

The Litterbox

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Stephen Marks, our intrepid sports reporter can always be counted on to be eloquent. And so he was when we happened across him at Lamport stadium in Toronto as our Offset Editor and myself (the Sports Editor), arrived to cover the UNB Red Sticks at the CIAU's.

The first thing he said to us was "Ack, ppht!" as he lolled about amidst a plethora of empty bottles, packages, containers, capsules and the shattered remenants of his pipe.

"Where's the story?" I asked.

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"The Ironmen rugby story." "Yeah. I'm working on it. I gotta new angle."

"What are you doing at the Red Stick's game?" asked the

Offset Editor. "Well, it's like this. After the polo match, I was taken prisoner by the Belzian Secret Police and put in jail. I

escaped and then...' "Yeah, sure," I said.

"Right," commented the Offset Editor.

"Can I offer you gentlemen something to drink?" asked

"No thanks, we brought our own," said the Offset Editor, and we proceeded to sit back and watch the game.

Midway through the second half, Marks turned to us and said, "There's fifteen guys in trenchcoats parachuting out of the sky to get me."

"Yeah, right." Suddenly, fifteen guys in trenchcoats appeared behind us. "Ve vant Steffin Marcx," said their leader.

"Who are you?" I asked.

Marks whispered in my ear: "Don't hassle them. They're Belzian Secret Police."

"Yeah, right," said the Offset Editor.

Their leader again spoke, "Don't hassle us. We're Belzian Secret Police.'

We could offer no resistance as they dragged Marks away. As we shrugged our shoulders and returned to watching the game, Marks called back: "Hey Chief! When's the rugby game?"

'Next weekend." "I'll try to make it."

Meanwhile, the Red Sticks took another short corner, unaware of the whole situation.



The winning team: happy chemical engineers celebrate their softball victory.

Moosehead Calendar

Raiders Basketball 8:00 Kings College at UNB Friday, Nov. 6 Kings College at UNB 2:00 Saturday, Nov. 7 Bloomers Basketball Invitational UNB Fri, Sat Nov. 6, 7 **Devils Hockey** 7:30 SMU UNB Friday, Nov. 6 de M 7:30UNB Saturday, Nov. 7 **Beavers Swimming** UNB at Mt. A Invitational Sat, Sun Nov. 7, 8 Harriers X-Country CIAU's in Victoria 2 UNB runners to **Red Shirts Soccer** AUAA's at Newfoundland Sat. Sun Nov. 7, 8

Last Co-Ed Tournament for the Term The final co-ed tournament for the fall term will be a Competitive Volleyball Tournament to be held on Saturday, November 21. Get a group of your friends together for one last event before exams roll around. Entry deadline is Wednesday, November 18. Register individually or as a team in the Recreation Office between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.

Open Hockey Practice Times Open Hockey Practice Times have been reserved for the following dates:

November 19, November 26, and December 3. The time for the practice is 1:45 to 3:00 p.m. All full-time UNB/STU students and Recreational Facilities Pass Holders

are eligible to participate. Every participant must wear a CSA approved helmet with full face mask or visor and internal mouthguard while

on the ice. Players are advised to wear full equipment. The Intramural Hockey Program will only be providing goalie equipment. All participants are required to co-

operate fully with the Equipment Room staff as well as the AUC staff.

If anyone has questions, please call the Recreation Office in the LB Gym at 453-4579.

Chem-eng victorious By G. PATAKI

It was a very cold, windy Saturday morning as the last event of engineering week, the

softball tournament was held. After an excellent, lively previous night at the Coaster Derby Pub, it was with considerable fortitude and bravery that the Chemical Engineering squad arrived at Queen's Square Park at 9:30 a.m.

But, alas, the first opponents did not appear. It is with much regret that this reporter must ask, "How is it that the Civil Engineering department with the second largest engineering enrollment could not field a team?" (tsk, tsk, very naughty!)

Thus the Chem Engs were winners in this early round by

default. At noon hour the Electrical Engineers were set to faceoff against the Chem Engs with an excellent outfield including Jamie (Ralph) ("but it should have been a double") Walton and Tim (Speed) Whynot, and hits by such outstanding rookies as Christoph Cornu, Elizabeth (Slugger) Black and Carolyn Arsenault, the opposition did not have a chance. The Electricals were demolished 18 - 0 and it was off to the playoffs where the competition looked fierce.

The Surveyors fielded a strong team, but the underdog Chem Engs were not to be outdone. Line drives by first base Rob Shields, second base team captain Jim Campbell and Cont. on page 23

Herb's NHL puck-ups

This past week violence overshadowed good clean hockey. Hockey players who believe assault with a deadly weapon is the way to play the game are getting the press. These incidents are blown out have been severely injured. of proportion by the press and Shockingly, Don Cherry on taken too lightly by the NHL.

Last week there were three serious incidents. The first was Craig MacTavish blindsiding an opposing player in the face with his stick. A viscious incident but mild when compared to Gord Donnelly's kneeing of Willie Platt on the head. Granted this happened during a fight but Platt was flat on the ice and the linesman were breaking up the fight. There's no place in hockey for these incidents, yet we have an even more serious incident. This concerns one Dave "headcrusher" Brown. A baby could play hockey better than this man but he sure can use his stick. Brown charged Tomas

Sandstrom from behind and cross-checked him to the side of the head. Sandstrom's moved around like it wasn't attached. He was very fortunate to be wearing a helmet or he would Coach's Corner called this a



minor incident. Cherry figured since Sandstrom is a dirty player and didn't miss a game, Dave Brown doesn't deserve a long suspension. Personally I feel this incident should be used as an example.

By giving Brown something like a 40 game suspension,

players will keep their sticks down realizing that stick incidents aren't to be tolerated by the league. Instead Brown only received a 15 game suspension. Still a severe penalty, but it isn't enough to set a real example. When is the NHL going to get serious about cutting out violent stick work.

In other news, rumours are starting that Paul Coffey may be traded to New York or Chicago. A rarity on Tuesday, October 27 when 2 shutouts occurred on one night. Mario Gosselin of Quebec shutout Edmonton and Alain Chevrier of New Jersey shutout Philadelphia. Both Stanley Cups finalists are off to slow starts.

Lastly, congratulations are in order to Marcel Dionne who quietly became the third player in NHL history to score 700 goals. This guy is a great hockey player even at 36. That's all for this week.