

MUN upsets Rebels

By NORMA CODY

Memorial Beothuks, the men's volleyball team who finished fourth last season and rather deservedly so after having won no matches whatsoever, will this year be a team to be reckoned with. They visited UNB this past weekend with almost all of last season's players returning greatly improved offensively and defensively. Key addition Steve Noseworthy is also one of the team's strongest assets. Noseworthy, a power hitter, sat last season out following his return to Memorial from Dalhousie. Offensively he scored some 30 kills and defensively approximately 6 blocking stiffs in two matches. UNB had problems shutting down this spiking machine.

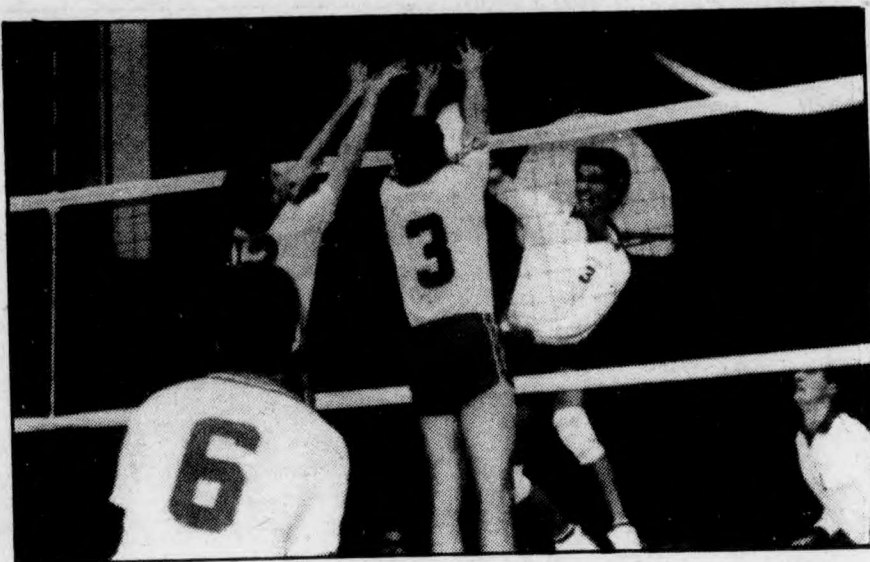
Memorial won both Saturday's and Sunday's matches 3-1. Saturday's meetings was close and well fought by each team with UNB finally losing 15-13, 15-17, and 15-10. Sunday was less exciting with

MUN dominating all games, leading each one off with three quick points. Scores of that match were 15-9, 11-15, 18-16, and 15-16. Harvey MacEachers, UNB power hitter was number one offensively, posting 13 kills.

The weekend's losses drop UNB to third place with a record of 1-4. Memorial, however, sits comfortably in second place with a record of 4

-2, after having blanked U de M 3-0 in a couple of matches two weeks ago. Dalhousie is in first place with no losses.

This weekend UNB will travel to Dalhousie for an AUSA tourney. This is the Rebels big chance to show all the AUSA competition that they will be eagerly striving to regain one of the top two positions again.



File Photo: Action from Rebels' last tournament

Herb's NHL puck-ups

This week I have to start my column with the famous quote "KILL, MAIM, and DESTROY." This quote comes from the die-hard Bruin fan Tim "The Inhaler" Steeves. Tim said this after the Bruins beat the Montreal Canadiens 3-2 in Montreal. It's great to see Boston beat Montreal again. Hopefully they'll be able to destroy the Canadiens in the playoffs as well. Love those Bruins.

Unfortunately Montreal continues to have a good season, with two shutouts this past week. The first came in a rarity that being a 0-0 shutout against the Hartford Whalers. The goalies involved were Brian Hayward for Montreal and Mike Liut. Liut leads active goalies in career shutouts. Montreal also got a shutout with Patrick Roy in nets. Roy was back after an 8 game suspension and looked sharp according to Stephen Marks. The game was against the Black Hawks and cooled off the super hot Denis Savard and Doug Wilson.

This year another Hull broke into the NHL mainstream. Bobby's son Brett is a rookie with the Calgary Flames. Of course, a nickname like the Golden Flame doesn't

quite work. Despite the pressure of following in Bobby's footsteps, Brett is having a great season. He is leading all rookies in points playing with Mike Bullard and John Tonelli. His competition for rookie of the year is so far coming from teammate Joe Nieuwendyk and Vancouver



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goalie Kirk McLean.

Among veterans Peter Stastny and Denis Savard are both off to "God-like" starts. That's right, their battling Gretzky for the lead in the scoring race. Mario Lemieux is lurking in their shadows. Doug Wilson has become the top scoring defenseman in Paul

Coffey's absence. It sure is nice to have him in a hockey pool.

One team that is having major problems right now is the New York Rangers. This team just finished losing 8 in a row. The losing streak certainly puzzled Trader Phil. He made a 2 to 1 trade with Vancouver to get Michel Petit. But unfortunately for Phil, Petit won't be enough to solve the defensive problems. Phil is going to have to go after Paul Coffey next. The amazing part of the Ranger losing streak is that their offense, led by Podubny and Dionne couldn't buy them a win. Yes, defense still wins hockey games.

Speaking of losing streaks the Maple Leafs quickly lost 3 in a row after I complimented them in this column. Then, after that display of imperfection, the Leafs were nearly perfect in shutting out Philadelphia 6-0. The Leafs just can't be figured out. The Flyers are just as confusing as they are one of the worst teams in the early going. They aren't playing at all like the Stanley Cup finalists they were last year. Remember, the puck stops here.

P.S. Want a goalie? Sub-Zero is a free agent and has great stick work.

From
the
Litterbox

(Editor's Log - Brunsdate 122.11)

I was lucky enough to have a pass to last weekend's Montreal-Chicago NHL game and I went, fully intent on watching some good hockey.

After the second period at the Forum, I went out to the beer stall for a refill and was amazed to see a Montreal Canadiens goalie, in full gear, at the line-up in front of me. He was surrounded by autograph seekers, and he was carrying 23 water bottles full of beer.

From the back, I was sure it was Patrick Roy, but when he turned, I was in for a shock.

"Hi Chief."

"Oh No!" It was Stephen Marks, our intrepid sports reporter.

"Enjoying the game?" he asked.

"What are you doing here?" I demanded. "Where's the Redshirts story? Why are you wearing Patrick Roy's equipment?"

"Well, I already saw the Redshirts game, but I got a great new angle on the Canadien's game."

"What do you mean?" I inquired.

Suddenly, the siren went to start the third period.

"Sorry Chief, I gotta go" said Marks as he walked away on his skates.

And so I went back to my seat in the pressbox where, for some strange reason, CHSR's sports director had tied up Bob Cole and was covering the game for CBC.

Montreal (CP) High govern- Rwandan President is here." ment officials were stunned But Prime Minister Brian and surprised here Thursday Mulroney reportedly invited when Rwandan President Marks to speak before the Stephen Marks arrived unan- House of Commons on behalf nounced by crash-landing his of Rwanda.

Following the crash, President Marks and his

private jet into McGill's Molson Stadium. Marks, who claimed to have "entourage" went to the press come to Montreal to "watch a box where they proceeded to soccer game," was in good hold an impromptu govern- spirits after the crash landing, ment party while the wreckage and staggered from the plane was cleared from the field.

It is expected that President the grounds crew. There were Marks' mishap will not affect no injuries. the playing of the Canadian

External Affairs Minister Joe University soccer champion- Clark had "no idea why the ships which are to be held tomorrow.

Memo

To: Sports Editor, *the Brunswickan*
From: Sports Director, CHSR
Date: October 16, 1987

RE: Your stupid reporter Stephen Marks crashed into the bloody phone lines at Molson Station so that we couldn't broadcast the Red Shirts' game. If we find him, we'll kill him.

TELEGRAM

To Stephen Marks STOP Where is the story STOP Go and cover the Vanier Cup next weekend STOP Get pictures STOP Typewriter paper doesn't cost nearly that much STOP From your editor STOP