

## In defence of our own

On August 23, the Telegraph Journal reprinted a Montreal Star story on Keith Lelievre, a local goalie who enjoyed many successes in Fredericton. Following the story, UNB Comptroller Don Sedgewick wrote to The Star to give his opinions. His letter, and the original story, are reprinted here.

Dear Sir:

The Saint John Telegraph Journal of August 23 last carried an article by you headed, "Keith Lelievre: Chicago's Secret Weapon", which I gather first appeared in the Montreal Star. I assume it was intended to be a humorous article although this is hard to determine since it is derisive of Coach Marcel Pronovost and his W.H.A. entry, the Chicago Cougars, and seems to make something of a buffoon of young Keith Lelievre.

Obviously you can say anything you wish about the Cougars, and, I suppose, about Keith, for that matter but the least to ask is that you be correct. Your comment that Keith plays "all hunched over with his legs crossed" may be a real howler to you, but in 80 or 90 games I have seen him play, I never detected such a stance. By the way, the nickname "Leaky" which you dwell on, was a name the players on the University of New Brunswick team used, essentially an affectionate one, and it is the kind of local term that only the players are entitled to use.

For your information, Keith was a gutsy, aggressive, always fine and often superb young goalie and gave the students many great evenings in Fredericton. He was also picked as

the outstanding goalie in Canadian hockey at the University level, which is something you could have mentioned, since you seemed to have considerable trivia otherwise.

Whether Keith could make the NHL is debatable, but he is likely capable of staying in the W.H.A. He has never lacked confidence, which is a good thing, since it is not likely to be bolstered by your remarks. Incidentally, Keith was a good student here, and both academically and sportively, is a credit to his University. We all wish him well.

Finally, if your stuff is to suggest that you are the Montreal Star's answer to Dick Beddoes of the Globe and Mail, I submit your employer's search has not ended.  
Yours very truly,  
D. G. Sedgewick  
University of New Brunswick

## 'We have a good team' Early

'We've got a good team again this year, and we'll have to be good with Dalhousie as strong as they are' were the words of Mal Early the coach of the UNB Red Harriers cross-country team.

Returning to this year's addition of the Harriers are Dick Slipp, Wayne Stewart, Doug Keeling, Ian Corder, Dave Beattie, Don Davis and Greg Gould, who sat out last year's campaign.

The only new addition to the team that has dominated cross-country in the maritimes for the last 11 years is Mike Corder. 'Of course, this may change said Early, we are having our first organizational meeting this Tuesday night'. Meeting time at the Lady Beaverbrook Gym is 7 p.m.

UNB will have an advantage this year at the AIAA championships, because they will host the title meet. 'The course, on the UNB woodlot will be the same course that we used when we held the Canadian championships here

last year", said Early.

UNB will attempt to live up to their reputation of hosting the best AIAA finals by having LeRoy Washburn as the title meet manager.

The track and field team will be beginning practices shortly. UNB will be hoping to field a team that will regain the honour they lost last year.

'We need people though, had a fellow in here on Wednesday who highjumps 6'5", if he can keep that up he will win the event for us,' said Early. I'm also planning to groom someone for the hammerthrow, there was only one entry last year, and needless to say he won the event. It will take work, but I think that we can find someone.'

As in cross-country UNB will host the track and field championships. The only drawback to this is that is to be held on the same weekend as the Red Bomber/Mount Allison football game. It is due to this home game that the meet will be held out at Oromocto.

## Intramural notes

**IMPORTANT** - It is imperative that entries be in the Athletics Department on the dates indicated and that each team have a representative at the scheduled organizational meetings.

All meetings will be held in the Lady Beaverbrook Gymnasium.  
**ACTIVITY, ENTRY DEADLINE,**

Golf, Thur., Sept. 14th, Sept. 14th at 1:00 pm; Tennis, Tue., Sept. 19th, Sept. 19th at 7:30 pm; Soccer, Tues., Sept. 19th, Sept. 19th at 7:15 pm; Softball, Wed., Sept. 20th, Sept. 20th at 7:15 pm; Flag Football, Thurs., Sept. 21st, Sept. 21st at 7:15 pm; Basketball, Wed., October 25th, Oct. 25th at 7:15 pm; Hockey, Tues., October 24th, Oct. 24th at 7:15 pm; Volleyball, Tues., Nov. 7th, Nov. 7th at 7:15 pm; Water Polo, Tues., Nov. 28th, Nov. 28th at 7:15 pm.

In League Play, watch for notices in the Brunswickan, on Faculty notice boards and the Intramural Notice Board in the Lady Beaverbrook Gym.

If you are not approached within your faculty class, please register for the activity of your choice in the Athletics Department General Office and attend the Organization Meetings as scheduled in this booklet.

Also inquire of who represents the specific activity of your choice within your class. Class Sports Organizers will be instructed to advertise the name of this representative on your notice boards.

Saint Thomas University students are advised to contact their Athletic Director, Mr. LeRoy Washburn, or the Intramural Director, Amby Legere, for information that is not available to them through regular channels.

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