

Spilling Five Pins

AT THE ACTON

Bowling Lanes

by Ken Hulford



High School
Dec. 10: Mashing Monsters are still hanging onto first place, taking a two and totals decision from Choo-Choo Puffs gave them a healthy lead. Choo-Choo squeezed out a narrow win in the middle canto by 6 pins. Murray Smith's 204 solo for Monsters along with "Fandome Mike" Churchill's 208 for Choo-Choo were tops in this go. Gutter Files were squashed but good by Rinky Dinks, who, after winning the first game by 4 pins went on to win the next two in convincing fashion. Gary Masales singled 206 for Rinky Dinks. Blue Bombers bombed Red Devils into submission pinwise for a three game win with Terry Churchill 213 and "Ducky" Harris 205 soloing. Barbara Gibson's 220 solo was Red Devils' best.

League standing: Mashing Monsters 50, Gutter Files 45, Red Devils 43, Blue Bombers 40, Rinky Dinks 39, Choo-Choo Puffs 30.
Boarders
Dec. 10: Hot Shots were hot and topped anything the Toppers could offer and made it a triple win with Bob Brown 758, "Big Al" Pavli 704 and "Burdy Bill" Buchanan 682 being the hottest of the Hot Shots. Toppers went with the solo, "Tinnie" Masales 206 and Lyle Cripps 223. Fivers grabbed five points on the strength of a two and totals win from Lucky Seven. Fivers' hot rollers were Jim Bullough 658 and Arlie White 683. Pat Waldie crashed a 685 for the Seven outfit. In the battle of the "Devils", Dare Devils outgunned Red Devils for the large portion of a 5-2 go with Helen Valerian 657 and Millie Fabian 617. Rose Fountain 204, Helen LeSueur 215 and Bea Anderson 221-215 heading up the win. Phil LeSueur 688 and Archie Papillon 234-202 tripled and singled for Red Devils.
League standing: Hot Shots 53, Fivers 50, Lucky Seven 47, Dare Devils 47, Red Devils 29, Toppers 26.

Legion Ladies
Dec. 10: Big upset in the Legion Ladies league. Swans took the powerful Ugly Ducklings for the works. The Ducklings tried hard in the third to make the win grade but missed it by 24 pins. Pacing the Swans' win was Phyllis Angell 614 (240) and Susie Dedels 508 (197). Tops for the Ducklings, Louise Cook 359 (197) and Millie Earle 408 (231). Squibs made it a two and totals win from Squibs. They missed a clean sweep by losing the middle game by 7 pins. Heading up the Squibs' win, Joyce Buchanan 660 (246) and Grace Agnew 483 (167). Squibs' best were Peggy DeBruin 444 (200) and Mamie Allen 392 (165).
League standing: Ugly Ducklings 67, Squibs 47, Swans 44, Squibs 24.

Blue Springs
Dec. 11: Glads grabbed a close first game win from Asters seven pins, then powered a second win in the second and hung on to win the third by 20 pins and replaced Asters on top of the totent pole. Glads wrapped it up with Wametta Smith 613, Sylvia Mages 215 and Mary Daley 247 being the chief wrappers. Marj Hutnagel singled a 237 for Asters. Carnations, after losing the first to Roses, took the next two for a 3 point win with Miltie Stru 630 heading up the win. Cathy Dodds paced Roses first game win with 225. Mums took Violets in the first, tied 'em in the second and won the finale by 8 pins to pick up six points. The win got Mums out of the last spot. Thelma Vale soloed for Mums with 207 as did JoAnne Insoe 212 and Cheryl Phillips 213 for Violets.
League standing: Glads 52, Asters 49, Carnations 46, Roses 45, Mums 42, Violets 39.

Micro Plastic
Dec. 11: Moon Glows won two games from Terribles but lost one on the odd point for totals when Terribles rolled a block-buster in the third. Up with the solos for Moon Glows, Fred Allen 247 and Leo McGiloway 226. Rose Cook 614 triple and Jack Hunter 221 single were Terribles' best. Spatniks after winning the first from Lamplighters sputtered out and it was two and totals for Lamplighters with Terry Hebdon 622, Shirley Moore, Doug Johnson 230 and Thelma Jordan 208 pacing the win. Herman Bessern 253 and Nino Gito 211 orbited the solos for Spatniks. Squawkers after winning the first two from Blowers were already to make it three but Blowers came through with a 21 pin win and spoiled their plans. Squawkers scored with solos, Joan Knight 213-239, Jan Weich 226 and Jerry Warren 215. Bob Drinkwater 200 and Bill Verbeek 204 were in a like vein for Blowers.
League standing: Moon Glows 50, Squawkers 47, Blowers 41, Terribles 40, Spatniks 40, Lamplighters 34.

Tri-State
Dec. 11: Grannies sent Hillbillies packing back to the hills with many a win and took over top spot as a result. Top trundlers in this go were, for Grannies, Edith Jennings 583 (259), Beth Phillips 457 (178). For Hillbillies, Pearl McLaren 489 (176). High Flyers couldn't find the ignition switch in the first against Jetsons but found it in time to turn on the power for a second and third game win along with the odd point for totals. Second game was tough for Jetsons to lose, 27 pins being the decider. Top mangle mashing alone in this go was done by Edith Bryan 443 (198), Ina Moore 395 (169) for Flyers and Linda Jarvis 483 (175), Dot Jennings 450 (184) for Jetsons.
League standing: Grannies 38, Hillbillies 36, Jetsons 35, High Flyers 31.

Industrial-Commercial
Dec. 12: After a three game win at the expense of A's Snack Bar, Ridley Cartage found themselves in first place. Bob Martin 730, Ken Hulford 637 and Dick Willie 603 were Ridley's top tripling trio. Wilo Neat with 701 tried to rally the "Snack Bar boys but to no avail. Lindsay Orfuns are competing their opposed limbs taking in the Gitto Electric via the two and totals route not doing them any harm. Jeff Fryer 687 and Fred Kentner 610 tripled for Orfuns. Sparking the accounts for the Gittosites were Gino De Bartolo 676 and Nino Gito 615. Station Hotel made it a double win from Ledger's I.G.A. with a close two pin win in the third. Ledger's had the edge, total pin wise and picked up the win. Twas a low scoring affair neither team hitting the triple zone.
League standing: Ridley Cartage 50, Ledger's I.G.A. 47, A's Snack Bar 44, Gitto Electric 40, Station Hotel 40, Lindsay Orfuns 31.

Action Ladies
Dec. 12: Lovell Bros. hit a triple win at Paulettes' expense and took over the top spot. Peggy Lawson 605, Doris Townsley 213 and Jean McPhail 231 tripled and singled for the "Meat Mails". Mamie Manes saved face for Paulettes with a 212 solo. Cameos saw the first game go to Action Creamery by 21 pins then reversed the order of things and won the second by 21 and have 2-0 home with plenty in the bank for a two and total win. Clipping off the singles in a winning cause. Marie Mellor 210, Doreen McIntyre 211 and Anna Sivka 201 Action Creamery tripled and singled with Joan McCristall 636

and Emmy Fryers 203. Milk apparently is a more potent force than gasoline and Masales Dairy made with a two and totals win from McCallum's Service. Vera Arbia 209, Anne Moore 204 singled for Masales. For McCallum's Service, Marion Storey 647 topped the trundling.
League standing: Lovell Bros 49, McCallum Services 47, Cameos 46, Action Creamery 45, Masales Dairy 44, Paulettes 42.

Thursday Toppers
Dec. 13: The best Tiger Cats could do against Cameos was a tie game in the second. Cameos with Nancy Jensen 580 (208) and Phyllis Winters 441 (150) heading up the win found themselves in a second place tie. Tiger-Cats with Vera Arbia 336 (247) and Helen Bittorf 462 (190) hung on to a shaky one point top place lead. Strikers with a two and totals win from Busv Bees are the other occupants of second place. Top trio of triplers for Strikers showed up in Ada Peal 484 (205), Doreen Lauder 458 (162) and Pearl Baker 457 (200). Jenny Clendenning 459 (171) and Kate Turkosz 414 (151) buzzed the accounts for Bees. Humpy Gang made chumps out of Chumps for the first two games but Chumps rallied to spare the last canto and avert the shutout. Anne Moore 596 (233) and Ivy Martin 571 (230) topped the "Gangs" rolling. Eleanor Guy with 432 (157) was Chumps' best.
League standing: Tiger-Cats 49, Strikers 48, Cameos 48, Busv Bees 47, Humpy Gang 44, Chumps 37.

Action Major
Dec. 13: Could be the theme song for Adams' Gold Stopp might well be, "Merrily We Roll Along". In any event another three game win, this time at the expense of Firefighters keeps them well ahead of the pack. "Spikes" Spires 648 and Bob Agnew 632 headed up the win. Firefighters just couldn't get hot. Dominion Hotel turned in a three game win effort with the Pros being the losers. Chester "Hee Haw" Pevcha was in the "Wasowicz Wallopers" lineup for a 740. "Big Al" Pavli 733 and Ivan Kilby "the Mad Russian" 605 backed his play. Bob Martin 689, Dave Johnson 634 and Ken Johnson 615 were Pros' tops. The Tiger-Cats after losing out in Soccer Club by 30 pins in the first managed to grab the next two and totals. Ross Morton 644, Don Green 610 and Bill Williams 609 were Cats' best. Luckily for the "Tired Tardies", the Soccer Club didn't come up with any hot triconts.

League standing: Adams' Gold Stripe 74, Dominion Hotel 57, Tiger-Cats 51, The Pros 46, Firefighters 23, Soccer Club 22.

Action Friends
Dec. 13: Swingers swing on the Headhunters but good and after a 4 pin win in the first, powered home with the next two for a clean sweep. Ernie Lawson's 607 and Bill McMullens' 259 headed up the win. Ann Thompson's 235 solo was Headhunters' best. Twisters made it a two and totals win from Lazy Bones but were hard pressed to win the finale, they managed it by 5 pins. Hartley Coley twisted out a 213 solo for the winners. Lazy Bones had plenty of solos, Barney Featherstone 218, Ray Atkinson 216-239, Syd Lamb 206 and Rosemary Platt 208, but still couldn't make them pay off game-wise. Nappers were out of totals winner when they met up with Untouchables. Hal DeForest 695, Murray Harrison 210-206 were Nappers' big guns. On the single plateau for Untouchables were "Big Jaw" Cunningham 227, Gary DeBruin 218, "Beaver" Baxter 214 and Bonnie Blackley 215.
League standing: Headhunters 56, Swingers 53, Nappers 49, Untouchables 46, Lazy Bones 45, Twisters 45.

Action Mixed
Dec. 14: It was an "all-or-nothing" go with the Action Mixed. Jumpers won 'em all from Raiders. No-Goods' snored the Snooty Birds under and to wind it up, Clippers clipped the Hittins for the works. In the Jumper Raider affair top trundling was done by Fred Landry 604, Sophie Oehlrich 679, Jack Bullough 223-218, Joe Vostry 220 for Jumpers. For Raiders, Tom Roach 212, Garry Funk 205. No-Goods had their highlighters, Ivy Martin 654, John Foley 229, Elmer White 228. The opposing Snooty Birds had George Gidman 214 and Nancy Jensen 210 for solos. For Clippers, Ed Browne soloed 242 with the losing Hittins coming up with Dot Thompson 243 and Maria Funk 208.
League standing: Jumpers 54, No-Goods 51, Snow Birds 43, Clippers 43, Raiders 41, Hittins 41.

Teen-n-Under
Dec. 15: Top Cats proved to Jetsons that they were just that by beating the luckless Jetsons for both games. Flintstones and Hillbillies had a couple of close goes. Hillbillies took the first by 15 pins then Flintstones beat Hillbillies in the second by enough to take the odd point for totals.

Blue Bombers bombed Fireflies for a double win and a nice gain pinwise. Making the "big ten" this week were Cavell Marshall 159-180 (139), Helen Harris 147-176 (323), Bob Bittorf 134-156 (294), Jim Cooney 143-145 (286), Harry Oehlrich 153-133 (286), Jackie Palmer 142-135 (277), Allan McKenzie 110-162 (272), Len Vary 135-133 (268), Steve VanFleet 139-127 (266), Craig Perkins 143-110 (253).

League standing: Top Cats 43, Hillbillies 34, Blue Bombers 33, Fireflies 29, Flintstones 30, Jetsons 11.

Headpin Hillies
Winning the weekly awards were Bob Brown taking the Paul's Clothing award with his triple of 758. Jim Bullough shouldn't have cold feet after he dons that pair of McGregor socks from Esquire Men's Shop which he won with his 299 single. Sophie Oehlrich rates the services of Streetville Dry Cleaners with her 679 triple and Rosemary Cook wins the Ledger's I.G.A. voucher with her 290 single. The bubbling beverages of Reinhardt's, Coca-Cola and Seven Up which the Teen-Under bowl best over averages to win, were won by Cavell Marshall, Sharon Dowling, Allan Green and Bruce Swift. In conclusion this column wishes all of its readers, the Merriest Christmas ever and certainly the most prosperous New Year. That's it amigos, adios.

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GUEST ARTIST Cliff MacKay was starred Sunday evening at the Robert Little school auditorium when Acton Citizens' Band entertained nearly 300 people during a concert sponsored by the bandsmen. Also on hand was guest pianist Ozzie Williams who accompanied Mr. MacKay during singing and musical selections. Pictured left to right are band leader Alf Perrott, Mr. Williams, Mr. MacKay and band president Ted Tyler Jr.

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