

SPORTS

Squeaker!

Marina's Marauders hit 6 & 0

by Riccardo Sala

Like a rolling stone.

With a 1-0 win over the UofT Lady Blues last Thursday, the Yeowomen field hockey squad is on a climb to the top of the OWIAA ladder.

The game at Lampport was a rematch of last year's Ontario championship match which saw the Blues defeat York.

The win gave the Yeowomen (ranked #2 in the CIAU) a 6-0 record atop the OWIAA east and put them in position to leapfrog past the UBC Lady Thunderbirds into top spot in the CIAU.

York managed its only goal early in the first half on a shot from Sherri Field. Field's goal capped off a brilliant run started when the ball, according to UofT coach Liz Hoffman, bounced off the foot of a



Marina Van der Merwe

York defender.

The referee failed to see the infraction and the Yeowomen took it down the stretch where Field tied them up.

The second half saw UofT fighting hard for the equalizer. It never turned up, though as the Blues came close several times only to be foiled by York's defence.

York's quest to put another goal on the board fell victim to an aggressive UofT defence that successfully double-teamed any attackers.

The victory over Toronto is an important step for the Yeowomen as the season winds down with three remaining regular games against Guelph, Western and Queen's. Next weekend, they co-host a tournament at Lampport Stadium with UofT

Soccer women thump Ryerson

by Riccardo Sala

4-0 is still a soccer drubbing.

Compared to the 15-0 bombing at the hands of the soccer Yeowomen two weeks ago, however, Wednesday night's game was a step up for the Ryerson Lady Rams.

The weather played a large part in "equalizing" the play. According to York coach David Bell, "the

field was terrible and there were puddles in the middle."

Ryerson's starting goalie suited up for this game. Two weeks ago, it was the gutsy but inexperienced Tammy Ratchford who had to face York attackers.

This time, the Rams came prepared, and Bell credited the experienced goalie with squaring up the play.

But the York offence was not to

be denied. Yeowoman Sam Hellens displayed her customary prowess and notched two of the York goals while teammates Heather Gough and Pat Rumeo got one apiece.

Currently, York sits in first place in Ontario and is also fifth ranked in the CIAU. "If we play as well in the second half as we did in the first then we should finish up there," Bell added.

Sporting Goods

by Michael Krestell

It doesn't take a genius to figure out that cigarette companies play a big part in the world of sports these days.

Tune into any car racing or downhill skiing event (among others), and if you're not Marlboroed or Export Aed out by the end of the day, then you probably weren't paying too much attention.

Fellow sports fans, let's take this to the extreme and imagine the world's first ever Smokolympics.

The year is (fill in the blank), and the students at York University are

doing their best to prepare for the upcoming events. Why, just this week I witnessed York's 26 member butt-toss team going through a rigorous workout in Central Square.

Congratulations go out to Ira N. Lung, who prepped for the toss by inhaling an incredible 480 ciggies (three for every missed hour of class he should have been in during first year).

And how could we ignore the feats of Igor Tossovski, who set a new York record in heaving an ashtray (and phlegm) an astonishing 19.56 metres. Gettam E. Away simultaneously inhaled the second hand smoke from 112 cigarettes while walking to her one o'clock anatomy class at Curtis.

In the SmokeScreen endurance event, Peter DaClown was able to convince his mother that the smoky stench in his clothes originated solely from hanging out in the pub for 128 straight weeks.

Butt on a more serious note, how about the exploits of Dezzie Perrato who harassed 24 people

before getting hold of a smoke. Then there's also Anita Puff, who pretended she enjoyed smoking enough to consume an entire pack of Bethune Lights.

I know everything I've written sounds pretty grim, but you still can't feel bad for the aforementioned athletes. You see, each and every one has their own plot in the Chronic Emphysema hall of Fame (CEHOF, for short).

Recent CEHOF inductees include Yul Brynner and Sammy Davis Jr. Brynner got in by extinguishing a candle in just under one hour of wheezing, while Davis was admitted for blowing more smoke in his lifetime than the Towering Inferno.

However, there comes a day when all good athletes must eventually retire, and these tobacco tokers are no exception. Yes, there is hope that one day, they will finally see the light and quit.

Sporting Goods is a weekly column written by the CHRY sports department, examining Varsity athletics at York.

Correction

In last Wednesday's edition of *Sporting Goods*, two paragraphs were inadvertently removed, changing the tone of the entire column. *Excalibur* apologizes to both *CHRY* and Michael Krestell for any embarrassment the omission may have caused. Following are the two omitted paragraphs, which would have ended the column:

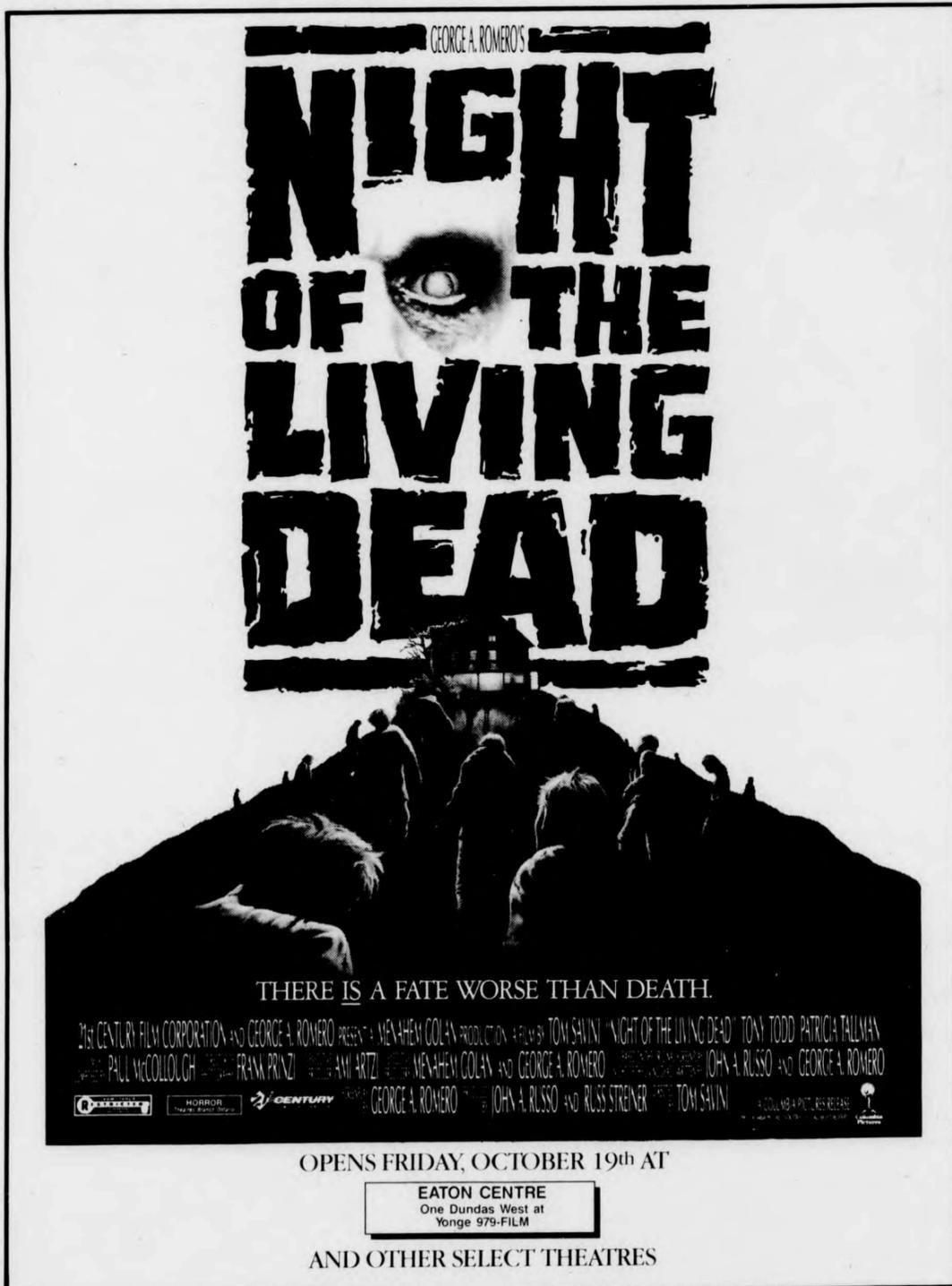
Take heart Yeomen footballers and hold your collective heads high. Things will continue to be tough this year and probably next season as well, but to quote a certain insurance company, "You're in good hands," and as long as the York administration sup-

ports the programme, better days are ahead.

Though your work won't pay off on the scoreboard this year, you are building the future of football here at York University, and thanks to your efforts it should be a great one. Now if only we could get you a stadium to play in.

YORK VARSITY ATHLETICS SCHEDULE OCTOBER 15-21

	LOCATION	TIME
Tues. October 16		
SOCCER UofT at Yeowomen	Soccer/Rugby field	4:30 pm
McMaster at Yeowomen	York Tennis Centre	4:00 pm
Wed. October 17		
BASKETBALL Yeowomen at McMaster		7:00 pm
SOCCER Yeomen at UofT	at Varsity Stadium	8:00 pm
Fri. October 19		
HOCKEY (Oct. 19-20)		
Yeomen at UofT Tournament	at Varsity Arena	
SWIMMING York at Laurentian		6:00 pm
WATERPOLO (Oct. 19-21) Yeomen at Crossover #1 at UofT		
Sat. October 20		
BASKETBALL Yeomen at Guelph		2:00 pm
CROSS COUNTRY York at Laurier Invitational		
FIELD HOCKEY Guelph at Yeowomen	at Lampport Stadium	10:30 am
FOOTBALL Yeomen at McMaster		2:00 pm
RUGBY McMaster at Yeomen	at Soccer/Rugby field	1:00 pm
SOCCER Queen's at Yeomen	at Soccer/Rugby field	3:00 pm
Trent at Yeowomen	at Soccer/Rugby field	11:00 am
VOLLEYBALL Western at Yeomen	Tait Main Gym	2:00 pm
Sunday Oct 21		
SOCCER Carleton at	Yeowomen Soccer/Rugby field	12:00 pm



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