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# **Devils encounter** Tommies

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The UNB Red Devils had a tough first term, finishing with a record of 2-10-0. This dismal record puts them in 2nd to last place in the MacAdam division. Coach Nickelchok is hardly to blame for the lack of agressive play this year with players leaving and getting untimely injuries.

UNB's goalie situation is in a tough spot as well. Dean Frost is back and practising but still has to see a doctor to have his knee looked at. With Dean Frost not sure whether he can play you can probably look at rookie Chris Bailey to start the. next few games.

Despite the slow first term coach Nickelchok was pleased with the team's play but said strengthening the team's defensive skills. He is surprised at how fast the defensive has progressed this term, and is hopeful that in continues. The strength in defense is in part to the solid play of veteran Jamie Lehman.

The team's offense has not been lacking this term with an average goals for greater than two, in part to the play of team captain Renato Marina and his winger Hugh Hospodar.

With a little more work and corrections of a few mistakes UNB might be able to turn the year around and make a playoff position.

UNB plays STU this weekend at 2:00 in the LB the Gleaner Jan. 6, 1988. Paul

he was going to work on Arena. This will be a crucial Campbell from Fredericton game with UNB on the borderline of the playoffs with STU and Mt.A.

> The team will go into this weekend's game without the services of Jeremy Graham who left over the break, but he has been replaced by four new rookies; Mark Sokalski, Montreal, Quebec Major Junior, Gilles Rouleau, Sherbrooke, Kevin Hocquare, Fredericton, Midget AAA Caps, Sheldon Nimchuk, Dalhousie. These Rookies will be dressed for Saturday's game. UNB vs. STU, 2:00 pm, LB Arena.

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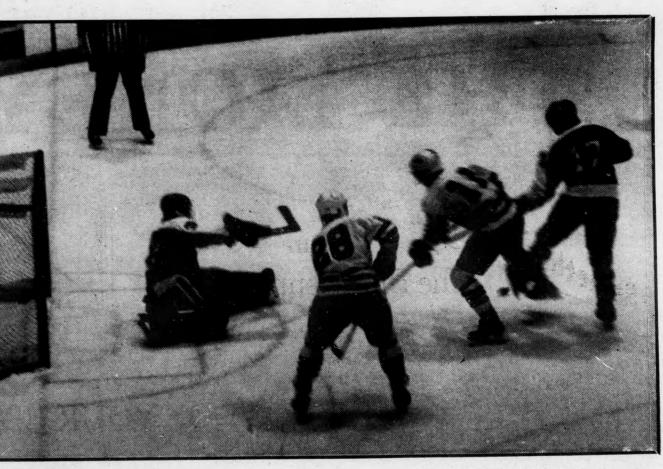
was seriously injured when the car he was driving went out of control on a residential street in Kitchener, Ontario and struck a tree. Of the six people in the car, one was killed, three sustained minor injuried and Paul Campbell sustained serious injuries and is still in a coma. The Doctors are very hopeful of Paul coming out of his coma soon.

Paul Campbell is a first year student at UNB and a rookie enter of the Red Devils. veryone at the Bruns and ports staff are wishing Paul a speedy recovery.

## RAIDERS

The UNB Red Raiders finished the first term with a record of 6-7. Coach Nelson is pleased with the team's strong play and despite some losses at home, is optimistic for the second half.

The Raiders played in last weekend's UPEI tournament. UNB lost in the finals to Husson (76-73) after beating Maine Machias (76-61) in the semi-finals. Coach Nelson is looking forward to the rest of the season. He hopes to im-prove UNB's home record which he sees as a crucial factor if the team is to continue on to the playoffs. This will be easier to do with UNB having all its injured players return-ing, especially Richard MacKay who had been injured for the past seven weeks. His position was played by rookie Todd Fitzpatrick and Coach Nelson is happy at how fast he was able to get a handle on the game. Coach Nelson now feels that he has a strong enough guard in Fitzpatrick to take MacKay's place in games, so to give MacKay a rest during the game. UNB has its holiday tournament this weekend; Acadia vs. Husson at 6:30 Friday, UNB vs Maine Machias at 8:30 Friday. Finals will be Saturday, so come out and support your basketball team this weekend.



DEVILS BATTLE TOMMIES SATURDAY

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#### **UNB** Diving Club

The UNB Diving Club did exceedingly well Saturday December 12, at the Saint John Invitational diving meet. With half the divers, UNB was slightly behind in overall points. The Club results are as

follows: **Event 1 Meter Tier I** Sue McLean Womens 1st 2nd Keith Pickard Mens

lst

Girls

**Alana French** 

The 3 Meter event was cancelled due to lack of time. Over the Christmas holidays the UNB Diving Club attended a diving training camp in Saint John, December 27-30. The camp consisted of pool time, sessions on the trampoline/spotting rig, gymnastics, weight training, yoga, and dancing. The diving camp

ended Wednesday with a mini diving meet held. All 26 divers from Fredericton, Saint John, Sackville NB, and Halifax par ticipated. The top three divers on the 1 Meter board were Keith Pickard, UNB (1st) Mike McLean, Halifax (2nd) and Stephanie McLean Halifax (3rd).

### **BLOOMERS HOT**

The UNB Red Bloomers had a rocket start this year beginning with a 4-0 record. Coach Mitton is pleased with how the team is playing this term. This record puts them in first place in the league.

Recently, UNB played in the UPEI tournament. They led in every game but made mistakes in the second half and lost some games. UNB played against UPEI, Dal and Brook of the US. Coach Mitton feels

the mistakes made are easily corrected. Paulin Lordon's great play in the first four games made her the number

one scorer in the AUAA.

Coach Mitton is very optimistic and is looking forward to the rest of the season. UNB's next home game is Sunday, Jan. 17 at 1:00.