

Acton Intermediates Bow 8-7 In 4 1/2 Innings With Waterdown

Backing up eight runs in a four and a half inning ball game last Friday evening, Waterdown downed Acton Intermediates 8-7 in Waterdown park.

Skilling, lead-off batter for Acton, went down swinging as Spierenberg, losing the rubber for Waterdown, kept skillfully guessing Scotty McCristall singled and was tagged out at second on Spike Scott's single.

Don Anderson, Acton's half second baseman, blipped one that had Brontz thrown out at second. This ended the Acton half of the first inning.

Beckett, on the mound for Acton, had difficulty getting his bearings. He walked Cully, first Waterdown batter, and Briggs was out at first by McCristall as Cully went to second. Fawcett walked, leaving two ducks on the base.

Jacobs, the power house behind the bat for Waterdown, banged out a triple and two runs trotted home. Thompson hit to Anderson, who hit the pitcher out of the game for the second out. Thompson advanced to second on a passed ball and Cooper and Ribson both lunged out a single to load the bases. Peer waited out Beckett and got a free pass to first, to walk in Thompson Spierenberg, the ninth man at bat in the second half of the first inning, struck out to retire the side, with a 3-0 lead for Waterdown.

Bob Anderson, coaching the Acton nine, gave the boys a pep talk and sent Paul Lawson to the plate to receive a walk and steal second. He reached third on a single by Irvine. Fawcett was thrown out at first for Acton's first out and Ross Morton walked.

With three on bases, Acton's hopes were raised when Beckett struggled to score Lawson and Irvine. Skilling hit to Anderson, who hit the pitcher out of the game for the second out. Thompson advanced to second on a passed ball and Cooper and Ribson both lunged out a single to load the bases. Peer waited out Beckett and got a free pass to first, to walk in Thompson Spierenberg, the ninth man at bat in the second half of the first inning, struck out to retire the side, with a 3-0 lead for Waterdown.

Cully, leading off in the last half of the second, struck out Briggs received a pass, side second and tagged up on third on a passed ball by Morton. Fawcett went down swinging the batter for the second out but not before Morton mowed blocking one to score Briggs from third.

Beckett, firing, walked Jacobs, and was replaced on the mound by Harry Lawson. The left-handed Lawson was coached by Thompson, who hit a sizzler to Anderson, making the put-out to first. The score rested at 4-3 for Waterdown.

Acton, having a one-run deficit, cleared their minds, tightened their belts and delved into the third inning. Paul Lawson belted a double and Frank Irvine was thrown out at first as Lawson advanced to third Fawcett singled.

Campbellville Team Defeats Bronte 8-2

Campbellville opened the 1957 season with an 8-2 victory over Bronte last week in Campbellville.

The defending Halton champions were playing without many of their top players as Jack Roberts, Jack Laking, Earl Cameron, Bill Elliott and Ed Derwinski were all unable to play and the bench consisted of two members of the Junior team.

However, with Harry Hamilton hitting two-hit ball and his team mates smashing out four home runs, they had little trouble with the league's newest entry.

Bronte opened the scoring in the first inning when they got a run without a hit. Early, two out, Bearrow walked, stole second and scored when Hamilton trapped him off second but threw wildly into the outfield.

In the bottom of the second, Campbellville went into the lead with three runs. McPhail singled and went to second when Thomas threw wildly, trying to double him off after Hamilton lined out. McPhail then stole third and scored as the southpaw's 10th out went from the third baseman. Then with two out, Early walked and Moore smashed a home run into the right field.

Bronte picked up another run in the third as the first hit off Hamilton was a lowering home run over the left field fence by Dunryski, but in the bottom of the third, Campbellville came back with three more as Henderson singled, Bill Cairns walked and McPhail smashed a homer over the left field fence.

The scoring was completed in the fourth when Early and Wingo grove both hit bases-empty home runs. Hamilton didn't allow Bronte their second hit when Windenick smashed one back off the pitcher's knee for an infield single.

Hamilton walked five and struck out eight. For Bronte, Dinnski gave up eight runs off seven hits in three and one-third innings. He struck out two and walked four. In two and two-thirds innings, Hughes gave up two hits and struck out one.

Ken Moore and Bob McPhail led the Campbellville attack as each homered and singled. Stan Henderson had two singles. Lloyd Early and Alan Wingo grove homered and Bill Laking singled.

Campbellville's next home game

SPORTS PARADE



Executive Draw Up Teams Roy Kirkness, Gord James and Vic Masters are pictured sorting out the list of players for the Minor Sports ball teams. There are four teams in the B-11 year group and two in the 11-14 year group.

Minor Sports Choose League

52 youngsters in the B-11 age group have been divided into four teams in the Town League by the Minor Sports executive. The following are the team names, managers and players.

Toronto Maple Leafs: Manager Mike Bennett, Mike Matlock, John Boardman, Dave Gull, Gerry McKenna, Jack Hinton, Bud Holmes, Don Harvey, Gerry Waller, Brent Chapman, Steve Goy, Bern Devlin, Robert Pice, David Hyler.

Montreal Royals: Manager John Chapman, Brian Bagala, Michele Churchill, Bill Clark, David Papell, Bob Fawcett, Chris Denny, Don Wolfe, Edward Hubbell, Edward Macey, Reg Laurent, Ted Curran, Andrew Kolyka, Peter Wolfe.

Havana Sugar Kings: Manager Lee Lambert, Paul Bennett, Grant Westcott, Joe Macey, Gerald Skerritt, Bruce Shultz, Glen Holmes, Brian Barbeau, Tom McKenna, Merle Harris, Keith Dunk, James Arnold, Clifford Wedge.

Miami Marlins: Manager Hugh O'Rourke, Ian Johnson, Ken Knowlton, Dave Spivey, Jim Bullock, Phil Drysdale, Danny Arbie, Ted Quennell, David McKellan, Don Earle, Garry Masala, Jim Cooney, Philip Wedge, Paul.

Minor Sport League Announces Schedule

The following is the schedule for the Minor Sports Town League age group 8-11. All games are to be played at the Public School, Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

- Tuesday, June 11 - Miami vs Havana, Montreal vs Toronto
- Thursday, June 13 - Havana vs Toronto, Miami vs Montreal
- Tuesday, June 18 - Miami vs Toronto, Havana vs Montreal
- Thursday, June 20 - Havana vs Miami, Toronto vs Montreal
- Tuesday, June 25 - Toronto vs Miami, Havana vs Montreal
- Thursday, June 27 - Havana vs Toronto, Miami vs Montreal
- Tuesday, July 2 - Montreal vs Miami, Havana vs Toronto
- Thursday, July 4 - Miami vs Toronto, Montreal vs Havana
- Tuesday, July 9 - Toronto vs Miami, Havana vs Montreal
- Thursday, July 11 - Toronto vs Havana, Montreal vs Toronto
- Tuesday, August 1 - Toronto vs Montreal, Miami vs Havana

OBITUARY Mrs. Ernest Benham Interred at Rockwood

Mrs. Ernest H. Benham, wife of Ernest Hamilton Benham, R.R. 2, Rockwood, passed away suddenly in Guelph General hospital, June 6.

Born in Eramosa township, Mrs. Benham was formerly Madeleine Taylor, a daughter of John Taylor and the late Katherine Taylor.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two children, John and David Benham, at home; one brother, Frank Taylor, Rockwood, and an aunt, Mrs. Edith Bernard of Rockwood.

Funeral service was held Saturday, June 8 in Rockwood United church, with Rev. Mr. Ward of Guelph officiating. Interment was in Rockwood cemetery.

Palbearers were Frank Osterlander, Arthur Shore, Arthur Benham, Bussel Glide, Joe Benham and Ralph Titt.

Acton and Oakville Battle In 12 Inning Game, Saturday

Acton, playing host to the Oakville "Oaks" in a hard fought 12-inning game at the Acton Park last Saturday afternoon and went down to defeat 9-7.

The hosts collected six runs in the first three innings, but were held scoreless again until the 12th inning after Sheppard took over the pitching duties for the Oaks.

Acton started their rally in the last half of the first inning when Scott, with two out, singled followed by Don Anderson. Paul Lawson drove both runners home with a timely hit.

Behind two runs, the Oaks determined to gain them back, were turned down by the superb pitching of Gibbs backed up by the sensational playing of the infield.

Oakville seemed to fall apart in the second frame, allowed Acton to score two more runs as Cunningham was held first on an error, with one out Skilling got a base on balls off the second out, McCristall driving them both home for Acton's third and fourth runs.

CHURCHILL Womens' Auxiliary Plan Church Picnic

The June meeting of Churchill W.A. was held Monday night at the home of Mrs. William Butler with 14 ladies present. Mrs. F. McArthur took the devotions and Mrs. D. Denny played the piano.

The main discussion was the Sunday school picnic on Saturday at the Waterfalls Playground. B. H. Denny decided that a basket lunch was to be brought and pooled with tea and cold drinks provided.

Mrs. N. Turner, Mrs. B. Denny, Mrs. M. Freeman were hosts on this great success. There were several other little matters of business brought up and discussed and decided on.

A lovely lunch was served to the ladies by the hostess. A vote of thanks was moved and seconded by Mrs. A. Saunders and Mrs. B. Denny.

Last Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kerr, Mrs. R. Tyler and Thomas and Mrs. E. Beck attended Graduation Day at Alma College where their daughter, Miss Kerr, was a graduate.

On Monday evening, Mrs. F. Freeman and Mrs. A. Burns were guests at a shower at Islington for a friend of the family who is to be married soon.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Saturday, June 8, at Churchill United Church when Donna Alvina Johnson became the bride of William Alfred Thompson.

The reception was held at the bride's home. Later a gathering was held at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thompson.

We wish the happy couple many years of happy married life.

GRAND OLD LADY KIRKLAND LAKE, Ont. (CP)—Mrs. Evangeline Weddfield of Savard township celebrated her 90th birthday. She has 100 descendants including 10 great-grandchildren.

OBITUARY Mrs. Peter Sim Died at Guelph

Ill since last October, Mrs. Peter Sim, Rockwood, passed away in Guelph General hospital on Tuesday, June 4.

Mrs. Sim, formerly Pearl Goy, was a daughter of the late George Goy and Sarah Bennett, and survived by her husband, Peter R. Sim; two brothers, Fred and Tom Goy, both of Guelph; and two sisters, Mrs. Verna Gordon and Mrs. Sadie McDonald of Guelph. She was married in Toronto 39 years ago.

A member of Rockwood Presbyterian church, she was a life member of the W.M.S. Funeral service was held from the Rumsley funeral home, Acton, on June 6 with Mr. Bigg and Mr. Williamson officiating. Interment in Rockwood cemetery.

Palbearers were Fred Royce, Lindsay Gordon, Fred Goy, Dave Doyrie, Alvin Root and Bill McTavish.



ACTON Reels Off Double Play

Paul Lawson performed an unassisted double play last Saturday against Oakville. He caught a line drive and tagged the runner off second.

OBITUARY Mrs. Ernest Benham Interred at Rockwood

Mrs. Ernest H. Benham, wife of Ernest Hamilton Benham, R.R. 2, Rockwood, passed away suddenly in Guelph General hospital, June 6.

Born in Eramosa township, Mrs. Benham was formerly Madeleine Taylor, a daughter of John Taylor and the late Katherine Taylor.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two children, John and David Benham, at home; one brother, Frank Taylor, Rockwood, and an aunt, Mrs. Edith Bernard of Rockwood.

Funeral service was held Saturday, June 8 in Rockwood United church, with Rev. Mr. Ward of Guelph officiating. Interment was in Rockwood cemetery.

Palbearers were Frank Osterlander, Arthur Shore, Arthur Benham, Bussel Glide, Joe Benham and Ralph Titt.

Two Banlam Teams For Minor League

Two teams are drawn up in the Minor Sports Banlam League for the 1957 season. All games are to be played at the park Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

New York Yankees: Manager Jim Fleming, Glen Barr, Wayne Wilson, John Lestherland, T. Masala, J. Bugala, B. Sawston, J. Markenzie, P. Barr, W. Mason, H. Malcolm, P. Newton, W. Gordon, P. Churchill, R. Mellon.

Brooklyn Dodgers: Manager Bill Spivack, Bill Dawkins, Terry Wilson, T. Waterhouse, K. Barry, D. Fleming, D. Gibbons, J. Hoare, P. Marks, K. Andrews, J. Trupp, P. Barr, D. Clarke, H. Henry.

Lawn Bowling League Start Season Play

The first games in the Inter-County Lawn Bowling League were played on Wednesday, June 5. Acton travelled to Georgetown and Rockwood went to Guelph.

This league has caused so much friendliness between the trundlers that there is no doubt of its success for the second year.

The rules are the same as the first year: 10 players to a team, preferably five ladies and five men. The total score is the scoring system used with the high team receiving the two points.

Being played for is the Beardsmore Trophy and the Bell Memorial Trophy.

At Georgetown, the weather was perfect and the greens were in good shape, but the Acton team lost out to Georgetown by a score of 96-78. Claude Kentner of Georgetown welcomed the visitors and Harry Rogers suitably replied, thanking them for the enjoyable evening and 18 ends of playing.

Rockwood, who travelled to Guelph, had a real tussle, play being very keenly contested with all five teams. The score ended 91-23. That's real bowling!

OBITUARY Mrs. Ernest Benham Interred at Rockwood

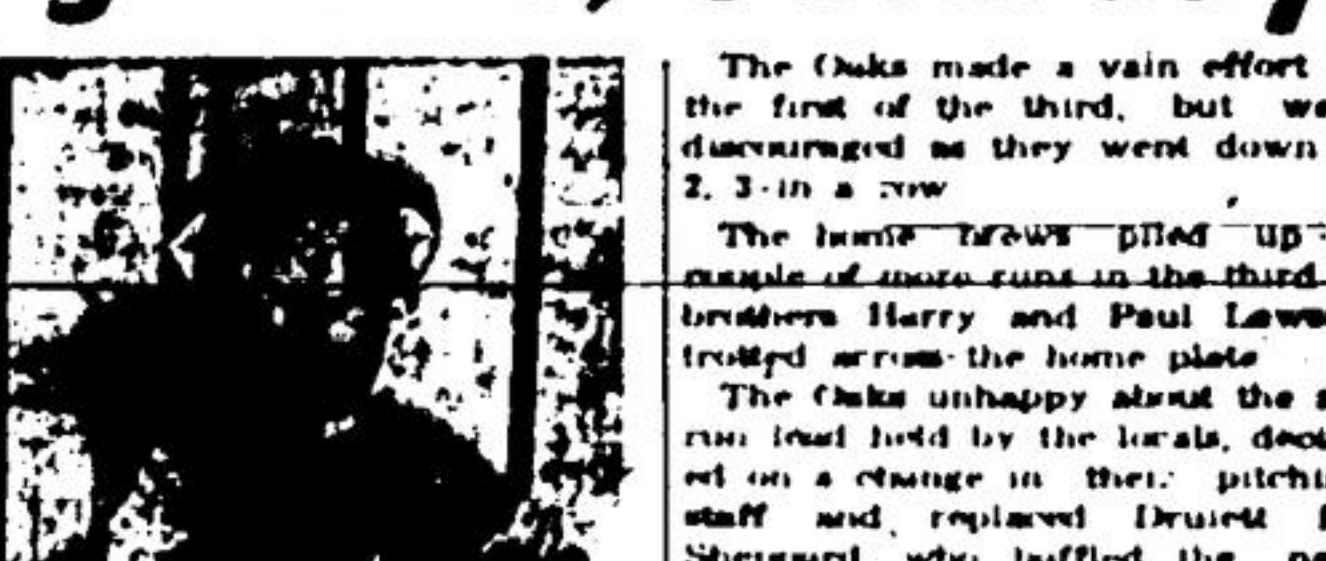
Mrs. Ernest H. Benham, wife of Ernest Hamilton Benham, R.R. 2, Rockwood, passed away suddenly in Guelph General hospital, June 6.

Born in Eramosa township, Mrs. Benham was formerly Madeleine Taylor, a daughter of John Taylor and the late Katherine Taylor.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two children, John and David Benham, at home; one brother, Frank Taylor, Rockwood, and an aunt, Mrs. Edith Bernard of Rockwood.

Funeral service was held Saturday, June 8 in Rockwood United church, with Rev. Mr. Ward of Guelph officiating. Interment was in Rockwood cemetery.

Palbearers were Fred Royce, Lindsay Gordon, Fred Goy, Dave Doyrie, Alvin Root and Bill McTavish.



Teddy Lawson

Realizing Acton's weakness at bat, Teddy Lawson, son of Acton's first baseman, has volunteered help in order to raise the batting average.

Paul Lawson, Acton's stronghold at first made an unassisted double play in the tenth as he caught Fawcett's drive and tagged Kennedy out at second.

Both teams were content to leave the score a tie until the first of the 12th, when the Oaks proved their prowess across the plate. Making a final bid for victory, Acton scored one more run before the side was retired.

Errors and weak hitting were a handicap for the locals as they went down to defeat in the time of 9:15 on the grass and a half hour struggle with the Oaks.

Acton's lineup: Skilling on McCristall, B. Scott, Anderson, B. P. Lawson, B. Bruce, F. H. Lawson, F. Cunningham, F. Gibbs, P. Quennell, Beckett and Robinson.

Oakville lineup: Lawson, Fawcett, Kennedy, D. Kennedy, H. Henley, B. Gosselin, D. Trudell, F. Dryden, B. Bishop, D. Drupp, P. Sheppard.

Acton's next home game is expected to get under way soon.

Local News

Early Lake is quite active with swimmers the past week.

School students are writing their final.

The beach area sanding is expected to get under way soon.

On Monday evening, Mrs. F. Freeman and Mrs. A. Burns were guests at a shower at Islington for a friend of the family who is to be married soon.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Saturday, June 8, at Churchill United Church when Donna Alvina Johnson became the bride of William Alfred Thompson.

The reception was held at the bride's home. Later a gathering was held at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thompson.

We wish the happy couple many years of happy married life.

GRAND OLD LADY KIRKLAND LAKE, Ont. (CP)—Mrs. Evangeline Weddfield of Savard township celebrated her 90th birthday. She has 100 descendants including 10 great-grandchildren.

OBITUARY Mrs. Ernest Benham Interred at Rockwood

Mrs. Ernest H. Benham, wife of Ernest Hamilton Benham, R.R. 2, Rockwood, passed away suddenly in Guelph General hospital, June 6.

Born in Eramosa township, Mrs. Benham was formerly Madeleine Taylor, a daughter of John Taylor and the late Katherine Taylor.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two children, John and David Benham, at home; one brother, Frank Taylor, Rockwood, and an aunt, Mrs. Edith Bernard of Rockwood.

Funeral service was held Saturday, June 8 in Rockwood United church, with Rev. Mr. Ward of Guelph officiating. Interment was in Rockwood cemetery.

Palbearers were Fred Royce, Lindsay Gordon, Fred Goy, Dave Doyrie, Alvin Root and Bill McTavish.

BIGGEST DOLLAR DAY AT LEDGER'S I.G.A.

TERRIFIC VALUE

2 DOZ. ORANGES AND HANDY PLASTIC SHOPPING BAG ALL FOR \$1.00

OUTSTANDING DOG FOOD OFFER!

DOG HOUSE 15 oz. tin 12 for \$1.00

MAMMOTH MEAT FEATURE

1 LB. WIENERS 1/2-LB. BACON 1/2-LB. BOLOGNA ALL for \$1.00

These represent ONLY a FEW of the available BARGAINS in the largest dollar-day event in Acton.

Be sure to save your handbill as a guide to BETTER BUYING and GREATER SAVINGS

BUY AND SAVE AT LEDGER'S

HALTON'S COUNTY TOWN IS LOOKING FOR Halton's Most Beautiful Girl

TO REIGN AS MISS CENTENNIAL at the MILTON CENTENNIAL JUNE 26 TO JULY 1 and to Receive a \$125 Diamond Studed Wrist Watch

Entrants must be between 16 and 25. They will appear in party dresses and be judged on the basis of appearance and personality on Wednesday, June 26.

Enter now. Contact Centennial Headquarters Milton