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The powerful defensive team, led by veterans Leon Lyszkiewicz (66) and Lorne Degroot, had good reason to celebrate as the University of Alberta humiliated the University of Calgary Dinosaurs 32-3 in Calgary last weekend.

photo An'lese Goen.

## Bears Dominate Dinosaurs

"A total team win." Those were the words that head football coach Jim Donlevy used to describe the victory the Golden Bears chalked up last Friday, after trouncing host club Calgary Dinosaurs 32 to 3 in the Canada West College Football league opener.

The defensive team was expected to be the Bears' strong point this year, and they lived up to this prediction on the very first play of the season as Mark Haugrud picked off the initial pass of Calgary quarterback Darrell Moir.

On the U of A's first series, their signal caller, Bruce Elzinga was hit for an 18 yard loss, but he showed great poise and came right back to hit Joe Poplawski for a 56 yard pass and run play, and a lead that the Bears never relinquished.

The Bear defense had some trouble containing Calgary's ground game in the first half but the pass rush by the front four was well-executed throughout the game. Late in the first quarter Moir threw in panic to save himself from being mauled by

the ends, Dave Willox and Leon Lyszkiewicz. Leon managed to tip the ball into the hands of Lorne Degroot who had read the screen play and was in a position to make a rare interception for a defensive lineman.

The score was only 8 to 3 for the Bears at the half, but then both Elzinga and McDermid began to operate, and with an already tight defense, the Bears ran Calgary right out of the park.

Lorne Degroot, the new slimmer and trimmer defensive line model, blocked two punts, had an interception, and two quarterback sacks, for an impressive night of football. Maybe all the Bears should lose 25 pounds.

Elzinga showed good scrambling ability when a field goal attempt was blocked and he scooped up the ball and threw a hand grenade of a pass under extreme pressure to Poplawski for the first down. Sean Kehoe then swept over from the one for the touchdown.

Dan McDermid looked good in his first college game, the former Edmonton Huskie pivot hit John Tietzen with identical

back to back touchdown strikes, but the first one was called back because of illegal linemen being downfield.

Calgary coach Peter Connellan said that the constant pressure exerted by the defense and the fact that he has a young team spelled the end for the Dinos who had to play catch-up ball all night.

### BEAR FACTS

Coach Donlevy had praise for middle linebacker Dave Zacharko who he said called a great game. Zacharko called the second down blitz plays when they were most needed allowing people like safety Don Guy to come in and sack Moir for big losses. Former Bear Chip Wilson had a strong game for Calgary at his defensive tackle position.

The Bears are preparing for a tough U.B.C. squad, the defending Canada West Champions have 31 returning players and they have been very tough to beat in the last couple of years. Game time is Sat. at 2:00 p.m. in Varsity Stadium, come out and support the Golden Bears.

## Intramurals Universal Appeal

The Mens' Intramural Recreational program is adding something this year to complement the already successful calendar of activities — a whole series of instructional clinics.

The Mens' Intramural Council, made up of representatives from all across the campus, decided at its evaluation session last March to really expand this clinic aspect. The idea is good as facility requirements for this venture are minimal and many who might otherwise shy away from the program can learn in a very casual setting.

At the moment eight different clinics are slated for the year — tennis, archery, racketball, team handball, squash, cross-country skiing, and fencing

— with the proviso that should there be interest in others the intramural department will endeavour to schedule them.

Anyone who has been on campus for a year or more knows the variety of activities anyone may get involved in.

No one can figure out just how the SUB Games Area people could fit 120 spectators into the room to watch the Mens' Intramural Snooker final two years ago.

But those are memories — what else is new in the 1977-78 program?

Outdoor soccer will be given a whirl this fall and run in conjunction with flag-football.

Golf will employ the Calloway system which allows even the worst duffer to win.

The Turkey Trot may introduce a special seniors' section.

Team handball will run on a trial basis.

There will be two snooker tournaments this year rather than one — one in November and the other in January.

Triples volleyball will have its day in the sun in February.

Squash and racquetball will be run on a tournament format in addition to the clinics.

How does one get involved? Simply drop in to the Mens' Intramural Office in the lower hallway of the P.E. Building and get the details.

The unit managers who make up the Mens' Intramural Council are going to do their best to make 77-78 a season to remember.

### Team Tryout Camps

#### BASKETBALL

Coach Gary Smith

Meeting on Mon. Sept. 19 for newcomers in W-59. Tryouts later on that week. About seven players will be returning this year to the team.

#### HOCKEY

Coach Clare Drake

Registration goes Wed.

Sept. 14 at 5:00 p.m. in W-138 in the Physical Education Building. Pre-registration forms are available in the general office WL-34.

## Returnees Bolster Team

If ever any team had the incentive to 'put out,' it will be this year's Golden Bear volleyball crew. Not only does the U of A have the big final tournament of the Canada West loop right in front of hometown fans in the Main Gym, but the Green and Gold squad will be heading to Japan for the month of May.

Before heading to the Orient, the Bears have a lot of scores to settle this year. After having a very average year last season, Coach Hugh Hoyles is looking to a much improved team performance.

He and assistant coach, Pierre Baudin, promise a digging, scratching, never-say-die team.

"In terms of attitude our boys will have the same desire and heart like the Polish Olympic Gold Medalists had," Hoyles said.

Canada West all-star Bruce Wasylik has graduated and veterans Bill Stamile and Hans Klohn have left the active play-

ing ranks. Robb Hornland, a Jasper Place-Edmonton Phoenix Jr. grad may return but studies could force him to remain on the sidelines this year.

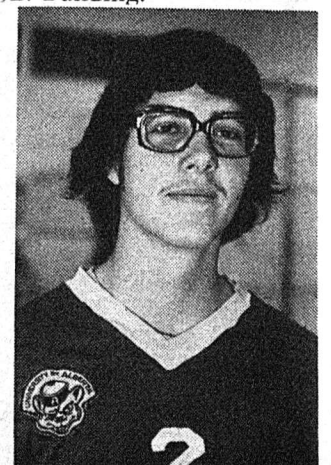
Big things can be expected of returnee Brian Newman who attended Canada's National Junior Team workouts over the summer. Bob Pushie, Kevin Speer, Len Hudyma and Daryl Tetz are all returning and cannot wait to get back at defending champs U.B.C.

Who'll be on the rest of the team is anyone's guess. Coach Hoyles normally carries 12 players on the Bears and this year he will have an unofficial Junior team as well. With M.E. Lazerte grad Al Speer coming out plus many other promising players the Canada West title is very much within reach.

Any one interested in playing this season should attend the organizational practice, Thur. Sept. 15, at 5:00 p.m. in Room WL-39 of the West Wing of the P.E. Building.



Kevin Speer.



Brian Newman.