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Sports

roundup

Lancers finish off season by tripping basketball Blues

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While athletes from across the nation closed out the first Canadian Winter Games in Quebec City at the weekend, basketball and hockey wars continued on several other fronts.

In the Ontario-Quebec Athletic Association's western division, top-ranked Windsor Lancers rounded

out their 9-1 basketball season by tripping University of Toronto Blues 93-81.

Earlier in the week, the Blues ran roughshod over last-place Guelph Redmen, 105-54, to lock up a third place spot in the league.

At Waterloo, the Warriors ended their disappointing two-win, seven-loss season by bowing to second-place University of Western Ontario 76-67.

In the Maritimes, St. Mary's University Huskies moved a game ahead of second-place Dalhousie Tigers by their impressive 140-113 win over St. Dunstan's Saints.

DANIELS LED WAY

Leading the Huskies in their romp was a new league scoring leader Jim Daniels with 44 points. Dalhousie has a game in hand over St. Mary's in the Maritime conference.

In other weekend basketball action, University of Manitoba Bisons ended a 22-game losing streak while gaining a split with Alberta Golden Bears.

Bears won the first game 87 to 80, but were toppled 82-73 by the stampeding Bisons.

In Ottawa-St. Lawrence Athletic Association basketball eighth-place MacDonald College rolled over unranked Sir George Williams University 75-57, easily surviving a late rally which had brought Sir George to within four points with less than ten minutes left to play.

In hockey action, Waterloo Warriors assured themselves of a second-place tie in the Ontario-Quebec Hockey league by beating Queen's 5-2.

BLUES WIDEN LEAD

Friday night at Toronto, Varsity Blues defeated Western Ontario 10-4 to widen their league lead to 10 points. Toronto's Paul Laurent turned in a hat trick to bring his league-leading total to 24 goals.

University of Montreal Carabins handed McGill Redmen their seventh straight Ontario-Quebec Athletic Association loss Thursday night by stopping the Redmen 5-3.

Acadia Axemen exploded for six goals in a 10-minute overtime period to whip the Dalhousie Tigers 9-3, unleashing a 21-shot barrage in the overtime session.

Five titles on line

The Golden Bears, gold medallists in hockey at the First Winter Games in Quebec City, highlight a big sports weekend here.

Western Canadian Intercollegiate championships in five sports will be on the line Friday and Saturday, taxing campus and off-campus facilities.

Most prominent is a two-game showdown series between U of A Golden Bears and University of Manitoba Bisons. The series will decide the outright conference champion, although Manitoba has no chance at the title.

Coach Clare Drake's Bear icers have 24 points, two behind league-leading University of Saskatchewan Huskies. But Saskatchewan has completed its schedule, while Drake's club has the two remaining games against Manitoba.

One win in the two games will give Alberta its second straight league crown and a berth in the Olympiad '67 national college championship at Edmonton March 9-11.

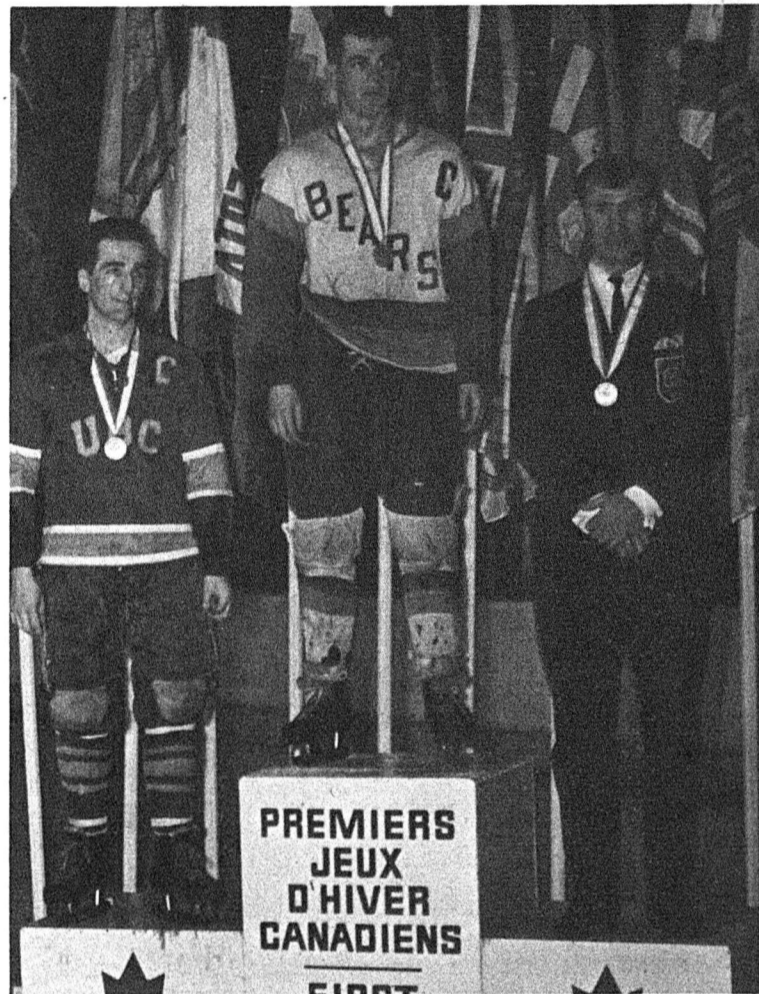
The first Alberta-Manitoba game is tabbed for 8:00 p.m. Friday, and will be followed by a moccasin dance at Varsity Arena. Saturday's game starts at 2:30 p.m., also at Varsity Arena.

Friday will also see the start of play in WCIAA championships in badminton, fencing, and wrestling.

Badminton is slated for the Royal Glenora Club, fencing for the New Education Building gymnasium, and wrestling for the West Gym of the Physical Education Building.

Well-known local players Alf and Pauline Ingall are coaching Alberta's badminton squad. Fran Wetterberg is fencing coach, a post he has held since 1940. Bruce Switzer is in his sophomore year as wrestling coach.

All three sports continue Saturday at the same sites. Meanwhile, the WCIAA gymnastics championship is scheduled for Saturday in the Physical Education Building main gym.



—Neil Driscoll photo, courtesy Campus Squire
BEARS TOP 'EM ALL
... Brian Harper, centre, wears gold medal



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DEFENCE NO PROBLEM—By the looks on their faces the Bears look as though somebody might score. But thanks to scenes like this the opposition didn't score too often and the Bears won the gold medal at the Quebec Winter Games.

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