

Red Devils split on weekend

By LOUIS HARVEY

After the first weekend of AUSA league play, the Red Devils have every reason to be optimistic about the 79-80 season. There is no question that their line-up is much stronger than in the past number of seasons.

Saturday saw the Devils jump into a 3-0 first period lead to go on to defeat the Acadia Axemen 5-3. Goals by returnees Rod Pike and Bob Toner and first year Red Devils Sid Veysey, Vaughn Porter and Dave Bluteau, led the way offensively. Ken MacKean was simply fantastic in the Acadia game turning aside 45 shots. The win was the classic total team effort with the Red Devils forwards not giving Acadia any

time to move the puck and the defense being in complete control in the Devils end.

It was the same fired up Devils team that met the St. Mary's Huskies at the Aitken Centre Sunday. Unfortunately for the fairly large crowd on hand, the game was to prove disappointing. Despite the strong skating of the UNB team, the Huskies struck early with goals from Tom Cooler assisted by Mochie Friesen at 6:30 into the first period, then it was Friesen from Larry O'Donnell at 14:24.

Things looked grim late in the period when a long hard drive from John Kinch somehow found it way into the net with 2:04 remaining. This fired up the Devils who put on a lot of pressure and

came up, a little more than a minute later, with a goal from Phil Handrahan assisted by Vaughn Porter at 19:02.

Going into the second period, the momentum seemed clearly to lie with the Red Devils. They were successful in killing off a bad penalty, taken by Gary Agnew, Kenny MacLean kicking out a barrage of shots in the final seconds of the penalty. Then SMU scored what proved to be the winner on a controversial play. As the puck was shot in from in front of the net, a SMU player skated through the crease behind MacLean. He was clearly standing there when the goal went in. The referee hesitated on the call and seemed only to decide on it when the SMU players began to argue.

The fans watched in wonder as the referee skated to center for the face-off then booed him loudly when the goal was announced.

The fourth SMU goal came when center Tom McDonnell was left unmolested in front of the UNB net, MacLean having no chance on the play. Then the referee, as if to make up for his previous mistake, started calling everything in sight. SMU defenceman Laurie Cubelier was off at 9:36 for roughing. UNB's power play opportunity was nullified 20 seconds later when Kinck was sent to the box for high sticking. Less than thirty seconds later it was Veysey (UNB) and MacLean (SMU) off for high sticking! Then to top it off, Vaughn Porter (UNB) went off for kneeling (can you believe it?). This rash of

penalties, though no goals were scored, took away any momentum the Devils had and clearly constituted a turning point in the game.

The Devils gave it one last try though, in the third. They came out skating fast and nearly scored but fast breaking SMU came back with an early goal by Coolen from Friesen at 1:12. Steve Storey got the sixth SMU goal on a rebound that MacLean couldn't hang on to. Then some sloppy play in front of the UNB net led to the seventh SMU marker -- Darren Pickrem from Tom McDonnell.

All in all the score was not indicative of the quality of the game. I was impressed by the UNB skating and passing in the first and second periods although they were visibly tired by the third. They were just missing the finishing touches on their plays and were not as steady as they should have been defensively. Still we can expect that coach MacAdam will be working on these flaws in anticipation of meeting Dalhousie tomorrow at 7:30 and St. F.X. Sunday at 2:00 p.m.

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Lanny's quiz

Who are the famous people, who said these famous quotes?

1. "Hit 'em where they ain't"
2. "nice guys finish last"
3. "I am the greatest"
4. "Winning isn't everything - it's the only thing"
5. "If I played in New York, they would name a candy bar after me"
6. "They deserve each other. One's a born liar and one's a convicted criminal"
7. "It's not over until it's over"
8. "you can look it up"
9. "Let's win one for the Gipper"
10. "Wait 'til next year"

Red Harriers

By JACQUES JEAN

The UNB Red Harriers ended their 1979 cross-country season with a third place finish at the CIAU cross country championship in Toronto last weekend. This was the best performance ever by the Red Harriers at the national championship. Finishing ahead of UNB werequeens University with 33 points and the University of Saskatchewan with 47 points. McGill University had tied UNB's 78 points but had to concede 3rd place to UNB since the Red Harrier's fifth runner finished ahead of McGill's fifth man. University of Manitoba was way back in 6th place with 106 points.

The winner of the 10,000 meter race was Peter Butler of the University of Calgary, with a time of 29 min. 30 sec. Meanwhile, the top finisher for UNB was Peter Richardson who placed 12th. Twelve positions behind Richardson was Jacques Jean in 24th place. Joe Lehmann finished 29th, Rick Hull, 30th, Tony Noble 34th, Henry Flood 36th and Peter McAuley 39th. Forty-nine runners took part in the competition.

Peter Richardson was named to the all-Canadian cross-country team, having placed among the

top 14. Richardson has consistently been the top runner for the Red Harriers this year, leading his team to three of its four victories.

Coach Mel Keeling was happy with his team's performance in Toronto, although he would have liked to see more of his runners break-up Queens top five runners. Richardson was the only Harrier who managed to do so. Keeling said that it would be good if the Harriers could race at least once in the season against a team from Ontario -- giving them better preparation for the national championship. The Red Harriers coach is now looking forward to next year with great optimism. Three runners are expected to return next fall are, Tony Noble, Rick Hull and Henry Flood. Joe Lehmann, Peter Richardson and Jacques Jean are still undecided. Some strong high school runners are also expected to join the team next season.

This coming weekend some of the Harriers will travel to Halifax to compete in the Canadian Open Cross Country championship. These runners, however, will be competing under the banner of the Fredericton Track Club.

Skating

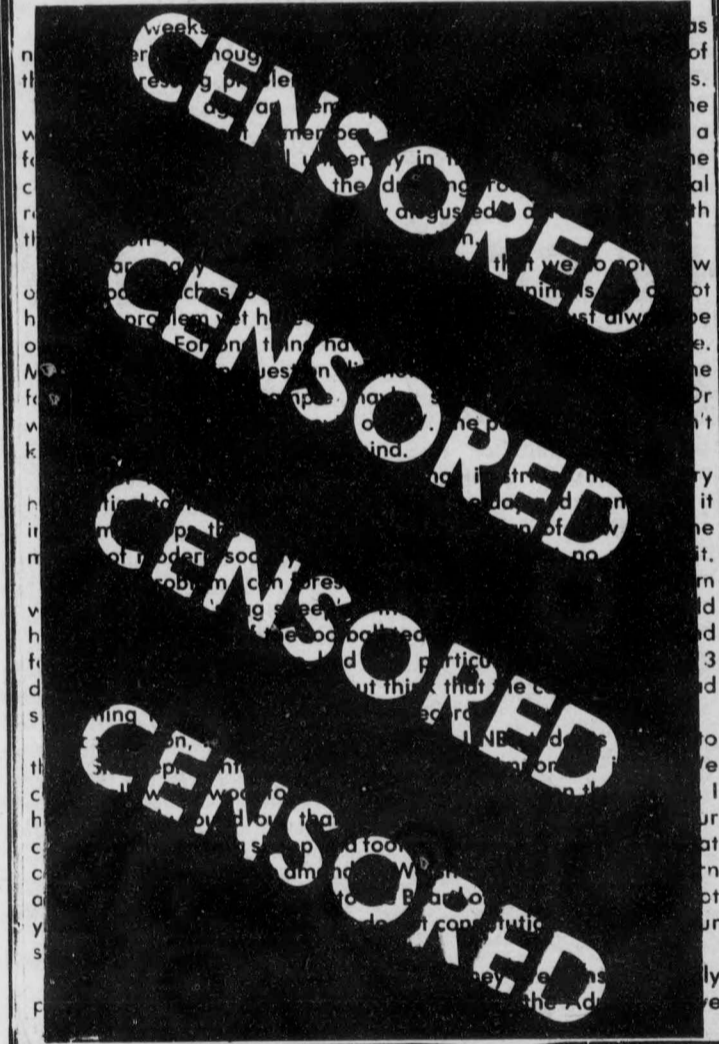
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