

# 'Showdown at High Noon' - Bloomers vs Tigerettes

On Saturday at 12:00 a.m. the Red Bloomers clash with the Dalhousie Tigerettes, last year's conference winners. UNB played them at the Mt. Allison Christmas Tournament where Dal led by one point at halftime and UNB won 66-56 in the end.

Saturday's match will be UNB's toughest game in league play. Come out and see the Bloomers establish their superiority in an exciting game of basketball.

On Tuesday, January 15 the Bloomers trounced the Mt. Allison Angels 83-23. UNB gained the upper hand from the starting whistle and maintained control in all aspects of the game. It was a floor show of basketball by the Mt. Allison squad who also seemed to lower the Red Bloomers quality of play.

Both teams had a large number of turnovers but UNB had a scoring percentage about double the Angels. Scoring was well balanced for the Bloomers who had six players in the double figures:

Fenety and Douthright - 14, Hansen and Joggin - 12, and Proude and Watts - 10. Juanita Pooley led Mt. A. with seven points.

In Saturday's contest against St. F. X., the Red Bloomers started out very slow, not scoring a single point until three minutes into the game when Kim Hansen, sunk a lay-up. From then it took the Bloomers eight minutes to take the lead. It was only due to Joyce Douthright's stealing the ball several times and scoring quick lay-ups that UNB managed to finish the first half leading the X-ettes 28-24. Douthright scored 14 points in that half to keep UNB alive.

After halftime the Bloomers became a different team. Within thirty seconds of the center jump UNB had scored twice. By three quarter time they had a 17 point lead which they maintained throughout the rest of the game as they went on to defeat St. F. X. 71-

53. Janet Proude played a fine second half scoring 21 points for a game total of 23.

The X-ettes were described by one spectator as "a one-man offense". That one man was ex-Bloomer, Helen Jensen who scored 18 points. She played an excellent game but the rest of the team did not have enough strength to back her up.

St. F. X. did show superiority in one area; foul-shooting. They were 15 for 22 from the line while UNB was 3 for 10.

### UNB 71 St. F. X. 53

Fenety	6
Wishart	4
Proude	22
Hansen	1
Joggin	8
Douthright	16
Watts	2
Bicknell	
Pederson	4
Holts	2
Donovan	
Lanning	

### Personal Fouls ...22

The Red Bloomers came close to breaking 100 for the third time in a 99-42 win over the Moncton Schooners in Moncton on Tuesday, January 22. Janet Proude scored 24 points in a strong first half which contributed to a 62-24 halftime score. Kim Hansen was high scorer for the game with an impressive 25 points. Three other Bloomers hit the double figures; Janet Goggin, Anne Fenety and Joyce Douthright with 12, 10 and 10 points respectively.

Chris LeBlanc was high scorer for the Schooners with 16 points.

### UNB 99 Moncton 42



The Red Bloomers maintained their dominance in league play last Saturday as they trimmed St. F. X. 71-53. Janet Proude and Kim Hansen (14) for UNB look on.

Photo by Kevin MacLachlan

## Red Rovers continue winning

The J.V. girls basketball team continued their winning ways in league play by downing their UNB Saint John rivals 63-45.

The Red Rovers got off on the wrong foot as UNBSJ won the center tap and quickly scored 2 points. The pace was quick and the Saint John girls widened their lead as the JV's had trouble finding the hole in the basket.

However, the Rovers kept firing and kept up the quick pace, continually stealing the ball. The better condition of the JV's soon showed as the Saint John players

soon tired and couldn't keep up with the pace. With about 5 minutes left in the half Jan Reichert stole the ball and broke away to score a lay-up.

This was one of her best games of the year, and her 2 points was the turning point for the Red Rovers. They came back to lead at the half 25-21.

In the second half the Rovers dominated the game as they continually intercepted Saint John passes and found the hoop, shooting 47 per cent from the floor. The JV's got stronger while Saint John kept

tiring but they just couldn't challenge the Rovers.

Debbie Barnett hooped 12 points for UNB while Jan Reichert sunk 11. Jackie Shanks and Ginny Doucet for UNBSJ led all scorers with 23 and 15 points, respectively.

### Line ups:

UNB - 63: Syvertsen - 2; Barnett - 12; Ferguson - 8; Reichert - 11; Best - 6; Reid - 6; Bliss - 6; Allard - 4; Camber, Mitchell - 4; Harris - 4.  
UNBSJ - 45: McDermott - 5; Doucet - 15; Walker, Dodds-Hebron - 2; Baird, Shanks - 23; Armstrong, Green.

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## Black Bears wrestle victory in Moncton Invitational

The University of New Brunswick Black Bears wrestling team swept to victory in the University of Moncton Open Invitational Tournament winning five of the nine weight classes which were contested.

The win was the eighth in a row for the UNB team stretching back to last season. The other universities competing in the tournament were Acadia, Dalhousie, St. Mary's and the University of Moncton.

The first place finishers for UNB were Paul Tremblay, 134 lb., Mike Ballack, 142 lb., Greg Knox, 150 lb., Aubrey McLaughlin 167 lb., and Gary Galloway, 177 lb.

Sean Barry of St. Mary's defeated Jim Rand (UNB) in the 126 lb. class to repeat the finals of last year's AIAA championship in that weight class.

In the 158 lb. class last year's champion Tom Murphy of Acadia, again repeated, besting Glen Edison who came in second.

The best performance of UNB's rookies was turned in by Aubrey McLaughlin who surprisingly won his weight class against opponents who had talent at least equal to his.

In 177 lb. Gary Galloway beat Regie Dupuis of Moncton who was last year's winner in this event.

Gary it will be remembered was last years winner in 190 and

dropped down a weight class this year so that he can possibly be better in the nationals which he has the talent to make.

John Johnson came through with a fourth place finish in 190 lb. class. The team performance was completed by John Dowd who came in third in the heavyweight division won by last years champion Haskell of Mount A.

Both John Johnson and John Dowd expect to do better in the nationals.

As there was nobody entered in the 118 lb. class, so UNB took 5 of the 9 weight classes contested and ended up with a meet winning 68 points. There were no pin points given at this meet.

This tournament will give fans a pretty good indication of how well UNB can do this year. There are only two teams that have not been wrestled this year. They are the ever powerful Memorial and St. F of X.

Tomorrow the Black Bears are the defending champions at the Acadia Invitational Open.

The Saturday after that UNB are the host to the UNB Invitational at which they are also defending champs. This meet should prove excellent from the fan stand point as it will be the final meet before the AIAA championships, and some fine wrestling will be viewed.