

DOLAN AND BEARDMORE WIN V.B. DOUBLES FINALS

On Sunday morning, December 19, the winners of the losers' bracket and the winners of the first round met in a three game match to settle the Senior Doubles Championship contest. Tommy Arnott and Sargent Kahanamoku, who were winners of the losers' bracket and also last year's tournament winners, met Bob Dolan and Jim Beardmore. Three games were necessary to decide the final outcome, each team winning one, naturally making the final game more hard fought and thrilling.

All three games brought out the best in skill, endurance, strategy and good clean sportsmanship and were enjoyed by a large gallery of interested member fans. The scores were 15-8, 12-15, 15-9.

Tournament winners and runners-up were: Winners, Dolan and Beardmore; second place, Kahanamoku and Arnott; third place, Parker and Barnhart.

While the scores were not close in any game they were not indicative of the real contest of each game. Every point was an individual struggle and the games were never on ice until the final point was made. Unfortunately, the day was a windy one and many good shots took on the appearance of luck, either good or bad, as a strong gust would change the course of a serve or a slam. Of course, the same weather affected both teams equally and neither side alibied or attempted to do so. The losers were hearty in their congratulations to the winners with a "It's tough to lose such a set but you don't mind so much when the games were so good." Sarge and Tommy are already planning their strategy for the next tournament, we are told.