

SPORT NEWS

Milton Takes Sat. Game K. O. Acton by 11-4 Score

Eight runs in the first two innings at the expense of southpaw, Don Ryder, took the steam out of Acton bats at the start last Saturday afternoon. Milton pinned an 11-4 defeat on them for their eleventh loss of the season. John Mowat went in to relieve Ryder in the third and restricted Milton to one solitary bingle until the ninth but the damage was already done and Milton coasted the remainder of the way. Doucett kept eight Acton hits well spaced as he went the distance for the Red Caps. He was only in any real trouble the once in the top half of the second when Acton plated two runs but settled down and whiffed eleven batters in later innings. Milton smashed nine safeties from the combined offerings of three Acton pitchers including a double and triple in the first frame. Gervais started a merry round off three hits. Milton counted six runs and were never headed. Waterhouse tallied in the top half of the first for Acton on a single and an error at second. In the second inning Hough and Reder singled in succession both scoring on an error at third. Masales singled in the third and scored on Jordan's safety for the last Acton run. Milton counted a brace in their half of the second when Fay was hit by the pitcher and Toletzka walked. Both runners scored on consecutive singles from Stover and Early. Brush arrived safe in the bottom half of the sixth on a bobble at third to account for Milton's 9th run. A single from Gervais and a double from Toletzka was followed by Rusk poking a single through centre scoring two additional Milton runs in the ninth. Sam Snyder went to the mound for Acton in the ninth.

All Halton County games slated for last night were rained out.

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A SHIRT TALE

A Toronto laundry found itself in an embarrassing position recently. They are using a laundry tag with a number printed on it which is fastened to each piece of laundry to identify the owner. On shirts these small tabs are usually pinned to the shirt-tail. On a recent week-end they found themselves with about two thousand shirts on hand, estimated from about five hundred customers, and that many of the tags were so bleached as to make them most difficult to identify.

N. H. School Board Favors Fast Action

(Continued from Page One) amount to \$25,300 per year. Net cost to district would be \$19,800 per year. The present cost of all transportation is \$100 per day. The increase of \$65 per day could be offset by a reduction of six in the teaching staff.

During the discussion it was brought out that much equipment and supplies could be secured from the present schools for a central school, that duplication of equipment would be avoided; that repairs in older buildings would be avoided and that the present buildings might be used for a few years for public school purposes and avoid extensive building programs for the next few years until present deteriorations of all municipalities were reduced or retired. The Board members in each municipal district will discuss this proposal with their Councils.

Mr. K. Dick, who had been engaged by the Board to draft agreements on sharing of school costs on a proposed basis adopted by County Council reported Acton, Nassagaweya and Esquimaux had accepted the proposed distribution. Milton council had not dealt with the matter yet, and Georgetown Council had advised that the plan would not be accepted. The Secretary had therefore called a meeting of the Board of Arbitrators for Milton on Thursday afternoon as instructed in the original motion passed in June. This Board is according to the Act made up of the assessors of the five municipalities and the county assessor.

Accounts passed amounted to \$1,351.91. Applications from pupils to attend Guelph Collegiate were dealt with and instructions issued the Secretary. The tender of W. H. Clements for painting at Milton School was accepted at \$328.

Mr. C. R. Kilgour was approved as Musical Director at Milton School at a salary of \$500 per year. Members present at the meeting were Col. G. Brown, A. Beaumont, W. Coon, W. Biehn, J. Bell, R. Carbert, F. W. B. Fitzgerald and Chairman G. A. Dills presided.

MRS. R. L. DAVIDSON HOSTS SENIOR AUXILIARY W.M.S. AT ANNUAL SUMMER MEETING

The summer meeting of the Senior Auxiliary, W.M.S. of Knox Church was held at the country home of Mrs. R. L. Davidson on Thursday afternoon, July 13th, with Mrs. H. Mainprize presiding. The program was in charge of Mrs. R. M. McDonald and Group Committee. The devotional period was led by Mrs. A. J. Murray, Mrs. F. J. Hamard, Miss M. Somerville and Mrs. R. H. Armstrong. The Missionary topic "The Church in Korea" was taken by Miss Isabel Anderson who gave the background of Mission work among the Koreans in Japan. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Davidson and members of the Committee.

EDEN MILLS Hold Annual Picnic In Soper Park, Galt

The annual Sunday School and congregational picnic of the Presbyterian Church were held in Soper Park, Galt on Saturday. A goodly number of children, parents and teachers journeyed by bus. After a bounteous lunch served at noon hour, races and sports were indulged in.

The results of the races were boys and girls 6 and under, Russell Macdonald, George Watson, Brenda Wright, boys 7-10, Jack Brinklow, Billie Hamilton, Bobby Mochrie, girls 11-13, Hazel Parks, Margaret Early, Marion Mochrie, boys 11-13, Allan Brinklow, Donald Blacklock, young ladies, Jean McLean, Betty McLean, Jean Zarly, young men, Jack Gilbertson, Mansel Lowrie, Garnet MacDougall, all three legged race, Mansel Lowrie and Betty McLean, Jack Gilbertson and Wanda Burrows, wheelbarrow race, Billie Lowrie and Garnet MacDougall, Bobby Mochrie and Jack Brinklow, potato race, Joan Coulson, Jean McLean, Mansel Lowrie, look race, Joan Coulson, Billy Lowrie, Jean Early clothes pins on line, Billy Lowrie, Hazel Parks.

Ladies Aid races were as follows: kicking the shoe, Jean McLean, patch race, James Gilbertson, Beryl Wright, young ladies, Wanda Burrows, ball race, Mrs. W. Early, men's spot race, Bob Gilbertson, ladies spot race, Mrs. J. Gilbertson, oldest person present, Mrs. Mino Mrs. Reid, throwing the rolling pin, Alma MacDonald, teacher's novelty race, Mrs. W. Lowrie, bean guessing contest, Mrs. H. Gilbertson.

All returned to their homes after spending a most enjoyable time. We are sorry though that Miss Gail Hamilton had the misfortune to fall and break her wrist. All hope she will soon be well.

Mrs. Frank Lovell and little daughter of Toronto is spending this week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. McIntosh.

Miss Isabel Lowrie is visiting this week with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Thomas in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Beecham and Ivan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tosh at Fergus. Mrs. Beecham's sister, Miss Mary Tosh returned home with them for the summer.

Mr. James Roberts of Greenfield, Sask. is visiting his sisters, Miss Sadie Roberts and Mrs. T. Tolton. Mrs. Claude Brinklow and Ruth have returned home after spending two weeks with her father, Rev. Mr. Adamson at Spenceville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Woodhouse and sons spent the week-end with friends in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Booth and family have returned after spending a week in Kincardine.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Atkinson and Lynn returned after a week's holidays spent at Muskoka.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Sutherland and Miss Elizabeth Smith of Toronto were visitors on Sunday in the Wright home, also Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bennett and Le Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McPhail and son spent a week in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McPhail.

Master Barry Elliott of Stoney Creek is spending the summer with his grandmother, Mrs. Ziemann in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Ingle.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tolton spent last week with their aunt, Mrs. Taylor in Pontiac, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McPherson, Donna and Ken and Mr. Francis Smith and Gloria spent a day recently with friends at Port Elgin.

Master Bruce Loamax of Hamilton spent this week with his chum, Paul Woodhouse.

The sympathy of the community goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Wray Gardiner in the death of their infant daughter.

Several brush demonstrations sponsored by the Weaver Company have been held in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Loamax and family of Hamilton were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Woodhouse.

Mrs. Ethel Penfold and Peggy spent the week-end at Southampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hobson and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Hobson's brother, Mr. Al Dickson and family at Stratford. Miss Norma remained for a week's holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Clark spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Clark at Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brinklow and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Millar at Pontypool.

Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Stevenson, Lorna and Johnnie of Montreal are spending this week in the Gilbertson home.



SPORTS CAMERA

NO MATTER how optimistic a guy can get, the mathematical possibility of Acton bats finishing up in any of the first three spots in the final Halton loop statistics is very remote. Up to last night their individual mark was made up of four wins one tie and eleven losses with four games to be played, not exactly a record shattering mark for an Int. A club in a league including one Int. B and two Int. C entries in percentage points. It is a humbling 256. Yet all this goes by the board when play off time rolls around. Regardless of how many games they win in the twenty game schedule all six clubs in the Halton Association share in the play off spoils. Oakville, Fergus and Acton contest for the right to advance into the Int. A playdowns. Georgetown gets a bye into the B playdowns and Waterdown and Milton clash for the Int. C playdowns. Acton usually therefore the schedule was little more than a grooming for the showdown in August. In view of this we suggest you throw away the script when the teams go to bat for the big stakes.

TAKING THE present standing as a gauge it looks as if Fergus Vics are going to finish up on top of the league for the second year in succession. The Vics have Oakville worried to such an extent that the Oaks decided their present team wasn't strong enough to stop the Vics, so they rushed to points east and signed up Toronto players in order to keep in the running. This caused some dissatisfaction at Oakville. Players who gave up their posts for imports, hurriedly rushed in before the July 15 deadline didn't concur with the arrangement and led by Chris Speyer, former coach of the 1947 champions, decided to enter an Int. B entry in addition to the A team now on hand. Apparently the Oakville officials wanted a winning team or none at all. With floodlights due to be installed by July 19th and the confusion kicked up by disension in the ranks, it was a harrowing moment for the Oakville executive. However, it appears things are back to normal now and all that's worrying the A Oaks is whether their reinforcements will prove up to the task of stopping Fergus. To add to their woes, last week Acton defeated the Oaks and further dimmed their outlook.

ACTON, IT'S TRUE, haven't been too successful to this point. Matt Tyler has been plagued with ill of every description. One night the pitching is weak, another night it's

the hitting. Still another night and he can barely staff a team from the hordes of players, local and otherwise who have signed Acton certificates. However, in the last few games of all the players who have run the gamut from pitchers to outfield he is shaping up what, with luck, might turn out to be a winning combination. Last Friday, the club signed Tom McKenna, a spark plug on the mound for the last year Junior A Champs of Ont.—Guelph Leaflets. McKenna was with the Guelph Maple Leaf Seniors to start the year off, but was traded to Galt along with Bill Leader in mid-season. He couldn't reach his top form due to the scarcity of assignments with either Senior club but he's a top flight pitcher in his own right and might be a big help to Acton in the play offs. Whether Finkbeiner will patch up his tiff with the Acton club is another question. Last night's game with Fergus was washed out and McKenna was to be starting pitcher. The next game is slated here on Saturday with Waterdown the opposition.

The young lady visitor to the zoo started at the sign on the kangaroo cage in stunted silence. The sign read simply "Native of Australia". Finally she turned away from the cage and shrieked "Great Heavens! My sister married one of them things!"

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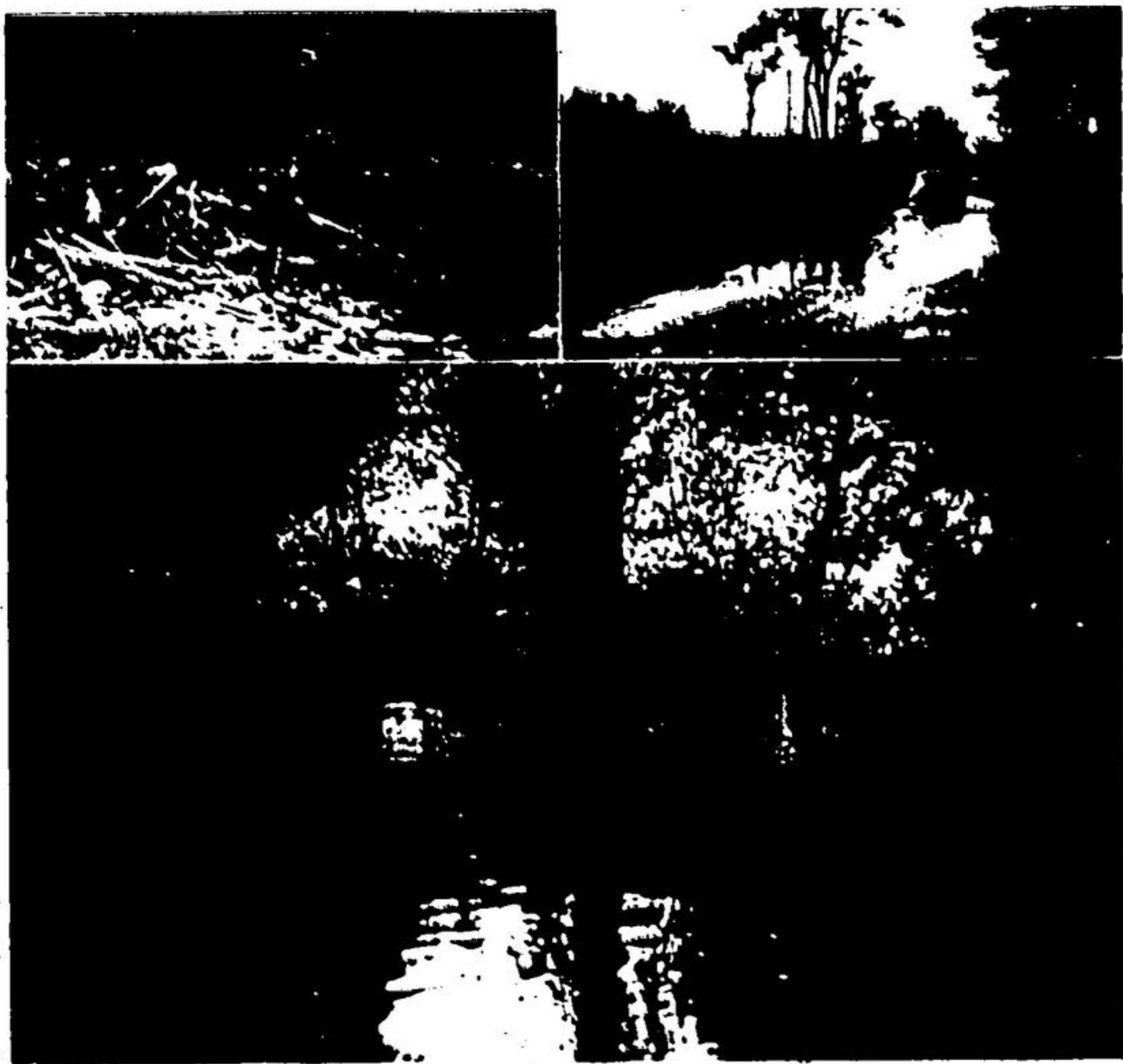
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A MASTERPIECE of nature's art has been constructed by Canadian Beavers in Nassagaweya Township in building a dam that is holding back quite an area of water because of its near perfection. The dam has been attracting a great deal of local attention since its start. Top left picture shows the dam itself, top right is the flood it is causing on the road and lower photo is the body of water held back by it.