

Football Bears edge Waterloo in exhibition opener

Team looked impressive in spite of miscues



MOLE CANTELON
... bores through for a long gainer

—Chuck Lyall photo

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BEARS 22, WATERLOO 20

It wasn't much of a western exhibition swing for coach Wally Delahey and his band of Waterloo Warriors.

In fact, the Warriors met their Waterloo twice, the latest being a 22-20 edging at the hands of the Golden Bears last night at Clarke Stadium before 7,500 fans. The loss was the second in three days for the Eastern squad, as they were bombed by U of S Huskies 26-4 on Saturday in Saskatoon.

For Harvey Scott and his Bruins, it was the first start of the year, and they gave promise that there will be some exciting football around these parts come the start of the WCIAA schedule later this month.

The Bears showed an outstanding ground game and gave an indication that the passing aspect of football will not be neglected either.

DEFENCE SUSPECT

Only the defence seemed suspect at times, but it came up big when it had to, especially in the dying minutes, when Waterloo had a third down and three situation at the Bears' 51. Gordon McLellan was stopped on an off-tackle effort and the locals took over and merely ran out the clock.

The hosts got on the scoreboard first when Ludwig Daubner's field goal try from the Warriors' 29 went wide for a single point at 7:42 of the first stanza.

A Terry Lampert to Mel Smith bomb, good for 48 yards following a Waterloo punt, put the Bears out in front 7-0 at the 14 minute mark, with Daubner's convert making it 8-0. The Bears appeared on their way to a lopsided score.

But then, complacency seemed to set in. The visitors got the ball via Pete Smith's fumble of a Waterloo punt at the Bears' 50. Twelve plays and three third down gambles later, plus two costly Alberta penalties, the Warriors got on the scoreboard, with Mike Martin carrying over from the one on a quarterback sneak. The convert was good.

The Bears had a great opportunity to add to their slim lead with but seconds remaining in the half. They moved the ball down to the Waterloo 8, but an incomplete pass on the last play of the half killed the march.

Both clubs started the second

half rather cautiously, and it wasn't until the midway mark of the third quarter that the Bears started to move. However, the march was stopped when Daubner's field goal attempt from the 32 was short.

But at 11:46, rookie Jim Dallin, who ran with authority all night long, and gained 126 yards, lugged it over from the 2, to give the Albertans a 15-7 lead following Daubner's convert.

Nevertheless, the Warriors refused to quit. Another fumble on a punt, this time by Hart Cantelon, gave the visitors the ball at the Bears' 26 yard line. Gord McLellan, the outstanding player for the Warriors, raced to the goal line on the first play to close the gap to 15-13. Paul Knill's convert was good, as the quarter ended.

The Bears came right back early in the final period, with Dallin

scoring the major on a 30 yard run. Daubner's convert made it 22-14.

However, the Warriors weren't finished yet. Gordon McLellan gathered in a Harvey Geddes punt and dodged and weaved his way 59 yards for the major. The stage was set for the two point conversion attempt allowed under college rules, but Martin's pass to Bill Hogan was knocked down by Dan McCaffery.

The contest ended with no further scoring.

STATISTICS

	Warriors	Bears
First downs	11	24
Yds. rushing	142	285
Yds. passing	26	140
Passes att./made	10/2	16/9
Intercept./yds.	1/1	0/0
Punts/av. yds.	12/30.2	8/34.4
Fumbles/lost	0/0	3/2
Penalties/yds.	7/55	8/66

New Junior Football team to play in own league

A new football league will operate in Alberta this year. The new Alberta Junior-College League will include teams from Camrose Lutheran College, the University of Alberta, Grande Prairie Junior College, Brandon University, and Notre Dame University of Wilcox, Sask.

"We've always had a large turnout at our training camp, but we can only keep 30 players on our roster," says coach Harvey Scott of the big gold ones. "Often there are young men who want to play and they have the potential, but because of the limit don't get an opportunity."

The Junior Bears will carry 32 players on their roster. Players will be those who did not make the grade at the Golden Bears training camp, but whom the coaching staff feel will be an asset to have around.

The cubs will not be starting from scratch, however. Clutched in the coach's hand will be the Big Bear's playbook. The Junior Bears will be operating out of the same system the senior team employs, so opposition beware!

The new coach for this new team is Arnie Enger, a vice-principal at Londonderry Junior High School. Coach Enger is no stranger to University teams, though. He was an assistant coach in 1967 when the Bears won the Canadian Championships.

Enger handled the Lindsay Thurber Composite High team in Red Deer from 1957 to 1961, and twice led the team to the Central Alberta High School league finals. He then moved on to Edmonton, where his Jasper Place Rebels won the Edmonton High School finals in 1966.

In the same year Enger moved to the Edmonton Huskies as assistant coach. He returned to coach the Rebels in 1968.

Enger was named as the most outstanding urban high school coach by the Alberta Football Coaches' Association in 1964. In 1968 he was selected the Associations' Coach of the Year.

Rounding out the coaching staff for the 1969 Junior pigskin Bears are two recent Golden Bear graduates, Dave Benbow and Larry Speers.

Benbow spent the last two years as the Golden Bear place kicker, and is well-remembered for his three-pointer which won the national championship for the Bears in 1967.

Speers was selected to the WCIAA dream team for two of the three years that he played centre for the Bears. He also spent some time as linebacker, especially last year. An outstanding wrestler, Speers represented Canada at the World Championships in 1968 and will do so again this December in London, England.

Camrose Lutheran College was one of the prime movers behind the formation of the league. Offering both high school and first year university courses, the college found itself without a football league to play in. Contacts were made with other teams and the new league was born. If successful, the league may expand to include teams from U of C and NAIT.

The junior bearcats will play a home-and-home series with Notre Dame, and Camrose will play Notre Dame once in Camrose. Camrose will also travel to Brandon and Grande Prairie for other league games. Camrose and the Junior Bears will have a three-game encounter.

The league opener is at Varsity Stadium on Sunday when the Bears meet Camrose Lutheran. So come on out and watch our little gold grizzlies sock it to the Christians.

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