

# Mendham Monarchs cop SaskAlta championship

The Leader Barons' hopes for a three-years-in-a-row SaskAlta championship were dashed rather rudely Sunday when the Mendham Monarchs knocked them over 10-5. The stage for the upset was set when the two teams posted victories earlier in the day.

The first round of the day saw Leader trip the Burstall Braves 10-3. The winning pitcher was Allan Marshall, and the losing hurler was Harvey Schmidt.

Those hitting home runs for Leader were Greg Goldade and Paul Nagel, while Ken May hit one for Burstall.

The second contest saw Mendham slide by the Maple Creek Mohawks 3-2. Toeing the rubber for the Monarchs was Larry Bishoff, with Earl Berard absorbing the loss. Mendham collected six hits and committed one error. The

Mohawks picked up five hits and committed two errors.

Fine pitching by Ernie Moser, coupled with five errors and four passed balls by the Barons, enabled the red-hot Mendham team to dethrone the Barons. Ed Fauth, relieved in the seventh by Greg Goldade, was tagged with the loss.

Homers for the Monarchs were hit by Ernie Moser, Adam Fetsch, and Adolph Zubot. Circuit clouts for the Barons were stroked out by Ed Fauth and Allan Marshall.

Following the final game the trophy and pennant were presented to the deserving teams. It is hoped to have pictures of the presentation available for next week.

The league executive, consisting of Dan Isabelle of Maple Creek, president; vice president Lynne Hepfner of

Richmond; and Earl Berard of Maple Creek, secretary, extends thanks for the support given by baseball fans throughout the regular season and the playoffs.



SASKALTA LEAGUE CHAMPION MENDHAM MONARCHS. Standing, left to right: Gordon Stolz, Ernie Moser, Mervin Ginther, Larry Moser, Glen Ehnisz, Adolph Zubot, Bill Chacalias, George Marshall, coach Alex Jassman. Kneeling: Don Scherger, Ron Hittel, Larry Bishoff, Adam Fetsch, Harold Surina, and Gavin Davidson.