.....Spilling Five Pins at the Acton Bowling Lanes

by Ken Hulford

High School

Nov. 25: Untouchables took no chances on losing first place. They took two and totals from Longshots. Longshots won the first game by five pins, then took a siesta for the next two. Merl Harris' 274 solo for Untouchables took care of Longshots' Mary Grischow's 306. Termites gnawed OC O's down to size in the first game with a 23 pin win, then took a back seat for the next two and totals. Jim Jennings singled a 231 for the winners with Ducky Harris tripling a 604 (219) for Termites. Golden Hawks were grounded in the first two against Moonshiners, then flew off with a big win in the third and grabbed the single fun for totals. Brian Sheridan was the big wheeler and dealer for Moonshiners with 634 (231). Hawks couldn't quite make the grade for singles or triples.

League standing: Untouchables 46, Termites 39, Longshots 37, OC O's 37, Golden Hawks 29, Moonshiners 22.

Beardmore

Nov. 25: Toppers started off in fine style with a first game win from the league leading Red Devils, but apparently couldn't stand success and dropped the next two and totals. Devils caught ahead on singles with "Jeem" Balbough 232, Al Roach 208, Snicker" Snider 204 and John Fabian 224. For Toppers, Roger Dodger" Murray 655, Johnnie Tyers 214 and Vic Roach 238 singled and tripled. With a surprising 604 from John Dennis, plus Phil LeSueur 201 twice, Bill Buchan an 209-214, "Hustlin' Hec" Lambert 252 and Bert Collett 229, Rolling Room rolled to a triple win and replaced the opposing Hot Shots in second place. Outside of Ed Parent 226 and "Big Al" Pavle 228, Hot Shots were not so hot. Dreamers are finding the way trail rough — best they could do was a one game win by one pin against White Hopes. This dropped Dreamers to last spot. Jake Vanderkloos 234, "Silent Fred" Kentner 207 and "Yumpung Yohnny" Robson 214 placed the winners with solos. Helen LeSueur 212 and Helen Vateman 239 singled for Dreamers.

League standing: Red Devils 53, Rolling Room 43, Hot Shots 40, Toppers 35, White Hopes 31, Dreamers 29.

Legion Ladies

Nov. 25: Headed up by Dot Earle 581 (213) and Mary Kreppi 527 (247), Bomanzas made with a two and totals win from Twisters. Twisters efforts were paced by Phyllis Angeli 579 (221) and Joyce Buchanan 568 (213). Jets had more power than the Bombers and went all the way for a triple win with Louise Toth 522 (232), Mary Elliott 472 (186) and Pearl Baker 457 (186) being chief zoomers. Trying to get Bombers on the win target were Mary Cooney 502 (182), Helen Jocque 443 (161) and Blanche Mason 401 (149).

League standing: Bomanzas 40, Twisters 35, Jets 34, Bombers 31.

Blue Springs Nursery

Nov. 26: Sweet Peas bit Lilacs for a three game win and are one point behind Lilacs as a result. Sharon Owen 509 (206), Joyce Blanchette 446 (166) and Maxine Gough 445 (157) were the sweetest of the Sweet Peas handiwork. Cheryl Phillips 500 (204) and Mary Anderson 408 (145) were Lilacs best in a losing cause. Pets are still climbing. This week took Orchids for two and totals. Almost made it three, but lost the finale by 16 pins. Eleanor Goy 538 (199), Millie Stitt 457 (175) and Eileen Frank 434 (187) were up for Petunias. Sally Thomson 464 (204) and Sylvia Magee 453 (200) bloomed for Orchids. Weeping Willows did no weeping this week. They were on the right side of a 5-2 go with Pansies. Pansies spoiled Willows hopes of a shut-out by winning the middle chukker by 23 pins. Shirley Hunter 474 (202) and Anne Norton 409 (152) sparked the Willows. June Kennedy 440 (191), Irene Dodds 435 (182) and Ruth Archibald 422 (153) were Pansies top triplers.

League standing: Lilacs 50, Sweet Peas 49, Orchids 47, Pansies 36, Weeping Willows 35, Petunias 35.

Tri-State

Nov. 26: Alley Rockers are rocking along nicely. They dusted off the Pin Dusters for a two and totals win with Edith Jennings 407 (189), Bess Phillips 407 (170) and Pat McLean 404 (164) being Rockers' top trio. Linda Jarvis 485 (191) and Dorothy Edwards 329 (146) were Dusters' tops. Mohawks went on the warpath and skinned the hides from Alley Cats with a triple win and got up or a share of first place. Chief skinners for the Mohawks were "Little Audrey" Ingles 419 (145), Jean Neave 398 (176) and Belle Kitchen 378 (143). Cats' best yowlers were Phyllis Jarvis 420 (147) and Ede Roberts 348 (155).

League standing: Alley Rockers 32, Mohawks 32, Alley Cats 18, Pin Dusters 16.

Micro Plastics

Nov. 26: Screwballs are still hanging onto first place by virtue of a two game win from Moonshiners. Moonshiners piled up enough pins in their winning second game to take totals. Joan Knight 219 and George Tilcox solored for Screwballs. Joe Pauzer saved face for Moonshiners with 223. Hot Shots were hot and pushed Pushovers into the pool of nowins and barrelled up to one point behind the leaders. Pushovers threatened in the finale but the "Belleville Basher" Fred Curtiss came up with a 325 to put the game on ice for Hot Shots. Leo McGilloway 602 and Wayne Eason 207 tripled and singled for Pushovers. Fred Curtiss 325, Jim Kelman 231 and Irene Breen 207 were in a like vein for Hot Shots. Underdogs are underdogs no longer. After winning the first game from Hot Dogs by 11 pins, they went all the way and made a clean sweep. Hix Daigle scored a 211 for Underdogs with Gino De Bartolo getting a 205 for Hot Dogs.

League standing: Screwballs 43, Hot Shots 42, Underdogs 36, Moonshiners 30, Hot Dogs 30, Pushovers 29.

Industrial-Commercial

Nov. 27: Gitto Electric threw a block-buster at Canadian Tire in the first, but the C.T.'s bustled and got a retread and wound up winning the next two. The Electricians stashed away the odd point for totals. Jeff Fryer 705 and Ed Parents 653 were tops for Canadian Tire. On beam for Gitto Electric were Mike Rogers 635 and Don DeForest 621. Ridley Cartage blew a good chance to overhaul Ledger's I.G.A. They won the first game handily, lost the second by 15 and the third by 32. Some consolation — they took the singleton for totals. Bob Martin 732, Don Green 655 and Dick Willie 610 tripled for Ridley's. For I.G.A. it was Bill Shannon 658 and Wayne "Points" Mason 644. There's jubilation in Gasoline Alley. Masson Motors won another game. Blow Press won the first two and were pressing for the third one, but Fred Landry finished out a 647 string with 248 and "Terrible Terry" Masales finally bounced a single of 207 and Masson's were in for the win. For Blow Press, Art Berlinski turned in a neat 680 to team up with Robert the Bruce's 626 to spark the win.

League standing: Canadian Tire 55, Ledger's I.G.A. 51, Ridley Cartage 47, Gitto Electric 42, Blow Press 28, Masson Motors 8.

Acton Ladies

Nov. 27: With a two games and totals win from Lovell Bros., Acton Creamery took over top spot. The Creamery win was headed by Bea Anderson's 633 triple, which included a hot 336 single. Janice Withers' 221, Pauline Herrington's 225, Norma Robinson's 234 and Catherine McMillan's 214 singles. Lovell Bros.' win, which came in the middle chukker, was by 30 pins when Marion Jerome, Doris Townsley and Helen Otterbein hit for 224, 204 and 221 in that order. Cameos took the first game from Acton Jersey Dairy by 32 pins, then went into a decline and the Jerseyites were in for two and totals. Pacing the winnere were Marion Storey 632, Elsie Swift 225 and Arlene Bruce 218. Cameos' tops were Marnie Mellor 633 and Nan Hurst 207. Ledger's I.G.A. went for a two and total win at the expense of Masales Dairy with Verna Arbic 209 and Pat Frizzell 208 singling. Masales Dairy won the second game by 17 pins with Doreen McIntyre hitting 218.

League standing: Acton Creamery 45, Lovell Bros. 43, Cameos 41, Masales Dairy 36, Acton Jersey Dairy 34, Ledger's I.G.A. 32.

Thursday Toppers

Nov. 28: Rough Riders got away with a 14 pin win in the first against Busy Bees, then dropped the second by 32, but came back to wrap up the title and totals. Eleanor Goy 511 (191) and Mamie Allan 438 (163) rode high for Riders. Doris Angell with 416 (155) was the busiest of the Busy Bees. Headpins were 17 pins better than Strikers in the first, then took a back seat in the next and Strikers were in for two and totals with Verna Arbic 610 (202). Rose Winters 579 (195) and Kate Turkosz 462 (158) pacing the win. Helen Bittorf 487 (201) and Agnes Holmes 432 (190) were Headpins' best. Happy Mediums took Happy Gang for two and totals with the Gang winning the middle chukker by 24 pins. Joan Knight 558 (201) and Phyllis Winters 525 (191) headed up Mediums' win. Ivy Martin 619 (243) and Jessie Price 542 (206) were the Gang's top duo.

League standing: Rough Riders 47, Happy Gang 40, Happy Mediums 39, Strikers 36, Busy Bees 35, Headpins 34.

Major

Nov. 28: Gold Stripe, like "Ole Man River", just keeps rolling along. Met up with the Soccer Club and set them down with nary a win. Bill Johnstone 689, Jeff Fryer 672 and Bob Agnew 360 topped Stripers' trundling. It was an off night for Soccer Club. Dominion Hotel with "Bunt" Perry 682 and Phil LeSueur 626 made with a two and totals win from Pros. The Pros, being pros, never gave up and finally won the finale. Dave Johnson 679 and Bob "Thin M" Martin 621 were up for Pros. A new sponsor and new bowling shirts did not bode well for Tiger Cats. Going to the foul line under the sponsorship of Paul's Men's Wear saw them drop the works to Acton Billiards, who were up to scratch and put Paul's Men's Wear behind the eight-ball but good. Bill Stanfield 786 (317), Frank Morton 703 (290) and "Wily Wilo" Near 665 were the trundling trio for the "Cue Boys". Paul's never did get going.

League standing: Gold Stripe 63, Dominion Hotel 46, Acton Billiards 46, Paul's Men's Wear 43, The Pros 18, Soccer Club 15.

Acton Friends

Nov. 28: Bonanzas apparently did not take kindly to Whirlybirds breathing down their necks and won three games from Flintstones, to pull out in front. Ray Atkinson 219 and Rae West 224 had solos for Bonanzas. Flintstones couldn't strike a spark. Whirly birds took a shellacking in the first from Untouchables, won the second and sneaked the third by 18 pins. Untouchables had the pins for the singleton. Mery Harness 210-243, Keith Allen 216, Carl Hunnemuk 207 and Muff Hunter 212 were on the single plateau for the Birds. Al Coombe combed a couple of singles for Untouchables. 220-240 Hillbillies ran up a couple of easy wins from Defenders and stayed off a bid by Defenders in the third and won by seven pins for a clean sweep. "Bruce" McArthur turned in a neat 629 triple for Hillbillies. Hart Coles "singled" 206 for Defenders.

League standing: Bonanzas 50, Whirlybirds 46, Hillbillies 44, Untouchables 40, Flintstones 36, Defenders 36.

Acton Mixed

Nov. 29: Jokers waited until the third game before registering a win against the Whites Caps, but won it by enough to take totals by 22 pins. "Pipes" Dailey 606, Leo La Porte 214 and Elmer White 218 tripled and singled for White Caps. In a like vein for Jokers were Ivy Martin 602, John Toles 200 and Verna Arbic 244. Jumpers won the first two from No Goods, but No Goods put on the power play in the third for the win and totals. Making with the solos for Jumpers were Chris Jensen 233-210 and Jules Fryters 231-229. No Goods' sharpshooters were Martin Oehrich 608, George Maltby 234, Frank Maloney 214. Go Getters won two from Hitpins, but unlike their confreres, they took the odd point for totals. "Smitty" Pietrangeli 652 and Ron Whitham 248 had the triple and single honors for Go Getters. Terry Masales 238 and Bill Dobbie 201 singled for Hitpins.

League standing: Jokers 39, White Caps 36, Jumpers 36, No Goods 35, Go-Getters 35, Hitpins 29.

Teen-n-Under

Nov. 30: Jetsons pulled an upset and won both games from Black Cats. Lucky Strikes won the first game from Defenders by 14 pins and took the last game decisively. Happy Gang won one and totals from Top Cats with Top Cats winning the last game by five pins. Making the "Big 10" this week were: Earl Butler 210-151 (361), Gary Price 140-172 (312), Bob Price 94-194 (288), Jim Lee 151-116 (267), Dave Pink 142-135 (277), Larry Deforest 108-160 (268), Brenda Henry 139-122 (261), Ken Owen 135-125 (260), Bob Turkosz 148-105 (253), Jackie Palmer 131-90 (224).

League standing: Lucky Strikes 33, Top Cats 28, Defenders 27, Happy Gang 21, Black Cats 17, Jetsons 9.

Headpin Hilites

Being Grey Cup day, no inter county league bowling was scheduled. This Saturday, the Acton Merchants will host the Lakeshore Bowl trundlers. In the matter of award winning, Bill Shannon's 786 triple won the Paul's Men's and Boys' Wear award with Bob Agnew winning the McGregor socks from the Esquire Men's Shop with a 328 single. For the ladies, Bea Anderson scored for the Streetsville Dry Cleaners' services, along with the Ledger's I.G.A. voucher for her triple of 653, which included a hot 336 single. The liquid refreshments of Coca-Cola Reinharts and Seven-Up awarded to the "Teeners" who bowl best over their averages were won by Earl Butler, Brenda Henry, Ken Owen and Colleen Perkins.

Being a Hamilton Old Boy, yours truly was pleased when Tiger Cats defeated the B.C. Lions in Vancouver 21-10 for the Grey Cup. That winds it up on gridiron, so adios and goodnight. Millbrae.

New Democrats Return P. Clancy

The annual meeting of the Halton New Democratic Party held in Milton on Thursday evening, returned Pat Clancy of Burlington as President and William Cumpsey of Georgetown as Party Organizer.

Other officers elected were Dave Law of Oakville as vice president, Wayne Sawyer of Oakville as secretary, Mrs Margaret Barlow of Burlington as treasurer, William Gillies of Oakville, Robert Drinkwalter of Acton, Murray Kernighan of Milton, and Scott McKay of Oakville officers at large.

Pat Clancy and Mrs Audrey Gibson of Oakville were elected to the Party's Provincial Council.

In discussing last year's activities President Clancy pointed out the need for much more organization in Burlington and Oakville and this is planned for next year.

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