

TIES STILL POPULAR IN TOWN LEAGUE AS PLAY-OFF TIME DRAWS CLOSE

With only two games for each team to play until play-offs start, it's still a pretty close race in the town league for first place. At the end of this week's activity, Mike Cox's and Reg. Black's teams are tied for first place with Ernie Mark's and Doug Dawkin's teams deadlocked for second.

Play-offs start next Thursday night with first and third and second and fourth teams to meet in total goal, two game series. Results this coming week will decide their respective positions, although it looks like either Mike Cox's club which has suffered only one defeat this year, or Reg. Black's with the most number of wins, will emerge on top as they have a two point bulge on the other two entries and are still going strong.

In the senior division, Duval's team with a win and a loss this week, retained their grip on first place.

Thursday's Games

Last Thursday in the opener of the junior division a 3-3 tie was played between Mike Cox's and Ernie Mark's teams. George Oakes, Edward Melodie and Tom Oakley were the marksmen for the Coxes and Brian Thorarinson with two and Wayne Emmerson with one were the snipers for the Marksmen.

In the second game another tie was played. This time it was Reg. Black's and Doug Dawkin's teams that deadlocked—2-2. Bob Wahlman bagged both goals for Dawkin's while Ron Clowe got two and Martin Marks an assist for Black's.

Senior division play saw McPhail's team knock off Duval's 6-3. Don Deforest led the winners with four goals while Dawkins and "Turk" Shepherd counted one each. For the losers, Bill Coon blinked the light twice and Johnny Rocher once. Rocher and O. Dodds also racked up assists.

Tuesday's Results

Reg. Black's team opened up Tuesday's activity by knocking off Dawkin's club 8-2. Ron Clowe and Bill Johnston each scored a hat trick (three) with singles going to Keith Mainprize and David Peal for the winners. Bob Wahlman got both of the loser's goals.

In the nightcap, Mike Cox's club scored twice in the last period to chalk up a 3-1 win over Ernie Mark's team. George Oakes was the big gun for the winners with two goals and an assist and Tom Oakley counted once. Bob Wahlman got the Marksmen's goal while Williamson played a bang-up game in the loser's nets.

Duval's team regained sole possession of first place in the senior division by whipping McPhail's 5-2. Orv. Dodds and Ross-Norton potted two apiece for the winners with Bill Coon racking up a goal and an assist. Snyder, Rocher and Ritchie also contributed assists.

Don Deforest and "Turk" Shepherd scored for McPhail's team with Deforest also bagging an assist.

LEAGUE STANDING

Junior Division				
	P	W	L	T
Coxe	7	2	1	4
Black	7	3	2	2
Marks	7	2	3	2
Dawkins	7	2	3	2

Games This Week

Thursday — 7:00 p.m.: Cox's vs. Black; 8:00 p.m.: Marks vs. Dawkins.

Tuesday—7:00 p.m.: Dawkins vs. Cox's; 8:00 p.m.: Marks vs. Black.

Senior Division

	P	W	L	T	Pts
Duval	5	3	2	0	6
McPhail	5	2	3	0	4

LEADING SCORERS

Junior Division				
	G	A	Pts	
Bob Wahlman (D)	11	1	12	
Tom Oakley (C)	8	1	9	
Bill Johnston (B)	6	2	8	
Ron Clowe (B)	7	0	7	
Martin Marks (B)	4	2	6	
Brian Thorarinson (M)	5	1	6	
George Oakes (C)	4	1	5	

CHOICE

A shipwrecked sailor spent five years on a deserted island. One day he was overjoyed to see a ship stop anchor in the bay. A small boat came ashore and an officer handed the sailor a bunch of newspapers.

"The captain suggests," he told the sailor, "that you read what's going on in the world and let us know if you want to be rescued."

SURPRISE!

He was buying a fountain pen. "I'm buying this for my wife," he said.

"A surprise?"

"I'll say so. You see she's expecting a car!"

Canadian vegetable growers in 1952 planted 44,710 acres of peas.



Acton High School News

By Chris Lamb

Lieutenant Hughes attended last Friday's assembly and showed a movie, "Meet the Navy." It was in color and showed Navy life on sea and shore. Lieutenant Hughes was also asked to read the scripture for the opening exercises and he mentioned that this was a pleasant duty not often extended to him. He has finished his series of talks and will not be here again this year. However, next year he hopes to return with movies of the Coronation.

A special assembly was held on Tuesday morning to enable the school to hear records of the Glee Club. Lorne Garner recorded their selections at Commencement and Mrs. Garner brought the tape recorder to school. The Christmas Day speech of Queen Elizabeth was also on the recorder. The students enjoyed hearing themselves on the same program as the Queen. Mr. Hansen thanked Mrs. Garner.

There's a basketball game in Orangeville Friday night. The school bus and several private cars will be going.

A Valentine dance is planned for February 14 at the Y.M.C.A.

Seek To Ban Oils In Dairy Products

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alization of their parents, instead of burdening the municipality with these accounts.

Report 5,000 Visits

Halton's Medical Officer of Health, Dr. Bull, in his yearly report said the estimated amount to operate the Health Unit would be \$37,065. This was based on a per capita basis of \$1.20 on a population of 46,000 in Halton. He told members the Unit was understaffed with only four staff nurses. He hoped to have this increased to nine during the year. Some 5,000 home visits, including 1,400 families, had been made last year. There had been 154 child health clinics held and 13,559 had been immunized with vaccines. The Sanitary inspectors had made over 3,000 inspections throughout the year.

Accounts approved and ordered to be paid included: finance \$4,415.85; assessment \$109.00; county buildings \$1,930.63; printing \$256.90; county roads \$31,520.92; agriculture and reforestation \$335; hospitals \$5,118.50; Centennial Manor \$1,231.25.

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Traffic Congestion Relief is Planned

Toronto and immediate environs are featured in a traffic congestion emergency relief program announced by the Hon. George H. Doucett, Ontario Minister of Highways. Work outlined calls for construction of an eight-mile dual highway link between the Queen Elizabeth Way and the new Toronto-Barrie Highway; completion of the Northwest Entrance to the Toronto-Barrie Highway; and 14 mile easterly extension of the North Toronto Interceptor Road from Rouge Street to Highway 2A at the Rouge River. The work will call for 8,000,000 pounds of reinforcing steel.

Hon. Mr. Doucett announced immediate start on seven major highway construction projects in order to "relieve intolerable traffic congestion" in various parts of the province.

Highways Minister Tells Of Hazards

The Hon. George H. Doucett, minister of highways, this week urged drivers and pedestrians of Ontario to co-operate in preventing the needless accidents that spoil Christmas holiday happiness.

"Christmas ushers in a season of festivity and good fellowship," he said, "and it also brings a time of increased traffic dangers. Two years ago our worst single day for fatal traffic accidents was December 23, the last shopping day before Christmas. On that Saturday, 19 persons were killed."

By way of comparison, he stated that last year widespread efforts by the press, radio, police and safety organizations focused attention on the special hazards of the Christmas season. "These activities," the minister said, "undoubtedly contributed to the marked improvement in last year's record when in the four days before Christmas, the death total was reduced to five."

"This year," he continued, "we must strive for an accident free holiday season by paying particular attention to our driving and walking."

The minister listed these special seasonal hazards:

1. There are many more people of all ages shopping, visiting and travelling. The stores are crowded. People are in a hurry.
2. Thousands of beginners face new and dangerous experiences driving on slippery streets or in snow and freezing rain.
3. School children are out playing and often forget to play where it is safe.
4. Early nightfall and dark winter clothing make pedestrians difficult to see.
5. Winter weather conditions reduce visibility and increase stopping distances.

The minister concluded, "I appeal to the citizens of Ontario to overcome these added hazards by greater care, courtesy and common sense when walking and driving."

Bus province: About half of all products manufactured in Canada are made in Ontario.



POUNDING THE SPORTS BEAT

with A. Vengeance

MINOR HOCKEY teams in both the town league and the O.M.H.A. are preparing for the play-offs with an eye to the weather for any signs of an early spring. The town league hopes to get play-offs started next Thursday night and the bantams, midgets and juveniles with many postponed games will likely start Friday if the ice is good.

This Friday night the O.M.H.A. entries hope to have either Bridgeport or Elora visiting for three games. The Acton teams are a tremendous improvement over their showing at the start of the season and officials think they will do far better than what they did in scheduled games against teams who were in better condition.

Fans who want to see some good hockey would be well advised to make the trip to the arena on Friday night. Admission is only 25c, the fourth part of a dollar.

THE ADVANTAGES of artificial ice were in evidence again on Saturday when the pee-wee tournament was held at Elmira. The Elmira club won easily and it was obvious they were in a condition that no town with natural ice could hope to equal at this stage of the game.

Acton met New Hamburg in the first game and lost 4-0. In the second game they met Elora and were eliminated by a 4-1 decision. Elmira, with a well coached, speedy team took all the honors.

Disquieting rumours have been circulating about the midget tournament in Milton last week which Oakville won handsily with a team bigger, faster and more aggressive than the entries from the five other centres. Rumour has it that the Oakville boys were over age and didn't mind telling you about it.

It seems the age limit in the T.H.L., where Oakville is entered, is a year above what the O.M.H.A. is for midget. When midget clubs were entered Oakville simply put in their T.H.L. entry and in that grouping another year makes a tremendous difference in the size and speed of the team.

BEAT BITS... Harold Townsley is one of the more consistent marksmen for Milton Co-ops, a much improved team in recent weeks. The Canadian Champion rated him as one of the Co-ops top hands in their last four games.

Elmira Polar Kings lost an overtime decision to Oakville on Tuesday night for their second loss of the season, both of them in overtime.

The Kings have been elevated into intermediate. A company on their own request, much to the discomfiture of the other teams in the class in the same group, although Milton officials claim the Co-ops can take them if it comes down to a play-off. A test is approaching Monday night when Elmira meets Milton in Milton.

Men of Knox Hold Regular Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Men of Knox was held on Monday evening, February 2.

The meeting opened with a hymn, the club pledge, doxology and the Queen. Gorder Order led in scripture and Murray Coles led in prayer.

After the business part Bill Mainprize took charge of the meeting which consisted of a few correct selections by Charles Landebrough a reading by Mr. Coles a Bible quiz a song contest and a "20 song."

The meeting closed with "O Canada" followed by lunch.

Notice to Creditors AND OTHERS

In the Estate of John Brims.

All persons having claims against the Estate of John Brims, late of the Township of Esquimaux, in the County of Halton, Farmer, deceased, who died on or about the Ninth day of January, 1951, are required to send particulars and proofs thereof to the undersigned before the Twenty-third day of February, 1951, when the assets will be distributed among the parties legally entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims which shall have been filed.

Dated at Acton, Ontario, this Third day of February, 1951.

C. F. LEATHERLAND, Acton, Ont., Solicitor for the Administratrix.

AUCTION SALE

SPECIAL NOTICE

Brampton Livestock Exchange Will Change to Wednesday Afternoons On February 14, 1951

Sale to start at 1 p.m. and continue weekly on Wednesday thereafter.

Cows, cattle, calves, pigs, sows, poultry, etc. If you have any livestock you wish to sell, you are invited to bring it to the Brampton sale. On the other hand, if you are interested in buying good quality livestock, be sure to attend these sales. A satisfied customer is our best advertisement.

HERB M. REINHART, Prop. and Auctioneer

Notice to Residents of Nassagaweya:

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"Haltontville Service Station"

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SMALL HOUSE PLANNING BUREAU DESIGN NO. D-231

This plan provides for two bedrooms on the first floor, with unfinished space in the attic for a future bedroom. The living room and kitchen are in front, and the entrance to the living room is through a vestibule with a coat closet. Other closets include wardrobes in the bedrooms, coat and house-keeping closets in the side entry, a linen cabinet, and a closet in the bedroom hall.

Dining space is provided in the kitchen. There is a full basement.

The exterior finish includes picture window, flower box, shutters, wrought iron railings, wide siding and asphalt shingles. The area on the ground is 881 square feet and the cubage is 18,259 cubic feet.

SHOWTIME

ROXY THEATRE ACTON

FRI.-SAT. FEB. 6-7

SON OF ALI BABA

SUSAN CABOT-VICTOR BONY
ADDED FOR YOUR PLEASURE:
"Snow Carnival"
"Winter Holiday"
"Deep Boo See" Cartoon

MON.-TUES. FEB. 9-10

THE STORY OF WILL ROGERS

WILL ROGERS... JAMES WYMAN
Added for Fun!
"SYMPHONY IN SLANG"

WED.-THURS. FEB. 11-12

Down Among the Sheltering Palms

EXTRA ENTERTAINMENT:
"Jingle Jangle Jungle"
"Tweeie's S.O.S."
World News Events

CONTINUOUS SHOWS MON. TO FRI. FROM 7 P.M. - SATURDAY'S AND HOLIDAYS CONTINUOUS FROM 6:30 WITH MAT. 2 P.M.

OUR CANDY BAR HAS YOUR FAVOURITE TREAT

GO OUT FOR THE BEST... GO OUT TO THE MOVIES!