Lose Squeaker

Orangeville Ousts Lions

Four goals proved to be too much of an obstacle for Acton's juvenile hockey Lions to erase in the second game of their Tri-County Juvenile "B" series with Orangeville.

On their own Bailiwick Saturday night the Orangevillians edged an improved Acton club 3-2 to give them the series seven goals to two but not before they had a few anxious moments.

From the opening whistle it was evident the Lions were out to square the set up and when Ron Malcolm scored to cut the margin down to three goals, the home club started to tighten up.

They got back on even terms later in the period, however, added another in the second stanza and then made it 3-1 early in the third.

The Lions replied when Pete Marks connected on a play with teammates Brian McCristall and Dennis Gibbons, making it 3-2, but despite some frantic efforts to deadlock the count, the Orangeville netminder held them off the sheet for the remainder of the game.

Six minor penalties were served by the teams with the Lions getting the lion's share—five.

Despite their loss to the Orangeville team in the playoffs, it was a successful season for the Lions. They finished fifth in the eight team league with six wins against eight losses, ahead of several teams with artificial ice facilities.

Manager Ernie Marks, and coach Ben Bayliss just had the team starting to roll when they were assigned Orangeville in the playoffs. One of the better clubs in the league, the Orangeville team finished third with 10 wins, three losses and one tie.

Bantams Bow Out Sat. Hespeler Cops Crown, 13-2

Elimination from the O.M.H.A. Bantam "B" playoffs virtually assured when they lost the first encounter of their total goal home and home series 5-0, here, Friday night, Acton's Fire Fighter Bantams nevertheless tried hard in Hespeler the following night before dropping an 8-2 decision.

The Smoke Eaters were outplayed by a Hespeler team which showed a lot of hustle and shooting ability. Total score on the round was 13 goals to two.

Gary Waller was called on to play an outstanding game here Friday night with the visitors testing him from every angle. Black took a pass from Rahn at the 14.05 mark to put Hespeler one up and it stayed that way until the second period.

Early in the second stanza Eaton and Kolapak gave Hespeler a wider margin which was widened another with another pair of goals in the last period.

Acton stayed with the visitors until midway through the game when Hespeler took over dominance of the play. Highlight for the Fire Fighters was the play of Jan Riddell and Gary Waller's puck stopping.

Lose Again

In Hespeler on Saturday John Gov and Rick Henderson each fired a marker, with Mervin Marshall assisting, to avert another shut-out, but Hespeler emptied eight pucks into the Acton net for a big margin on the series.

Manager Herb Dodds and coach Jack Pink conceded the better team won on the series and they had no alibies to offer.

Pounding the Sports Beat . . .

EVERYBODY'S taking a turn, beating the Raiders, laments the Georgetown Herald.

A fast start which saw the Raiders reach the pinnacle of the Central Ontario hockey league in January has swung to the other end of the pendulum. Georgetown is now having difficulty winning a game. Even the cellar dwellers have been giving the Raiders their lumps. A win over Milton Monday, pushed them into a third place position.

Milton meanwhile, deep in the basement in December, is now steadily climbing into playoff contention, only three points out of third. Pacing the Merchants is Jackie Price, league's leading scorer and one of the top centres in the circuit.

Nick Ferri's crew has improved ever since they augmented their roster with players from the Toronto Varsity league.

ONLY BRIGHT SPOT for minor hockey teams from Acton last weekend was the Juvenile's strong showing in Orangeville despite being down four goals in the home and home series. The other Acton teams, Bantams, Midgets and Pee Wees went down to defeat, the former pair to elimination.

For the Midgets it was simply a case of forfeiting the series. For the second time this season they failed to ice a complete team. They were down five goals in the series and it's possible some of them thought hope was dim of ever winning a game. Whatever the reason it must have been a big disappointment to Manager Bill Buchanan and Coach Emmerson Baxter who put much of their spare time into teaching the boys the rudiments of the game.

The Bantams had no excuses. They simply met a better team in Hespeler, one which showed more foot and packed some accurate shooting power.

SUN-DRENCHED snow, blue skies and steep slopes made a perfect setting for skiers who invaded hills over the weekend. Always a popular sport in this district, lack of snow has been a handicap to enthusiasts this winter.

Some have made the junket to the Hockley valley near Orangeville where snow is more plentiful and tows abundant. Others have gone as far afield as the Blue Mountains near Collingwood where a million dollar layout, which includes a mile-long chair lift, is in operation.

One of the prettiest and perhaps most challenging of district ski spots is the valley familiarly known as Dolly Varden. On the Sproat farm is a range of hills called the Three Sisters which a few years ago boasted a ski tow on one of its members.

Bearing no resemblance to one another, the Sisters this year are spotty with snow. Some of the trails have ample covering for a run while others show only coarse brown grass on their best slopes.

BEAT NICKS . . . Elsewhere on this page is the information that Georgetown will enter an Intermediate "A" team in the Halton County baseball league this coming season . . . . . been years since Georgetown has been represented in the loop. Lynn McLaren, ace righthander with Acton last season, is heading the team up . . . Acton will have to look elsewhere for players this semester if a contending club is to be fielded, maybe in the direction of Campbellville? . . . those Trail Smoke Eaters are stirring up a lot of unfavorable publicity for Canadian hockey in the Scandinavian countries, especially Sweden, where they've been called "butchers", roughnecks, ruffians, and a few other assorted adjectives which aren't meant to be approving. The Smoke Eaters, themselves, claim it's only a tempest in a teapot. In Canada, they say it would hardly merit a paragraph . . . Are we still picking Montreal to finish on top of the N.H.L.? You bet! . . . Wait till Jake the Snake gets back between the pipes . . . skating every Wednesday night and until the arena ceases operating.

Buffalo "Dunked" Leafs, Royals Win In Legion Minor Sports Hockey

Smarting from the whitewash they absorbed last week at the hands of Hamilton, Guelph Royals came back with a vengeance to edge the Red Wings 2-1 in a ding dong Legion minor sports contest Thursday night.

In the other games of the triple header, Toronto continued to dominate Montreal by posting a 5-1 victory, while Rochester had their hands full with Buffalo in the American league. The Bisons finally succumbed by a 6-5 count but not before giving the league leaders a scare.

Royals Rally

Marzo and Massey, with a goal apiece, were the Guelph marksmen in their victory over Hamilton. Perkins and Rowden each contributed an assist for the winners while John Mason twanged the twine for the only Hamilton marker, assisted by Mike Vale.

Two penalties were the only infractions spotted by the referee. Each team received one.

N.H.L. Leaders

Harris and Murr were the sparkplugs of the Toronto drive that netted them five goals and gave them undisputed mastery of the N.H.L. section of the Legion league. Harris scored two goals and collected two assists, while Gary Murr also bagged a pair and assisted Harris on his first counter.

An unassisted goal, the second for Leafs, was potted by Wedge to round out their scoring. Van Hoekelen shared in three of his team's scoring plays with Mackenzie assisting Harris on the final goal of the game.

Morton fired Montreal's lone counter, assisted by Phillip Marzo.

Buffalo "Dunked"

A hat trick from the stick of Keith Dunk led Rochester to their 6-5 win over Buffalo. Dave Ryder, Bruce Shultis and Ray Hibbard contributed a goal apiece to the victory, with Keith Dunk and Dave Ryder also picking up an assist. Gov and Freiler made up the threesome in on Hibbard's marker.

B. Cook with a pair, F. Reid, T. Churchill and T. Smeltzer counted the losers' markers with H. Taylor collecting three assists, J. MacNabb, F. Reid, J. Cooney and B. Briggs were in the brackets as well with timely assists.

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

TRI-COUNTY JUVENILE
Final Standing

	P	W	L	T	Pts.	??
Brampton	14	12	2	0	24	165
Oakville	14	11	2	1	23	154
Orangeville	14	10	3	1	21	213
Hespeler	14	6	6	2	14	177
Acton	14	6	8	0	12	142
Georgetown	14	4	7	3	11	229
Preston	14	1	10	3	5	148
Milton	14	0	12	2	2	247

TRI-COUNTY MIDGET
Final Standing

	P	W	L	T	Pts	??
Brampton	14	11	2	1	23	127
Oakville	14	8	2	4	20	131
Preston	14	7	6	1	15	109
Hespeler	14	6	5	3	15	136
Orangeville	14	6	6	2	14	97
Georgetown	14	6	6	2	14	109
Milton	14	4	8	2	10	117
Acton	14	0	13	1	1	110

CENTRAL ONT. INTERMEDIATE

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Bradford	24	14	5	5	133	104	33
Barrie	24	15	6	3	127	96	33
Georgetown	23	12	9	1	100	100	25
Oakville	22	11	10	1	96	78	23
Milton	23	11	12	0	114	128	22
Port Credit	24	8	16	0	77	110	16
Dundas	21	5	14	2	92	119	12

Georgetowners In Ball Picture

The town of Georgetown will be represented in the Halton County Baseball Association Intermediate series this summer for the first time in five years. Lyn McLaren, spokesman for the club officially applied for an entry this week and expects confirmation from this Saturday's annual meeting of the Association in Oakville.

This would give the Intermediate league eight entries, Milton, Campbellville, Oakville, Bronte, Dundas, Acton are all expected to return with Streetsville another likely addition for 1961.

SPILLING FIVE PINS

AT ACTON BOWLING LANES

by KEN HULFORD

High School

January 30: Rebels pulled a big upset on the first place Teddy Bears when, after dropping the first game by eight pins, they set the Rebels down for the next two and totals. Mike Rogers soloed for Rebels with a 207. Jim Bullough and Wayne Mason hit the triple plateau for Teddy Bears with 652 and 620 in that order.

Bongs Have Winning Margin

Lil Ca-Bongs bonged out a first game win from Sapphires with Pete Homer pacing 'em with 244. Homer repeated with a 215 in the second but Sapphires were there in the clutch and snagged the win by eight pins. Homer rounded out a 740 tricount with a 281 single and it gave Lil Ca-Bongs the winning margin for two and totals.

Rocks Have 1 Big Win

Yogis kicked the Rocks aside for the first two games, then the Rocks bounced back with a big win in the finale and snared the odd point for totals to go with the solo win. Rocks' best rounding were singles with Jill Hurst 251, Gary Masales 225 and Don Price 240. Yogis best rounding was Terry Masales 212 single.

League Standing

Teddy Bears 81, The Rocks 66½, Lil Ca-Bongs 57, Yogis 57, Sapphires 50, The Rebels 45.

Beardmore

January 30: Muskokas won a close 24 pins off the Uppers then took the bit between their teeth and barrelled home with the next two for a clean sweep. Leading the win parade for Muskokas with triples were Al Roach 756 and Bill Buchanan 652. Singles were taken care of by Ken Pupel for 226 and Ernie Perry 209. Up for Uppers were Harry Rogers with 675 and John Robson 622. Single honors went to John Hennis 226 and Joyce Buchanan 205.

Super Soles Souped Up

Super Soles got souped up for a two and totals win against the Leatherettes who managed to win the middle chukker by two pins. Phil LeSueur and Herb Wilson were the triple sharpshooters for Super Soles with 677 and 617 respectively. Jerry LaMarche 229 and Millie Fabian 200 came up with the singles. Helen LeSueur tripled for the Leatherettes with 645 and Helen Yateman 205. Eva Williams, 222 and Joyce Masales 206 singled.

Birds Take Off

Devons had Whirlybirds' number in the first, then the Birds took off and wrapped up the next two and totals, with Roger Murray 638 and Pat Waldie 618 being the chief wrappers. Putting the finishing touch to the win with singles were Bob Brown 246 and Sonny Townsley 208. Making with the triples for Devons were Tinnie Masales 676 and Dennis Crooks 617. Lloyd Masales came through with a 206 single.

League Standing

Devons 70, Uppers, 69, Whirlybirds 56, Muskokas 56, Leatherettes 47, Super Soles 42.

Legion Ladies

January 30: The U.L.S. toed the foul line against the Wishful Thinkers, and with Mary Cooney setting them up with a 213, stashed away a big first game win. Dot Earle sparked the Wishful Thinkers in the second with a 240 but U.L.S. outlasted them to win by four pins. The Thinkers made no mistake in getting a win in the third when Lil Woods paced them with a 215. The odd singleton went to the U.L.S.

Hopefuls Take Totals by 1 Pin

Hopefuls won the first from Cornhuskers dropped the second by 20 pins, then came back to win the third by five pins. It didn't come any closer for totals—Hopefuls took it by one pin. Best individual honors came from Cornhuskers — two singles, Marilyn Hills 220 and Doris Angell 232.

League Standing

Wishful Thinkers 69, Cornhuskers 68, U.L.S. 59, Hopefuls 58.

Blue Springs Nursery

January 31: "Asters" went back into the top spot on the totem pole. After squeezing out a first game win by four pins they coasted on down the win trail for a three game win. Lois Brown 219, Marg Woodhouse 202 and Kitty Goodwin 221 paced the winners with single efforts. Jo-anne Jessop got a mentionable for Asters with a 206.

Moms Win From Violets

Violets set the Moms back in the first with Milly Stitt hitting a 242. Betty Hardie was on for Moms in the second with a 243 to take care of Rosalee Higgins 202, and games were square. Stitt rang in a 206 for Violets in the third but Moms "Lil" Andrew Urquhart was up for a 236 and Moms had the win, along with the odd point for totals.

Roses Climb to 4th Spot

Roses did a bit of climbing when they snipped off the Glads with a zero count and went from the last spot to fourth. Roses went for the win in a big way with Sophie Obrzut and James Withers tripling 640 and 602 in that order. Verna Churchill soloed with 231. The Glads were singleless, tripleless and winless.

League Standing

Asters 78, Moms 77, Violets 60, Roses 56, Carnations 54, Glads 53.

Service League

January 31: "Micro Plastic" plastered the Walflos for a two and totals win when they ran in two last wins on the surprised to say the least Walflos. Walflos managed to recover from the shock in time to win the last game. "Moots" Taylor bow with singles of 201 and 204, along with Herb Schubert's 202 sparked the Mic to win. Walflos checked over their score sheet, but could find naught a single or triple.

Y's Men Have All-Out Win

Y's Men hit the all or nothing bracket against the Rotary and it was an all out win for the men from the Y. Lyle Somerville with 215 and Harry Arbic with 222 headed up the Y's Men win.

League Standing

Walflos 55, Y's Men 49, Micro Plastic 33½, Rotary 16½.

Industrial-Commercial

February 1: Reliable Taxi took over top spot last week and managed to hang on to it, but it was no fault of the Jolly Rogers. They took the Taxi crew for two and totals. The victory pennant would have been fluttering in the breeze for all games but the "630" boys took the middle stanza by two pins. "Wily Wilo" Near 774 and Bill Churchill 617 fired the triple broadsides for Rogers. Reliable made with a trio of triples — Fred Kentner 700, Ed McGillgway 607 and Pete Homer 650.

I.G.A. Take Totals by 3 Pins

Al's Snack Bar tried hard to regain the top spot at the expense of Ledger's I.G.A. with a two game windfall but after winning the first two, came to a halt and the I.G.A. grabbed the last and totals. The singleton was close Ledger's grabbed it by three pins. Al's top trio of sharpshooters were Bill Johnstone 699, Don Greth 681 and Wayne Spires 663. Ledger's big guns were Frank Irvine 668, Dave Manes 627 and Wayne Ridley 665.

Guy's Solid in 4th Place

Guy's Cartage continued to roll a two and totals win from A-1 Delivery keeps them solid in fourth spot. Wheeling and dealing for the Guy's were Ches Pevcha 752, "Junior" Creasey 654 and Earl Goodwin 618. Carl DeForest hit the triple plateau for A-1 with 699 and Hal DeForest hit a 343 to make a 486 double. Doesn't say much for his first game, does it? Never mind, Hal. I'm only kidding. Your last game was a bit of all right.

League Standing

Reliable Taxi 91, Al's Snack Bar 89, Ledger's I.G.A. 87, Guy's Cartage 67, Jolly Rogers 46, A-1 Delivery 40.

Acton Ladies

February 1: Lamb Real Estate took off into the wild blue yonder against the Lovell Bros. for a first game win, then the blue turned to grey as the league leading Lovell's grabbed the second and third chukkers. Verna Arbic paced Lovell's in the triple field with a 654. Stef Peycha 253 and Bea Anderson 222 took care of the singles. Jackie Nolan did a solo stint for the "Little Lambs" with 206.

Corona's Take Prouse's

Corona Shoes came up with a couple of good tricounts. Eva Williams 629 and Peggy Lawson 604. These, along with the singles of Arlene Bruce 211, Shirley McKeown 205 and 208, gave Corona's a two and totals win over the Prouse Motors. Marg Toth hit 201 for Prouse's in the first, then Nan Hurst, Peg Ballentine and Charlotte Holmes got the message in the second with 262, 214 and 229 and it paved off for the "Motor Maids" single win.

McCallum's Share 3rd Place

McCallum Services got up for a share of third place when they handed Benson's a two and totals defeat. Marion Storey packed in a 702 (331) triple for McCallum's. Joan Knight 202 and Helen Holmes 249 tossed in the singles. Joan McCristall and Doris Creamer singled for Benson's with 247 and 201 in that order.

League Standing

Lovell Bros. 85, Lamb Real Estate 70, Prouse Motors 68, McCallum Services 68, Corona Shoes 65, Benson Shoes 64.

Acton Major

February 2: Dominion Hotel were the big winners in the "Major" Acton Billiards forgot to bring their cues along and suffered a three game setback. "Uncle Louis" top trio of triple

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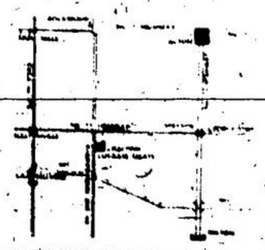

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