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Alberta Competitors Capture Judo Honors

University of Alberta competitors copped the majority of titles at the Jasper Place Judo tournament last weekend.

U of A's Ron Powell won the brown belt division. Another collegian, Ken Shannon, took top honors in the green belt division, with teammate Don Hames finishing second.

Dale Blue of Alberta won the orange belt section. In addition, U of A's five-member team swept to the team title. Members were Powell (captain), Blue, Shannon, Hames and Bob McCauley.

U of A was one of eight teams entered in the one-day tourney. Other clubs came from Lethbridge, Calgary, Penhold, Red Deer, Saskatoon, Rosemary and Edmonton.

The tournament was an open competition, with each club eligible to enter the white, yellow, orange, green, blue, brown and black belt divisions. The clubs were also allowed to enter five-man teams.

Referee-in-chief was Y. Senda of Lethbridge, President of the Alberta Kodokan Black Belt Association. The U of A team was coached by Ray Kelly.

Men's Intramurals

St. Joseph's, Education Cop Intramural Basketball Titles

By Larry Duignan

The intramural basketball season has completed its yearly run with a week of play-off games.

The league winners at the end of the regular schedule were as follows: In the first division—Delta Upsilon A (11-1); St. Joe's A (11-1); Arts and Science A (10-0); St. John's A (10-1).

The second division league winners were: Education B (10-2); Residence Upper B (9-2); Phys Ed C (12-0); and Phi Delta Theta C (12-0). With only one league in the third division the winner, Education F was automatically awarded the championship.

Commencing on February 17 the league winners began battling for their respective division titles, in a single round-robin tournament.

The first games saw Arts and Science A edging St. John's 37-34 with Takacs sinking 12 points for the winners and Lazaruk scoring 15 for St. John's.

St. Joe's also had some difficulty as they had to overcome an 18-16 half-time deficit in order to out-defend Delta Upsilon 35-32. Julius Kiss was the big gun for the winners with 18 points. Later that same evening the DU's drubbed St. John's 59-42 with Bob Ruff netting 21 points for the Greeks and Sere diak dumping in 26 for the losers. St. Joe's, on the other hand, squeaked by Arts and Science 52-51.

The second division, with only two games the first night, saw Phys Ed retain its unbeaten streak by a 54-41 margin over previously unbeaten Phi Delta Theta. Larry Lerbekmo paved the way for the victory with 14 points. The Phys Ed grads on the Education B team came through as expected by lashing Residence 61-35. Len Luders lofted in 19 followed by Harry Sutton with 17 and Roy Filipek with 14. Lorne Ihme sunk 17 for the losers.

The following night Ihme dumped in 23 as Res Upper downed the Phi Deltas 44-40, and then 18 more before succumbing to Phys Ed 63-34. Lerbekmo once again stood out, this time netting 24 points. Education, meanwhile had little difficulty in bombing the Phi Deltas 48-16 as Luders rifled home 15 more.

The stage was now set for the finals with Education faced with the task of ending the Phys Eders' 14-game winning streak. However, having a five-year age advantage over the freshmen team had its handicaps. Garry Naylor sprained his ankle early in the going and Al Merrick twisted his.

The Phys Ed crew took full advantage of these facts and at half-time had the top end of a close 31-30 score. However, Luders and Sutton came through with 18 points apiece and the old men managed

to squeak a 50-48 victory and the second division title.

In the first division finals, St. Joe's lengthened a 33-8 half-time lead to a 75-18 triumph over St. John's, which gave them the CURMA trophy as the outstanding intramural basketball team of 1965. In the battle for the runner-up slot in the first division, Delta Upsilon bruised Arts and Science 49-39.

The overall play-off picture indicated Julius Kiss, the St. Joseph's College teams' captain as the outstanding player as he fired in 56 points over the two-night affair.

Thus ended basketball and in another week or so the hockey championship should be decided, as will the water polo title. Swimming results have been posted and badminton and wrestling should soon follow. The squash and handball will have their respective winners announced by the weekend as well.

The draws for the single elimination tournament to decide these matters are posted in the intramural office and so far the biggest upset has been the defeat of Lance Richard in the singles handball competition by Ulrich Weiser.

The remaining eight players after one round are Roy Filipek, Bill Sereda, Gord Kling, Garry Naylor, Don Steele, Danny Gilmet, Murray Luft and Weiser.



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British Columbia Heavy Favorite In Varsity Swimming, Diving

Alberta's Golden Bear men's swimming and diving teams left Thursday for Saskatoon and the Western Canadian Intercollegiate

Athletic Association championships this weekend.

Golden Bears are faced with the difficult task of beating University

of British Columbia Thunderbirds if they are to bring home the WCIAA title.

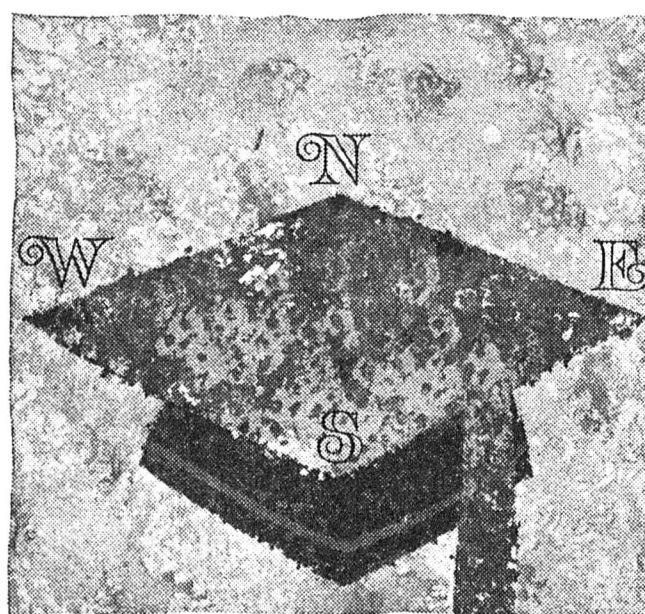
UBC drubbed Alberta 63-32 in a Feb. 13 meet at Vancouver.

University of Saskatchewan Huskies are also entered in the two-day meet which starts Friday. Golden Bears have beaten Huskies in the two meetings between the teams this year.

The two top finishers in each event at Saskatoon will be eligible to compete in the first dominion championships at London, Ont., March 5-7.

Alberta coach Murray Smith believes he has five swimmers with solid chances of qualifying for the London trip. They are Larry Maloney in the 500-yard freestyle; John Byrne in the 100- and 200-yard breaststroke; Stan Brown in the 200-yard freestyle and 100-yard butterfly; Murray McFadden in the 1,650-yard freestyle; and Terry Nimmon in the 100- and 200-yard backstroke.

McFadden bettered the conference record for the 1,650-yard distance in practice earlier this year. The event is not part of regular season swim meets, but is added for the WCIAA finals.



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