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The Bears,
CNE Stadium
Visitors' dressing room
Toronto, Ont.

We wish you the best of luck today in your game with the Blues.
We're behind you all the way.

Rich Price



—Yackulle photo

OPERATION TELEGRAM—Union president Price is seen placing the first signature on the victory telegram being sent to the Bears at the Save The Children Bowl in Toronto. Also shown is ten cents, the price for which anyone on campus may sign the telegram. You have until 6 p.m. today to sign either in SUB or on sheets being filled all over campus.

U of A contingent invades the hogtown as Bears prepare for battle with Blues

By BRYAN CAMPBELL
Gateway Sports Editor

This Saturday U of A Golden Bears take on the Toronto Varsity Blues in the Save The Children's Fund College Bowl in Toronto.

The game is the first in Canadian collegiate history to receive national television coverage. The game will be shown locally on CFRN TV, 2 p.m. Sunday. CBC radio will carry the game live on Saturday at 11 a.m.

The Bears had a tough fight nailing down their seats on the Toronto plane. They came out from under a two loss-one win record to finish the season 4-2 and get the nod for the Toronto trip.

The Toronto Varsity Blues weren't runaway champions in the east either. They lost twice in the regular season, 31-0 to the Queen's Golden Gaels and 36-35 to the University of Western Ontario Mustangs. They beat the Mustangs 21-16 in a post-season play-off to nail their bowl berth.

Apart from the game, the week-end features a queen contest and a parade. Gai Ward, this year's Miss Freshette is representing U of A in the Miss College Bowl contest and the 40 member U of A Marching Band is in the pre-game parade Saturday.

The Bears and their coach, Gino Fracas, left for Toronto 11:40 a.m. Thursday. The rest of the Alberta contingent: the band, the cheerleaders, Richard Price, two trainers, Gai Ward, two late football players, Mrs. Ward, photographed Neil Driscoll, and a Gateway staffer left at 6 a.m. this morning.

With two good passing quarterbacks like the Blues' Bryce Taylor and the Bears' Willie Algajer that's what you have to expect, he says.

According to Fracas, the Blues' Taylor and split end Mike Eben are top pro prospects. Eben took top honours as a pass receiver in the eastern conference this year.

"The Blues are a well-balanced team. They play a good passing game and a good running game at the same time. Apart from Eben and Taylor they've got fellows like halfback Gerry Sternberg to round out the team," he said.

Sternberg led the conference rushing this year.

"I've done a lot of careful work planning strategy for this Saturday's game but I'm not going to tell you anything. I want them to find out what it is on Saturday."

Unlike the western teams the Blues play from a straight T and coach Fracas has spent the better part of a week rearranging his defence to cope with this.

"It is going to be a tough, tough, wide-open football game," concluded Mr. Fracas.

ACA explains building boom

By RALPH MELYNCHUK

A \$2.5 million increase in the price of SUB has been attributed to a construction boom in Western Canada by the Alberta Construction Association.

The Alberta Construction Association is the official voice of the construction industry in Alberta.

An association spokesman outlined the general boom conditions in the Canadian construction industry.

Major reasons why costs are increasing are:

- on-site labour costs,
- material costs,
- more facilities designed into new buildings,
- increased demand for labour and materials,
- unpredictable and seasonal nature of the demand for construction.

"Wage agreements with trades extend to the close of 1967 and in-

dicating an average increase of 24 per cent by 1967 over the 1964 scale," he said.

Higher labour, administrative, delivery and raw materials costs have contributed to the increased price of building materials.

"In addition, we now have an 11 per cent tax which was added in stages, by Federal legislation, to the cost of many building materials. The full impact of this tax is being felt during the current construction period," he said.

CONSTRUCTION SURGE

"The surge of construction has created unprecedented competition for skilled tradesmen. This competition reaches across provincial borders and many Alberta tradesmen have been lost to the greener wage fields of British Columbia.

"The effect of this demand is that some projects offer incentives by means of guaranteed overtime or premium wages," he said.

Council cuts cost of SUB

Non-essential features reduced by \$500,000

By LORRAINE MINICH

Students' council cut \$500,000 from the new SUB at Monday's council meeting.

Council removed a number of non-essential features from the SUB design in an effort to reduce the cost to more manageable proportions.

As tenders received were \$2.5 million higher than the original estimate of construction, the project must be re-approved by the capital development commission, the Board of Governors, and the provincial cabinet.

Because the cuts approved Monday will not reduce the cost of the original estimate, some council members suggested a fee hike.

Eric Hayne, secretary-treasurer of the students' union, said a \$4 fee hike could reduce the financing period to 20 years. Hayne said this would give the students' union the necessary capital and it would reduce interest payments.

CUTS CONSIDERED

If council decides to introduce a fee hike, the action would have to be approved by the student body in the form of a referendum before March 1.

A report presented by Andy Brook, chairman of students' union planning commission, outlined the

following criteria which were used in considering the cuts:

- extent of injury to the building,
- adequacy of the best and least expensive alternative solution,
- replaceability and relative cost of installing versus later replacement,
- simplicity and clarity.

Brook told council the capital development commission expected costs to be reduced by \$750,000. He said he hoped it would accept the \$500,000 cut.

As revised, the new SUB will cost \$4,865,749 or \$21.37 per square foot, which compares favorably with other new buildings on campus, such as the Henry Marshall Tory building and the house ec building.

Some of the major building adjustments include redesigning air conditioning equipment and adopting less-expensive finishing materials. Deletions include smoke detectors, snow-melting equipment, the art mural, and the sky domes.

REPLACED LATER

Brook says, many of those things which are listed as deletions could be replaced at a later date if needed.

After construction begins, there will be a three-month period during which deleted features can be re-instituted with no penalty costs involved.

Representatives of government, administration, and students' union met informally Tuesday to discuss Monday's cuts.

Richard Price, students' union president, said he was "encouraged" by the favorable atmosphere of Tuesday's meeting.

"I think the big hurdle now is getting the approval of the provincial cabinet for the financing," he said.

The bid offer from Poole Construction terminates Dec. 1.

Brook says he hopes the university capital development commission will pass a decision on the proposal by Friday in time for a special meeting of the Board of Governors.

If all details are resolved, a contract can be signed by December 1, and construction will start immediately.