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# BOMBERS WIN!

by Eric Drummie  
The Brunswickan Sports Department has covered many great events at UNB, like the one pictured here. We have also covered many events abroad including the '84 Grey Cup, '85 CIAU Hockey Finals, Atlantic Bowls, Lady's Final 8 in Basketball, the Heart Curling championships and many more.

The Sports Department allows you the opportunity to learn how the UNB Athletics program works as well as travel to other schools to watch UNB teams in action. We are always looking for new writers and photographers to cover the numerous sports we have here at UNB: Soccer, Field Hockey, Men's & Ladies Basketball, Men's & Ladies Volleyball, X-Country Running, Ice Hockey, Wrestling and Men's & Ladies' Swimming.

This year is starting early with the first Soccer game taking place this weekend, so why not drop by and join the Sports Department and have some fun!

## BROPHY RECEIVES TROPHY



Above: Dennis Brophy, Bomber Captain, receives the Senator Burchill Trophy from N.B.C.R.F.U. President, G. Hammond after final whistle. Soon after this photo was taken, Brophy and his teammates were carried triumphantly down Queen St. at the head of a spectacular street parade staged by the fans.

## BEAT TOMMIES 21-0 TAKE NBCRFU TITLE

After going down ten points in the first game at Gatham, the U.N.B. Red Bombers came storming back as they played hosts at College Field on Saturday. This game was a complete reversal in nearly every respect as the Bombers rammed across a 21-0 score to take the total point series by an eleven point margin. A tremendously spirited crowd took in the game and spoke of the game afterwards as the best they ever witnessed in Fredericton.

A quietly aggressive Red Bombers team took the field in a determined drive to bring the silverware home. After an exchange of downs, the Red and Black squad were threatening the St. Thomas end zone. Rod Harris, hard driving halfback, smashed across on a cross buck for the opening touchdown and Benson's convert was good.

St. Thomas received the ball but were soon deep in their own territory at U.N.B. drove in. Suddenly, as the Tommies passed, a fumble occurred only to be picked up by the Bombers' Ian Watson. Ian scampered into the pay zone after a thirty yard run to post U.N.B.'s second major before the game was ten minutes old. Again Benson's toe found the mark as the score read 12-0 for U.N.B. to put the Bombers two points up in the standings for the series. Play passed from team to team as each struggled to better their positions, but the Bombers continued to hold down the play. Lin Smith's long boots for U.N.B. allowed the Red and Black men to ease the pressure on many occasions as the first half ended 12-0 for U.N.B.

Still grim and quiet the Bombers came into the third quarter playing heads up ball. Several times St. Thomas threatened to break through but each time were caught short by an alert U.N.B. defence. Near the end of the third quarter Brophy manoeuvred his squad in front of the Tommies' goal posts and Mike O'Connor kicked for a field goal. He sliced the uprights for three points making it 15-0.

Both teams had passed periodically and now, in the fourth quarter Brophy's arm found the spot. Passing beautifully to Harris, the latter went all the way for the Red Bombers' third touchdown. O'Connor's kick was good to end the scoring at 21-0.

With their backs very definitely to the wall the Tommies tried desperately to push over a major, but on a smashing goal line stand the Bombers held them off. With his backfield operating in their own end zone, Brophy drove out on two quarter back sneaks; and full-back Phil Bird took the ball up to the Bombers own 25 on an off tackle smash. Out in the clear, Lin Smith delivered with a beautiful kick to end the game.

## Varsity-Mania

"...take a walk on  
the wild side..."

## UNB Rugby starts the Fall

- two games on Saturday mark the beginning of the season

The UNB Rugby Football Club opens the 1952 season on College Field on September 12 with the 2nd team playing Oromocto RFC at 1 pm and the 1st team taking on the Saint John Trojans at 3 pm. UNB won the Eastern Canada Universities Championship last fall by defeating Bishop's 31-0. The Club, which was founded in 1967, has fielded two teams every year since 1970 and is renowned as much for its esprit de corps as for its athletic prowess and numerous championships. New players, whether experienced or not, are keenly sought. No-one who wants to play rugby for UNB is ever "cut." New-comers are introduced to the demands and skills of this greatest of world game and are valued by the Club as much as are its veterans. Practices are held on Buchanan Field, next to the Gym, from 5 to 7 Monday

through Friday during the first two weeks of term; thereafter, practices take place on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

A long-standing tradition with UNB RFC is to go on tour immediately after final examinations in the spring. This past spring, UNB - "the Ironmen" - played six matches in ten days, from New England to Maryland, winning five and drawing one.

The University of New Hampshire, Holy Cross, Monmouth RFC, Salisbury State University, and Eastern Shore RFC were beaten; the tied game was against the Jersey Shore Sharks. UNB scored 158 points while surrendering a mere 26.

Coming up:

Saturday, September 12,  
College Field, 1 pm

UNB B vs Oromocto RFC  
and at 3 pm

UNB A vs Saint John Trojans.

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