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## PANTHERS WIN TWO MORE

Jack Kane's Hockey Panthers are riding on top of the league tied with S.M.U. Huskies. Both teams are undefeated; the Panthers 4-0, and the Huskies 3-0. The Panthers picked up two wins on the weekend against Memorial Beothuks, 8-4 Saturday and 2-0 on Sunday.

Saturday night's game left a lot to be desired, the Panthers played sloppy hockey, Memorial were up for the game. It was a slacklustre game. In the first period the Panthers fell behind 3-0 as they constantly kept giving the puck away. Memorial jumped into a 1-0 lead at the 3:13 mark with Ron Kelly beating Jelly from close in. Thirty seconds later Memorial again found the range with Ed Ring pulling the trigger as he beat Jelly on a breakaway with a high shot. A. Hackett cut Memorial's lead to 2-1 when he beat Dewar on a screened drive with an assist going to Gus Houston. The Beothuks scored the final goal of the first period on a screened shot by Brian Brocklehurst. The Panthers were outshot 12-8 on the period.

In the second the Panthers came out with fire in their eyes, scoring five unanswered goals as they outplayed a disorganized Memorial squad. Bill Adams was the big man for the Panthers as he picked up three goals and an assist. Adams' play sparked the whole Panthers outfit as they fired 20 shots at Dewar in the Memorial Cage. Adams opened the scoring at 20 second mark as he beat Dewar on a low shot with assists going to Jack MacDonald and Bob Docherty. Adams scored again at 3:20 mark with an assist going to Docherty. Billy Weatherbie set up Adams

and the big Panther captain made no mistake as he rifled it by Dewar. The Panthers scored again at 13:03 when Bob Docherty shoved a loose puck by Dewar with an assist going to Bill Adams. The final goal of the period was scored by Jim MacDonald when he beat Dewar on a low shot will Billy Weatherbie picking up an assist. In this period the Panthers outshot Memorial 20-10. In the third period the Panthers increased their lead to 7-3 when L. Bedard let go with a blistering slapshot from twenty feet out which Dewar never even saw. John McCallum captain of Beothuks narrowed the lead to 7-4 as he scored from close in with an assist going to Ron Kelly. Howard Ellis closed out the scoring on a screened play from the point with assists going to Adams and Docherty. The final score of the game was 8-4 in favor of the Panthers. Referee Joe Coyle handed 14 penalties: twelve minors and two majors, with the two majors coming later in the third period.

On Sunday, the Panthers gave a better exhibition of hockey as they downed the Beothuks 2-0. The score was no indication of the play as the Panthers could have scored more but they were thwarted by the fine goal tending of Charlie Dewar in the Memorial Cage as he stopped 41 shots.

The big man for the Panthers was the goaltender Errol Ladner as he recorded the shut-out. Ladner mobbed by his team-mates at the end of the game was very happy because it was his first game in a Panther uniform and he made his debut a great one.

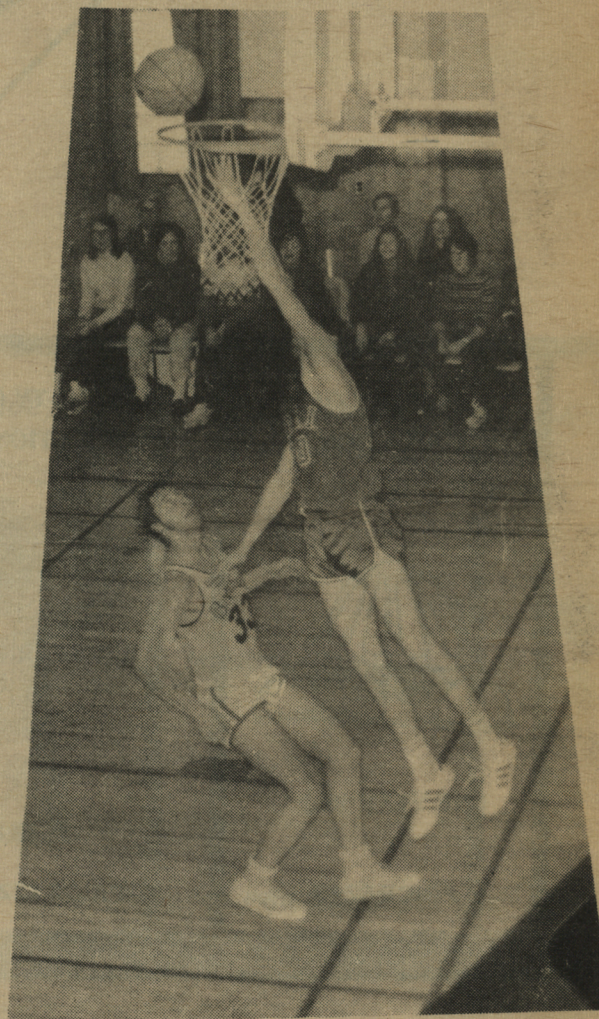
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Earl Nicholson's Varsity Panthers showing great ball control trampled MUN 89-46. The Beothuks were definitely not in the class of the Panthers as they were unable to stop the Panthers. The Panthers jumped into an 18-0 lead and at half time the Beothuks were 41-19. In the second half the Panthers again baffled the Beothuks as they scored 47 pts. MUN managed to pick up 27 points in this half. Ball control was the essence of the game as the Panthers continually held onto the ball thus not allowing the Beothuks to score.

Coach Nicholson decided it would be a good time to test his bench strength and as a result the scoring was pretty well divided among the team. John White and Jim Fitzgerald each scored 13 points, Joe Sullivan had 12, Vic Renfro and Dennis Marks each had 10, with Brian Lynch garnering 9 points while Bill Robertson scored 8.

Memorial was led by the twelve point performance of Ron Tobin. Ken Dowe and Gerry Wetzell each picked up 6 points.



In the second basketball game which the U.P.E.I. Panthers played with the Memorial University Beothuks last Sunday afternoon, the Panthers again showed their superiority over the visiting team as they doubled the Newfoundlanders 77-52.

Memorial opened the scoring in the first minute of the game, but the Panthers soon took the lead and proceeded to widen the gap. The Beothuks didn't get back on track until near the end of the first half. The score at half-time was 34-21 in favour of U.P.E.I.

With the start of the second half, the home team rapidly piled up the points under the leadership of Fitzgerald Robertson and White. The game then ran its course, with the Panthers coasting along on their lead, and keeping the Beothuks from going on a scoring spree.

High scorers for the Panthers were White (18 points), Fitzgerald (15 points) and Robertson (13 points).

Leading the scoring for the Beothuks were Koerpel (10 points) and Wetzell (9 points).

Coach Nicholson feels that these games were good warm-up exhibitions, in preparation for the opening games of the season this coming week-end. The Panthers will be at home to Mount Allison Friday night, and will tangle with St. Mary's Sunday afternoon in the Malpeque Gymnasium.

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