12, 1990.

**Tami C. Parks**, BSc'88, BScK'89, to **Brian T. Hills** recently in Bedford. They are both attending Dalhousie, Tami in dentistry and Brian in law school.

**Shelley K. Platt**, CMA, BCom'84, to **Mark E. Woolaver**, CA, BCom(Hon)'84, in Victoria, B.C., Jan. 3, 1991. They reside in Little River, N.S.

**Alison M. Pugsley**, W. Patterson, BScEng'79 (Guelph), MBA'84 (Queen's), in Lunenburg, N.S., Aug. 31, 1990. Alison is the director of client services at a Toronto ad agency and Gord is the director of engineering services at Bramalea Limited.

**Karen L. Ritcey**, BRec'87, to **Brian Lowery** in Riverport, N.S., July 28, 1990. Karen is the special events assistant with Halifax Recreation Dept.

**Rose A. Scott**, BA'85, BAHonCe'86, to **Capt. David Lincourt** in Halifax, July 14, 1990. They reside in Tucson, Ariz., where David is completing his masters in reliability engineering.

**John C. Shayer**, CLU, BA'70, to **Kathryn L. Brennan**, Nov. 1, 1990. They reside in Carlisle, Ont., outside Toronto. John has been appointed vice-president, marketing for the Sun Alliance and London Assurance Company.

**Elisabeth M. van de Riet**, BScPT'82, to **Sean E. Donahue**, BSF'87(UBC), in Winfield, B.C., May 12, 1990. They reside in Williams Lake, B.C.

**Dr. Margaret A. Vaughan**, BSc'84, PhD'89-(analytical chemistry)(U of Alberta), to **Dr. S. Pitts** on Aug. 11, 1990.

## DEATHS

**Gladys May Marsters**, BA'10, of Windsor, N.S., on Jan. 15, 1991. She was a school teacher in British Columbia, Massachusetts and Nova Scotia, retiring in 1944.

**Isabel MacRae 'Sibbie' Metherall**, BA'15, of Halifax, on Jan. 13, 1991. She had a long teaching career in Canada and the United States.

**Dr. Annie Almira (Gilchrist) Dickson**, MD'20, of Calgary, on Jan. 18, 1991. She served as dean of women at Mount Allison University from 1949 to 1959.

**Charles Wylton Strachan Tremaine**, Engineering'20, of West Vancouver, on Jan. 14, 1991.

**Sister Francis d'Assisi (born Margaret Agnes McCarthy)**, BA'21, MA'26, PhD'32(Fordham), of Halifax, on Apr. 15, 1991. She taught at St. Patrick's High School, Halifax, from 1926-38. She was dean/registrar at Mount Saint Vincent University College until 1954, then served as president from 1954-65.

**Ruth (Wallace) Henderson**, BA'21, MA'61, of Halifax, on May 19, 1991.

**Alice Pearl Moase**, BA'22, of Edmonton, on Jan. 9, 1991. She taught most of her life in Saskatchewan and Alberta.

**Judge Roderick Kerr**, BA'23, LLB'25, of Ottawa, on Jan. 29, 1991. He practised law in Sydney and Glace Bay before joining the civil service in Ottawa in 1946. He retired from the Federal Court of Appeal in 1977.

**Margaret Eliza King**, BA'24, of Dartmouth, on Jan. 11, 1991. She was a teacher and principal at Imperoyal School in Dartmouth, retiring in

1961 after 34 years.

**Edwin Cecil Johnstone**, BA'25, of Charlottetown, P.E.I., on Jan. 24, 1991. He was mayor of Charlottetown, 1958-60, a past district governor and Paul Harris fellow of Rotary International.

**Marjorie Mary Ellen (Kennedy) Lane**, BA'25, of Halifax, on Apr. 8, 1991.

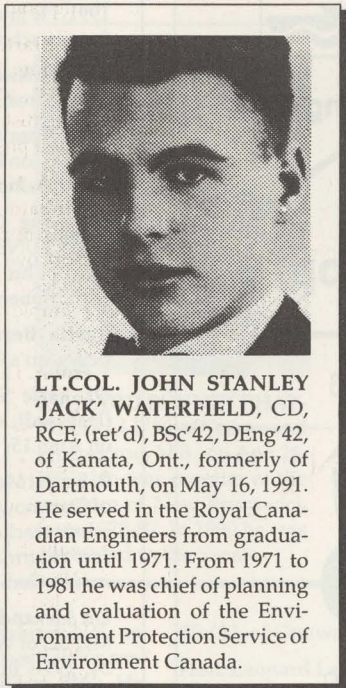
**John Fraser Shaw**, QC, BA'26, LLB'29, of Halifax, on Mar. 1, 1991.

**Harry Gordon Dustan**, BA'27, of Vancouver, on Dec. 4, 1990.

**William Nelson Graburn**, Law'27, of Calgary, in July 1989.

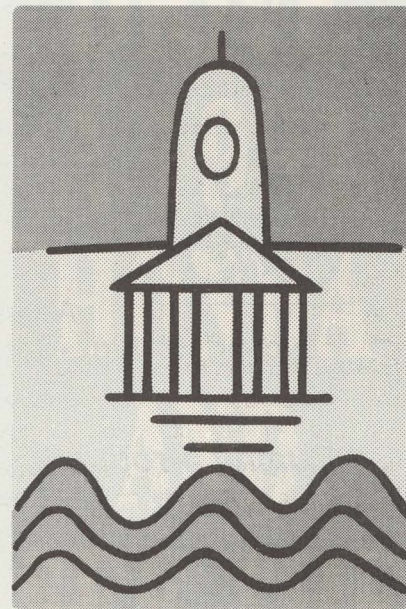
**Edna Alexandra (Stephen) Phillips**, BA'27, on Dec. 19, 1990.

**Dr. Harold Lambert Scammell**, MD'27, of Halifax, on Jan. 21, 1991. He was a medical officer with Workmens' Compensation Board; registrar and executive assistant to the presi-



**LT. COL. JOHN STANLEY 'JACK' WATERFIELD**, CD, RCE, (ret'd), BSc'42, DEng'42, of Kanata, Ont., formerly of Dartmouth, on May 16, 1991. He served in the Royal Canadian Engineers from graduation until 1971. From 1971 to 1981 he was chief of planning and evaluation of the Environment Protection Service of Environment Canada.

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dent of Dalhousie; and lecturer in the Faculty of Medicine. He initiated what has become Counselling & Psychological Services and Bachelor of Science in Nursing at the university. He was named Dalhousie Medical Alumnus of the Year in 1986.

**Dr. Stanley Alexander Saunders**, BA'28, of Toronto, on Nov. 23, 1990.

**Dorothy Pearl Smyth**, BA'28, of Petite Riviere, N.S., on Jan. 23, 1991.

**Mary Elizabeth (Colpitts) Goodwin**, BA'29, of Edmonton, on Mar. 10, 1991.

**John Frederick Knodell**, DEng'29, BEng'32(TUNS), of Halifax, on Apr. 22, 1991. He taught science and math in Halifax city schools as a teacher and principal.

**Morton Kitaeff**, BA'30, BCom'31, LLB'34, of Montreal, on Mar. 4, 1991.

**Olga Ross (McKay) Martell**, Arts'30, of Halifax, on Feb. 21, 1991. She was a librarian at Dalhousie for many years.

**Manning Clifford Archibald**, BSc'31, BEng(TUNS), of Halifax, on Apr. 20, 1991. Most of his career was spent in Montreal with Monenco Ltd.

**Basile Bernard Belliveau**, BSc'31, of Belliveau's Cove, N.S., on Mar. 26, 1991.

**Dr. Earle Street Ebers**, BSc'31, PhD'36 (Harvard), of Washington Depot, Conn., on Aug. 15, 1990.

**R. Ernest Morley**, LicMusic'31, BMusic'32, of Dartmouth, on Feb. 4, 1991. He was a music teacher and director, a former concert chairman and director of the Dartmouth Community Concert Association.

**Dr. Alexander Gordon 'Sandy' MacLeod**, MD'32, of West Petpeswick, N.S., on Feb. 24, 1991. In 1959, after several years of general practice in Dartmouth, he was named chief medical officer on Workers' Compensation Board where he served until retirement in 1973.

**Dr. William Windsor Bennett**, MD'33, of Bridgewater, N.S., on May 8, 1991. He established a medical practice in Bridgewater in 1934 and was a senior staff member at Dawson Memorial Hospital from 1934-67.

**Gordon Donaldson Dowell**, Medicine'34, of Woodville, N.S., on Mar. 6, 1991. He taught school throughout Nova Scotia in Musquodoboit, Middleton and Halifax.

**William Gordon Foster**, BCom'34, of Ottawa, on Nov. 19, 1990. He retired as general manager of the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa, after more than 40 years in hotel management from Newfoundland to Alberta.

**Daniel Ross Cobb Harvey**, QC, BA'35, LLB'37, of Toronto, on Feb. 11, 1991. He was awarded both the Carswell Prize and University Medal in 1937. He began his

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law career in Halifax and served as a lieutenant, RCNVR during World War II. He moved to Toronto in 1945 and practised law there until his retirement.

**William Allister 'Al' Reid**, BCom'35, of Amherst, N.S., on Feb. 12, 1991. He owned and operated Reid's Book Store from 1948-83. After retirement he wrote weekly articles for the *Amherst Citizen*.

**Rev. James Murdoch Wilson Beveridge**, BA'36, of Halifax, on Dec. 25, 1990. He ministered to several congregations in Nova Scotia until retiring in 1979. He was chaplain with the R.C.A.F. from 1951 until his retirement with the rank of squadron leader in 1970.

**Gwenlyn Jean Rand**, BCom'36, of Yarmouth, N.S., on May 1, 1991.

**John Benedict Ashley**, BA'37, of St. John's, Nfld., on Jan. 4, 1991.

**C. Wilkie Grant, QC**, LLB'37, of Guysborough, N.S., on Feb. 27, 1991. He established a law office in Guysborough in 1939. At the time of his death he was the oldest practising lawyer in Nova Scotia.

**Douglas Kenneth Lavers**, Engineering'39, of Halifax, on Apr. 20, 1991. He owned and operated Laver's Dry Cleaning for a number of years.

**Dr. Joseph Irving McGill-vray**, DPharm'39, MD'48, of Amherst, N.S., on Oct. 1, 1990. He completed his specialty certificate in anesthesia at McGill in 1961. He received the Clayden Medal, silver, in 1933 and the National Canadian Drugs Ltd., Halifax Branch, gold medal in 1939. During his career, he practised in Arichat, N.S., and Kingston and Cornwall, Ont.

**Margaret Augusta (Mack) Ross**, BA'40, MA'41, MLS'72, of Halifax, on Feb. 25, 1991. She taught for five years in Halifax City Schools. In 1971 she became a library consultant and in 1974 she was appointed supervisor of library services for the Halifax City District School Board, retiring in 1987.

**Harry Spencer Granter**, BA'43, of Halifax, on Dec. 22, 1990. He joined the University of King's College faculty (and thus was also a professor at Dalhousie) in 1952. He retired from full-time teaching in 1981, but continued as a part-time lecturer at Dalhousie until 1989. In 1988 he was appointed assistant dean (students) in the Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences at Dalhousie.

**Jean Stewart MacLellan**, Arts'43, of Halifax, on Dec. 20, 1990.

**Dr. Richard Francis Cameron**, DDS'44, of Dartmouth, on Mar. 22, 1991. He had a private practice in Dartmouth for more than 30 years.

**Jean Mary (Cornelius) Outhit**, Commerce'45, of Halifax, on Feb. 12, 1991. She was a long-time employee of the Nova Scotia Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities.

**Dr. Peter Godfrey Loder**, MD'47, of Belleville, Ont., on Mar. 20, 1991.

**Angus George MacKenzie**, Masters'48, of Calgary, on Mar. 24, 1991.

**Dr. Francis Joseph 'Frank' Misener**, MD'48, of Kentville, N.S., on Mar. 6, 1991. He was appointed to the staff of the Nova Scotia Sanatorium in 1948.

**Stanley Eugene O'Brien**, BCom'48, of Kemptville, N.S., on May 11, 1991. He was founder and director of Forchu Forest Management.

**Dr. Wilbur Kirkpatrick Taylor**, BSc'48, MD'52, of Yarmouth, N.S., on Jan. 29, 1991.

**Frederick James Munro, Sr.**, BCom'50, of Halifax, on Jan. 15, 1991. He worked for Prudential Assurance of England since 1949.

**Clara Belle (Barnes) Howse**, DPharm'52, of St. John's, Nfld., on Aug. 31, 1990.

**John Martin Reeves**, BSc'52, of Ottawa, on Oct. 28, 1990.

**Hon. Leonard Lawson Pace**, LLB'53, of Halifax, on Mar. 23, 1991. He was elected MLA for Halifax St. Margaret's in 1970 and held several cabinet portfolios from 1970-78. He was appointed justice of the Supreme Court, Nova Scotia Appeal Division, in 1978 and served in that capacity until his retirement in 1990.

**Frederick Joseph Flynn**, LLB'56, of Kingston, Ont., on Nov. 11, 1990.

**Laurie Donald Lovett**, Law'57, of Queensland, N.S., on Feb. 7, 1991. For many years he worked in the life insurance industry and most recently worked for Yellow Cab Company.

**Leonard Earl Tilley Clarke**, BA'58, BEd'61, of Dartmouth, N.S., on Mar. 14, 1991. He was a former principal and teacher with the Halifax District School Board.

**Francois Chavy**, Arts'62, of Baie d'Urfe, P.Q., on Dec. 20, 1990. As a tour operator, he was vice-president for Sunflight and Mirabel Tours.

**John Hardison Hartlen**, BCom'63, DPA'73, of Waverley, N.S., on Feb. 20, 1991. He was em-



**RICHARD BENNETT HATFIELD**, LLB'56, of Ottawa and Fredericton, N.B., on Apr. 26, 1991. He was premier of the province of New Brunswick from 1970-87. In 1990 he was appointed to the Senate.

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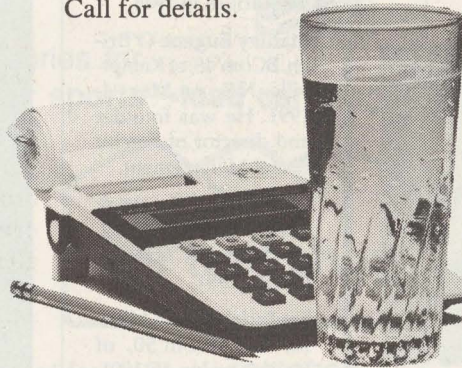
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ployed with the provinces of Nova Scotia and Ontario, and Dalhousie University. He was a local author and historian, having published a book, *Gold: Wealth of Waverley*.

**Margaret Mary Abraham**, DNSA'64, of Dartmouth, on May 3, 1991.

**Robert Murray Creighton**, BCom'67, of Toronto, on Mar. 5, 1991.

**Jean Elizabeth (Saunders) MacDonald**, RN, DNSA'68, of Halifax, on Jan. 24, 1991. She worked at the Victoria General Hospital until retirement.

**LCdr. Douglas Scott Dewis**, BSc'70, of Victoria, B.C., on Dec. 16, 1990. During his 20 years in the Canadian Navy he served as executive officer of H.M.C.S. Saskatchewan and as senior staff officer of Maritime Forces Pacific Headquarters.

**Paul Arthur Coulstring**, BA'71, BEd'72, of Dartmouth, on Jan. 30, 1991. He taught for the past 18 years for the Halifax District School Board and was owner and operator of Surfside Inn Bed and Breakfast, Queensland, N.S.

**Charles 'Neil' Livingstone**, BCom'73, of Montreal, on Apr. 15, 1991. A native of Sydney, N.S., he was manager, pricing of Via Rail.

**Paul Norman Edwards**, BCom'75, of Armdale, N.S., on Dec. 31, 1990. He was president of Edwards Fine Foods Limited.

**Dr. Estelle V. Laberge**, MSc'75, PhD'80, on Dec. 17, 1990. Upon graduation she returned to her native Quebec to work with DFO at the Maurice Lamontagne Institute.

**Frank Sanford Mendleson**, BA'76, of Windsor, Ont., formerly of Glace Bay, N.S., on May 17, 1991. He was a businessman as well as a performer and director in both Sydney and Windsor.

**Bernard Lawrence Yeadon**, BA'76, of Vancouver, on Jan. 13, 1991.

**Michael Christian Salkin**, BA'78, BEd'79, of Halifax, on Mar. 18, 1991. He was employed with Metropolitan Authority, Metro Transit Division.

**Peter Dennis Falconer**, Arts'80, of Vancouver, formerly of Halifax, on Apr. 5, 1991.

**Dr. Philip Chris Sinanan**, PostGrad-Med'83, of Vancouver, on Nov. 30, 1990.

**Dr. Gwendolen Margaret Carter**, LLD'84, of Orange City, Fla., on Feb. 20, 1991.

Due to space constraints, the class notes co-ordinator reserves the right to edit written submissions.



# "A kind of magic": Remembering Ted Wickwire

by Harry Flemming (LLB '58)

He had it all — and then some. Ted Wickwire was born with money, brains, social position, good looks and athletic ability. Along the way he added character, charm and when needed most, rare courage. To his university, his profession, his church, his community, his political party, his family and friends, he brought dedication and warmth, talent and compassion.

He made friends easily and never lost any. I was privileged to be one of them. And now, at 52, he's gone.

I first met Ted when he was a first-year commerce student at Dalhousie and I was a second-year law student. Sigma Chi, like every other fraternity on the campus (actually off the campus) wanted him as a member. We were fortunate to get him.

Unlike some other gifted students who are admired, even envied, but not really liked, Ted was admired, envied and loved. Even then, all knew that he was truly special. And if he knew that, he never showed it. He was a modest man, with much to be immodest about.

As another friend said of him, "Ted had a kind of magic about him." You felt better just being in his presence. He was a delightful companion — generous, witty and kind.

You had the feeling that he could have done anything he wanted to. With all his qualities, I thought he would become premier of the province — or more. Under different circumstances, he might well have.

As it was, his accomplishments were worthy of his early promise. At Dalhousie, he was twice named male athlete of the year, captaining and



*Ted Wickwire was "truly special." At Dalhousie, he was an outstanding student, and both captain and quarterback of the football team.*

quarterbacking the football team while playing on the varsity basketball team. He was a top student and leader in student politics. Later he served on the university's board of governors for 13 years.

His tireless work on behalf of the Nova Scotia Barristers' Society over many years led to his election as president of the society in June, 1990.

All this while waging a decade-long

battle against cancer, a disease to which he lost his first wife. I never knew him to lose his good cheer or determination during all those difficult years.

Like the Bard, Ted could find "tongues in trees, books in the running brooks/Sermons in stones, and good in everything." During a bout with shingles, he discovered Beethoven. His music, he said, was the only relief he could get from the acute pain.

The hundreds of people who turned All Saints Cathedral in Halifax into standing room only on March 23 were testimony to the regard in which Ted was held. Each of those people had their own memories. My own thoughts turned to Wordsworth: "That best portion of a good man's life/His little, nameless, unremembered acts/Of kindness and of love."

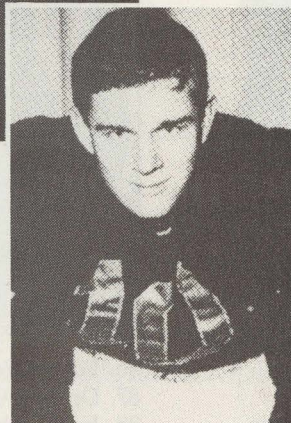
I would like to think there was — is — some Higher Purpose to the suffering Ted and his family were forced to endure. Certainly, for one to whom so much was given, too much was taken away.

If nothing else, his life and his passing should serve as a stiffening example to the rest of us less endowed with his

courage. If he showed us how a good man should live his life, he also showed us how a brave man faces death.

We have much to remember Ted Wickwire for. The world is a poorer place without him.

*F.B. (Ted) Wickwire (LLB '62) died in Halifax on March 22, 1991.*



# Brylcreem, bobs and war stamps

In late 1940, young people at Dalhousie — like Canadians everywhere — went about their daily lives in the shadow of a world again at war.

Student scribes filled the *Gazette* with provocative, if sometimes nervous, musings about democracy, fascism and regimented training. Prime Minister Mackenzie King urged universities to try to function as normally as possible. On campus, Dal President Carleton Stanley warned that “university students, like all other men and women, cannot escape the grim facts.”

Students did manage to escape the war hysteria occasionally. Young men — when not studying or marching through required military training in Studley gym — Brylcreemed their hair and headed down to Barrington Street to dine at the Green Lantern.

The women of Shirreff Hall, urged to “aid the cause” by joining the Red Cross, still found time to primp their bobs, polish dirty saddle shoes and pull out their best cardigans for an annual photograph.

“Red-headed dynamo” Ruth McQuarrie, the first female

president of Dalhousie’s Glee Club, was there for the photo. So was Joan “Blackie” Blackwood. She whisked around campus involved with student council, the *Gazette*, the Glee Club, and still managed to captain the women’s basketball team that year. Rose Goodman was also there. Later a victim of those “grim facts,” she was the first RCAF (women’s division) casualty of World War Two.

A half-century has passed since the photograph below was taken but its appearance in the Summer 1990 *Dalhousie Magazine* sparked many memories. More than 20 people wrote or called — from Canada, the U.S. and France — to help identify faces.

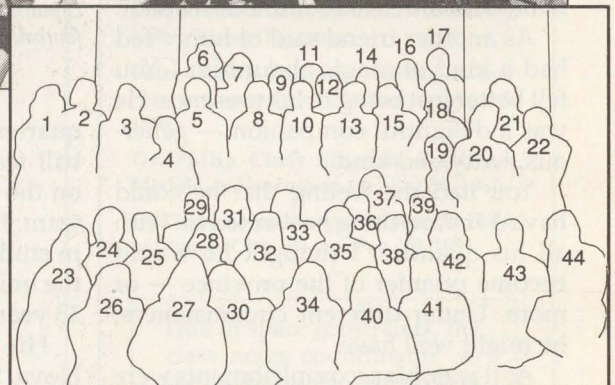
One alumnus recognized Betty Bligh and recalled: “She grounded me for one week because John kissed me outside Shirreff Hall one day at 2 p.m.” Another identified Janet (MacLean) Berzins as the youngest girl to have attended Dalhousie in the ‘40s. In her first year, at age 15, she was too young to live at Shirreff Hall.

*Dalhousie Magazine* and university archivist Charles Armour thank those who helped identify the photo.

1. Ruth (McQuarrie) Dunsmore
2. Joan (Blackwood) Fawcett
3. Elizabeth (Bligh) Shatford
4. Edna Menger
5. Janet (MacLean) Berzins
6. Elizabeth (Littlejohns) Curry
7. Grace (Burris) Henry
8. Dorice McNeill
9. Unidentified
10. Eileen (Mader) Reilly
11. Doris (Simmonds) Bradley
12. Natalie (Hermans) Hampton
13. Margaret (Graham) Brackett
14. Betty (Gilliatt) O’Hanlon
15. Marion Gaynor
16. Inez (Smith) Sunderland
17. Ruth (Graham) Ballem
18. Rose Goodman
19. Rowena (Benson) Robb
20. Audrey (Holdsworth) Charman
21. Constance (Spinner) Chernin
22. Kay (Finnamore) Samuelson
23. Eleanor “Norie” (Douglas) Wiswell
24. Muriel (Barry) Kirkpatrick
25. Unidentified
26. Katherine (Robinson) Tweedie
27. Christine (Cameron) McDade
28. Unidentified
29. Anne (MacKley) Fraser
30. Joan (Ballen) Malcolm
31. Xenia (Reid) Dunn
32. Anne (Seaborne) Jones
33. Anita (Rosenblum) Dubinsky
34. Mary (Johnson) Woodbury or Katherine (Robinson) Tweedie
35. Gertrude Gunn



36. Edith (Wolfson) Coleman
37. Dr. Jean (Macdonald) Lawson
38. Isabel (McKean) Pope
39. Helen (Parker) Fraser
40. Daphne (Christie) Turnbull
41. Frances (Patchell) Battle
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