

CAN 'X' BE AXED BY 5?

Tomorrow Will Tell

All those who believe in superstition are invited to a gathering at the Lady Beaverbrook Rink tomorrow night to see if they can persuade the ol' crystal ball into pulling through for the Red Devils hockey team. Last Saturday night the Devils travelled to Antigonish seeking their lucky seventh straight win in Intercollegiate competition by battling the squad from St. Francis Xavier University who are seeking their unlucky thirteenth (?) Maritime Championship. Lady Luck just didn't show up, whether it was due to the hazardous travelling conditions or not, and the Devils went down to a 6-2 defeat at the hands of the X-men.

The boys in red started the game off on the right foot however when Henri Girard clicked on a passing play with Don Morrow and Ron Andrea but then St. F.X. began to roll. First Sheriff beat Read and it appeared as if the period would end in a deadlock but at 19:57 mark Neville Hicks pulled through for the home town crowd to put his X-men ahead 2-1 at the whistle.

The only scoring in the second period came at the 13:40 mark when Girard nailed down his second goal of the night to tie up the game 2-2.

The third and final stanza was all St. FX as they pumped home four unanswered goals, making the margin stand for the rest of the game and giving them a four goal lead going into the second game of the two game total goals to count series.

Of the twelve penalties called throughout the game, the Devils picked up five, but an aggressive St. F.X. squad took every advantage of the extra man.

Despite the four goal margin which UNB will have to overcome, the Devils will feel they may have gotten a bad game out of their systems and will be all out to make up for it Wednesday night.

SIDELIGHTS

Henri Girard, the man who played for St. F.X. two years ago, and by the way really bungled up the works for the Devils in the Maritime Playdowns, took no mercy on his former team-mates as he played spectacular hockey and scored UNB's only two goals.



HENRI GIRARD

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FINAL CURLING STANDINGS

	W	L	T	Pts.
Dalhousie	7	0	0	355
Acadia	6	1	0	292.5
UNB	4	3	0	260
King's	3	4	0	207.5
St. FX	3	4	0	205
N.S. Tech	2	4	1	197.5
Mt. A.	0	5	2	152.5
St. Mary's	1	5	1	150

Car Rally Big Success

On Saturday, March 5th, fifteen cars entered the 1st Winter Rally organized by the newly formed UNB Sports Car Club. The sport of rallying is extremely popular in Europe with big events like the Monte Carlo Rally and the Alpine Rally, and is becoming increasingly so in Canada and the United States; but as far as we know this is the first event of the kind to be organized in New Brunswick. Judging from the success of this rally, it won't be the last.

Cars, containing a team of driver and navigator, left the start at the University at two minute intervals, to drive over a route laid out on highways and country roads in the Keswick Ridge - Millville area. Conditions on Saturday afternoon were good despite warnings of heavy snowfall. Drivers experienced a little snow and the country roads were often very icy, but the rally scheduled was fairly easy and nobody had any difficulty in maintaining the averages. On one stage a signpost they were looking for was hidden by a snow bank and all 15 cars found themselves in a deserted lumber yard, but otherwise the event went without mishap. The rally was notable for keenness and good humour among the competitors.

Cars were required to maintain a certain average speed, with four controls and three secret checks spaced out along the route to check the timekeeping. Cars arriving at a control or check early or late lost points, one per minute, and the car finishing the rally with the least penalty was therefore the winner — in this case two cars shared the honour. Scoring on this basis, rewards teams that drive the route accurately and on schedule. The competition was keen and the results were therefore very close; although it was a relatively easy rally it still required some skill to drive it properly and even the winning team lost some points. The results showed that it was the teams themselves that decided the result, and not the cars, as the winners were a sports car and a small family car. Both winning teams were presented with a silver cup as a trophy.

Complete Official Results

Place	Car No.	Driver, Navigator and Car	Points lost
1	3	Bob Melville - Dick McCormack (Triumph TR3)	2
	13	David Wright - John Shackleton (Volkswagen)	2
3	4	Avery McCordick - Tom Doyle (Renault)	3
4	1	Mike Robbins - Blake Williams (MGA)	4
	12	Tom Graham - Ed Amyiot (Volkswagen)	4
6	6	Charles Wood - Robert Walker (Ford Falcon)	5
	2	Walter Van de Poll - Eric Rankin (Vauxhall)	5
	9	Carl Rubino - Bernie Waatinen (MGA)	5
	11	Stuart Yake - Bob Winegar (Volkswagen)	5
10	15	Steve Sadler - A. Edington (Triumph TR3)	6
11	14	Jerry Scarfe - Dave (Hotrod) Fairbairn (Austin-Healey)	
12	8	Bill Cooper - Brian Hough (Austin Healey)	11
	10	Bob DeWitt - John Keirstead (Volkswagen)	11
14	7	J. Allen - D. Sharpe (Volkswagen)	13
15	5	John Duncan - Judy Grant (MG-TD)	22

The UNB Sports Car Club will be organizing more rallies late in the year, as well as other driving events if a suitable course can be found.

Curlers Take Third Place

Last week the UNB varsity curling team placed third in the Maritime Intercollegiate Curling Championships held in Sydney, N.S.

Dalhousie University again proved to be the powerhouse in college curling circles as they took the top spot for the third consecutive year. Acadia University gained the runner-up position losing only to the defending champions. UNB followed Acadia in the final standings of the eight team round-robin play.

In the first round of the bonspiel, UNB romped over St. Mary's University 10-3 to appear as a strong contender for the championship trophy. The picture soon became hazy as the red and black team dropped the remaining three games of the first day. Two of these losses were by only one rock while the third was a decisive victory for Dal after they had gained a commanding early lead in the game.

The UNB team highlighted the second day's play as they came back strong, winning all of their remaining matches to hold down third spot in the final standings.

The members of the UNB team are Fred Fowler, skip; Eric Jamieson, mate; Peter Kilburn, second; Doug McKinley, lead; and Bob Nelson, spare.

Summary of UNB scores — UNB 10, St. Mary's 3; St. FX 7, UNB 6; Dalhousie 11, UNB 3; Acadia 8, UNB 7; UNB 12; Mt. A. 5; UNB 4, King's 3, UNB 8, N.S. Tech 5.

PUBLISH

(continued from page 3) take the bait and they get properly hooked. He has published a number of books of poetry. The most recent is called *Descent*



This week's Sport Star, Diane 'Dede' Smith, graduates this year with her Physical Education degree after leading the Red Bloomers to two consecutive Women's Inter-collegiate Titles.

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