

SPORTS

Bears beat Bisons in last minute upset

Bearly passable offense wins

by John Algard

The Golden Bears football team opened their 1983 season this past weekend with a 27-26 victory over the University of Manitoba Bisons.

Led by sophomore quarterback, wide receiver Gord Bolstad and place kicker Glenn Godfrey, the Bears survived an error-filled third quarter and won the game with a field goal by Godfrey with only four seconds remaining.

The Bears controlled the first half, moving the ball well between the twenty yard lines. Every time the Bears drive stalled in Bisons territory, Godfrey came onto the field to attempt a field goal. He was one for two in the first quarter, and the Bears led 4-0 at 10:31 of the quarter. At 14:54 defensive halfback Bernie Taylor, who played an excellent game, intercepted an errant Manitoba pass. He then threw a pass to Gord Bolstad that resulted in a 30 yard touchdown. The first quarter ended with the Bears ahead, 11-0.

A pass from Brezden to Bolstad led to Godfrey's second field goal of the afternoon at 4:56 of the second quarter. Manitoba began to move the ball, by alert play by plugger Andy Schinke on a Manitoba fumble gave the Bears the ball on their own 37 yard line. Brazden marched the offence to the Manitoba 38, and Godfrey kicked his third field goal of the afternoon.

Manitoba finally got on the scoreboard late in the first half after James Richards shanked a punt of the side of his foot for a gain of 18 yards. Quarterback Mike O'Donnell scored on a quarterback sweep with less than a minute remaining. The half ended with the Bears in control, 17-7.

In the third quarter, the Bears resembled last years losers more than first

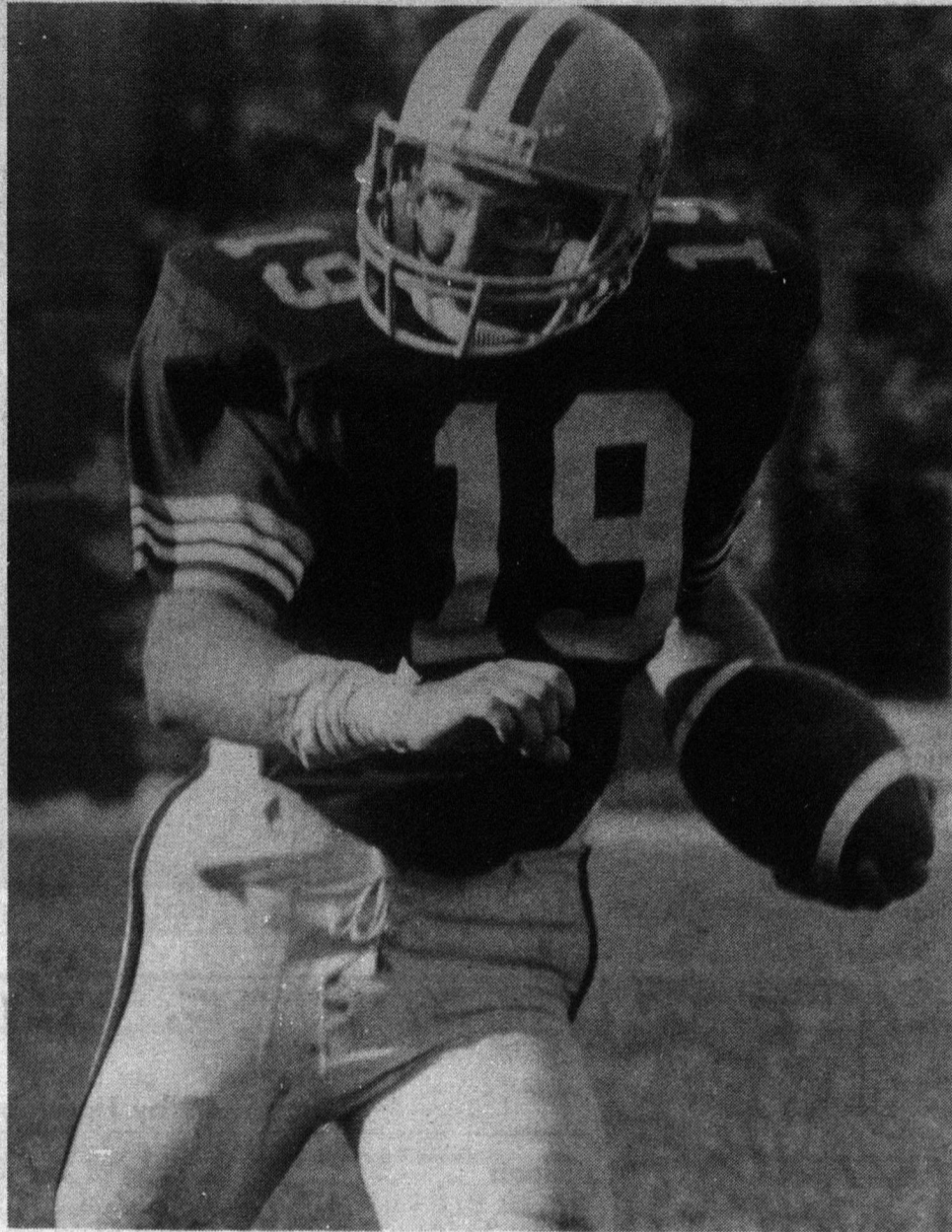
half winners. Quarterback Gary Rehman hit Gord Bolstad on a flag pattern with a perfect pass, and Bolstad scampered to the end zone. With the score 24-7, the Bears relaxed and damn near lost the game.

Manitoba's second touchdown came on a blocked punt. Sloppy play by the Golden Bear's punting team allowed Peter Lawrence of the Bisons to fall on the ball in the end zone. Pat Brookes kicked the convert, and picked up three more points on wide field goal attempts. At the end of the third quarter, Alberta was still ahead 24-9.

Two minutes into the fourth quarter, Bears quarterback Rehman thres a beautiful interception to Doug Fosty of the Bisons. Mike O'Donnell promptly matched the Bisons to the Alberta seven yard line, then ran a quarterback sweep for the second time that afternoon. With 4:56 remaining, the Bisons were on top 26-24. The teams exchanged possession of the football five times in the next three minutes, and Alberta had the ball on their own fifty yard line with 1:43 to play in the game. Darren Brezden returned to move the Golden Bears to the Manitoba 10 yard line. With seconds remaining Godfrey kicked his fourth field goal of the day, and the Bears had their first victory of the year.

The Bears offensive line played extremely well. Rookie running back Kevin Wilkinson and Scott Smith, along with

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Bears safety Frank Salverda

Golden Bear and Panda tryouts *Join the team*

You gotta be a football hero/to get a date with a beautiful girl.
That's a bit dated perhaps but there is still a lot of prestige, not to mention fun, excitement and the odd scholarship involved in being a campus athlete. The times for tryouts are listed below. There are places open for both men and women, so try out and who knows, maybe you'll wind up dating the most beautiful guy on campus.

TEAM	DATE	ROOM	TIME
Golden Bear Hockey	Wed., Sept. 7	E-120	5:00 pm.
Golden Bear Soccer	Mon. Sept. 5 - Fri. Sept. 9	Lister Hall Fields	5:00 pm.
Panda Soccer	Tues., Sept. 6 - Fri., Sept. 9	Kinsmen Field	4:00 pm.
Golden Bear & Panda Diving	Tues., Sept. 6 - Fri., Sept. 9	West Pool	3:00 pm.
Panda Field Hockey	Mon. Sept. 12	E-436	5:00 pm.
Golden Bear & Panda Swimming	Mon. Sept. 12	E-120	5:00 pm.
Golden Bear Wrestling	Tues. Sept. 13	E-05	5:00 pm.
Gymnastics - General	Wed. Sept. 14	West Gym	5:00 pm.
Golden Bear Basketball	Wed. Sept. 14	W1-39	5:00 pm.
Golden Bear/Panda Cross Country	Wed. Sept. 14	E-436	5:00 pm.
Golden Bear Gymnastics	Thurs. Sept. 15	E-436	5:00 pm.
Panda Gymnastics	Thurs. Sept. 15	West Gym	5:00 pm.
Panda Basketball	Thurs. Sept. 15	E-120	5:00 pm.
Panda Volleyball	Thurs. Sept. 15	W1-39	5:00 pm.
Golden Bear Volleyball	Thurs. Sept. 15	W1-38	5:00 pm.

1. All students wishing to try out for a Golden Bear or Panda team must have a medical from their family doctor or the University Health Services prior to trying out.
2. All rooms listed are in the Physical Education complex.
3. Managers are required for the following teams. If you are interested please contact the team coach.
Panda Basketball; Panda Field Hockey; Panda Soccer; Golden Bear Hockey; Golden Bear Soccer and Golden Bear Wrestling.

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