

# Chambers hopes improvements will help York

In sports, teams are often only as good as the last game they play. The Boston Red Sox are a recent and apparent example. No matter how good the season, somehow losing that final time echoes for a long while.

Last year, despite capturing a second straight successive Ontario Universities Athletic Association (OUAA) hockey title, the York Yeomen ended their shining campaign on a distinctly bleak note. York's 5-2 loss to the University of Quebec at Trois Rivieres in the national semi-final at Edmonton, laid a damper on an otherwise brilliant season.

"We feel we had a very good season," claims Yeomen head coach Dave Chambers. "However we are disappointed about that final game with Trois Rivieres." It's not just the loss that irks the York skaters, but the way they lost. Simply put, the Yeomen were lacklustre in their swan song to the 1985/86 season.

In all fairness to the club, they were a tired group by the time they arrived in the Alberta capital. "Last year we played nine games in 18 days (playoffs) and I think it took its toll on us," says Chambers. No question that the Yeomen were an exceptional team last year. Yet their poor showing against Trois Rivieres in the Canadian Inter-University Athletic Union (CIAU) national championships, left a bitter taste to the year.

As a result, the Yeomen enter this season with a decided determination to correct the impression they left behind last year in Western Canada. Chambers himself seems unusually



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resolved in his drive to conquer the OUAA for the third straight time.

The York coach appears to have rectified a definite weakness that plagued last year's club. The additions of Dirk Reuter and Lou Kiriakou—veterans of the professional minor leagues—have injected needed experience. And with the extra year that the returning players now have under their belts, the Yeomen should display a poise that only experience can give.

If a comparison is drawn between the York team that won the Canadian championship two years ago, and last year's team that fell short—one significant consideration becomes apparent. In 1984/85 the Yeomen had a pair of five-year veterans (John Campbell and Scott Magder) that instilled that crucial element of experienced leadership. The 84/85 team may have had less talent, but more than made up for their shortcomings under the leadership of these two five year veterans.

This season, Dave Chambers has brought one of the graduated five-year veterans back into the fold. Former Yeomen captain John Campbell has returned as a coaching assistant. Regardless of his fresh arrival to the coaching ranks, Campbell's presence should prove to be a boon to the Yeomen. An extra hand, especially an experienced and capable one is always a welcome addition.

"I think John will be a very valuable asset to our hockey team," Chambers said of his former player and present coach. "He is experienced and will some day be a very good coach." For Campbell, the opportunity is seen as a chance to learn on the job. "Basically I'm in a learning position," Campbell said. "I don't know if I'm going to like it (coaching) or be good at it. But this level is the best place to find out."

Certainly having Campbell around can only help to further Yeomen hopes of a return trip to Edmonton and redemption at the national championships. Campbell's maturing presence that guided York to its first ever national hockey title should rub off on another York team. And from the looks of last weekend's 2-2 tie with up and coming Windsor, the Yeomen will need to muster all their resources to defend a provincial title that everyone else is gunning for.

It's early, but it appears that the addition of Campbell's influence and a couple of new veteran players have helped to solve last year's dearth of experienced leadership. Typical of Chambers, he has not stood still. He can't—history has a way of repeating itself. Just ask the Boston Red Sox.

## Injuries have destroyed any chances for a playoff position

By JAMES HOGGETT

The York soccer Yeomen blew their chance of making the playoffs this year as they dropped both of their games over the weekend.

On Saturday York dropped a 5-1 decision to the Carleton Ravens, with Mike Mazza the lone Yeomen to score.

On Sunday the Yeomen travelled to Royal Military College to play the Redmen but were upstaged 4-1 by a clearly weaker team.

What did in the Yeomen once again was injuries. The Yeomen, who have had numerous injuries this season, played both their games without their strikers, George Katsuras and Anthony Robbins.

With these holes in the line-up, coach Norm Crandles had to once again field a patchwork team. With players in positions unfamiliar to them the Yeomen could not muster a

win. The injury situation was so critical against RMC that the Yeomen were forced to play one man short the entire game.

The RMC game marked the final match as a York Yeoman for team captain Mauro Ongaro. As a tribute to the Yeoman's retirement, the team dedicated the game to him. Throughout Ongaro's career as a Yeoman he had yet to score a single goal. On this his final game, his Yeoman teammates continually tried to set up Ongaro in front of the goal and persistence finally paid off as Ongaro scored on a penalty kick.

The Yeomen finished their season with a disappointing 3-7-1 record. Their record, however, is not a good indicator of the team's potential as injuries and poor field conditions combined to hamper York's efforts. The Yeomen are hoping for better success next season.

## INTRAMURAL ROUND-UP

### TORCH HOCKEY

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Founders	5	4	0	1	25	11	9
Bethune	4	3	0	1	18	9	7
Vanier	4	2	1	1	18	16	5
Stong	4	2	1	1	10	13	4
Osgoode	5	2	3	0	19	18	4
Calumet	5	2	3	0	20	23	4
Mac	5	2	3	0	16	22	4
Glendon	4	1	2	1	10	10	3
Winters	4	0	4	0	17	15	0

NOTE: Torch Hockey schedules are in the *Toronto Sun* under "Today in Sports"

### RESULTS

Bethune	4	Mac	2
Founders	5	Stong	2
Stong	2	Glendon	1
Bethune	5	Glendon	2
Founders	8	Winters	2
Osgoode	5	Vanier	2
Glendon	4	Osgoode	3
Calumet	6	Mac	2

### FLAG FOOTBALL (Playoffs)

Semi-Finals			
Glendon	14	McLaughlin	8
Vanier	24	Founders	22
Championships			
Vanier	23	Glendon	22

## EXCALIBUR PUBLICATIONS FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 1986

SIMS + SAEED CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS		BALANCE SHEET JUNE 30	
AUDITORS' REPORT		1986	1985
<b>ASSETS</b>			
Current:			
Cash		\$ 38,095	\$ 26,654
Investment - term deposits		-	41,100
Accounts receivable		11,031	11,357
Prepaid expenses		1,450	992
		<u>50,576</u>	<u>80,103</u>
Fixed:			
Equipment (note 2)		35,110	24,658
Leaseholds		2,413	-
		<u>37,523</u>	<u>24,658</u>
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization		<u>17,206</u>	<u>12,128</u>
		20,317	12,530
Equipment under capital lease (note 3)		25,000	25,000
Less accumulated amortization		<u>9,999</u>	<u>5,384</u>
		<u>15,001</u>	<u>19,616</u>
		<b>\$ 85,894</b>	<b>\$112,249</b>
<b>LIABILITIES &amp; ACCUMULATED SURPLUS</b>			
Current:			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		\$ 5,470	\$ 2,710
Accounts payable-York University		177	381
Current obligation under capital lease		<u>4,323</u>	<u>3,638</u>
		<u>9,970</u>	<u>6,729</u>
Long Term:			
Obligation under capital lease (note 3)		12,940	17,266
Accumulated surplus		<u>62,984</u>	<u>88,254</u>
		<b>\$ 85,894</b>	<b>\$112,249</b>

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND ACCUMULATED SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1986		
	1986	1985
<b>Revenue:</b>		
Advertising revenues	\$134,303	\$139,908
Typesetting revenues	50,714	44,152
Grants	20,620	20,559
Interest income	1,995	2,333
Classifieds and other	<u>2,863</u>	<u>5,060</u>
	<u>212,495</u>	<u>212,012</u>
<b>Expenses:</b>		
Accounting and audit	5,759	3,581
Advertising and promotion	6,639	2,716
Bad debt expense	2,921	992
Bank and interest charges	180	52
Depreciation and amortization	9,693	8,475
Equipment rentals and repairs	11,167	4,485
Honouraria (note 4)	5,235	4,375
Insurance	1,657	1,314
Interest expense on capital lease	3,251	3,991
Office and general	7,150	5,234
Printing, typesetting and photo supplies	70,254	57,776
Salaries, wages and commissions	103,790	79,017
Supplies and research (note 4)	5,191	1,782
Telephone	2,852	1,857
20th anniversary	<u>2,846</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>238,762</u>	<u>175,647</u>
Net Income (loss)	(25,270)	36,365
<b>Surplus:</b>		
At beginning of year	<u>88,264</u>	<u>51,889</u>
At end of year	<b>\$ 62,984</b>	<b>\$ 88,254</b>

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1986		
	1986	1985
<b>Working capital provided by:</b>		
Net income for the year	\$ -	\$ 36,365
Add items not involving working capital:		
Depreciation	-	3,860
Amortization	-	4,612
Total from operations	-	44,840
<b>Working capital applied to:</b>		
Net loss for the period	25,270	-
Less items not involving working capital:		
Depreciation	<u>4,596</u>	-
Amortization	<u>5,097</u>	-
Total to operations	15,577	-
Purchase of equipment	10,452	10,103
Leasehold improvements	2,413	-
Reduction of obligation under capital lease	<u>4,326</u>	<u>3,637</u>
	<u>32,768</u>	<u>13,740</u>
Increase (decrease) in working capital	(32,768)	31,100
<b>Working capital:</b>		
At beginning of period	<u>73,374</u>	<u>42,274</u>
At end of period	<b>\$ 40,606</b>	<b>\$ 73,374</b>

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 1986

- Excalibur Publications was incorporated under letters patent in the province of Ontario as a non-profit organization on August 30, 1976. The corporation was issued a certificate of revival under the Canada Business Corporations Act on October 27, 1982. It claims exemption from Part I Tax as a non-profit organization under S.145(1)(1) of the Income Tax Act. The organization's primary objective is to publish and operate a student newspaper for and by the students of York University.
- Accounting Policies**  
**Depreciation**  
Depreciation is calculated using the declining balance method at a rate of 20%.  
Equipment under capital lease is amortized on a straight line basis over the asset's estimated useful life. Leaseholds are being amortized over 5 years.
- Obligations Under Capital Lease**  
The following is a schedule of future minimum lease payments under capital lease as at June 30, 1986:  

Year ending June 30th;	1987	\$ 6,990
1988	6,990	
1989	6,990	
1990	1,162	

Total Payments Required	22,135
Less amount representing interest at 17.4%	<u>4,867</u>
Total obligation under capital lease	<u>\$17,268</u>
Current portion	4,328
Long term portion	<u>12,940</u>
	<u>\$17,268</u>