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by Ferlinghetti

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Sports wrapup

by Tom Barry

1969-70 was in many ways, a disappointing year for many Dalhousie athletes and their supporters. Yet one cannot help but concede that the Black and Gold deemed themselves potential threats in every department.

This past season has been by far, the most successful effort in many years and for the first time, Dalhousie gained national recognition in three major sports.

The Tigers had an extremely successful fall season with outstanding performances in football, field hockey and, most noticeably, soccer.

The gridiron Tigers gained third place in the Bluenose football conference, just behind St. F. X. and U.N.B., with their four wins and two losses record. Both defeats came at the hands of the first and second place teams. U.N.B. coach, Dan Underwood, was quoted by the Canadian Press as saying the Tigers provided his squad with the toughest competition of the year.

They also won the Lobster Trap by virtue of their victory over SMU.

The soccer Tigers, led by Basil Cole, captured one of three AIAA team championships for the Black and Gold. A real success story, the Tigers came from the depths of despair to supremacy during the '69 season and are to be applauded for their efforts. It is disappointing to see a team receive little, or no acclaim for success in the sport

which requires perhaps more conditioning and skill than any other varsity sport.

Most notable in the hockey story, was the team captain's supremacy in the scoring race. Ron Naud, former playing coach of the Dutch national team, led all scorers in the 10 team league; He was the main reason for the Tigers' fifth place finish, and a far superior record than past teams. The pucksters are looking forward to a playoff spot in the coming season. This is why Coach Walford is looking for even more recruits to stock the squad.

Al Yarr's hoopsters looked like world beaters all season, but failed to reach the top, much to the dismay of all. A last ditch effort by SMU, with eight seconds remaining in a playoff, gave the Huskies the required margin over the Tigers. The 10-2 record in league play made the Tigers the number one ranked squad in the nation at one time. This did little for the quintet at War Memorial Gymnasium. The Tigers must wait for yet another.

The girls basketball squad finished the season with a highly commendable record, but could not match the performance of the national champion, UNB Red Bloomers.

Ann Gass was the bright light of the swimming team, as she gained Maritime recognition for her victo-

ious performances in various meets. The pretty lass from Sackville, N. B., was named most valuable member of the squad and should do much for Dalhousie in ensuing years.

Captain Hugh Nicholson, who shared athlete of the year award with Larry Archibald, led the wrestling team to the AIAA championship under the guidance of Dr. Conly. Nicholson, an outstanding performer in football as well, captured the heavyweight class at the Maritime Championships.

Richard Munroe, Dave Bird and Jim Naugler represented Al Yarr's track squad in the national championship, held in Winnipeg early this year. The three athletes turned in creditable performances. Bird has been labelled as a potential national champion in the 440 and 880. The team also won the AIAA championship.

Overall, the performance of Dal athletes has not been outstanding but there is no doubt it is improving. The writers refuse to lavish praise on the Dal athletic program for an almost non-existent success in major sports, but will not hesitate in encouraging the fast improving performance of the administrators and the athletes.

A new athletic centre and a few more scholarships and we might be in business.

Coming Events

- Monday, April 6
 - Education Encounter 8:00 p.m., McInnes Rm.
 - Council meeting 7:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, April 7
 - Phil Bingley's birthday
- Wednesday, April 8
 - Eli
- Friday, April 17
 - Senate meeting 4:00 p.m., A&A. Plan to attend!

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