

# RAIDERS WIN WINTER GAMES TOURNEY

UNB Red Raiders emerged victorious, in the Winter Games Tournament held Dec. 29, 30, 31 at UNB after scoring two easy wins over Moncton St. Pat's (114-55) and Saint John Schooners (90-54) and eking out a close 57-52 victory over the surprisingly strong Fredericton Falcons. The Falcons had previously "upset" second-seeded Mount "A" 71-64. UNB proved the stronger however, especially by winning the tournament without the services of Dave Hill, out with a leg injury, Gary Crandlemire and Buddy Brander who have left the team because of academic pressure, and Ian Purvis who was ineligible.

**5 RAIDERS TO GAMES**  
Coach Nelson selected five members of his team for the twelve man team that will represent New Brunswick at the Winter Games Tournament Feb. 11-18 in Quebec City. The other seven members

were selected from the other teams participating in the tournament. The five Raiders are Captain Dan Patterson, Rick Cotter, Dave Hill, Dave Nutbrown and Rod Cox. Nutbrown was brilliant in the tournament scoring 74 points in three games (35,15,24). And Rod Cox, a freshman, was a delightful surprise to Coach Nelson scoring 55 points (20,20,15) and nailing down a starting position at guard. Cotter and Patterson, put forth with their usual steady rebounding and scoring effort, and Ken McAuslan filled in ably for injured Dave Hill.

**RAIDER-FALCON FINAL**  
The game between the Raiders and the Falcons was one of the best games seen at UNB in recent years. Both teams used very tight man-to-man defences and the score between the two teams never varied by more than two or three points throughout most

of the game. The score was 21-21 at the half. The Falcons pulled into a six point lead early in the second half, but apparently UNB's Nutbrown decided that he wasn't going to miss the Winter Games Tournament in his home province and promptly scored six or seven straight baskets to put the Raiders ahead to stay. Cotter then salted away the victory with two or three of his long "missile" shots.

It was a hard loss for the Falcons who had defeated overrated Mount "A" 71-64 and had improved with every game in the tournament. But they had the consolation that three Falcons - Bob Bonnell, Gary Smith (playing coach) and Terry McMullin were chosen to be members of the twelve man team that should be a strong representative for New Brunswick in the Winter Games Tournament at Quebec City.



Hill shoots for two against Aroostook in hoop action last Saturday at LBG. Patterson (partly hidden) and high scorer Seavey (25) wait for rebound.

## Red Raiders Boost Record to 6-2 in NECC

by RICK SIMMS and ASSISTANT

**With Two Week-end Victories**  
UNB Red Raiders are assured of their best season ever in the North East College Conference after their resounding 100-52 trouncing of Washington State Teacher's College last Friday night and a well-earned 65-54 win over Aroostook State Teachers' College on Saturday afternoon.

**Washington State Game**  
There's not too much to say about UNB's lopsided and unexciting victory over WSTC. UNB scored at will over the obviously outclassed opposition, and the final score was indicative of play throughout the game. Rick Cotter was worth watching - scoring 23 points on jump shots, drives and rebounds while playing only about half

the game. The second stringers played the other half and still ran roughshod over the Teachers' College. McAuslan, Kennedy and McMullin looked impressive. The biggest ovation of the night came when Dave Daye dropped in a foul shot for UNB's 100th point...

**Aroostook State**  
But on Saturday, fans had a lot more to cheer about. Aroostook were apparently determined not to get whitewashed like their Maine neighbours and matched UNB basket for basket until the fourth quarter of the game. Scores were 17-17 at the quarter, 30-29 UNB at the half, and 47-45 UNB at three quarter time. Cotter had been hitting consistently for UNB along with Seavey of ASTC throughout

the game but now UNB's two guards, Nutbrown and Cox, came to life and boosted UNB to a 62-49 lead with about two minutes left in the game. Cotter ended the game with 20 points and Nutbrown's 10 and Cox's 8 in the second half sewed up the victory. Hard-working Danny Peterson was superb on the boards and chipped in with 9 points. Dave Hill seems fully recovered from his leg injury after his 21 point performance.

**Hi Lites**  
Cotter had a tremendous week-end scoring 43 points, rebounding well and giving his usual strong defensive performance. Cox has surpassed all expectations with his accurate shooting, hard-working defence and speed on both offense and defence. Nutbrown and Cox may well provide the strongest background duo in the Maritime Conference.

**"X" and "Acadia" here next week-end**  
UNB plays host to Acadia this Friday night and St. F.X. on Saturday in two of the most important and probably exciting games of the year. UNB has its best chance in years

## Sports Scene

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