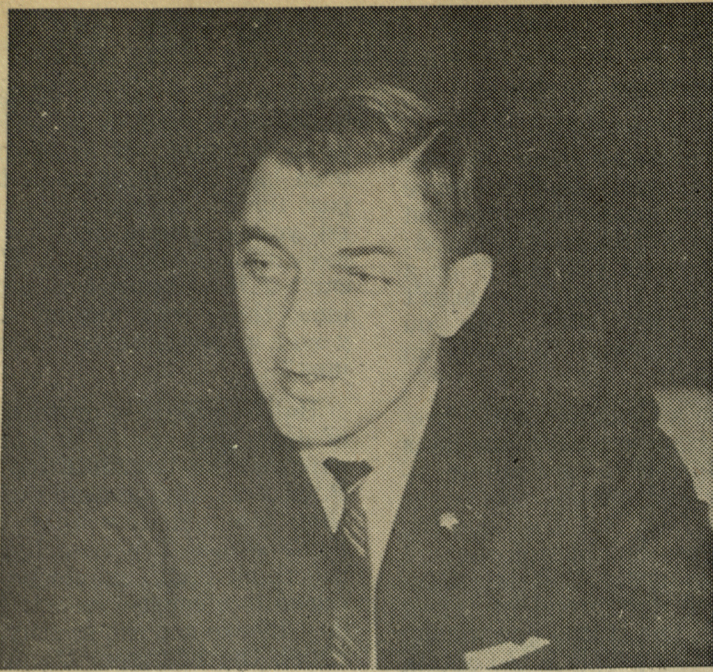


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THE MAN ON THE STREET DEMANDS THE RETURN OF THE BEARS

The University of Prince Edward Island football team was dealt its second loss of the season by the University of Acadia Axemen at McAdam Field, last Saturday afternoon.

One of the bright spots of the game was the hard-nosed defense while the big disappointment was an impotent offense. The offense hardly resembles the explosive attack of last year SDU Saints.

On UPEI's first series of plays, it looked as if the Island team had found itself. The varsity drove to the Acadia twenty-six yard line, and Gary Mancuso kicked a thirty-two yard field goal. On UPEI's second series of plays the offense again called on Mancuso. His forty-three yard attempt hit the upright, and the score remained 3-0.

After Acadia fumbled the UPEI kick-off, which was recovered by Mike Darcy, UPEI was in excellent field position. On the next play Quarterback Jim Foley danced 20 yards for the major and gave UPEI a 9-0 lead as the convert attempt failed.

Acadia's first score was set up by a quick kick which was recovered by the Axemen. The Axemen's hard-running halfback Paul Fournier bulldozed his way through the varsity defense to put Acadia on the scoreboard and the varsity lead was cut to 9-7.

On the ensuing series of plays, Acadia, led by Fournier and halfback Don Barrel marched to the UPEI twelve yard line. The defense made a goal line stand, as Steve

Bednar stopped Fournier on the third down.

UPEI kicked off to start the second half and again Steve Bednar came up with the big play as he recovered a fumble on the thirty-nine yard line of Acadia. But, again, the offense floundered and could not score.

In the fourth quarter, UPEI defense stopped Acadia on their own twenty-two yard line as Acadia quarterback Steve McKeon ran on a third and eleven situation but was smothered by tacklers short. UPEI took possession of the ball and Foley promptly gained nine yards on a jaunt through the Acadia secondary. Halfback Jim Paolini dove over for the first down. It appeared as if the doormat offense had at last awakened. A fumble for a loss of eight yards and a five yard delay of game penalty forced the varsity to go to the air. The pass from Foley to Jack Sands was batted down by the Axemen defenders and UPEI was forced to punt. The punt was short and the varsity was called for no yards. As a result of the short punt and penalty Acadia took possession on the UPEI thirty-one yard line. Acadia rolled in for the TD in five plays and had a 13-9 lead with eight minutes remaining.

The Acadia kickoff was returned twenty-five yards by Don Murray, to the UPEI forty yard line. Again the offense could not move and the varsity had to punt. Lajeunesse booted a sixty yard punt to the Acadia ten. Acadia

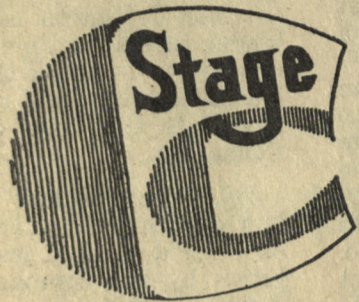
mounted a short drive but was stopped by the stingy defense and Acadia was forced to kick. A man onside for Acadia recovered on the four yard line of UPEI. The disheartened defense surrendered and Acadia gained its final major with little time remaining.

After a disappointing debut against The University of New Brunswick and a stunning upset by The University of Acadia Axemen, The University of Prince Edward Island varsity team host the Huskies of St. Mary's University Saturday afternoon at 1:30.

The UPEI squad should be in good physical health for the first time this season. by a q

All-star quarterback Jim Foley has been hampered thus far this season by a ruptured ligament in his ankle. He has had no time for conditioning this year, but should be in fair condition Saturday. Defensive end Peter Sprague, now recovered from a neck ailment, will toughen up an already malevolent defense. Big and swift fullback Dick Yost should be in near top condition, after knee trouble sidelined him for the UNB game and has impeded his practices.

The Huskies feature halfback Jim Dimitroff and quarterback AuCoin and Cousins. This will certainly be a grudge match at St. Mary's defeated St. Dunstan's University, in Halifax last year, by a score of 16-12.



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