

Jim Telfer: Looking Back . . . For Once - 320 pages - David Ferguson, Jim Telfer - Random House, 2012 - 9781780577104 - 2012

Looking Back . . . For Once reveals how a shepherd's son from the Borders became the major driving force in the most successful days of Scottish rugby and steered the game into the professional era. The former captain and coach of Scotland and coach of the British and Irish Lions now sets the record straight on the controversies that raged during his career. What made him lambast New Zealand rugby in its Canterbury heartland? Why did he not select his 'best-ever Scottish forward' for a Lions tour? Jim Telfer has been a mainstay of Scottish rugby since the early 1960s. In the '90s, he took over as the Scottish Rugby Union's first full-time director of rugby. A third Grand Slam and a Five Nations win book-ended that decade, and he retired from the game at the end of 2003. Looking Back - for Once. by Jim Telfer, David Ferguson. 0 Ratings. 0 Want to read. 0 Currently reading. 0 Have read. This edition published in October 25, 2005 by Mainstream Publishing. Jim Telfer. Looking Back - for Once. This edition published in October 25, 2005 by Mainstream Publishing. ID Numbers. Open Library. OL8961522M. Internet Archive. jimtelferlooking0000telf. James Telfer (born 17 March 1940) is a Scottish rugby union coach and a former rugby union footballer. As a player, he gained 21 international caps in the amateur era, also having a career as a headmaster at Hawick High School and Galashiels Academy as a chemistry teacher. He won fame as a Scottish forwards coach who gave punishing training sessions to his players. With Sir Ian McGeechan he has had success with both the Scotland national rugby union team and the British and Irish Lions. Jim Telfer book. Read reviews from world's largest community for readers. As a Scotland and British and Irish Lions captain and coach, Jim Telfer has stirred incredible controversy from his native Borders to New Zealand. He has also been the subject of much criticism, and now wants to set the record straight. What made him lambast New Zealand rugby in the hotbed of Canterbury? Why didn't he select his favorite player of all time for a Lions tour As a Scotland and British and Irish Lions captain and coach, Jim Telfer has stirred incredible controversy from his native Borders to New Zealand. He has also been the subject of much criticism, and now wants to set the