

# Hockey tour set

The University of Toronto hockey squad is presently touring Japan and China but will have nothing on the agenda until the Golden Bears, who today announced their plans for an international tour following the CIAU nationals in March, to be held in Toronto.

Ed Zemrau, athletic director of the U of A, returned from CIAU meetings in Toronto yesterday and announced that the team will be playing a total of 12 exhibition games in 3 countries.

"The team will play 4 games against all-star teams from New Zealand, Yugoslavia and Zaire. They're not exactly world powers in hockey but it was the best the U of A could do. Naturally I wouldn't turn down an experience like this for our athletes," said Zemrau.

Golden Bear coach Clare Drake was unavailable for comment. Most of the players were a little apprehensive about the exhibition series but would go along with it if the University thought it was a good idea.

"Hell, I always wanted to go to Zaire," quipped Randy Gregg, a Golden Bear defenseman. Some players did question the kind of facilities they would experience in an equatorial country like Zaire, but reasoned that the CIAU must have known what it was doing when they arranged the matches.

The team will leave for Africa on March 20th and upon flying to Zaire will go by raft to Kinshasha, the capital city. Tour packages are being set up by CJCA radio and the Bryan Hall "Fly to Zaire with Flair" tour will be leaving on the 22nd of March.

## Bobo joins athletic staff at U

The department of athletics has announced that it has purchased the latest in electronic wizardry, Bobo, a \$5,000 electronic ball boy.

The robot is able to retrieve footballs on the field during the game, and replace dry ones between plays. It can also be used on sunny days too. It will be an all-purpose robot, doing odd chores during practice.

There were a few small problems with Bobo's circuitry during early tests, but after the Rec Admin student had been extricated from the intake valve, everything began running smoothly.

The bionic wonder will begin work next week when the Alumni Old-Timers meet the Golden Bears in the traditional Snow Bowl. Bobo will retrieve any old-timers who seize up in the cold or who get stuck in the sidelines snowbanks.

## Wepner reveals

The U of A Physical Education department has announced that it will be offering a boxing course for next year which will include a heavyweight boxer as one of the instructors.

Chuck Wepner (the Bayonne leader) will instruct students on the proper method of taking hundreds of blows to the jaw and dissection without incurring excessive blood loss.

Wepner has developed a technique whereby the power of his mental concentration is enough to control the flow of blood from his body.

"K-Tel has nothing on this," declared Wepner.

Meanwhile Johnson Band-Aid Company is calling the technique "a hoax, a sham" claiming that the boxer actually swallows enormous amounts of wax to serve as blood coagulant.

## footnotes

Stephen Leacock will present an evening of humour and wit next Tuesday, 8:00 p.m. in TL-11. Mr. Leacock, who has been living in Toronto, Ontario for many years, has rumours of his death were almost as greatly exaggerated as those concerning my friend Sam Clements." Mr. Clements will be here next month in a debate with Will Rogers.

Commerce students will be relieved to learn that they are no longer required to wear tan leather coats as a prerequisite to entering the faculty. They will not be allowed to opt for wearing orange ski jackets with blue trim, under the condition that they wear the matching warm-up pants at all times.

The Chess Society meets in BS M 141 at 7 p.m. Friday to sometime late Wednesday. Hard, uncomfortable chairs and verbal abuse will be provided.

Conditions for two grad student plays will be held at 7 p.m. in Room 3-125 in the Fine Arts Building. We need a middle-aged British actor who now wears tacky car commercials and a mysterious fat man for our productions of My Fair Lady and the Maltese Falcon.

Harv: you've got two days to return that Ed Psych text or I swear I'll throw your mother out the window. Julie.

I have found the true meaning of our existence here at the U of A — we are nothing more than white mice in a huge laboratory of human behaviour. For more information and a free pamphlet entitled "Who IS the Big Cheese?", contact Bert, cage 55-b, Bio Sci Animal Room.

The Ski Club has put together a three week ski tour of Iowa, Kansas and South Dakota, as part of their "One Born Every Minute" scheme. The tour includes visits to Flats Bowl, Dust-bird, Craw Valley, Alka, and famous Gruntcake Lake. Prices start at \$500 for those with transportation to Rapid City. All others will flyKansAir to Dubuque. Departures will commence when they dry out the pilot.

The War Games Society will be reenacting the siege of Leningrad on Friday in SUB, Room 141 at 7:00 p.m. Persons of Eastern European extraction are invited to join the fun. Hard-boiled coats and rotten bread will be provided.

Harv: please come back — the rabbit didn't die, it was just asleep! Judy.

Leaving Country - Must sell! Beautiful little University, complete with over 20,000 well-behaved students. Varied assortment of buildings, limited number of intelligent professors, acres of free parking. No triflers, please. Harry Gunning - extension 3212.

Lost: All my motivation. I cannot continue classes until I find it. A reward is offered. It was lost in 2nd floor Humanities, somewhere between Nov. 15 and Dec. 5. Phone 424-7055.

Wanted to sell: Large plastic barrel 5' x 2 1/2', no stains. Lid still fits tightly. It is not stained! Only used once then rinsed thoroughly. Multi-purposed, useful for storing objects and I don't know why people keep saying it's stained, it's perfectly clean. I rinsed and scrubbed it, God knows how many times I scrubbed it. What else can I do. Please buy it. \$20. No, \$12.50. Here you can have it. Just take it.

## Sports Quiz

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1. Bobby Hull's hair transplant cost a) \$1.95 b) \$53.00 c) \$189 d) \$887.
2. Dave Schultz has a Masters degree in Psychology at UCLA. True or False.
3. Bryan Hall's open line show commands an audience of a) over 1 million b) immediate family and relatives c) local drunks d) all avid football fans.
4. On the average how many people fall asleep at Edmonton Oiler games? a) 50% of the crowd b) all of the crowd c) management only d) coaches and players e) all of the above.
5. Gordie Howe will continue to play pro hockey until a) 1977 b) 2001 c) Detroit Red Wings offer him a contract d) he plays on a line with his grandsons.
6. There is no such person as Howard Cosell. He died 3 years ago and has been impersonated by a) Ronald McDonald b) Don Rickles c) Tiny Tim d) the tidy bowl man.
7. Gary Lefebvre found Christ a) in a church b) at a drive in movie c) by accident d) on the 35 yard line.
8. Renee Richards is eligible to play mixed doubles alone. True or False.
9. Who is the ugliest player in the NHL? a) Brian Glennie b) Jim Roberts c) Bob Gainey d) Andre DuPont.
10. What kind of a person takes this quiz? a) insane b) political prisoners c) sports editors d) everyone.



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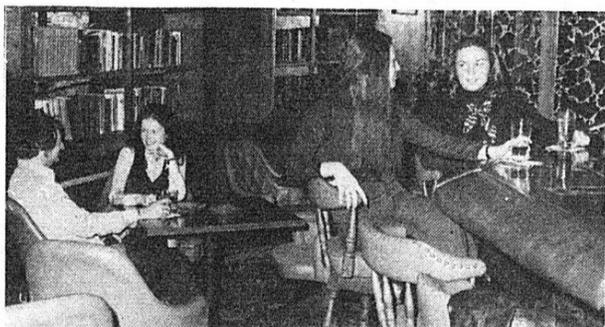
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